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GRAIN LOOKING GOOD DECLARES CISCO FARMER

L. P. Long, who lives northwest of Cisco, was shopping in here Thursday. He reports grain looking good and starting to head.

ONE KILLED WHEN POSSE ROUTS THUGS

CADDO MILLS, Tex., April 23.—An unidentified man was killed here early today as a posse used guns and pistols to rout five intruders from Fagg's general store.

EVANGELIST ADDRESSES H. S. STUDENTS

The Rev. H. L. Janes, of Hobart, Okla., who is bringing messages each day to the First Baptist church here a two-weeks revival is in progress, spoke Wednesday morning to the students of the high school on the subject: "The Five Golden Keys."

TABLES WERE TURNED WESTPORT COURT

WESTPORT, Conn., April 23.—George F. Browne insisted on calling a policeman when his automobile was involved in a minor collision. The officer appeared and demanded to see the licenses of both drivers. Browne had forgotten his and was arrested.

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COTTONWOOD FARMER SAYS GARDENS FINE

"Gardens looking fine in sandy section of the county" says Jim Gandy of Cottonwood community. He says peas, potatoes, radishes, lettuce, spinach, mustard, spring turnips, green onions, are all making rapid growth during the warm weather of the past two weeks.

PLANS TO TAX GAS PIPED FROM STATE

AUSTIN, April 23.—Plans to put a tax on wholesalers piping gas from Texas to St. Louis, Kansas City and Chicago, were announced by Rep. C. E. Farmer, of Fort Worth, to the Texas house of representatives today. It is to supplement the tax on wholesale dealers of gas sold in Texas, he said.

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NOTABLES TO BE PRESENTED ON PROGRAM

The Twentieth Century club this evening at 8 o'clock on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel is presenting its annual Texas program. Congressman Fritz Lanham, of Fort Worth, will be the speaker and Mrs. Helen Founts Cahoon, soprano, accompanied by Miss Adeline Boyd, will be the soloist.

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How Shaw (Lawrence of Arabia) Refused Decorations From King, Revealed by Him

By HENRY T. RUSSELL United Press Staff Correspondent (Copyright 1931 in all countries by United Press. All rights reserved.) FLYMOOUTH, Eng., April 23.—How at Buckingham Palace he refused two decorations from the hands of the king of England himself, was today revealed for the first time by air-captain T. E. Shaw, (Lawrence of Arabia), once an army colonel, today an air force private. The man who during the war ousted the Turks from the desert and put Arabia on the map.

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11 PER CENT IS DUE LOCAL DEPOSITORS

AUSTIN, April 23.—Distribution of \$1,700,000 in settlement of a many-sided dispute that has been carried on since abandonment of the state guaranty bank plan, will be made in a suit now on trial in 98th district court here.

REV. JAMES IS SPEAKER FOR ROTARY CLUB

The Rev. H. L. Janes, who is conducting the series of revival services at the First Baptist church, was the speaker for the Rotary club luncheon today. He brought a message upon the subject "Little Things of Life" pointing out that the big things do not make happiness, for the building of character, nor control the influence in which life is spent, but that it is the multitude of little things which engrave character and control success or failure.

F. F. T. TEAMS WIN THREE TROPHIES AT STATE MEET

Two cups in grain judging and a trophy in the dairy judging contests were won by the Cisco F. F. T. teams who participated in the state F. F. T. judging meet at A. and M. college last Monday. The Cisco grain judging team won the grain sorghum contest and the all-around grain judging event. Both of these were divisions of the plant production section. This team was composed of Ben Camp, Bobbie Thurman and Avery Holt. Ben Camp was high point man in both events. About 40 teams participated.

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WEATHER

West Texas - Cloudy with occasional rain; somewhat colder in panhandle tonight. Friday cloudy with occasional rains in east portion. East Texas - Cloudy, probably scattered showers tonight and Friday. Warmer in east coast tonight.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

THE LORD SUSTAINS—They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.—Isaiah 40: 31.

TRUCK REGULATION.

Texas lawmakers are wrestling with truck regulatory bills. Two amendments to the pending senate substitute for the house truck control bill were adopted Monday. One eliminated the provision which would have prohibited railroad companies from owning and operating truck and bus lines, and the second by Sen. Grady Woodruff of Wise county would prohibit the sale or transfer of motor carrier certificates to non-resident persons, firms or corporations and permit non-resident owners of stock in truck and bus lines to have only non-voting stock.

Missouri lawmakers have been busy. Democrats made great gains in legislative districts in Missouri in 1930. It is said the 56th general assembly of Missouri will adjourn Saturday—"34 days past the end of the scheduled 70 days of the session."

According to news service reports the last major legislative problem with the exception of appropriation bills, finished its legislative journey in the Missouri senate Monday with passage of the bill for strict regulation of bus and truck lines operating on state highways. Passed several weeks ago by the Missouri house, the measure has been sent to the governor for his signature. Bus and truck regulation was one of the recommendations of the chief executive of Missouri at the opening of the general assembly last January. The bill places bus and truck lines under supervision of the state public service commission. It leaves the license tax on busses at \$10 a passenger's fee while the fees imposed on trucks range from \$25 a year for the one and one-half to two ton variety up to \$500 a year for the heaviest types.

In the throes of the fight in the senate of Texas a recess was taken Monday until Wednesday in order to permit the solons of state to observe with proper ceremonies the victory won at Sam Houston by the Texas liberator and his heroes. Now what will the senate do with the house bus and truck bills? It is one of the major measures and has awakened tremendous interest in the commonwealth over.

SHALL TAXATION BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM?

Senator Ben G. Oneal of the Wichita district insists that the constitution makers meant what they said in the long ago and that the clause in the constitution which declares that taxation shall be "equal and uniform" is mandatory. There is a vast army of Texans who are in hearty accord with Senator Oneal. He has proposed in a resolution that a special legislative tax survey committee be created to make an extended study of the state tax system. Four members of the house and three members of the senate would make up the committee. His resolution was referred to the senate committee on state affairs.

Senator Oneal is very much in earnest. His resolution stated the tax statutes of the commonwealth "were in many instances and are not when taken as a whole grounded on a sound and fair basis as to the various taxable values existing within the state." Senator Oneal rang the bell when he submitted his proposal and made the foregoing allegation. His resolution further stated there was a general demand over the state for a fair and just equalization of the taxes. All of which is the gospel truth. A provision of the resolution read: "The committee shall make a careful study of the subject of revenue and taxation with special reference to the problems presented in Texas and with special reference to the comparative burden of taxes as borne by the various industries and taxable values." An appropriation of \$5000 to be used in carrying on the project was requested.

CROWDING THE PRISON PENS OF TEXAS.

According to the board of managers of the Texas state prison as reported to the governor the total population of the prisons has reached the high mark of 5346 convicts. Unemployment creates poverty. Poverty creates crime and criminals. And so "that's that."

ANOTHER INCOME TAX PROPOSAL.

Having put over a bill to take \$7,000,000 a year from the pockets of cigaret smokers, the house constitutional amendments committee voted a favorable report, 5 to 2, on a resolution to authorize the legislature to levy a varying income tax on different classes of earnings. The proposed constitutional amendment would be submitted at the general election of 1932. Motor car owners of Texas are building the highways by direct pocket tax and are contributing in a double sense to the support of the public schools. Now the cigaret smokers are going to pour their millions into the state government till. According to a survey made by a very able and conscientious writer under the big dome "state revenues will be increased 10 million to 15 million dollars annually if revenue bills passed in the house today become laws." A reminder that in his first message to the lawmakers Gov. Sterling remarked that he agreed with Thomas Jefferson who said "A people the least governed are the best governed."

OTHER OPINIONS

SAYS NOTHING THERE.

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made a little country paper—the Atchison (Kansas) Globe, nationally known and a man who probably writes more common sense than any writer in America. Here is his conclusion:

"Men have been talking, thinking and writing to one knows how many thousand years. I cannot tell them anything new. My efforts is to convince them they know too much."

"People are like children in schools who learn the essentials in the primary grades and desert them for the big things, like psychology or the Einstein theory."

"Children perfectly understand the simple things taught in the primary grades; d-o-g spells dog, and so on up the ladder of actual learning, but after they get into psychology or Einstein theory and nothing for the reason there is nothing there."

"Always there is something new and useful to learn in practical things, but the folly of psychology and Einstein was early illustrated in the fable of the Confusion of Tongues."—Marshall News.

Cleaners Fail to Effect Organization

Dry cleaners of the Oil Belt failed to complete their organization for the settlement of their price war at their meeting at Eastland Wednesday evening.

A committee composed of Powell's Cleaning Plant, Cisco; Brown, of Royal Cleaning Plant, Breckenridge; Boon, of Ranger Dry Cleaners, Ranger; Hugland of Spee Dry Cleaners, Eastland, was appointed to smooth out differences for the next general meeting at Eastland next Tuesday evening.

The agreement seemed unanimous as to prices charged on a cash and carry basis, but the chief difficulty seemed to be the agreement on charge for and delivery services, according to those who attended the session.

They are hoping for a complete ironing out of their differences through this committee by next Tuesday.

Road Conference Is Postponed

County Judge C. L. Garrett said today that the conference between the Eastland county commissioners' court and Judge Ely, chairman of the state highway commission, which was scheduled to have been held today in Athens, would not take place before the latter part of the week due to the fact that all parties concerned could not attend sooner.

Paul Doing Fine, Mother's Card Says

A card from the mother of Paul Cole, former Lobo who is recovering from critical injuries received in a highway accident near Odessa last week, informed Mrs. J. T. Elliott today that Paul is "doing fine." The card written yesterday, said that the fever had left him, his lung was clear and congested and that his mind is clear. He is reading cards from his friends with pleasure, the message said.

A previous card said that Paul was showing symptoms of pneumonia.

STAR'S CHILD GRASS COP
NORTHAMPTON, Mass., April 23.—Frances Rich, daughter of Irene Rich, motion picture actress, is chief of the "grass cops," a squad of Smith college girls sworn to see that the campus lawns are not spoiled by pedestrians, bicyclists, or motorists. Some 300 Smith college students ride bicycles, and 75 chosen seniors are permitted to keep automobiles.

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DIVERSIFICATION DECLARED ONLY HOPE FOR AGRICULTURE

Rigid practice of diversification is the only hope for agriculture in this section, declares the Dublin Compress and Warehouse company, in a news release this week in which statistics on Eastland county cotton production from 1908 to 1930 is given.

The statement says: "As we see it, there is only one hope left for us all, and that is through rigid practice of diversification in its most intensive form. This would mean that we would be able to live at home, out of our smoke-houses and granary and at the same time raise a few cattle, hogs and fowls for home use, with perhaps some surplus to sell. If we follow this method, planting one-half or perhaps one-third our cultivated lands to cotton, working, fertilizing and poisoning same diligently as indicated, we would doubtless be able to raise our quality and our per acre yield to such a point where we can again successfully compete with cotton producers of foreign countries who are now dominating our markets—in other words, we must produce more and better cotton and always sell it for less."

The cotton production record of the county covering the period indicated is:

Year	Bales
1908	50,611
1909	29,441
1910	26,397
1911	29,881
1912	36,656
1913	37,531
1914	42,534
1915	43,936
1916	6,265
1917	6,642
1918	4,541
1919	15,299
1920	7,688
1921	1,837
1922	6,921
1923	12,534
1924	14,988
1925	22,462
1926	7,195
1927	5,739
1928	6,733
1929	4,756
1930	4,244

Government records show Eastland's county last full yield was had in 1908, after which time the boll weevil made its appearance in the western cross timber and shinnery

area. Viz: Archer, Bosque, Brown, Callahan, Clay, Cooke, Comanche, Denton, Eastland, Erath, Hamilton, Hood, Jack, Montague, Palo Pinto, Parker, Shackelford, Somervell, Stephens, Tarrant, Morton, Wise and Young counties.

"Further the records show that in no part of Texas have the weevils been so uncontrolled as they have been in this wooded area which is so well marked out and defined that it could be easily isolated and controlled with oil using Calcium Arsenate poisoning. The government has shown the way thru these methods; the lack of control has shown its results; what may be accomplished in the future is up to the individual producer, together with the general community as a whole assisting."

EL PASO, April 21.—From goat ranch to art school is the saga of the El Paso Art Alliance headquarters.

Goat House Serves as Art School

And Capt. Geoffrey Galwey, U. S. A. post exchange officer at Fort Bliss and erstwhile painter, is in charge of the group which banded together a few months ago to learn all about painting.

Captain Galwey, transferred to Fort Bliss from New York, has studied art under several famous teachers in the United States and abroad. It serves as a diversion from duties that fall to him as post exchange officer.

The art school has been located in the ruins of an antique goat ranch house and corral. Its ancient rock walls are so constructed as to have protected herd and herder alike from the dangers that came with nightfall.

But instead of a savoring baking tortillas in a rock oven, the place is inhabited by a group of El Pasoans doing oil, charcoal and grease pencil portraits.

The central part of the house, separated from living quarters by a rock wall, is crumbling in ruins. Within the ranch house proper, however, there is a Bohemian atmosphere. Hides are draped from aging rafters, a fireplace and a

book is set aside where models may change costumes.

So much interest has been shown in the "goat ranch" art school that Captain Galwey plans to enlarge quarters in order to care for a larger class.

State Road Bonds--

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Interest at 4 1/2 per cent. This will amount to \$9,540,000.00 annually. If the bonds are retired in 40 years, it will require \$5,300,000.00 annually. This added to the interest charge makes \$14,840,000.00, which must be paid from the highway funds, beginning with the 5th year.

Present revenues of highway department from fuel tax and registration fees, \$27,000,000.00. Less maintenance costs, \$12,000,000.00. Balance, \$15,000,000.00. Interest and sinking fund on bonds, \$14,840,000.00. Balance for new construction, \$160,000.00.

"This balance is practically nothing. It will not match federal aid and the state will have no funds for new construction after the 5th year. True, the interest will get less each year as the bonds are paid. The sinking fund will not be reduced. Fifteen years hence the interest will be \$7,393,000.00 and sinking fund of \$5,300,000.00 will make a total annual payment of \$12,693,000.00 at that time. Total interest payments during life of bonds will be \$195,370,000.00. Total payment to retire this bond issue will be \$407,570,000.00.

"Here are facts and figures on the plan outlined in either Brooks or Stevenson bills:

"Present revenue to state highway department from gasoline and registration fees, \$27,000,000.00. Less maintenance, \$12,000,000.00. Amount necessary to retire county bonds under Brooks or Stevenson bills, \$6,000,000.00. Balance, \$9,000,000.00. Amount necessary to match federal aid, \$7,500,000.00; balance, \$1,500,000.00. Add to this federal aid, \$7,500,000.00, state funds to match, \$7,500,000.00, total \$15,000,000.00; total for new construction, \$16,500,000.00. This amount will continue to be available each year from now on if same federal aid continues.

"Which is better: to have \$20,000,000.00 a year for 5 years and stop work, or to have \$16,500,000.00 a year from now on indefinitely?"

"In my campaign I opposed a bond issue. I advocated paying county indebtedness by law, out of the highway fund. This met the approval of a large majority of the people by ballot and almost unanimously in the convention. The

letters and telegrams I have received will give immediate relief. The Stevenson bill or Brooks bill will do it. Why do those who most strongly sponsor the bond issue oppose both bills mentioned? I am for the bills and against a bond issue, as this carries out my promises to the people and their instructions to me.

"Respectfully,
TOM J. CUNNINGHAM."

ANDREE MUSEUM PLANNED

GRENNA, Sweden, April 23.—An Andree museum will soon open in Grenna, the birthplace of the Swedish Arctic explorer. It will contain many of Andree's personal belongings, furniture and household objects from his paternal home.

Marshall—Texas and Pacific railroad shops reopened here, recalling several hundred men to work.

Slayer Believed in San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO, April 23.—A man believed to be the slayer of a year-old Merle Springer, whose body was discovered last night in a ditch near her home at Leming, Atascosa county with 22 knife wounds, was thought to be in Antonio today, and authorities expected momentarily to arrest him.

Atascosa county authorities local detectives are seeking a man who was seen loitering in a ditch near the five-foot ditch where the girl's body was found.

When the girl did not appear supper last night her step-father Elmo Dickey, became worried and began a search for her. He found her dead in the ditch near his home. She had not been criminally assaulted.



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CONSERVATION OF SOIL UP TO GOVERNMENT

AUSTIN, April 23.—The futility of taking other precautions for the welfare of future generations while allowing profligate waste of the nation's greatest asset was pointed out today by J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, in a statement urging serious consideration by the legislature and Texas generally of pending legislative measures for soil conservation.

McDonald declared that agricultural experience of the last twenty years shows inexorably the direction agriculture is taking. In the last twenty years, he stated, statistics disclose the alarming fact that production per acre of cotton on Texas lands has declined 60 per cent.

The rate of decline has grown rapidly as the soils are sapped of their strength, he asserted. Twenty years ago, all Texas cotton was superior in staple and quality. Today a large portion is unmerchantable which means that improper crop rotation is impoverishing the soils and owners of the soils.

It is imperative, McDonald stated, that we conserve our soil, using definite and positive means. Futility of the program we have been following, of educational efforts, has been demonstrated in the last fifty years by the decline, both in soil fertility and in the economic condition of our agricultural classes.

In the past when we possessed fee simple title to land, we considered it our privilege to do with that land as we pleased, allow it to erode and be washed away, drained of its fertility. It would be fully as logical to allow a land owner to render his land unfit for plant life by applying some chemical reagent, without being held responsible for his actions.

"In these modern days when men think of the future as well as of the present, it is generally accepted that we are merely trustees of the soil, and should be held accountable for our trusteeship. It is also commonly accepted that it is the duty of the government to preserve soil."

"To this end our legislatures establish schools and colleges for the education of future generations. Surely it is just as essential that some legislative steps be taken to conserve our soil, which must support future generations. The outer man, as well as the inner, should be considered."

In House Bill 46 by J. J. Olson and others, the legislature has under consideration a bill in which I am intensely interested. If passed, it will aid materially in the conservation of soils. In Texas, other states will follow. Even now Mississippi is marking time, waiting for the Texas legislature to enact a conservation law. Some are honest thinking brought into play when the Texas legislature takes up this measure for consideration."

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AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION NEWS

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

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FARM POULTRY PAYS

Profit can be made from a farm flock of good hens when they have proper feed and care even with eggs at a very low price according to monthly reports of poultry demonstrators who are keeping records in cooperation with the county agent. Two of these reports are particularly interesting and will be summarized here to show what can be done even with high price feed and low price eggs.

Everett Harris.

With a flock of white leghorn hens Everett Harris of near Rising Star made a profit of \$43.43 above feed costs in March. His 434 hens averaging 22 cents each for the month. The average eggs per hen for the past five months has been 42 per month. The average monthly feed cost has been 13.4 cents per hen. November and December were his low months and his hens operated at a loss to him during this time.

W. C. Bedford Outstanding.

The total sales from leghorns averaging 534 for the past five months has been \$702.23 from the flock of W. C. Bedford of Desdemona. Feed cost for five months was \$418.00 or \$83.60 per month averaging 15.6 cents per hen. Other costs have been electricity or lights in the early morning \$10.20, gas for brooding baby chicks \$10.00 and hatching expense \$37.50. Total expenses \$475.70. Leaving a net profit of \$226.53 and over 500 fryers 250 of which are high producing pullets which will be kept to add to the laying flock and 250 cockerels to be put on the market at once. Valuing the pullets at 50 cents and the cockerels at 75 cents these hens have brought in a profit of \$539.03 or an average of \$1 per hen over a five-month period.

It will be of interest to note that both flocks have been of high laying strains which doubtless accounts for the profit whereas most flocks of the country have been maintained at a loss. Both of these flocks have had an abundance of green feed all winter.

Growing Quality Watermelons.

The watermelon acreage in Eastland county will be greatly increased over any previous year which means that outside markets must be found for these melons. Some of the growers have had experience in the past in growing melons and will not get the large uniform size that the market requires. Some are family will ever be able to take care of the weeds, grass and melon lice will get most of such crops. It is to be regretted that farmers will not post themselves on the amount of labor required to care for a new crop before diving headlong into heavy production.

Watermelons require working twice a week. After the vines begin to run plowing should cease and weeds and grass kept down with the hoe. Melon roots close to the surface and cover a large area. Plowing or pulling of weeds tends to disturb these roots and damage the crop. Melon lice or honeydew usually appears and it is not profitable to pull out and burn the affected plants. They should be sprayed or preferably dusted with Nicotine Sulphate mixture. Every melon grower should provide himself with a small hand duster for applying nicotine dust. It is too late to plan to get this equipment after the lice appears. Farmers Bulletin No. 1499 "The Melon Aphid and Its Control" gives complete instructions for mixing and applying this mixture. Every melon grower should get a copy of this bulletin and also Farmers Bulletin No. 1394 "Watermelons."

Pruning Necessary.

By pruning of watermelons is meant the pinching off of the immature melons leaving only two to the hill. When these are about half grown two more are allowed to set and finally if there are late rains a third pair is left. This system will give four to six melons to the hill averaging in weight 50 pounds depending on the fertility of the soil and moisture conditions. Those who think this pruning too much trouble or unnecessary will get a large number of medium size melons which will not ship. Some of the best growers try to train the vines along the north and south rows in an effort to have a more open space to protect the melons from the sun and heat. This also leaves an open space to drive in while gathering the melons. Late in the season rye or peas may be planted in the

middle to act as a winter cover crop and prevent sand blowing.

The inexperienced grower would do well to interview some man who has had a successful experience in growing and marketing melons, even though it takes a day's time in finding such a man.

Large Peanut Yields.

The state experiment station at Lubbock finds no difficulty in making 100 bushels of peanuts per acre by planting good seed six inches in the drill and fertilizing with 400 pounds of 4-12-4 fertilizer or some mixture in that proportion. The Beville station has made yields above 200 bushels in this same manner. In spacing tests of two feet, 18 inches, 12 inches and six inches the yields have increased as the plants were placed thicker in the drill. Seed were reclaimed so that the sticks and pods were left out resulting in a perfect stand.

Diet Suggestions.

Minimum essentials for an adequate diet for one individual, to be adjusted to the individual according to occupation, size and age.

Milk—At least 1 1/2 pints every day, and one quart if possible. May be sweet, clabber or buttermilk, used to drink or in food.

Butter—At least one serving every day to furnish vitamins A and D.

Whole Cereal—At least one serving every day, includes whole wheat, corn meal and any breakfast food.

Vegetables—Leafy three times each week; cabbage, spinach, lettuce, onions, beet tops, kale, collards, chard, asparagus, kraut. String beans may be used as leafy vegetable. Starchy, one every day, potatoes, parsnips, and corn. Others, one every day, turnips, squash, cukes, okra, egg-plant, beets, cucumbers, carrots, cushaw and pumpkin.

Fruits—At least two servings every day or 14 each week in addition to jams, jellies, and preserves. Of the 14 servings one serving every day should be raw and three servings during the week should be of tomatoes, oranges or grapefruit. The other four servings may be canned, dried or fresh and of any variety.

Protein—At least two servings daily; includes eggs, cheese, beans, meat and nuts. The two servings should be of different foods.

How much of the above can be kept during all months of the year and how much will have to be canned?

A budget below gives the amount for a family of five for six months time. This can be changed to meet the needs of the different families. Examples: a No. 2 can of tomatoes is sufficient for a family of five, therefore a No. 3 can or a quart jar would answer or the "container" a No. 2 can of corn might be sufficient for a family of five.

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The wise and thrifty car owner is keenly alert to the desirability, in fact the necessity of keeping his car tuned up properly. And to do so he knows he must seek the sign indicating an establishment where he can get the class of service he demands. This of course means that the man who serves him must have first a training fitting him for his particular work. Second he must have had sufficient experience to properly execute the job he has been trained for and third he must have a reputation for integrity and dependability. The motorist DEMANDS these qualifications in a man when his car is "sick." He feels that his car deserves the very best. Does he treat his body with equal consideration?

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Untold numbers of people would be in better and perhaps perfect health today if they were equally particular in insisting on finding the mark of dependability and responsibility when seeking to correct their physical troubles. It is strange, but true, that some men who will only trust a minor motor defect to the head mechanic will allow a physical ailment that promises to destroy his health to be treated by one who is in no wise qualified by either training to diagnose the trouble, let alone remedy it. Why should you gamble with your health to permit another to experiment?

M. D.—Your Sign of a Reliable Physician

The man qualified to add these letters to his name is qualified by training and experience to serve you.

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Those entitled to display or use the letters M. D. have spent eighteen years in preparatory work. They have followed their high school and college courses with a special course in a medical school. This has been followed by a long period of hospital experience. If the laws of the land recognize the importance of absolute competence before granting a physician his credentials why trust your health to one with a lesser qualification? You cannot afford to take chances the law won't take.

Your Personal Health and That of Your Family Demand Consideration of These Facts.

Don't take a chance with inexperience on a question of vital importance. The least you can do is to get the benefit of one who is qualified and you do that when you insist on the recognized physician who is entitled to use the emblem of service—M. D.

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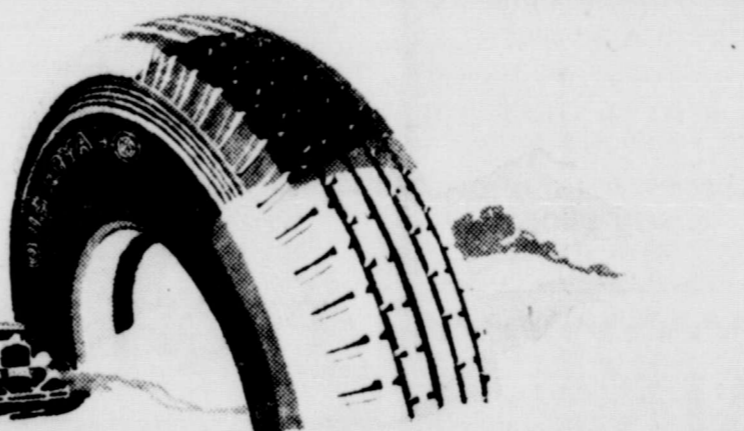
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Gypsy McBride, 19-year-old New York typist, marries Jim Wallace the day after she meets him at the home of her wealthy cousin, Ann Trowbridge. Gypsy has been jilted by Alan Crosby, a half in Paris from a year ago. Wallace's fiancée has broken their engagement to marry a richer man.

Jim and Gypsy go to Forest City where Jim has a thriving law practice. His relatives snub Gypsy. Alan Crosby writes to her but she returns it unopened. Marcia Phillips, Jim's former fiancée, returns to him. Brock Phillips, millionaire's son.

Months pass and Brock Phillips is killed in a fall from a horse. Marcia returns to Forest City. She consults Jim about financial affairs and tells him her marriage to Phillips was a mistake. She tries to remain loyal to Gypsy but sees Marcia frequently. Hurt because she believes Jim has taken Marcia Phillips to lunch, Gypsy accepts Frank Gibson's invitation to drive her home from a shopping trip. There is a collision and Gypsy's ankle is sprained. Another moment takes her home. Jim is attentive during the days while the ankle is healing. He comes home one evening and gives Gypsy a letter to read.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XIII

Gypsy took the letter and looked at the handwriting on the envelope. The slanting script was unfamiliar. "Who's it from?" she asked.

"Read it. You'll find out," Jim answered.

There was something about his expression that puzzled Gypsy. She looked at the envelope again. It was addressed to James E. Wallace at his office. She drew out the sheet of note paper.

"Catherine Fowler" was the name signed at the bottom of the sheet.

"But who—?" the girl began.

"Go ahead and read it."

Gypsy read, slowly at first and then with quickening interest.

"Dear Mr. Wallace," the letter began. "I am writing this because I must. You probably know that a week ago I was acquitted in my trial. My lawyer headed me off. We are told that time takes all things. It will be a long while before the horror of these past weeks can possibly leave me. I want you to know that never will I forget how you and Mrs. Wallace helped me and gave me courage to do the right thing at a very crisis of it all.

"I am going away for a long time, Bobby is well again and is going with me. When I look at my child—I feel that he really is my child—it is with the knowledge that nothing can cloud our future together. I shall devote the rest of my life to raising Bobby and making him to be a good man.

"No one in this world will ever know what my suffering was that morning Mrs. Wallace came to see me. I don't think I could have done it. We shall never tell her that I bless her name and wish her all the happiness in any way in which I can repay you two I will consider it a great privilege. Very sincerely—Catherine Fowler."

"When did you go to see her, Gypsy? What does she mean by saying you leave her courage to do the right thing?"

"It wasn't really anything I did, Jim. I couldn't tell you because I promised I wouldn't. It was the last day of the trial."

"Gypsy! Was it you who made that woman come down and confess to me that she shot her husband?"

The girl shook her head. "No," she said. "I don't think it was. You were so sure Nina was going to be convicted and that she would confess—and so was I. I couldn't tell her I went out to see Mrs. Fowler as a last resort. I'm not sure just what I thought would happen but when I got there she was nearly crazy because the woman was sick. Somehow when I told her I knew she did it, I was sure that if I had to do what she told her I was and she broke down and admitted everything. I told her to go to you and you'd tell her what to do. Isn't it wonderful she feels the way she does now? I'm so glad, Jim."

"So it was really you who won the Roberts case?"

"Oh, no, Jim! Why, it wasn't at all. That's silly! She'd have confessed anyhow. I know she would. I had the idea that the reason she was sick was because she was letting someone else pay the penalty for what she'd done. She thought Bobby was going to die. The poor woman didn't seem to know what she was saying or doing."

"Just the same, you were the one who made her confess?"

"I wish you wouldn't say that. It isn't true. She did it because she would help herself. It was her own conscience that made her tell what must have been a terrible thing to her, don't you think so, Jim?"

"Now you're trying to change the subject. Of course he was."

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Treated his wife like a brute. Well, Gypsy, I didn't realize that there were two lawyers in the family but that was a fine thing to do. I take off my hat to you!"

"I couldn't ever be a lawyer but I know one I'm proud of."

Jim sank into a chair beside her and took her hand. "Maybe we could form a partnership," he said smiling.

"Maybe we could."

Gypsy was realizing how very attractive bright blue eyes can be set in a sun-browned, slightly-ruddy face above broad shoulders when Matilda entered the room.

"There's a telephone call for you, Mr. Wallace," she announced.

"Thanks. I'll be back in a minute."

Matilda came back, and stay until he came back. Gypsy suggested, "Has Corn finished the ironing?"

"Yes. She left half an hour ago. I told her you said she was to take some of the sweet peas and cut them home."

"That's right. They'll stop blooming if they're not cut. Listen, Matilda, couldn't you serve dinner upstairs here tonight? Would it be a lot of extra work? Jim can bring up a card table and you could serve the plates in the kitchen! Just put everything on a tray."

"You mean serve dinner for you and Mr. Wallace both?"

"That's what I mean. It would be so much more fun than eating alone and as it is you have to fix the table downstairs and bring up my tray."

"Why, sure. I can do that if you want me to."

"Oh, I think it will be fun!" Gypsy said delightedly. "Just think, for a whole week now I've eaten every single meal alone!"

When Jim returned he was told about the impromptu "picnic" and appeared to approve. He went to his room to clean up, leaving Gypsy a newspaper and several magazines. Later he set up the card table and brought up a tray loaded with silver and dishes.

At six o'clock they had dinner served on the small table beside the window. There was a cool breeze stirring and over the tops of the trees flamed a brilliant sunset. Orange shaded to deep rose and then to violet. The whole western sky became a burst of flamboyant color.

Gypsy wore a sleeveless white-silk dress. Her hair, instead of being pinned in a knot, was fastened at the back of her neck and the ends fell in a curling mass.

"Do you mind dining up here?" she asked.

"Like it! It's lonesome down stairs."

"Really?" The girl smiled as though she were pleased. "Oh, I forgot to tell you the news! Dr. Hollingsworth's going to bring me a crutch tomorrow. He came this morning and said it would be good for me to try walking about the room. My I never dreamed anyone could be so excited about walking a few steps. In another week he said I ought to be able to walk without it. Another whole week! Isn't that a dreadfully long time?"

"You're lucky it's as soon as that."

The girl's face had sobered.

"Yes," she agreed. "I suppose I am."

After their cantaloupe they had hot broiled chops with buttered asparagus and roasting ears and the coffee which Matilda made so deliciously light and crested with golden brown. There was a pitcher of iced tea with sprigs of mint in it. Gypsy refilled Jim's glass.

"Mills will be back next week," he announced. "It looks as though I may get my vacation this summer after all."

"Oh, I'm so glad. You really do need it."

"What would you think of driving up into Canada the middle of next month? We could stop a few days in Montreal but my idea is to hit off by ourselves into some of the smaller places that aren't filled with the vacation crowd. We could drive when we wanted to and stop whenever we found a place that looked interesting. I don't mean rough it exactly. Stay at good hotels."

"I think it would be marvelous," Gypsy told him with shining eyes. "I'd love that kind of a trip, Jim."

"The way things look now I'll be able to get away about the 15th."

They planned the vacation eagerly. After they had finished dinner and the dishes and table had been taken away Jim went down to the library and returned with a big atlas and road maps. Together they studied over these for another hour. They were still talking about the motor trip when he said good night and went to his room.

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When Jim returned he was told about the impromptu "picnic" and appeared to approve. He went to his room to clean up, leaving Gypsy a newspaper and several magazines. Later he set up the card table and brought up a tray loaded with silver and dishes.

At six o'clock they had dinner served on the small table beside the window. There was a cool breeze stirring and over the tops of the trees flamed a brilliant sunset. Orange shaded to deep rose and then to violet. The whole western sky became a burst of flamboyant color.

Gypsy wore a sleeveless white-silk dress. Her hair, instead of being pinned in a knot, was fastened at the back of her neck and the ends fell in a curling mass.

"Do you mind dining up here?" she asked.

"Like it! It's lonesome down stairs."

"Really?" The girl smiled as though she were pleased. "Oh, I forgot to tell you the news! Dr. Hollingsworth's going to bring me a crutch tomorrow. He came this morning and said it would be good for me to try walking about the room. My I never dreamed anyone could be so excited about walking a few steps. In another week he said I ought to be able to walk without it. Another whole week! Isn't that a dreadfully long time?"

"You're lucky it's as soon as that."

The girl's face had sobered.

"Yes," she agreed. "I suppose I am."

After their cantaloupe they had hot broiled chops with buttered asparagus and roasting ears and the coffee which Matilda made so deliciously light and crested with golden brown. There was a pitcher of iced tea with sprigs of mint in it. Gypsy refilled Jim's glass.

"Mills will be back next week," he announced. "It looks as though I may get my vacation this summer after all."

"Oh, I'm so glad. You really do need it."

"What would you think of driving up into Canada the middle of next month? We could stop a few days in Montreal but my idea is to hit off by ourselves into some of the smaller places that aren't filled with the vacation crowd. We could drive when we wanted to and stop whenever we found a place that looked interesting. I don't mean rough it exactly. Stay at good hotels."

"I think it would be marvelous," Gypsy told him with shining eyes. "I'd love that kind of a trip, Jim."

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OUT OUR WAY



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.



MAD MARRIAGE

by Laura Lou Brookman
AUTHOR OF
"HEART HUNGRY," ETC.

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pastel costumes, passed the house and Gypsy saw her from the window there were times when these brave resolutions went slipping.

On such occasions Gypsy told herself: "You've made an idiot of yourself. Now don't do it again! There's nothing that girl can do to you unless you pave the way for it by sitting here and pitying yourself. Stop it, Gypsy. Stop it at once."

Usually these scoldings were helpful. She never mentioned Marcia's name to Jim and he as scrupulously avoided it.

The third evening after Gypsy had begun to use the crutch she hobbled out to the driveway where Jim had parked the roadster. He helped her into the seat and for an hour and a half they drove over country roads with the night wind cool and refreshing, beating against their faces and blowing their hair. There was a full moon. The pavement stretched ahead of them like a gleaming ribbon of silver and the fields at either side were almost as bright as in day-light.

Gypsy felt that she had never enjoyed a drive so much. She told Jim that as he helped her into the house later and he looked pleased.

The days slipped by and on Thursday, just two weeks after the automobile crash, Gypsy took her first step unsupported by the crutch. She rested and later in the day walked a few steps again. On Sunday she was able to move about the house, though she was very careful and held to the railing going up and down the stairs. By the middle of the week she was sure enough of herself to make a trip down town to shop. There were a few things she wanted for the vacation trip. Of course there was plenty of time ahead to buy them but she liked the thought of being ready.

The house was to be closed and Matilda would spend the three weeks with her brother's family. Gypsy came into the kitchen Saturday morning carrying a sheaf of golden glow. The yellow blossoms were glowing. "aren't they beautiful? I'm going to put them in the purple bowl before the mirror in the hall."

"I was just coming to tell you," Matilda said, "there's a man to see you, ma'am."

"Who is it?"

"Here's his card."

Gypsy took the card and read it, and still carrying the flowers, she hurried into the living room. The young man who had been sitting by the window arose.

"Alan!" she exclaimed.

(To Be Continued)

About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 83 OR 81

CALENDAR

Friday
The Entre Nous bridge club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Reed at her home on West Eighth street Friday afternoon.
The Country club will have a bridge and "42" party Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. W. W. Wallace and Mrs. L. Y. Siddall left today for Fort Worth to attend the Presbyterian.

Joe Carothers of Odessa is spending a few days in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker are in Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they were called to see brother who was seriously injured in an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams have returned from a visit with relatives in McAllister, Okla.

Mrs. J. C. Dyer of Pueblo is spending the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Homer McDonald.

Mrs. Sam Gray of Coleman is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Murray.

L. H. Qualls and son, Ennis, are spending several days in Lockney and Plainview.

C. B. Poe, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, has returned to his home at Carbon.

Mrs. R. Q. Lee returned last evening from a district club meeting in Graham.

Ed Daniels has returned to his home from the Harris sanatorium at Fort Worth where he underwent a major operation. He is reported doing fine.

J. F. Keyte of Denton has returned home after a week's visit with L. F. Threet and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kleiner have returned from a business trip to Ft. Worth.

Mr. J. T. Anderson and Mrs. J. W. Foxworth have gone to Dallas for a short visit with their sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Dreyer, who are leaving on a trip to England.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Price and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Boggs spent yesterday in Albany.

O. W. Kean and H. H. Bettis are attending court in Eastland this week.

J. M. Alexander of Dallas was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

C. R. West, who is a patient in a hospital in Houston, is reported to be slowly improving, and perhaps will be able to return home in about two weeks.

A. A. Belding and Ed Green are spending today in Rising Star and Cross Plains.

Mrs. Monteree Walker has returned from a visit in Longview.

J. S. Gardner of Dallas was a visitor here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartness are spending a few days in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Woodfin and baby of Fort Worth have returned home after a short visit here.

W. M. Witty of Dallas was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Garlitz of Moran were visitors here today.

Mrs. Lannie Dorser of Moran was a visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Fred Heckle of Abilene was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair attended the worker's conference in Rainger yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Domm of Brownwood are spending today in Cisco.

Miss Leola Pettus returned to her home in Moran today after a short visit here.

W. P. Eddleman of Dublin was a business visitor in Cisco today.

J. E. Spencer is spending today in Breckenridge on business.

T. C. Lanek of Waco was a business visitor in the city this morning.

Joe Jelsch of Ennis was in the city attending to business yesterday.

Little Mrs. Alice Estel Spencer is reported to be ill.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS WITH MRS. ROBERTS

The American Legion Auxiliary met recently at the home of Mrs. Char. Roberts. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. H. A. Bible. It was voted to have pupils of the high school write essays on the subject, "Why I Find My Country Beautiful, and How I Should Love to Prase It to My Inter-aided Comrades." Mrs. Bailey gave an interesting paper on Czecho-Slovakia. Present were: Mesdames H. G. Bailey, H. A. Bible, Zed Erwin, A. D. Estes, J. Doll, Craigie Pascall, Phas Yates, and the hostess, Mrs. Char. Roberts.

DELPHIAN TOURNAMENT TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY

Plans have been made for the Delphian club bridge and "42" tournament. It will be given Saturday afternoon on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel. As planned before, there will be sections for both contract and auction bridge as well as a section for "42".

CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. JAMISON

Circle 3 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Tuesday with Mrs. A. E. Jamison. There were nine members present. Mrs. A. J. Olson, chairman, had charge during the business session. Papers were read by Mrs. Fred Watson and Mrs. C. O. Pass. The circle will have a luncheon at the church May 5 at 1 o'clock.

In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
Judge Geo. W. Armstrong of Texas and Louisiana was one of the leaders of the bill of democrats to Herbert Hoover in 1928. He had been prominent for years in democratic activities in Texas and before he became a ranchman engaged in the livestock industry in two communities he was engaged in the steel business in the city of Fort Worth and prior to turning from local politics to ranching and manufacturing he had held important county offices.

He did not take kindly to the Wilson administration and was one of its most virulent critics, this on account of the tariff legislation of the Wilson administration. Now Judge Armstrong has decided to return to the democratic party. He has lost faith in the Hoover administration. He is for William Gibbs McAdoo as the democratic Moses in 1932. Let him tell it.

"I heartily endorse the recent published statement of William Gibbs McAdoo that prohibition is the 'show issue' to distract the public from the vital, important financial and economic questions that mean employment to the unemployed, prosperity to the farm and food to the hungry. It matters but little to high finance whether Mr. Hoover, the alleged prohibitionist, or Gov. Roosevelt, the admit-

INSPECTORS OF MEASURES ARE NEEDED

AUSTIN, April 23.—On the theory that a check and double check—and perhaps a triple check—should be made of all devices used in measuring products sold to the consumer or bought from the farmer, M. E. Fraze, state weights and measures chief, has recommended that every city in Texas appoint an official city sealer.

The first check would be by the merchant making the sale or buying the farm products, since most faulty measuring devices are the result of carelessness. The second check should be by the city sealer and the third, when required, by state inspectors.

Thousands of dollars, Fraze declared, would be saved annually to the consumer and sellers of Texas products if every city had an official sealer. While the weights and measures division in the department of agriculture has the duty of checking up on faulty devices, the six inspectors allotted the division obviously cannot cover the state in the most efficient manner.

Ten cities already have recognized the imperative need for a city official. They are Abilene, Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, El Paso, Austin, Tyler, Greenville and Beaumont. The state division aids cities in getting their inspectors, started by checking up on his apparatus and going with him on his first rounds, teaching him his duties.

Particular needs seen by the weights and measures chief are regular periodic examinations of gasoline vending pumps, and gas, water and light meters, not only to satisfy the customers that he is getting everything he pays for, but to give him confidence in the product he buys.

The city sealer also has many other duties, as varied as checking the weight of a loaf of bread, to see that it measures up to the 16 ounce minimum prescribed by law, to testing scales in retail stores, produce houses, gas, oil mills, compresses and every place where scales are used.

Fraze has suggested a plan for those cities which feel the savings to the consumer by accurate measuring devices does not justify the cost of an added city employee. Most cities, he pointed out, already have sanitary inspectors, and their work might be easily enlarged to include weights and measures inspections at little added cost. This plan is successfully followed in Abilene. Another plan is to have a regular city employee answer complaints. Although this does not provide for investigations, it enables the city to

weed out some of the obviously dishonest. Fraze has written officials in 31 Texas cities suggesting their need, and has had several favorable replies.

Aqueduct Opens Boom in Desert

VIDAL, Cal., April 23.—Not only will Boulder Dam construction bring new desert towns into being, but preparations for the building of the Colorado River aqueduct into the Los Angeles area have resulted in a boom in this small desert town, which in its palmiest days has boasted of only 3,500 population.

Vidal is situated in San Bernardino county 40 miles south of Needles. At present it consists of a railroad station on the Phoenix branch of the Santa Fe; a hotel, postoffice, general store, the ever-present filling station, and a boarding house.

Many miles from any other center of population, steps already have been taken to care for the

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Gulf States Ste.	18 1/2
Houston Oil	44 1/2
Int. Harvester	89 1/2
Int. Nickel	16 1/2
Louisiana Oil	3 1/2
M. Mtg. Ward	19 1/2
Panhandle P. & R.	2 1/2
Phillips Pet.	7 1/2
Pierce Oil	2 1/2
Prairie Oil & Gas	1 1/2
Pure Oil	17 1/2
Radio	17 1/2
Sears Roebuck	50 1/2
Shell Union Oil	5 1/2
Simms Pet.	6 1/2
Sinclair	10 1/2
Skelly	5 1/2
Southern Pac.	88 1/2
S. O. N. J.	38 1/2
S. O. N. Y.	19 1/2
Studebaker	20 1/2
U. S. Gypsum	42 1/2
U. S. Steel	127 1/2
U. S. Steel P.P.	149 1/2
Warner Quinlan	4 1/2

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Three of Eight Who Escape Cleburne Jail Recaptured

EN TUNNEL THROUGH WALL TO FREEDOM

CLEBURNE, April 23.—Three of the inmates who tunneled their way from the Johnson county jail here early this morning were recaptured in the jail today while the escapee search was under way.

The escape took place about 3 a. m. today after the men had dug through a wall and stolen the car of the warden.

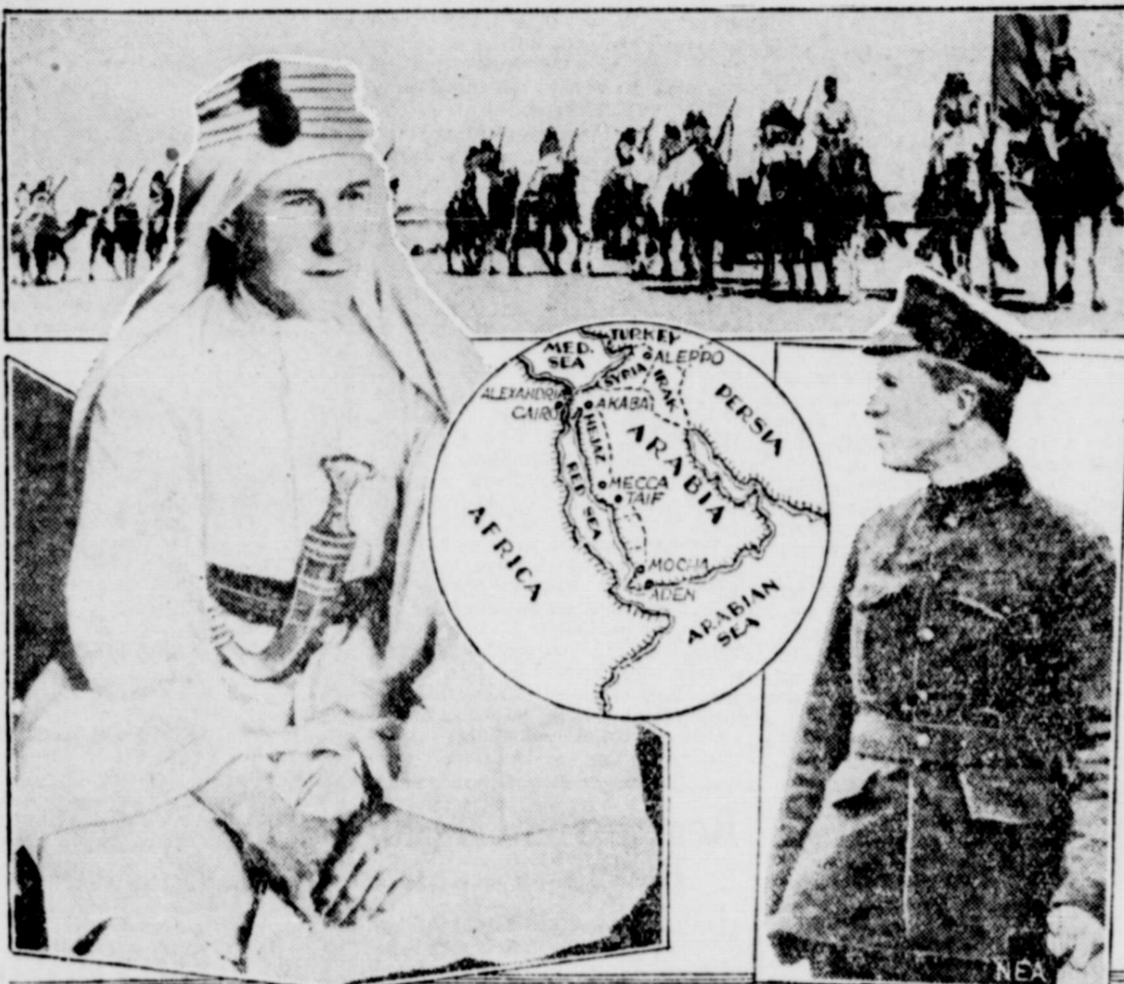
The three who were captured, all held on minor charges, are D. Booth, H. A. Carlock, charged with burglary, and a Tullien, facing charges of assault.

The five at liberty this afternoon are Dudley Herz, charged with assault with intent to rob; Raymond F. Fims, charged with burglary; Jim Horrell, charged with burglary, theft of money and theft of over \$50 and J. Ward, charged with theft and burglary.

WITH RECAPTURED THE ESCAPE

WILENE, April 23.—Carl C. Wile, 19, awaiting transfer to the McAlester, Ok., reformatory, last night escaped from the hospital here.

"Lawrence of Arabia" Happy Now as Mere Private



GRAIN LOOKING GOOD DECLARES CISCO FARMER

L. P. Long, who lives northwest of Cisco, was shopping in here Thursday. He reports grain looking good and starting to head. With some showers soon, a big yield of small grain may be expected—much wheat, oats and barley having been sown in his section.

Chickens and turkeys have not been neglected and much interest is being manifested in turkey raising since it has become apparent that water will be destroyed in this and adjoining counties. He says he sincerely trusts that the so-called wolf hunters will not be allowed to hinder county action in the matter but there are no signs here he says—just common farmers who want to raise chickens, turkeys, calves, kids and lambs, without danger from depredation—surely the pleasure derived from wolf hunting will not weigh against the serious side of livestock development in this section of the state, he says.

Gardens are recovering from the freeze. English peas are blooming, cabbages making rapid growth. Irish potatoes and other truck patches recovering from set back from the cold.

COTTONWOOD FARMER SAYS GARDENS FINE

"Gardens looking fine in sandy section of the county" says Jim Gandy of Cottonwood community.

He says peas, potatoes, radishes, lettuce, spinach, mustard, spring cabbages, green onions, are all making rapid growth during the warm weather of the past two weeks.

The farmer is again eating from his own garden and paper sacks from the grocer are becoming scarcer in his section. However he says, there are many things that one must buy in town—regrets to say that farmers generally are forced to buy much of their meat from the grocery store—scarcity of feed has forced the farmer to sell most of his stock hogs and it is safe to say that unless farmers raise green feed this spring and restock their hog lots, there will be little home-grown bacon and hams in the country next fall.

ONE KILLED WHEN POSSE ROUTS THUGS

CADDO MILLS, Tex., April 23.—An unidentified man was killed here early today as a posse used guns and pistols to rout five intruders from Fass's general store.

Residents agreed to shoot to kill if there was a repetition of the robberies here last week in which \$500 worth of loot was taken.

The search spread to Dallas today as Caddo Mills authorities traced clues found on the dead man. He wore a hat bearing the name of San Ann, Texas. A watch, thought to have been stolen during a safe-cracking job in Dallas recently was also found on the man.

At 2 a. m. today a nightwatchman noticed a light in the store and aroused neighbors. They fired on the man in the store who ran toward an automobile when told to halt. All escaped except the man killed.

EVANGELIST ADDRESSES H. S. STUDENTS

The Rev. H. L. Janes, of Hobart, Okla., who is bringing messages each day to the First Baptist church here a two-week revival is in progress, spoke Wednesday morning to the students of the high school on the subject: "The Five Golden Keys."

Students who were impressed with what they have heard at the high school that they have heard at the high school.

Services at the church are growing in interest daily. The sermon last night was from the subject, "Saving Faith." This evening the Rev. Mr. Janes will speak from the theme, "The Seven Judgments."

Cunningham Against State Road Bond Issue; Favors Brooks, Stevenson Bills

Declaring that if a \$212,000,000 state bond issue is passed the annual revenues of the state highway department available for new construction after the fifth year will amount to practically nothing, on the basis of present income, State Rep. Tom J. Cunningham, has submitted to the Daily News and American a statement of "Facts and Figures" calculated to show that either the Brooks or Stevenson bills, which provide for retirement of county highway bonded indebtedness from gasoline tax revenues, would be the more economical step for the state to take.

His statistics reveal that under the state bond issue plan an annual revenue of \$27,000,000 from fuel tax and registration fees would be almost completely absorbed, after the fifth year, in maintenance costs and in payment on the state bonded indebtedness, whereas the same revenue, under the Brooks or Stevenson bills, would provide similar benefits in the retirement of county bonded indebtedness while leaving an annual remainder of \$9,000,000 for new construction.

His statement is:

"Facts and Figures Under the Proposed Road Bond Plan:

"At the end of five years there will be outstanding \$212,000,000 in bonds, or the equivalent of bonds, upon which the state will owe interest and registration fees would be almost completely absorbed, after the fifth year, in maintenance costs and in payment on the state bonded indebtedness, whereas the same revenue, under the Brooks or Stevenson bills, would provide similar benefits in the retirement of county bonded indebtedness while leaving an annual remainder of \$9,000,000 for new construction.

NOTABLES TO BE PRESENTED ON PROGRAM

The Twentieth Century club this evening at 8 o'clock on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel is presenting its annual Texas program. Congressman Fritz Lanham, of Fort Worth, will be the speaker and Mrs. Helen Founts Cahoon, soprano, accompanied by Miss Adeline Boyd, will be the soloist.

Two hundred and fifty guests have been invited. Following the program the guests will be given the opportunity of meeting Mr. Lanham, Mrs. Cahoon and Miss Boyd at an informal reception.

The following is the program for the evening:

A Pastoral: Carey; Acers the Hills, Runners; Voices of Springs, Strauss; Helen Founts Cahoon, Texas Ode; Texas, W. J. Marsh, led by Mrs. Cahoon, sung by audience.

Address, Hon. Fritz G. Lanham, Hark, Hark the Lark, Schubert. Down in the Forest, Ronald, The Mouse Trap, Wolf.

Dearest Babe O'Mine, Guerniere, Helen Founts Cahoon.

Mr. Lanham, congressman from the Fort Worth district, is one of the ablest orators in the house of representatives of the United States congress and the club was fortunate in being able to secure him for this event.

Mrs. Cahoon has received generous praise from critics wherever her voice, a beautiful lyric coloratura soprano, has been heard. One of the latest vocalists heard on a concert platform today, while others have been equally enthusiastic in their comments. Chicago, where a number of her pupils are filling important professional engagements, including Constanza Bitter, of the Chicago Civic Opera Co., Beulah Casady and David Secular, young professionals, is particularly appreciative of her art and critics of that city are unanimous in their approbation.

How Shaw (Lawrence of Arabia) Refused Decorations From King, Revealed by Him

By HENRY T. RUSSELL
United Press Staff Correspondent
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PLYMOUTH, Eng., April 23.—How at Buckingham Palace he refused two decorations from the hands of the king of England himself, was today revealed for the first time by a revelation from T. E. Shaw, Lawrence of Arabia, once an army colonel, today an air force private. The man who during the war ousted the Turks from the desert and put Arabia on the map.

After his work in rallying to the allied cause thousands of Arabs in the desert, the British government sought to reward him.

It offered him high posts; he refused.

It offered him high posts; he turned them down.

In the same way he spurned decorations which, he said, would have "shut my mouth."

He said he would not take a thing until the government had fulfilled promises made by him to the Arabs on behalf of Britain. In spite of these objections officials notified him that he had been recommended for two coveted honors; V. B. (commander of the bath) and D. S. O. (distinguished service order).

Despite his protests both the awards were gazetted and he was summoned to Buckingham Palace to meet the king.

"I was ushered into the presence of the king," he said today. "He was kind enough to chat about my job in the desert. Imagine my surprise when, in spite of my previous refusals to the government, the king mentioned to two decorations which lay on a nearby table and signified that they were intended for me."

Embarrassing

"Immediately I explained that when officials suggested I was to be honored, I objected and declined.

Of course I apologized. I deplored the fact misquoting off. Clarendon could have brought about the circumstances. And I told him that my previous decision not to accept the decorations must stand.

"Naturally the whole thing was most awkward. It was neither the fault of the king nor mine. The officials had no business to recommend me really, my wish.

"Many versions of this incident have been circulated. It is said that I went to the palace in Arab costume. I did not. I was a Colonel in the army at the time and went in my uniform.

"I have heard it said that the king pinned one decoration to my breast only to find that I had refused it when he went to pin the second one. This and other versions may sound better than the original, but they are not true.

"Nothing could have been more awkward and unpleasant than what actually occurred."

Although, in refusing the decorations, Lawrence complained bitterly to the king of the manner in which the cabinet had dealt with the Arab question, no ill-feeling resulted.

"The king," he said, "was most kind and understanding."

King Cordial

Several months later Lawrence again saw the king. This time he went to Buckingham Palace in Arab costume. He acted as interpreter between the king and Feisal, king of Iraq. The king recalled Lawrence's previous visit on this occasion and spoke to him cordially.

When the king heard that Lawrence was publishing his new memoirs "Seven Pillars of Wisdom," he lay on a nearby table and signified to the king to offer a subscription. He meant, thus, to forestall a possible gift by Lawrence because he had

11 PER CENT IS DUE LOCAL DEPOSITORS

AUSTIN, April 23.—Distribution of \$1,700,000 in settlement of a many-sided dispute that has been carried on since abandonment of the state guaranty bank plan, will be made in a suit now on trial in 96th district court here.

All the various interests have been given a place in the litigation which began in a suit by J. C. McNeil against the Farmers State bank of Kemp and the state banking department.

Depositors of the Commercial Guaranty State bank of Longview; Commercial State bank of Cisco and of seven other banks that were in the system are included in the suit against the former state bank.

FINAL SETTLEMENT HOPED FOR

"It is hoped that this suit will result in a final settlement of the case," F. D. Wright, of Cisco, one of the attorneys for the depositors in the Cisco bank, said today. About 11 per cent of the money originally due the depositors in the local bank remains to be paid. Dividends for the remaining 69 per cent have been received.

REV. JANES IS SPEAKER FOR ROTARY CLUB

The Rev. H. L. Janes, who is conducting the series of revival services at the First Baptist church, was the speaker for the Rotary club luncheon today. He brought a message upon the subject "Little Things of Life" pointing out that the big things do not make happiness, for the building of character, not control the influence in which life is spent, but that it is the multitude of little things which engrave character and control success or failure.

From the illustration of water dripping continually upon stone, wearing it away, he drew lessons of perseverance, proper habit forming and right living.

He was introduced by the Rev. E. S. James, pastor of the First Baptist church, who was himself introduced by President Leon Mamer.

President Mamer announced that next week's session of the club will be devoted to business, including a discussion of club by-laws. F. D. Wright and E. P. Crawford were named a committee with B. C. Boney to prepare the by-laws for the club's attention.

Supt. R. N. Cluck, at the request of the president after E. H. Varnell had announced a benefit play at the high school Friday evening for the Lobo band, explained that the band is endeavoring to secure funds with which to finance a trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma, for participation in the national band tournament. J. J. Collins, band director, had talked with him on this question and suggested that the club await an estimation of the expense which Mr. Collum had promised to prepare, before taking action upon a move to endorse the band's going to Tulsa. His suggestion was concurred in.

The attendance committee of the club Charles Brown reporting, announced that the club had a 100 per cent attendance last week.

F. F. T. TEAMS WIN THREE TROPHIES AT STATE MEET

Two cups in grain judging and a trophy in the dairy judging contests were won by the Cisco F. F. T. teams who participated in the state F. F. T. judging meet at A. and M. college last Monday. The Cisco grain judging team won the grain sorghum contest and the all-round grain judging event. Both of these were divisions of the plant production section. This team was composed of Ben Camp, Bobbie Thurman and Avery Holt. Ben Camp was high point man in both events. About 40 teams participated.

The dairy judging team of the Cisco high school captured first place in the Guernsey division for which a beautiful bronze trophy, depicting three Guernsey cows, was awarded. In addition to the trophies the Cisco teams were given three banners.

Albert Wende was sixth high point man in competition with 324 other boys in the poultry judging section. About 1,600 boys from all over the state attended the meet.

The Cisco contingent left Sunday morning and returned Tuesday evening. They were in charge of E. H. Varnell, vocational instructor at the high school.

BAND TO GET BENEFIT FROM COLLEGE PLAY

A three-act comedy, "A Poor Married Man," will be presented by a Randolph college cast at the auditorium of the high school Friday evening at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the Cisco Lobo band. It was announced today.

The play was given last Tuesday evening at the Randolph auditorium. The college Thespians have prepared a remarkably good presentation of this amusing drama and those who witness the Friday evening performance are promised a profitable evening.

The Lobo band, under direction of G. W. Collum, which for the third consecutive time last Saturday won the Class A division of the west Texas high school band contest, will play a short concert during the program.

One-half of the proceeds will be given to the band which is endeavoring to raise funds with which to finance a trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma for the national band tournament.

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Plans to Tax Gas Piped From State

AUSTIN, April 23.—Plans to put a tax on wholesalers piping gas from Texas to St. Louis, Kansas City and Chicago, were announced by Rep. C. E. Farmer, of Fort Worth, to the Texas house of representatives today. It is to supplement the tax on wholesale dealers of gas sold in Texas, he said.

Farmer said that his natural gas tax amendment to the occupation tax bill caught "big fish" but does not reach the gas piped out of the state.

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Collins Back From Convention

J. J. Collins, Cisco Rotary delegate to the convention of the 41st district of Rotary, returned last night from Plainview where he had attended the sessions since Sunday. He will make his report to the club next week.

Mr. Collins declared that the Plains section which he visited is in a much worse condition apparently than Cisco.

Body of Luther Conlee Sent Here

The body of Luther Conlee, who died at Rusk, Texas, April 21, arrived in Cisco via T. and P. at 7 last night and was held at the Green Funeral home until this afternoon when burial was to take place at Scranton. Mr. Conlee, who was 56 years of age, is survived by a brother, J. D. Conlee, of Cross Plains.

WEATHER

West Texas.—Cloudy with occasional rains. Some what colder in panhandle tonight. Friday cloudy with occasional rains in east portion. East Texas.—Cloudy, probably scattered showers tonight and Friday. Warmer in east coast tonight.

PECAN ASS'N TO MEET AT CROSS PLAINS

The West Texas Pecan Growers Association will meet in annual convention at Cross Plains Saturday, session opening at 10 a. m.

A number of outstanding pecan growers will be present, including Mr. J. H. Varnell, president of the National Pecan Marketing association, and others from various points over the state.

E. H. Varnell, Cisco vocational instructor will attend the convention and will take with him a number of local farmers or others interested in pecan culture.

50-ACRE CLUB BE PUSHED

The Eastland county 1,000-acre club will be actively fostered this year, by County Agent J. H. Varnell and the vocational teachers of the county.

Quite a number of pecans have been bedded and farmers wishing to plant may secure them of charge from E. H. Varnell at chamber of commerce.

They agree to set the sprouts out, usually in five-acre plots, and to them budded to commercial status at the proper time.

They are planted to pecans in the bottom land but the majority was sown in the deep sandy fields of the city.

TABLES WERE TURNED

WESTPORT, Conn., April 23.—George F. Browne insisted on calling a policeman in a minor collision. The officer appeared and demanded to see the licenses of both drivers. Browne had forgotten his and was arrested.

DOCTOR SEEN

CHICAGO, April 23.—Dr. Isaac D. Kelley, missing St. Louis physician, was seen at the Morrison Hotel here yesterday, a mysterious telegram informed Chicago police today.

Two detectives immediately were assigned to search the hotel from "top to bottom" for anyone answering Dr. Kelley's description.

NURSE CHARGED

CORPUS CHRISTI, April 23.—Charge of forging prescriptions for narcotic drugs was on file in federal court here today against Miss Nona McCallop, chief nurse of Griffin clinic in Beville. The defendant waived preliminary hearing and is being held in jail at Beville.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

THE LORD SUSTAINS—They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.—Isaiah 40: 31.

TRUCK REGULATION.

Texas lawmakers are wrestling with truck regulatory bills. Two amendments to the pending senate substitute for the house truck control bill were adopted Monday. One eliminated the provision which would have prohibited railroad companies from owning and operating truck and bus lines, and the second by Sen. Grady Woodruff of Wise county would prohibit the sale or transfer of motor carrier certificates to non-resident persons, firms or corporations and permit non-resident owners of stock in truck and bus lines to have only non-voting stock.

Missouri lawmakers have been busy. Democrats made great gains in legislative districts in Missouri in 1930. It is said the 56th general assembly of Missouri will adjourn Saturday—74 days past the end of the scheduled 70 days of the session.

According to news service reports the last major legislative problem with the exception of appropriation bills, finished its legislative journey in the Missouri senate Monday with passage of the bill for strict regulation of bus and truck lines operating on state highways. Passed several weeks ago by the Missouri house, the measure has been sent to the governor for his signature. Bus and truck regulation was one of the recommendations of the chief executive of Missouri at the opening of the general assembly last January. The bill places bus and truck lines under supervision of the state public service commission. It leaves the license tax on busses at \$10 a passenger's fee while the fees imposed on trucks range from \$25 a year for the one and one-half to two ton variety up to \$500 a year for the heaviest types.

In the throes of the fight in the senate of Texas a recess was taken Monday until Wednesday in order to permit the solons of state to observe with proper ceremonies the victory won at Sam Houston by the Texas liberator and his heroes. Now what will the senate do with the house bus and truck bills? It is one of the major measures and has awakened tremendous interest in the commonwealth over.

SHALL TAXATION BE EQUAL AND UNIFORM?

Senator Ben G. Oneal of the Wichita district insists that the constitution makers meant what they said in the long ago and that the clause in the constitution which declares that taxation shall be "equal and uniform" is mandatory. There is a vast army of Texans who are in hearty accord with Senator Oneal. He has proposed in a resolution that a special legislative tax survey committee be created to make an extended study of the state tax system. Four members of the house and three members of the senate would make up the committee. His resolution was referred to the senate committee on state affairs.

Senator Oneal is very much in earnest. His resolution stated the tax statutes of the commonwealth "were in many instances and are not when taken as a whole grounded on a sound and fair basis as to the various taxable values existing within the state." Senator Oneal rang the bell when he submitted his proposal and made the foregoing allegation. His resolution further stated there was a general demand over the state for a fair and just equalization of the taxes. All of which is the gospel truth. A provision of the resolution read: "The committee shall make a careful study of the subject of revenue and taxation with special reference to the problems presented in Texas and with special reference to the comparative burden of taxes as borne by the various industries and taxable values." An appropriation of \$5000 to be used in carrying on the project was requested.

CROWDING THE PRISON PENS OF TEXAS.

According to the board of managers of the Texas state prison as reported to the governor the total population of the prisons has reached the high mark of 5346 convicts. Unemployment creates poverty. Poverty creates crime and criminals. And so "that's that."

ANOTHER INCOME TAX PROPOSAL.

Having put over a bill to take \$7,000,000 a year from the pockets of cigaret smokers, the house constitutional amendments committee voted a favorable report, 5 to 2, on a resolution to authorize the legislature to levy a varying income tax on different classes of earnings. The proposed constitutional amendment would be submitted at the general election of 1932. Motor car owners of Texas are building the highways by direct pocket tax and are contributing in a double sense to the support of the public schools. Now the cigaret smokers are going to pour their millions into the state government till, according to a survey made by a very able and conscientious writer under the big dome "state revenues will be increased 10 million to 15 million dollars annually if revenue bills passed in the house today become laws." A reminder that in his first message to the lawmakers Gov. Sterling remarked that he agreed with Thomas Jefferson who said "A people the least governed are the best governed."

OTHER OPINIONS.

WE'VE SOMETHING TO SAY. We wouldn't dare sponsor the sentiments expressed in the quotation below and yet in our simplicity we have often wondered if some things the wise ones propose to know isn't clap-trappery. But the clipping is from Ed. Howe, the philologist below and yet in our simplicity

made a little country paper—the Atchena (Ganses) Globe, nationally known and a man who probably writes more common sense than any writer in America. Here is his conclusion:

"Men have been talking, thinking and writing so one knows how many thousand years I cannot tell them anything new. My efforts is to convince them they know too much."

"People are like children in schools who learn the essentials in the primary grades and desert them for the big things, like psychology or the Einstein theory."

"Children perfectly understand the simple things taught in the primary grades, dog's spell, dog, and so on up the ladder of actual learning, but after they get into psychology or Einstein they and nothing, for the reason there is nothing there."

"Always there is something new and useful to learn in practical things, but the folly of psychology and Einstein was early illustrated in the fable of the Confusion of Tongues."—Marshall News.

Cleaners Fail to Effect Organization

Dry cleaners of the Oil Belt failed to complete their organization for the settlement of their price war at their meeting at Eastland Wednesday evening.

A committee composed of Powell's Cleaning Plant, Cisco; Brown, of Royal Cleaning Plant, Breckenridge; Boon of Ranger; Dry Cleaners, Ranger; Hughland of Spee Dee Cleaners, Eastland, was appointed to meet at their meeting at Eastland Wednesday evening.

The agreement seemed unanimous as to prices charged on a cash and carry basis, but the chief difficulty seemed to be the agreement on charge for and delivery services, according to those who attended the session.

They are hoping for a complete ironing out of their differences through this committee by next Tuesday.

Road Conference Is Postponed

County Judge C. L. Garrett said today that the conference between the Eastland county commissioners' court and Judge Ely, chairman of the state highway commission, which was scheduled to have been held today in Abilene would not take place before the latter part of the week due to the fact that all parties concerned could not attend sooner.

Paul Doing Fine, Mother's Card Says

A card from the mother of Paul Cole, former Lobo who is recovering from critical injuries received in a highway accident near Odessa last week, informed Mrs. J. T. Elliott today that Paul is "doing fine." The card written yesterday, said that the fever had left him, his lung was clear of congestion and that his mind is clear. He is reading cards from his friends with pleasure, the message said.

A previous card said that Paul was showing symptoms of pneumonia.

STAR'S CHILD GRASS COP

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., April 23.—Frances Rich, daughter of Irene Rich, motion picture actress, is chief of the "grass cops," a squad of Smith college girls sworn to see that the campus lawns are not trampled by pedestrians, bicyclists, or motorists. Some 300 Smith college students ride bicycles, and 75 chosen seniors are permitted to keep automobiles.

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DIVERSIFICATION DECLARED ONLY HOPE FOR AGRICULTURE

Rigid practice of diversification is the only hope for agriculture in this section, declares the Dublin Compress and Warehouse company, in a news release this week in which statistics on Eastland county cotton production from 1908 to 1930 is given.

The statement says: "As we see it, there is only one hope left for us all, and that is through rigid practice of diversification in its most intensive form. This would mean that we would be able to live at home, out of our smoke-houses and granary, and at the same time raise a few cattle, hogs and fowls for home use, with perhaps some surplus to sell. If we follow this method, planting one-half, or perhaps one-third our cultivated lands to cotton, working, fertilizing and poisoning same diligently as indicated, we would doubtless be able to raise our quality and our per acre yield to such a point where we can again successfully compete with cotton producers of foreign countries who are now dominating our markets—in other words, we must produce more and better cotton and always sell it for less."

The cotton production record of the county covering the period indicated is:

Crop	Bales
1908	30,611
1909	29,441
1910	26,397
1911	29,981
1912	26,656
1913	27,531
1914	24,065
1915	5,936
1916	6,265
1917	6,642
1918	4,541
1919	15,299
1920	7,688
1921	1,837
1922	6,921
1923	12,534
1924	14,988
1925	22,462
1926	7,196
1927	2,739
1928	6,733
1929	4,756
1930	4,244

"Government records show Eastland's county last full year was had in 1908, after which time the boll weevil made its appearance in the western cross timber and shinnery

nook is set aside where models may change costumes. So much interest has been shown in the "goat ranch" art school that Captain Galwey plans to enlarge quarters in order to care for a larger class.

State Road Bonds---

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interest at 4 1/2 per cent. This will amount to \$9,540,000.00 annually. If the bonds are retired in 40 years, it will require \$5,300,000.00 annually. This added to the interest charge makes \$14,840,000.00, which must be paid from the highway funds, beginning with the 5th year.

"Present revenues of highway department from fuel tax and registration fees, \$27,000,000.00. Less maintenance costs, \$12,000,000.00. Balance, \$15,000,000.00. Interest and sinking fund on bonds, \$14,840,000.00. Balance for new construction, \$190,000.00.

"This balance is practically nothing. It will not match federal aid and the state will have no funds for new construction after the 5th year. True, the interest will get less each year as the bonds are paid, the sinking fund will not be reduced. Fifteen years hence the interest will be \$7,393,000.00 and the sinking fund of \$5,300,000.00 will make a total annual payment of \$12,693,000.00 at that time. Total interest payments during life of bonds will be \$195,576,000.00. Total payment to retire this bond issue will be \$407,576,000.00.

"Here are facts and figures on the plan outlined in either Brooks or Stevenson bills.

"Present revenue to state highway department from gasoline and registration fees, \$27,000,000.00. Less maintenance, \$12,000,000.00. Amount necessary to retire county bonds under Brooks or Stevenson bills, \$6,000,000.00. Balance, \$9,000,000.00.

"Amount necessary to match federal aid, \$7,500,000.00; balance, \$1,500,000.00. Add to this federal aid, \$7,500,000.00, state funds to match, \$7,500,000.00, total \$15,000,000.00; total for new construction, \$16,500,000.00. This amount will continue to be available each year from now on if same federal aid continues.

"Which is better, to have \$20,000,000 a year for 5 years and stop work, or to have \$16,500,000.00 a year from now on indefinitely?"

"In my campaign I opposed a bond issue. I advocated paying county indebtedness by law, out of the highway fund. This met the approval of a large majority of the people by ballot and almost unanimously in the convention. The

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letters and telegrams I have received ask me to sponsor that which will give immediate relief. The Stevenson bill or Brooks bill will do it. Why do those who most strongly sponsor the bond issue oppose both bills mentioned? I am for the bills and against a bond issue, as this carries out my promises to the people and their instructions to me. Respectively, TOM J. CUNNINGHAM."

ANDRE MUSEUM PLANNED

GRENNA, Sweden, April 23.—An Andre museum will soon open in Grenna, the birthplace of the Swedish Arctic explorer. It will contain many of Andre's personal belongings, furniture and household objects from his paternal home.

Marshall—Texas and Pacific railroad shops reopened here, recalling several hundred men to work.

Slayer Believed in San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO, April 23.—A man believed to be the slayer of a year-old Merle Springer, who body was discovered last night in a ditch near her home at Luling, Atascosa county with 22 knife wounds, was thought to be in San Antonio today, and authorities expected momentarily to arrest him. Atascosa county authorities and local detectives are seeking a man who was seen loitering in a ditch near the five-foot ditch where Springer's body was found. When the girl did not appear supper last night her step-father Elmo Dickey, became worried and began a search for her. He later dead in the ditch near his home. She had not been criminally



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WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S WHAT IN AND AROUND PUTNAM

As Told to Miss Theilma Everett
children left for their home in Stanton Saturday after several days with Mrs. Fleming's parents...

SCRANTON

Tanner Dodson is still in the hospital at Ranger, but is doing better now. The Sunday school program was successfully presented before a large audience Sunday night...

REICH

Another cold wave visited our community and made people think that their young gardens might be blighted again. A good rain would be very beneficial to people in planting their crops...

BABY CONTEST

Mothers will get card stating the date judges will award prizes. WALTON'S STUDIO ART & GIFT SHOP. Phone 151.

DESEMONA

Miss Pearl Bruce who is attending John Tarleton college at Stephenville, came home to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Bruce.

PUEBLO

Miss Lillie Pence and William Elson were married Saturday afternoon. The Rev. H. D. Blair performed the ceremony. They wish them much happiness and success.

HASKELL

We had a nice shower of rain Saturday which will be a great help to gardens. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks and baby were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Deal Saturday evening.

PISGAH

E. O. Speegles has been attending court at Eastland. Miss Will Leverage and daughter, Miss Ethel, and son, John, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark and Mrs. C. L. Bailey and children attended the Sunday school program at Scranton Sunday night.

NIMROD

The fair Saturday afternoon was welcome. Hope we get more soon as small grain needs a real deluge.

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Several of the people of this community were at the last day of school and big dinner at Dan Horn Friday.

Berta Mae Bisbee spent Friday night with Fay Bisbee. Rex Pollard ate dinner with Home; Bisbee Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barron and little son, Billie Jack and their mother, Mrs. R. K. Glanton, drove to Ranger Monday evening.

Miss Edna King was the guest of Annie Belle Barron Monday night. D. B. Perdue and wife and D. R. Perdue and wife attended church at Dothan Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baird were the guests of Mrs. Baird's father, J. W. Allen Tuesday night. Buford Cozart was the supper guest of his brother Jack Cozart, at J. W. Allen's Saturday night.

Carrie Belle Perdue spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Perdue. Those visiting in the J. W. Allen home Sunday were D. L. Allen and family of Cook; Claud Shock and family of Croker; Harold O'Brien and wife of Eastland, and Everett Clemets and family of Cisco.

Those visiting in the D. B. Perdue home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Stuckson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wedgeworth and baby of near Harpersville; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Miller and baby of Eastland; Fred Steffy and wife and three children, Fred, Jr., Lavene and Mamie Ruth, of Cisco; Mr. Jackson, wife and son and daughter, and Eura Black of Atwell; Mrs. J. M. Perdue and two children, Myrl and Walter Raymond.

Roy Allen was a guest in the J. W. Allen home one evening last week. Jack Cozart attended the social at L. D. Standifer's Saturday night. Several from here went to the picnic supper at Nimrod Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trigg and baby were the guests of Mrs. Trigg's parents Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harder and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deal Sunday afternoon.

J. W. Allen and Jack Cozart visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien in Eastland Thursday. Reich school closed last Wednesday with a program at 10:30. Atward dinner was spread under the brush arbor. The program consisted of two plays featuring Cinderella and Jack and The Beanstalk, with several readings and songs.

All of the patrons bought lunch and several visitors were there. All enjoyed the day very much. Rev. Mr. Wright of Scranton filled his regular appointment at Reich last Sunday afternoon.

W. L. Nix and family of Dan Horn community spent Sunday in the J. L. Bisbee home. Mrs. T. A. Graves and daughter, Deava and sons, Thomas and Theron with Mrs. Earl Vanderford, all of Cisco, attended the closing of the Nazarene church at Cisco Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Thames spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kellough spent Saturday in Sedwick. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pence.

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Henry Muri Beatman and Wilford Boaman spent Sunday afternoon with Bill and Edgar Pence. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hallmark entertained the young folks with a ice cream supper Tuesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barron and little son, Billie Jack and their mother, Mrs. R. K. Glanton, drove to Ranger Monday evening.

Miss Edna King was the guest of Annie Belle Barron Monday night. D. B. Perdue and wife and D. R. Perdue and wife attended church at Dothan Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baird were the guests of Mrs. Baird's father, J. W. Allen Tuesday night. Buford Cozart was the supper guest of his brother Jack Cozart, at J. W. Allen's Saturday night.

Carrie Belle Perdue spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Perdue. Those visiting in the J. W. Allen home Sunday were D. L. Allen and family of Cook; Claud Shock and family of Croker; Harold O'Brien and wife of Eastland, and Everett Clemets and family of Cisco.

Those visiting in the D. B. Perdue home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Stuckson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wedgeworth and baby of near Harpersville; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Miller and baby of Eastland; Fred Steffy and wife and three children, Fred, Jr., Lavene and Mamie Ruth, of Cisco; Mr. Jackson, wife and son and daughter, and Eura Black of Atwell; Mrs. J. M. Perdue and two children, Myrl and Walter Raymond.

Roy Allen was a guest in the J. W. Allen home one evening last week. Jack Cozart attended the social at L. D. Standifer's Saturday night. Several from here went to the picnic supper at Nimrod Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Trigg and baby were the guests of Mrs. Trigg's parents Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harder and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deal Sunday afternoon.

J. W. Allen and Jack Cozart visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien in Eastland Thursday. Reich school closed last Wednesday with a program at 10:30. Atward dinner was spread under the brush arbor. The program consisted of two plays featuring Cinderella and Jack and The Beanstalk, with several readings and songs.

All of the patrons bought lunch and several visitors were there. All enjoyed the day very much. Rev. Mr. Wright of Scranton filled his regular appointment at Reich last Sunday afternoon.

W. L. Nix and family of Dan Horn community spent Sunday in the J. L. Bisbee home. Mrs. T. A. Graves and daughter, Deava and sons, Thomas and Theron with Mrs. Earl Vanderford, all of Cisco, attended the closing of the Nazarene church at Cisco Sunday night.

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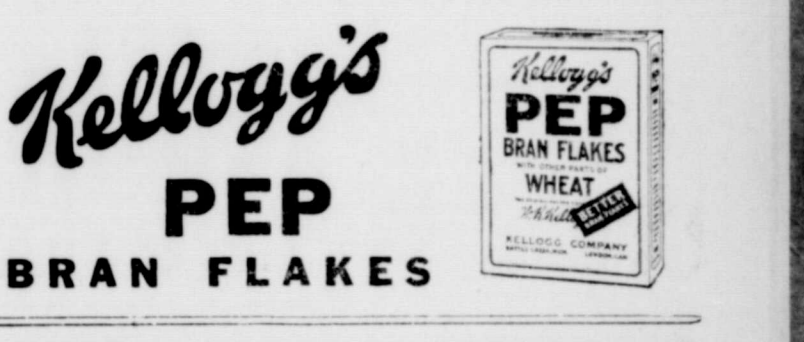
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DEAN DRUG COMPANY The Rexall Store. Phone 33. Cisco, Texas.

SPECIALS Friday, Saturday and Monday. Bring us your eggs, we will pay equal to top of market. Mrs. Merry's Blue Ribbon Bread, loaf 5c. 48 lb. Our Fancy Flour, guaranteed \$1.09. 20 lb. Jersey Cream Meal 45c. Salt Pork, pound 16c. 20 Pounds Sugar \$1.00. 25 Pounds Chick Starter 95c. Contains dried buttermilk, best starter you can get. 100 Pounds Wheat Bran \$1.15. 100 Pounds Wheat Shorts \$1.30. All Groceries and Feeds at Bargain Prices. MORGAN FEED AND GROCERY 913 Avenue D, Cisco, Texas.

NEW SPRING PRICES. Prices changed for the benefit of each individual. About 50 per cent of the women are having their hair cut. It is not fair to charge the same for short hair. Prices 15c, 20c and 25c a curl. No charge for over 40 curls. Special Hair Cuts for each individual. Permanents will cost from \$3 to \$8.50. NU-WAY BEAUTY SHOPPE. Phone 294. LEWIS LINDER.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK? We have no LIGHTS, GAS or POWER for sale, nothing but ICE, ICE REFRIGERATION and our service. We are a home institution. We appreciate your patronage. PEOPLES ICE CO. PHONE 185.

Turning baby chicks into . . . BIGGER PROFITS. Every one of those perky little chicks you've got running around the place will make a real profit for you . . . if you give them the feed to do it on! If they are past six weeks old, they don't need Blue Tag Chick Starter any more—they're ready for Blue Tag Growing Mash. They're ready for the feed that will build them strong, sturdy frames, that will give them robust constitutions, that will put the pullets in shape to lay lots of eggs and get the cockerels ready for the frying pan. Blue Tag Feeds may cost a little more than just ordinary feed . . . but the poultryman who feeds Blue Tag makes more money off his chickens. Blue Tag Chick Starter. Blue Tag Growing Mash. Blue Tag Growing Scratch. Blue Tag Egg Mash. Blue Tag Egg Pells. S. H. BALLARD PRODUCE CO.

IF FIRE SHOULD COME— Tomorrow, those fire trucks may not speed thrillingly past, but may come to a stop in front of your very own home. The damage may be great or small. You can't be too safe, but you can be too late— SEE US FOR ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. E. P. CRAWFORD Real Estate—Insurance—Rentals.

A. GRIST HARDWARE CO. Dealers in International Harvester Co. Tractors, Farmalls, Planters Cultivators, Binders. Most liberal terms ever offered are now available for a short time on the International Harvester Co. Tractors and Tractor Equipment. Come and See Us. A. GRIST HARDWARE CO. HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENTS.

CONSERVATION OF SOIL UP TO GOVERNMENT

AUSTIN, April 23.—The faculty of taking other precautions for the welfare of future generations while allowing profligate waste of the nation's greatest asset was pointed out today by J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, in a statement urging serious consideration by the legislature and Texas generally of pending legislative measures for soil conservation.

McDonald declared that agricultural experience of the last twenty years shows inexorably the direction agriculture is taking. In the last twenty years, he stated, statistics disclose the alarming fact that production per acre of cotton on Texas lands has declined 60 per cent.

The rate of decline has grown rapidly as the soils are sapped of their strength, he asserted. Twenty years ago, all Texas cotton was superior in staple and quality. Today a large portion is unmarketable which means that improper crop rotation is imperiling the soils and owners of the soil.

"It is imperative," McDonald stated, "that we conserve our soil, using definite and positive means. Futility of the program we have been following of educational efforts, has been demonstrated in the last fifty years by the decline both in soil fertility and in the economic condition of our agricultural class."

"In the past when we possessed fee simple title to land, we considered it our privilege to do with that land as we pleased, allow it to erode and be washed away, drained of its fertility. It would be folly as logical under that out-dated conception to allow a land owner to render his land unfit for plant life by applying some chemical reagent, without being held responsible for his actions."

"In these modern days, when men think of the future as well as the present, it is generally accepted that we are merely trustees of the soil, and should be held accountable for our trusteeship. It is also commonly accepted that it is the duty of the government to preserve society."

"To this end our legislature establish schools and colleges for the education of future generations. Surely it is just as essential that some legislative steps be taken to conserve our soil, which must support future generations. The outer man, as well as the inner, should be considered."

"In House Bill 46, by J. J. Olson and others, the legislature has under consideration a bill in which I am intensely interested. If passed, it will aid materially in the conservation of soil. If Texas leads, other states will follow. Even now, Mississippi is marking time, waiting for the Texas legislature to act. Ancient prejudices should be forgotten and honest thinking brought into play when the Texas legislature takes up this measure for consideration."

GRAPEVINE

Several of this community are having to plant lots of garden vegetables over as our first seeds have rotted in the ground.

Those of our Women's Home Demonstration club who met with the Flatwoods club were Mrs. D. D. Stinebaugh, Mrs. Jim Mitchell and Mrs. Jerome Stinebaugh. All report a nice time. Our club will meet at the schoolhouse again in the afternoon of April 30th. Mrs. Chas Gray hosted her first party last week making the American cheese.

Little Miss Marjorie Murphy of Eastland was a guest of Esther Walker Sunday with her mother and father calling for her late in the evening.

Mrs. Nellie Robinson called on her grandmother, Mrs. John Robinson, Sunday.

Mrs. T. Matthews and daughter Miss Della were visiting in this community Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mitchell visited friends in Breckenridge Sunday.

J. T. Walker had a light spell of indisposition Wednesday. However it did not last long.

Remember we have Sunday school here every Sunday and you are invited to come.

Victoria — Victoria Pharmacy to be opened May 1st.

Carolina Woman Lost 47 Lbs. In 3 Months and Feels Years Younger

... have been taking Kruschen Salts for nearly 3 months. I have continued taking one teaspoonful in warm water every morning. I then weighed 217 pounds, was always bothered with pains in my back and lower part of abdomen and sides.

"Now I am glad to say I am a well woman, feel much stronger, years younger and my weight is 170 pounds. I do not only feel better but I look better, so do my friends say."

"I shall never be without Kruschen Salts, will never cease taking my daily dose and more than glad to highly recommend it for the great good that it has done for me."

Wm. New Bern, N. C., Jan. 1925.

"P. S. You may think I am exaggerating by writing such a long letter but truly I feel so indebted to you for putting out such wonderful salts that I cannot say enough."

A bottle of Kruschen Salts that lasts 4 weeks costs but 85 cents at drugstores the world over. Take one half teaspoon in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast.

Attention to diet will help—out pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—the Kruschen way is the safe way to lose fat. Try one bottle and if not joyfully satisfied—money back.

For Sale by Moore Drug Co., Dean Drug Co.

AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION NEWS

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

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FARM POULTRY PAYS

Profit can be made from a farm flock of good hens when they have proper feed and care, even with eggs at a very low price according to monthly reports of poultry demonstrators who are keeping records in cooperation with the county agent. Two of these reports are particularly interesting and will be summarized here to show what can be done even with high price feed and low price eggs.

Everett Harris.

With a flock of white leghorn hens Everett Harris of near Rising Star made a profit of \$43.43 above feed costs in March, his 424 hens averaging 22 1/2 cents each for the month. The average eggs per hen for the past five months has been 12 per month. The average monthly feed cost has been 13.4 cents per hen. November and December were his low months and his hens operated at a loss to him during this time.

W. C. Bedford Outstanding.

The total sales from leghorns averaging 534 for the past five months has been \$702.23 from the flock of W. C. Bedford of Desdemona. Feed cost for five months was \$418.00 or \$83.60 per month averaging 15.6 cents per hen. Other costs have been electricity or lights in the early morning \$10.20, gas for brooding baby chicks \$10.00 and hatching expense \$37.50. Total expenses \$475.70. Leaving a net profit of \$226.53 and over 500 fryers 250 of which are high producing pullets which will be kept to add to the laying flock and 250 cockerels to be put on the market at once. Valuing the cockerels at 50 cents and the pullets at 75 cents these hens have brought in a profit of \$539.03 or an average of \$1 per hen over a five-month period.

It will be of interest to note that both flocks have been of high laying strains which, doubtless, accounts for the profit whereas most flocks of the country have been maintained at a loss. Both of these flocks have had an abundance of green feed all winter.

Growing Quality Watermelons

The watermelon acreage in Eastland county will be greatly increased over any previous year which means that outside markets must be found for these melons. Some of the growers have had experience in the past in growing melons but many will not realize the necessity of producing quality melons and will not use the large uniform size that the market requires. Some are planting averages larger than any one family will ever be able to take care of and the weeds, grass and melon lice will get most of such crops. It is to be regretted that farmers will not post themselves on the amount of labor required to care for a new crop before diving headlong into heavy production.

Watermelons require working twice a week. After the vines begin to run plowing should cease and weeds and grass kept down with the hoe. Melon roots close to the surface and a very large area are picked or pulling of weeds tends to disturb these roots and damage the crop. Melon lice or honeydew usually appears and it is not profitable to pull out and burn the affected plants. They should be sprayed or preferably dusted with Nicotine Sulphate mixtures. Every melon grower should provide himself with a small hand duster for applying nicotine dust. It is well to plan to get this equipment after the lice appears. Farmers Bulletin No. 1499 "The Melon" and U. S. Bureau gives complete instructions for mixing and applying this mixture. Every melon grower should get a copy of this bulletin and also Farmers' Bulletin No. 1394 "Watermelons."

Pruning Necessary.

By pruning of watermelons it means the pinching off of the immature vines leaving only two to the hill. When these are about half grown a two more are allowed to set and finally if there are late rains a third pair is left. This system will give four to six melons to the hill averaging in weight 50 pounds depending on the fertility of the soil and moisture conditions. Those who think this pruning too much trouble or unnecessary will get a large number of medium size melons which will not ship. Some of the best growers try to train the vines along the north and south row in an effort to have a mass of vines to protect the melons from the sun scald. This also leaves an open space to drive in while gathering the melons. Late in the season rye or peas may be planted in the

middles to act as a winter cover crop and prevent sand blowing.

The inexperienced grower would do well to interview some man who has had a successful experience in growing and marketing melons, even though it takes a day's time in finding such a man.

Large Peanut Yields.

The state experiment station at Lubbock finds no difficulty in making 100 bushels of peanuts per acre by planting good seed six inches in the drill and fertilizing with 400 pounds of 4-12-4 fertilizer or some mixture in that proportion. The Beeville station has made yields above 200 bushels in this same manner. In spacing tests of two feet, 18 inches, 12 inches and six inches the yields have increased as the plants were placed thicker in the drill. Seed were reclaimed so that the sticks and pods were left out resulting in a perfect stand.

Diet Suggestions.

Minimum essentials for an adequate diet for one individual to be adjusted to the individual according to occupation, size and age.

Milk—At least 1 1/2 pints every day, and one quart if possible. May be sweet, clabber or buttermilk, used to drink or in food.

Butter—At least one serving every day for infants, vitamins A and D.

Whole Cereal—At least one serving every day, includes whole wheat, corn meal and any breakfast food.

Vegetables—Leafy, three times each week; cabbage, spinach, lettuce, onions, beet tops, kale, collards, chard, asparagus, kraut. String beans may be used as leafy vegetable. Starchy, one every day, potatoes, parsnips, and corn. Others, one every day, turnips, squash, cantaloupe, okra, egg-plant, beets, cucumbers, carrots, cushaw and pumpkin.

Fruits—At least two servings every day or 14 each week in addition to jams, jellies, and preserves. Of the 14 servings one serving every day should be raw and three servings during the week should be of tomatoes, oranges or grapefruit. The other four servings may be canned, dried or fresh and of any variety.

Protein—At least two servings daily; includes eggs, cheese, beans, meat and nuts. The two servings should be of different foods.

How much of the above can be kept during all months of the year and how much will have to be canned?

A budget below gives the amount for a family of five for six months time. This can be changed to meet the needs of the different families. If you have more than five or less in your family, divide the number of containers by the five and multiply by the number in your family.

The word "container" as used here may mean a No. 2 or a No. 3 can, a pint or a quart jar, according to the size of a family and the product canned. Examples: a No. 2 can of tomatoes is sufficient for a family of five therefore a No. 3 can or a quart jar would answer or the "container" a No. 2 can of corn might be sufficient for a family of five.

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Meat — At least 50 containers to be served four to six times per week. Other meals to be served from eggs, cheese, nuts, beans or peas. Commercial foods such as salmon, cysters may be used; also ham, shoulder, sausage from cured pork.

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BANK DEPOSITS GROW.

MARSHALL, April 23. — Deposits in four banks at Marshall have increased more than half a million dollars since the first of the year, reports of the institutions show. It was revealed that the combined resources of the four banks increased more than a half million dollars. The gain in deposits was an increase of almost 13 per cent.

BULL'S FINAL FLING

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 23. — Merton Chiles' bull no doubt had a good time when he knocked his own eye down and then chased him out of the pasture. But it was an expensive pastime, for the bull was put in the next truck headed for the stockyards.

Gave Him Free Hand

"I could not get satisfaction at the time," he said, "so when they tried to reward me and at the same time let down the Arabs, naturally I refused. This, of course, gave me a free hand. They failed to shut me up. I told them all what I thought of them. After a long fight in which I was fortunate in obtaining the support of Winston Churchill, I secured for the Arabs all that was humanly practical and possible to secure."

A number of the promises made to the inhabitants of the desert, said Lawrence, never could have been carried out. At one time, for instance he said, there was talk of creating an Arab federation.

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MARSHALL, April 23. — Deposits in four banks at Marshall have increased more than half a million dollars since the first of the year, reports of the institutions show. It was revealed that the combined resources of the four banks increased more than a half million dollars. The gain in deposits was an increase of almost 13 per cent.

BULL'S FINAL FLING

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 23. — Merton Chiles' bull no doubt had a good time when he knocked his own eye down and then chased him out of the pasture. But it was an expensive pastime, for the bull was put in the next truck headed for the stockyards.

Gave Him Free Hand

"I could not get satisfaction at the time," he said, "so when they tried to reward me and at the same time let down the Arabs, naturally I refused. This, of course, gave me a free hand. They failed to shut me up. I told them all what I thought of them. After a long fight in which I was fortunate in obtaining the support of Winston Churchill, I secured for the Arabs all that was humanly practical and possible to secure."

A number of the promises made to the inhabitants of the desert, said Lawrence, never could have been carried out. At one time, for instance he said, there was talk of creating an Arab federation.

"On paper this looked all right,"



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Thousands of Motorists Look For "Authorized Service" Signs

There are thousands, yes millions, of drivers who insist on finding the recognized "service sign" that they know represents the character of service they want. Whether it be for gasoline, a tire, a battery or something more important, they only act when they see the familiar emblem that typifies dependability and responsibility.

Untold numbers of people would be in better and perhaps perfect health today if they were equally particular in insisting on finding the mark of dependability and responsibility when seeking to correct their physical troubles. It is strange, but true, that some men who will only trust a minor motor defect to the head mechanic will allow a physical ailment that promises to destroy his health, be treated by one who is in no wise qualified by either training to diagnose the trouble, let alone remedy it. Why should you gamble with your health to permit another to experiment?

M. D.—Your Sign of a Reliable Physician

The man qualified to add these letters to his name is qualified by training and experience to serve you.

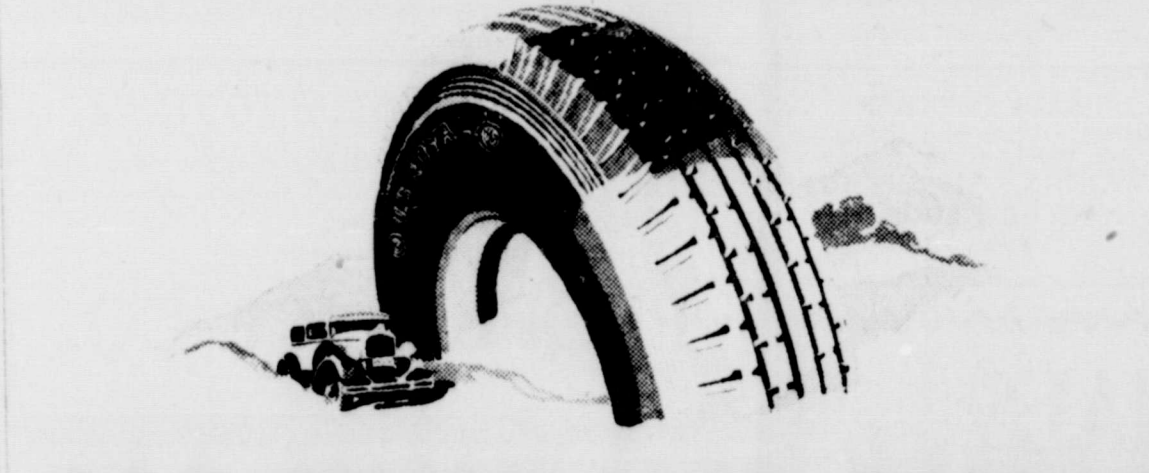
There is nothing that substitutes for knowledge, skill and experience and you do less than secure the services of one without these three qualifications you are simply gambling on your own future welfare. You would not do it with your car; why do it with your health?

Those entitled to display or use the letters M. D. have spent eighteen years in preparatory work. They have followed their high school and college courses with a special course in a medical school. This has been followed by a long period of hospital experience. If the laws of the land recognize the importance of absolute competence before granting a physician his credentials why trust your health to one with a lesser qualification? You cannot afford to take chances the law won't take.

Your Personal Health and That of Your Family Demand Consideration of These Facts.

Don't take a chance with inexperience on a question of vital importance. The least you can do is to get the benefit of one who is qualified and you do that when you insist on the recognized physician who is entitled to use the emblem of service—M. D.

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MAD MARRIAGE

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

BEGIN HERE TODAY
Gypsy McBride, 19-year-old New York typist, marries Jim Wallace the day after she meets him at the home of her wealthy cousin, Ann Rowbridge. Gypsy has been jilted by Alan Crosby, just returned from a year and a half in Paris studying art. Wallace's fiancée has broken their engagement to marry a richer man.

Jim and Gypsy go to Forest City where Jim has a thriving law practice. His relatives snub Gypsy. She looks at the puzzled Gypsy, who returns the letter and the letter returns the letter unopened. Marcia Loraine, Jim's former fiancée, marries Brock Phillips, millionaire's son.

Months pass and Brock Phillips killed in a fall from a horse. Marcia returns to Forest City. She consults Jim about financial assistance. He tells her her marriage to Phillips was a mistake. She tries to remain loyal to Gypsy but sees Marcia frequently. Hurt because she believes Jim has taken Marcia Phillips to lunch, Gypsy accepts Frank Gibson's invitation to drive her home in a shopping trip. There is a collision and Gypsy's ankle is sprained. Another motorist takes her home. Jim is active during the days while the ankle is healing. He comes home one evening and gives Gypsy a letter to read.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLIII

Gypsy took the letter and looked at the handwriting on the envelope. The slanting script was unfamiliar. "Who's it from?" she asked.

"Read it. You'll find out," Jim answered.

There was something about his expression that puzzled Gypsy. He looked at the envelope again. It was addressed to James R. Wallace at his office. She drew out the folded sheet of note paper.

"Catherine Fowler" was the name signed at the bottom of the single sheet.

"But who—?" the girl began. "Go ahead and read it."

Gypsy read slowly at first and then with quickening interest.

"Dear Mr. Wallace," the letter began, "I am writing this because I feel I must. You probably know at a week ago I was asked to go to trial. My husband could not attend. We are told that time is all things. It will be a long while before the horror of these last weeks can possibly leave me. I want you to know that never will I forget how you and Mrs. Wallace helped me and gave me courage to do the right thing at a very crisis of it all.

"I am going away for a long time. Bobby is well again and is living with me. When I look at my child I feel that he really is my child. I don't think I could ever be happy. I shall devote the rest of my life to raising Bobby and making him to be a good man.

"No one in this world will ever know what my suffering was that spring Mrs. Wallace came to see me. I don't think I could ever be happy. I shall devote the rest of my life to raising Bobby and making him to be a good man.

"When did you go to see her, Gypsy? What does she mean by telling you to 'leave her courage to do the right thing'?"

"It wasn't really anything I said, Jim. I couldn't tell you because I promised I wouldn't."

"It was the last day of the trial—Gypsy! What if you would make that woman come down and confess to me that she shot her husband!"

The girl shook her head. "No," she said. "I don't think it was. You were so sure Nina was going to be convicted and that she was innocent—and so was I—that I couldn't stand it. I went out to see Mrs. Fowler as a last resort. I don't know just what I thought would happen but when I got there she was nearly crazy because the woman was sick. Somehow when I asked her I knew she did it. I was sure of it! All I had to do was tell her who I was and she broke down and admitted everything. I did her to go to you and you'd tell her what to do. Isn't it wonderful she feels the way she does now? I'm so glad, Jim."

"So it was really you who won the Roberts case?"

"Oh, no, Jim! Why, it wasn't at all. That's silly! She'd have confessed anyhow. I know she would. The idea that the reason Bobby was sick was because she was letting someone else pay the penalty for what she'd done. She thought Bobby was going to die. The poor woman didn't seem to know what she was saying or doing."

"Just the same, you were the one who made her confess?"

"I wish you wouldn't say that. It isn't true. She did it because she would help herself. It was her own conscience that made her tell. She must have been a terrible sort of person, don't you think so? I threaten the life of a tiny child?"

"Now you're trying to change the subject. Of course he was."

"You mean serve dinner for you and Mr. Wallace both?"

"That's what I mean. It would be so much more fun than eating alone and as it is you have to fix the table downstairs and bring up my tray."

"Why, sure, I can do that if you want me to."

"Oh, I think it will be fun!" Gypsy said delightedly. "Just think, for a whole week now I've eaten every single meal alone!"

When Jim returned he was told about the impromptu "dinner" and appeared to approve. He went to his room to clean up, leaving Gypsy a newspaper and several magazines. Later he set up the card table and brought up a tray loaded with silver and dishes.

At six o'clock they had dinner served on the small table beside the window. There was a cool breeze stirring and over the tops of the trees flamed a brilliant sunset. Orange shaded to deep red and then to violet. The whole western sky became a burst of flamboyant color.

Gypsy wore a sleeveless white silk dress. Her hair, instead of being pinned in a knot, was fastened at the back of her neck and the ends fell in a curling mass.

"Do you mind dining up here?" she asked.

"Like it! It's lonesome down stairs."

"Really?" The girl smiled as though she were pleased. "Oh, I forgot to tell you the news! Dr. Hollingsworth's going to bring me a crutch tomorrow. He came this morning and said it would be good for me to try walking on it."

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"What would you think of driving up into Canada the middle of next month? We could stop a few days in Montreal but my idea is to hit off by ourselves into some of the smaller places that aren't filled with the vacation crowd. We could drive when we wanted to and stop whenever we found a place that looked interesting. Stay at good hotels."

"I think it would be marvelous," Gypsy told him with shining eyes. "I'd love that kind of a trip, Jim."

"The way things look now I'll be able to get away about the 15th."

They planned the vacation eagerly. After they had finished dinner and the dishes and table had been taken away Jim went down to the library and returned with a big atlas and map. Together they studied over these for another hour. They were still talking about the motor trip when he said good night and went to his room.

During the next three days Gypsy's sprained ankle healed rapidly. Dr. Hollingsworth brought the crutch. The girl's first attempts to walk with it were amusing but presently she learned to hobble about the room. She no longer felt helpless.

On Sunday Jim carried her downstairs and they spent the afternoon on the cool, shaded porch. During these days when she was dependent upon him for companionship Jim's attitude toward Gypsy seemed to change. He had always been attentive in an impersonal way. Now he seemed more concerned, more thoughtful.

Deliberately the girl put Marcia Phillips out of her mind. Gypsy felt that brooding over Marcia and imaginary wrongs had already caused enough trouble. It was directly responsible for the automobile accident in which she had so narrowly escaped serious injury—to say nothing of damaging comment.

When Marcia, clad in delicate

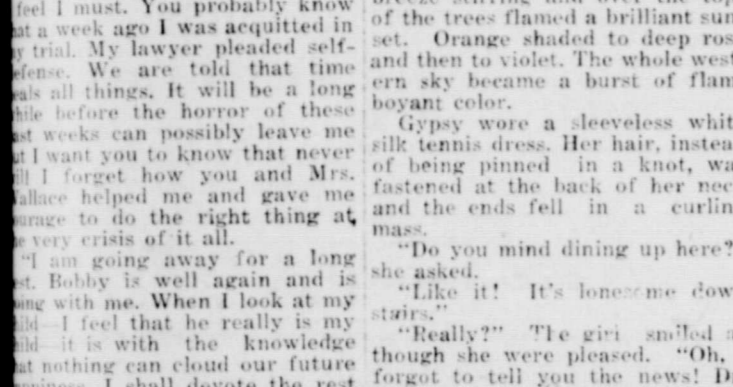
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OUT OUR WAY



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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.

DETECTIVE STEELE! WHY, WHERE DID YOU COME FROM? I WAS LOOKIN' FOR YOU TO GET OFF THE TRAIN, BUT YOU NEVER GOT OFF... I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WITH GLASSES ON!!

OH, I GOT OFF THE OPPOSITE SIDE, AT THE STATION... BUT, TELL ME, HOW ON EARTH DID YOU GET HERE BEFORE I DID?

A FRIEND OF MINE BROUGHT ME HERE IN AN AIRPLANE... LOOK WHAT I FOUND ALONG THE TRACK AT HOME... THIS IS WHY I WANTED TO GET TO ELKHART BEFORE YOU DID...

YOU MEAN YOU THINK THAT CRUTCH BELONGED TO THE CROOK WHO STOLE HEDGER'S RUBY?



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WHY SURE!! WHO ELSE WOULD WANT TO THROW THEIR CRUTCH OUT OF A TRAIN WINDOW? I THOUGHT MEBBE THIS MIGHT HELP YOU FIND HIM!!

BY GEORGE!! YOU'RE RIGHT, FRECKLES... IT'S A GOOD THING YOU DIDN'T LEAVE SHADYSIDE WITH ME OTHERWISE YOU'D NEVER HAVE FOUND THE CRUTCH!!

COME ON...WE'RE GOING TO FIND OUT WHO HAD THAT CRUTCH BEFORE YOU FOUND IT!!

THAT OUGHT TO BE EASY...JUST LOOK FOR SOMEBODY THAT LOOKS LIKE THEY NEEDED ONE...



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MOM'N POP.

I WON'T GO THROUGH WITH THAT LEASE AND I'M THINKING THAT I'D BETTER CROOK AGAIN TO TELL HIM SO WHEN I GET DOWN TO THE OFFICE-NOBODY'S GOING TO MAKE A SUCKER OUT OF ME.

WELL, TAKE MY ADVICE AND GO EASY. YOU'LL BE MORE APT TO GET OUT OF TROUBLE PLAYING HIM ALONG THAN BY DEIFYING HIM—AFTER ALL, THE SIGNATURE IS ON THAT LEASE. NO MATTER HOW HE GOT IT—AND THAT KIND OF A CROOK HAS A LOT MORE TRICKS UP HIS SLEEVE TO FORCE YOU TO LIVE UP TO IT.

YOU CAN'T SIGN LEASES AND THEN WALK OUT ON ME! IF YOU HAD TIED ME UP WITH THE LEASE, I COULD HAVE DENIED TO SEVERAL RESPONSIBLE PARTIES.



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I'M TELLING YOU RIGHT NOW THAT I DO NOT INTEND TO MAKE GOOD ON ANYTHING THAT WE'VE BEEN TRICKED INTO—SO WHAT ARE YA GOING TO DO ABOUT IT!!

SEVERAL THINGS! FIRST I'M GOING STRAIGHT TO MID AFFEL HE DOESN'T WANT YOUR KIND IN HIS EMPLOY. THEN I'LL GET A COURT ORDER AND TIE UP YOUR SALARY AND—THAT AIN'T ALL! I'LL—



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TEXAS TOPICS

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, April 23. — Not waiting for slow-moving legislation, the people of Chambers county are taking direct action to get out from under a heavy and needless tax burden.

They are instructing their county commissioners to call an election on the question of abolishing the entire regime of county officers, the heavy toll of county governmental expenses.

They are asking Harris and Jefferson counties to absorb each a part of the county area, and to spread the much lower cost of much better local improvement and government upon them. Jefferson county, with far above \$1,000,000 valuations, and Harris, with about one-half billion valuations, would be able to give the people roads and schools, drainage, irrigation, water protection and other services, where the low county valuations of the present unit now prevent it.

This is a reminder to the legislature that the people want authority to cut out part of the overload of the army of something like 30,000 local officers who make their living off the rest of the people, and not out of productive effort can get it through the vote on a statewide home rule plan of government, or the statewide county-governing plan, that the same thing can be done simply by abolishing the county set-ups, thus dealing out all of a local group—including a few legislators.

The Texas legislature is seriously showing up in its work by its numbers now. Reducing the number of counties would leave no excuse for retaining the constitutional limit of 150 house members. A house of not over 93 members, based on the 31-member present senate limit, would no doubt permit swifter, surer action, and still retain all the safeguards of an abundance to give every section individual representation.

In future days, when the talk of the bonanzas and rich strikes of oil, the "public relations" boys will tell of the good old days of 1931 in Austin. It has been a merry season for these people, usually known by the more definite name of publicity agents. They have rivalled the lobbyists in number. Many "causes," many public and private legislative programs, many campaigns against things and many for, have received rich pickings from the publicity writers. Whether they got their stuff printed or not—some of it is, on news merit, the propaganda factory's wheels have been whirling.

The modern legislative campaign set-up to fight or push a bill seems to call for both oratorical lobbyists and writing publicity agents.

ATWELL

Rev. A. A. Carter of Cross Plains preached at the Missionary Baptist church Sunday morning.

Dorrie Tate and sister, Miss Mattie Tate were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brashear Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Jones has returned after a two weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Riffe of Albany.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins a boy, April 2.

Lawrence McAnally attended the singing convention at Potosi Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Lammack of Sabanno attended singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Darden and family of Throckmorton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster during the week-end.

Mrs. Melvin Rouse, Steve Foster, Delmer Lavender and Edd Madge enjoyed a successful fishing trip on the Jim Ned.

Clint Brashear attended the singing convention at Potosi Sunday.

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DRILL REPORT

Records for date of April 21, 1931, listed as follows:

Humble Oil & Refining Co., No. 2 J. W. Smith, sec. 77 blk. 4 T&Pry survey, Stephens county, application to plug well record TD 2187 feet.

Union Oil Co. of Nevada, No. 1 S. W. King, sec. 195 M. Bueno survey, Jones county, plugging record TD 2187 feet.

Andrew Urban, No. 1 Roy Riddle, sec. 2 blk. 4 W. Hill survey, Jones county, application to drill 2000 feet.

Boy Guffey, No. 3 E. L. Finlay, sec. 75 BOY survey, Callahan county, application to plug well record TD 765 feet. No. 2 same lease, well record & plugging record TD 724 feet.

Fairlie Oil & Gas Co. & Tom Bryant, No. 1 R. M. Renfro, W. G. Henderson survey, Callahan county, well record TD 1612 feet.

During year 1930, three sulphur producing companies of Texas produced total of 2,560 tons of sulphur, increase of 202,563 tons over production of 1929.—Sabinal Sentinel.

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RENTALS

Apartments for Rent 25

FURNISHED APARTMENT — Four rooms and bath, rent reasonable. Call Mrs. Mobley at Mobley hotel.

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FOR RENT — Small cottage on G avenue. Call at 308 West 12th St. Phone 650.

FOR RENT — Four room rock veneer cottage, practically new. Case Lumber and Supply Co.

GLASS FROM BRAIN

BOSTON, April 22. — Several fragments of glass were removed from the brain of seven-year-old Alex Tomaso in one of the most delicate operations ever performed at City Hospital. Dr. Donald Monroe, who performed the operation with an electrically-heated scalpel, referred to the feat as "just another operation."

Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

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

T. & P.	West Bound.	1:45 a.m.
No. 7	1:45 a.m.
No. 3	12:55 p.m.
No. 1 "Sunshine Special"	5:05 p.m.
East Bound.		
No. 8	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.
Arrives Breckenridge	.....	6:00 a.m.
Arrives Throckmorton	.....	9:00 a.m.
Leaves Throckmorton	.....	9:30 a.m.
Arrives Breckenridge	.....	11:00 a.m.
Arrives Cisco	.....	3:00 p.m.

M. K. & T.

North Bound.		
No. 35 Ar.	12:30 p.m.	1:05 p.m.
South Bound.		
No. 36	8:40 a.m.

Business Directory

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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's 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 F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at a 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. F. JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

MAD MARRIAGE

by Laura Lou Brookman
AUTHOR OF "HEART HUNGRY," etc.

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pastel costumes, passed the house and Gypsy saw her from the window there a few times during these brave resolutions went slipping.

On such occasions Gypsy told herself: "You've made an idiot of yourself. Now don't do it again! There's nothing that girl can do to you unless you pave the way for it by sitting here and pitying yourself. Stop it, Gypsy. Stop it at once."

Usually these scoldings were helpful. She never mentioned Marcia's name to Jim and he as scrupulously avoided it.

The third evening after Gypsy had begun to use the crutch she hobbled out to the driveway where Jim had parked the roadster. He helped her into the seat and for an hour and a half they drove over country roads with the night wind, cool and refreshing, beating against their faces and blowing their hair. There was a full moon. The pavement stretched ahead of them like a gleaming ribbon of silver and the fields at either side were almost as bright as in daylight.

Gypsy felt that she had never enjoyed a drive so much. She told Jim that as he helped her into the house later and he looked pleased. The days slipped by and on Thursday, just two weeks after the automobile crash, Gypsy took her first step unsupported by the crutch. She rested and later in the day walked a few steps again. On Sunday she was able to move about the house, though she was very careful and held to the railing going up and down the stairs. By the middle of the week she was sure enough of herself to make a trip down town to shop. There were a few things she wanted for the vacation trip. Of course there was plenty of time ahead to buy them but she liked the thought of being ready.

The house was to be closed and Matilda would spend the three weeks with her brother's family. Gypsy came into the kitchen Saturday morning carrying a sheaf of golden glow. The yellow blossoms were glorious.

"Look! I've got 'em! aren't they beautiful! I've going to put them in the purple bowl before the mirror in the hall."

"I was just coming to tell you," Matilda said, "there's a man to see you, ma'am."

"Who is it?"

"He's his card."

Gypsy took the card and read it, and still carrying the flowers, she hurried into the living room. The young man who had been sitting by the window arose.

"Alan!" she exclaimed.

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CALENDAR
Friday
The Entire Young bridge club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Reed at her home on West Eighth street Friday afternoon.

The Country club will have a bridge and "42" party Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. W. W. Wallace and Mrs. L. Y. Siddals left today for Fort Worth to attend the Presbyterian.

Joe Carothers of Odessa is spending a few days in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker are in Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they were called to see brother who was seriously injured in an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Adams have returned from a visit with relatives in McAlester, Okla.

Mrs. J. C. Dyer of Pueblo is spending the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Howard McDonald.

Mrs. Sam Gray of Coleman is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Murray.

L. H. Qualls and son, Ennis, are spending several days in Lockney and Plainview.

C. B. Poe, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, has returned to his home in Carbon.

Mrs. R. Q. Lee returned last evening from a district club meeting in Graham.

Ed Daniels has returned to his home from the Harris sanatorium at Fort Worth where he underwent a major operation. He is reported doing fine.

J. F. Kerte of Denton has returned home after a week's visit with L. F. Trest and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kiebler have returned from a business trip to Ft. Worth.

Mrs. J. T. Anderson and Mrs. J. W. Foxworth have come to Dallas for a short visit with their sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Drewyer, who are leaving on a trip to England.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Price and Mr. and Mrs. Boone Boyce spent yesterday in Albany.

O. W. Kean and H. H. Bettis are attending court in Eastland this week.

J. M. Alexander of Dallas was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

C. R. West, who is a patient in a hospital in Houston, is reported to be slowly improving, and perhaps will be able to return home in about two weeks.

A. A. Boling and Ed Green are spending today in Rising Star and Cross Plains.

Mrs. Montrose Wallace has returned from a visit in Longview.

J. S. Gartner of Dallas was a visitor here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartness are spending a few days in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Woodfin and baby of Fort Worth have returned home after a short visit here.

W. M. Willy of Dallas was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Garlier of Moran were visitors here today.

Mrs. Lannie Dorsey of Moran was a visitor in Cisco Wednesday.

Fred Hackle of Abilene was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair attended

and anti be present because in either case the rule will continue. Their power will be extended. The rich will grow richer and the poor grow poorer under their administration of the government."

Judge Armstrong danced his step with the republicans in 1928. Now he would like to dance the 1932 step with the son-in-law of the late Woodrow Wilson. It is said an honest confession is good for the soul. Speaking of Hoover this is the Armstrong confession: "I confess my great disappointment in Pres. Hoover. I anticipated him actively and loyally, believing him to be independent of Wall street control, to have the experience and intelligence to understand the needs of our country and to have the heart and the courage to stand for the interests of the people."

And so it goes. The veteran democrat of Texas and Louisiana dismisses Hoover as a second Moses and calls for another, also a Californian. Listen to this:

"The man who has this understanding and this courage is William Gibbs McAdoo. He is elected and he is the one man who can quickly restore prosperity to this surely stricken land. Let Texas again offer him to the country as her candidate and let her delegates stay at Madison Square Garden or elsewhere until he is nominated if it takes all summer. Think of the dismissal of President Hoover as an alleged prohibitionist" by one of the leaders of the Moses government, three years ago.

James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois is opposed to any attempt to make prohibition the leading issue in the campaign. Mrs. Baizer gave an interesting paper on Czech-Slovakia. Present were: Mesdames H. G. Bailey, H. A. Bible, Zed Erwin, A. D. Estes, J. Doll, Crigler Paschnall, Chas. Yates, and the hostess, Mrs. Chas. Roberts.

DELPHIAN TOURNAMENT TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY
Plans have been made for the Delphian club bridge and "42" tournament to be given Saturday afternoon on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel. As planned before, there will be sections for both contract and auction bridge as well as a section for "42".

CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. JAMISON
Circle 3 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Tuesday with Mrs. A. E. Jamison. There were nine members present Mrs. A. J. Olson, chairman, had charge during the business portion. Papers were read by Mrs. Fred Watson and Mrs. C. O. Pass. The circle will have a luncheon at the church May 5 at 1 o'clock.

In the Political Arena
By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
Judge Geo. W. Armstrong of Texas and Louisiana was one of the leaders of the 3-H of democrats to Herbert Hoover in 1928. He had been prominent for years in democratic activities in Texas and before he became a ranchman engaged in the livestock industry in two commonwealths he was engaged in the steel business in the city of Fort Worth and prior to turning from local politics to ranching and manufacturing he had had important county offices.

He did not take kindly to the Wilson administration and was one of its most virulent critics, this account of the tariff legislation of the Wilson administration. Now Judge Armstrong has decided to return to the democratic party. He has lost faith in the Hoover administration. He is for William Gibbs McAdoo as the democratic Moses in 1932. Let him tell it.

"I heartily endorse the recent published statement of William Gibbs McAdoo that prohibition is the 'show issue' to distract the public from the vital, important, financial and economic questions that mean employment, the city unemployed, prosperity to the farm and feed to the hungry. It matters but little to high finance whether Mr. Hoover, the alleged prohibitionist, or Gov. Roosevelt, the admit-

INSPECTORS OF MEASURES ARE NEEDED

AUSTIN, April 23.—On the theory that a check and double check—and perhaps a triple check—should be made of all devices used in measuring products sold to the consumer or bought from the farmer, M. S. Frazee, state weights and measures chief, has recommended that every city in Texas appoint an official city sealer.

The first check would be by the merchant making the sale or buying the farm products, since most faulty measuring devices are the result of carelessness. The second check should be by the city sealer and the third, when required, by state inspectors.

Thousands of dollars, Frazee declared, would be saved annually to the consumers and sellers of Texas products if every city had an official sealer. While the weights and measures division in the department of agriculture has the duty of checking up on faulty devices, the six inspectors allotted the division obviously cannot cover the state in the most efficient manner.

Ten cities already have recognized the imperative need for a city official. They are Abilene, Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, El Paso, Austin, Tyler, Greenville and Beaumont. The state division aids cities in getting their inspectors started by checking up on his apparatus and going with him on his first rounds, teaching him his duties.

Particular needs seen by the weights and measures chief are regular periodic examinations of gas-nozzle pumps, and gas, water and light meters, not only to satisfy the customers that he is getting everything he pays for, but to give him confidence in the product he buys.

The city sealer also has many other duties, as varied as checking the weight of a loaf of bread, to see that it measures up to the 16 ounce minimum prescribed by law, to testing scales in retail stores, produce houses, grain, oil mills, compresses and every place where scales are used.

Frazee has suggested a plan for these cities which feel the savings to the consumer by accurate measuring devices does not justify the cost of an added city employe. Most cities, he pointed out, already have sanitary inspectors, and their work might be easily enlarged to include weights and measures inspections at little added cost. This plan is successfully followed in Abilene. Another plan is to have a regular city employe answer complaints. Although this does not provide for investigations, it enables the city to

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weed out some of the obviously dishonest. Frazee has written officials in 31 Texas cities suggesting their need, and has had several favorable replies.

Aqueduct Opens Boom in Desert

VIDAL, Cal., April 23.—Not only will Boulder Dam construction bring new desert towns into being, but preparations for the building of the Colorado River aqueduct into the Los Angeles area have resulted in a boom in this small desert town, which in its palmest days has boasted of only 3,500 population.

Vidal is situated in San Bernardino county, 45 miles south of Needles. At present it consists of a railroad station on the Phoenix branch of the Santa Fe; a hotel, a postoffice, general store, the ever-present filling station, and a board-house.

Many miles from any other center of population, steps already have been taken to care for the workers which the aqueduct construction will bring here.

The huge conduit must pass through the nearby Whipple Mountains, and for several years crews will be required to tunnel through the rock formation.

The San Bernardino county planning commission already has approved an ambitious plan for the townsite, and workmen soon will lay domestic water mains, pave the main streets and erect business buildings in anticipation of the arrival of thousands of workmen next fall.

DEPRESSIONS BOOST DEATHS
HARTFORD, Conn., April 23.—"Depressions have a tendency to kill off rich people," says Assistant Tax Commissioner Farwell Knapp. He says death tax collections always increase when business is poor.

Cuero — 174,000 turkeys shipped from this city during past season.

Loving — Boys' 4-H club organized here.

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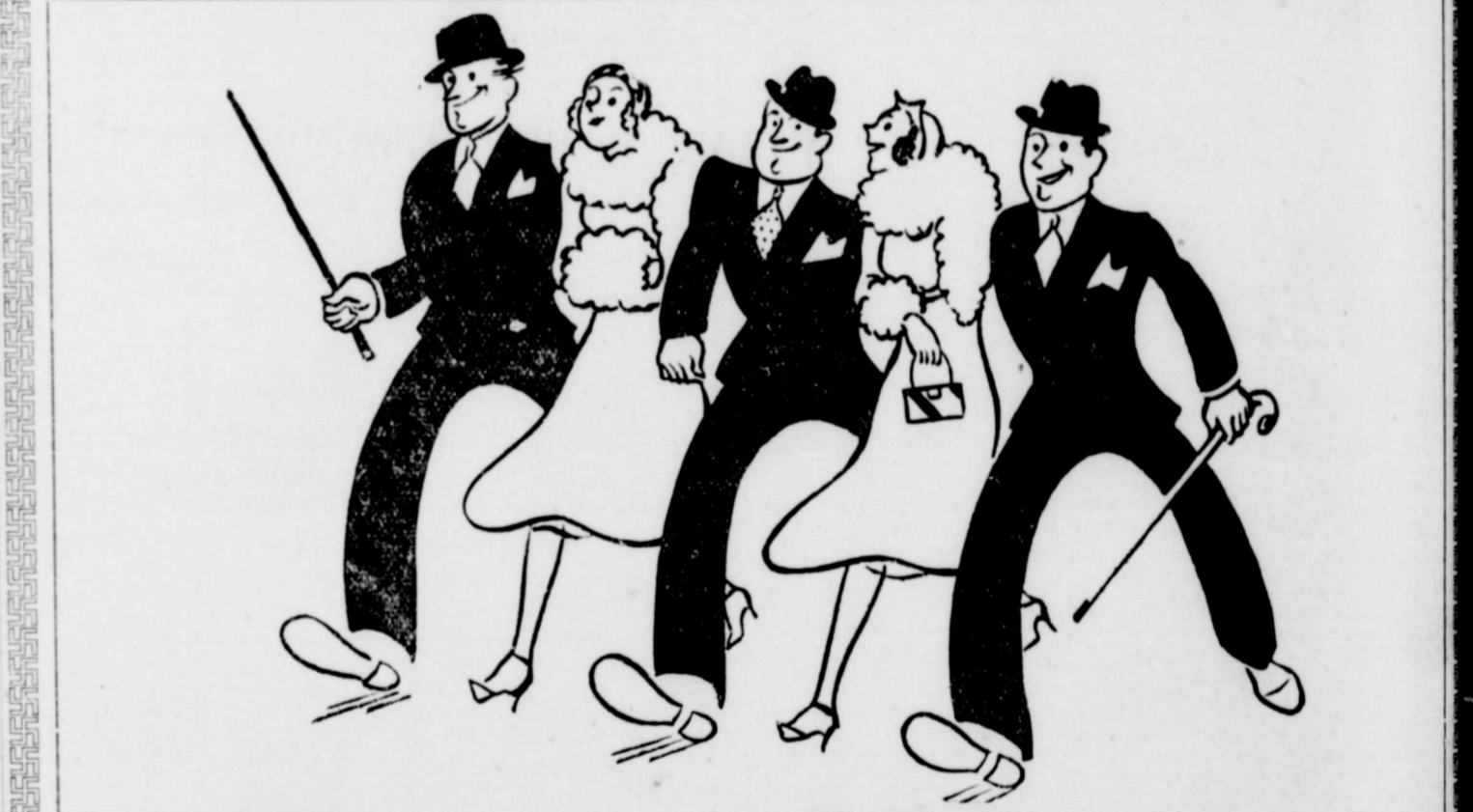
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