

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

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CISCO SEEKING KATY RAILROAD SHOPS

PLANS DISCUSSED WITH ROAD OFFICIALS; ADVANTAGES FOR PROPOSED MOVE ARE SHOWN

Cisco today was seeking location of the Katy railroad shops here, as officials of the road gathered for a conference with local citizens.

The citizens, led by the Cisco Boosters, asked for the moving of the shops here as a part of a campaign started late last summer to build up the city by bringing new enterprises here.

First mention of the shop movement was at the luncheon given in honor of the Katy men at the Laguna hotel today. It was to be discussed in detail at a conference later in the day, after the arrival of Superintendent D. C. Dobbins of Smithville.

Officials this afternoon were taken for a sightseeing tour of the city and the lake and advantages of a railroad shop in Cisco were pointed out.

Most of the morning was taken up with a conference at the Chamber of Commerce in which industrial agents of the railroad and Cisco citizens discussed plans of bringing other enterprises here and building up the city generally.

A Boosters banquet, said to be the most important held since the organization of the club, was scheduled for this evening at 7:30 at the Laguna hotel roof garden.

Cisco's pointed out the advantages of having the railroad shops located here, due to the fact that this city is centrally located on the M.-K.-T. Texas Central division.

Shops are now maintained at DeLeon and Stamford. It had been reported that the company could save between \$20,000 and \$30,000 annually by consolidating them at a centrally located point.

Most of the discussion of the subject was postponed until the arrival this afternoon of Supt. Dobbins, of Smithville.

Katy officials here today besides Agent J. C. King, included George C. Smith, St. Louis, industrial agent and assistant to the president, R. G. Buford, assistant industrial manager, D. C. Dobbins, superintendent of the South Texas division; Dallas division; Tom Mabray, Waco, division freight agent; Henry Landman, Fort Worth, assistant general freight and passenger agent; Lastra Warren, Fort Worth, traveling freight agent; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Preston, Stamford agent; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Howard, Waco agent.

It was indicated today that there would be a large number present at the banquet this evening.

Besides the address by Smith, numbers on the program included a reading by Miss Margie Linder and a vocal trio by Mrs. Leon Mamer, Mrs. Bill Smith, and Miss Jewel Ely. Rev. David P. Tyndall will deliver the invocation.

WORK RELIEF BILL MUST GO INTO HUDDLE

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He declined to indicate whether the president was opposed to retention of the billion dollar Thomas inflation amendment.

Despite the president's evident desire to have the bill revised in conference before it is sent to the White House the house silver bloc seeks to force a vote on accepting senate changes in the bill so that it could be disposed of immediately.

PROSPECTS FOR COUNTY FARM COLONY ARE LOOKING BRIGHT

The area sought is approximately 3,600 acres of any shape, preferably but not necessarily in one block," Boaz explained that the land should be as nearly in one block as possible, but that if it is impossible to purchase a certain piece of property, the colony can be built around that. It will not matter if a highway runs through the area.

The government purchases the property outright, paying cash for it, explained, and does not necessarily demand the mineral rights.

The Cisco Boosters today were showing him an area south of Cisco.

Return of Memel Is Issue In Parley

MIGHT BRING GERMANY INTO ACCORD AGAIN

PARIS, March 25.—The chamber of deputies passed a bill today calling for the government to take measures to protect the civil population against attacks from the air.

BERLIN, March 25.—The return to Germany of her lost territory of Memel arose as a possible issue today when Chancellor Adolf Hitler and Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon of Great Britain started their conversations on peace and security in Europe.

An issue such as Memel might well prove to be the key point of the entire negotiations, leading to an agreement which would bring Germany back into the family of nations.

The Memel territory has an area of 943 square miles and a population of 150,000. It lies on the Baltic sea between East Prussia and Lithuania. It was taken from Germany by their treaty of Versailles and first was made a League territory, then turned over to Lithuania.

Quarters close to the German foreign office speculated on the possibility that Hitler might be offered a plebiscite in Memel in return for his concession on other points touching rearmament and security.

A plebiscite probably would result just as the Saar plebiscite resulted in an overwhelming vote for Germany.

AUSTRIA SEEKS ARMY OF 100,000 MEN GENEVA, March 25.—Austria seeks the right to establish an army of 100,000 men by institution of compulsory service. It was said on reliable authority today.

Reports from Vienna said the Fascist Heimwehr plan to make Prince Ernest von Starhemberg rector of Austria and reports from London said Turkey planned to announce her determination to fortify the Dardanelles.

There were indications that Hungary would make unanimous the effort to rewrite the world war treaties and seek liberalization on their army.

Seek Gangs After Slaying Attempt

CHICAGO, March 25.—State's Attorney Thomas Courtney and Mayor Edward Kelley today announced plans to round up every remnant of the scattered Capone and Touhy gangs in a search for three men who attempted yesterday to assassinate Courtney and Alderman Harry Parry.

The drive promised to be the most spectacular attack in Chicago's underworld since the police effort which followed the St. Valentine massacre of six years ago.

Courtney revealed that he obtained a "good look" at the gunman who fired eight shots into his automobile early yesterday as he drove home from a political meeting with Alderman Parry.

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They'll Try to Silence Beat of War Drums



Sir John Simon



Adolf Hitler



Captain Anthony Eden



Konstantin Von Neurath

What is regarded as perhaps the most important meeting in Europe since the conferences arranging the armistice was scheduled to be held in Berlin by Chancellor Adolf Hitler, Baron Konstantin von Neurath, his Foreign Minister; Sir

John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, and Simon's chief aid, Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal. European security arrangements were to be discussed, with the British envoys seeking to induce Germany again to join the League of Nations.

Profs Play Hookey To Attend Schools

When Johnny plays hookey and goes fishing, that's a sign of spring. But when Johnny's principal plays hookey—and goes to school—that's news.

Principals of the Cisco public school system today were absent from their own schools, and there wasn't any sort of epidemic. They were carrying out a part of a "visiting day" program which will extend to all teachers of the city.

Each principal left his own school to visit some other in another city of like size and standing, to see what is going on in present day education outside of Cisco. Cities visited today were Abilene, Coleman, Baird, and Breckenridge.

Later on, other teachers of the system will visit other schools as a part of the visiting program.

The purpose, according to Supt. R. N. Cluck, is for the teachers to come into contact with other systems and teaching methods and to improve their own by what they observe.

It is just as important for school teachers to get an idea of what other teachers are doing and the methods they use as it is for doctors or lawyers or people of any other profession to see how their colleagues are working.

By observing the work of others, they will come back thinking more of some of their own ideas and methods and with new ideas to improve some of the old ones.

The "what" plan, he said, is based on the theory that getting into a rut is as bad for a school teacher—maybe worse.

While the teachers are absent on their observation trips, Supt. Cluck said, Johnny and Billy won't be left to pull the puppets of Mary and Sally or to take the school apart. They will have a substitute teacher in the place of their regular one, and things will go on as smoothly as usual.

The grade school English teachers will be the next to visit other schools, Supt. Cluck said this morning.

RANGERS RAID ANOTHER CLUB IN GALVESTON

GALVESTON, March 25.—Texas rangers at least are enjoying the sights of Galveston's springtime "night life."

Patrons of this coast resort city speculated today on what state enforcers' next move would be after their surprise visit last night to the Crystal night club.

As they appeared shortly before midnight the orchestra on the dance floor suddenly switched from a gay tune to the doleful strains of "How Dry I Am." Next the rangers rushed to the second floor and halted activities there. They halted a card game and, after bringing a justice of the peace, fined eight participants \$1 and costs each.

MARBLE MACHINES DRAWING ATTENTION. AUSTIN, March 25.—Adjutant General Carl Nesbitt, who asked whether marble machines are a violation of the law, today received a yes-and-no answer from the attorney general's department.

Gen. Nesbitt has been considering whether to turn rangers and their axes loose on the marble machines and similar devices.

"Any machine using marbles or any other object in its operation for either gaming or for the distribution of prizes by chance would be unlawful," the opinion said.

"If the success of the operator of such machine depends upon the exercise of skill, judgment or accuracy on his part, then the provisions of this statute (against lotteries) has not been violated."

Gen. Nesbitt has not yet decided a course of action toward marble machines.

Believe Club Fire Is Result of Arson

CHICAGO, March 25.—State police and county authorities today investigated a possibility that a fire which killed six persons and burned a score of others yesterday in a suburban night club may have been the result of arson.

Eighty persons, most of them college and high school students, were trapped in the tiny club rendezvous when flames leaped through its crepe paper decorations with explosive rapidity. Most of the casualties were attributed to the fact that the only exit was a door that opened inward instead of outward according to law.

GUARD POSTED AROUND FAMED DIONNE QUINS

TORONTO, Ont., March 25.—A police guard has been stationed at Dafee hospital at Callender to guard the Dionne quintuplets. Welfare Minister David Croll announced today.

Croll is chief guardian of the famous quintuplets under the recently approved bill which makes them wards of the king.

The possibility that a fear of a kidnaping plot has caused the guard to be posted was rumored.

"The guards have been ordered to the hospital for protection of the babies," Croll said.

He declined to enlarge on the statement.

Persistent rumors of a kidnaping have been heard but were discounted, although it was said the rumors reached the ears of police and government circles.

Six Bandits Rob Refining Company

HOUSTON, March 25.—Six masked bandits held up five employees of the warehouse headquarters of the Phoenix Refining Company with automatic pistols and a submachine gun today and escaped with \$2,300 in cash and checks.

Company officials said they had not determined the amount of cash taken but that most of the loss was in checks.

The bandit car was seen to drive past the plant several times before it entered the refinery driveway.

Her "Bill" Will Be Bill of Divorce



After moaning for "Bill" in the song that made her famous for years, Helen Morgan (above) at last will have one—a bill of divorce. Her husband, Maurice Maschke, Jr., Cleveland attorney, announced she would divorce him in California because they never were able to be together.

LIBRARY TAG DAY WILL BE ON SATURDAY

The Twentieth Century club has designated Saturday of this week as Library tag day.

The purpose of the tag day, it was announced, is to raise funds for the Cisco public library. Women will be stationed in the business district with tags for distribution, it was said.

This is the only means during the entire year that the club uses to obtain funds for the library, according to Mrs. G. B. Kelly, except through direct donations of the club members themselves.

"It is very important at this time that we obtain money through the tag day," Mrs. Kelly said. "It will soon be summer and we ought to have the summer books ready."

She said that the tag committee women will be announced later.

Relief Strikers Leave Auditorium

DALLAS, March 25.—The last of Dallas' striking relief workers abandoned their occupation of the city auditorium today after more than a week's effort to have their former rate of relief pay restored.

After the last of the strikers had left early today police locked the auditorium and declared it would be fumigated for public purposes again.

The strikers began their occupation of the auditorium on March 16 when about 500 many with camping equipment, moved in and announced they would stay till they received more relief pay.

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About Our Friends

By STEPHEN A. LONG

Cisco Round-Up 1913

Miss Ada Lee returned home Sunday from Memphis, Tennessee. She is visiting relatives for the next six weeks. Her cousin, Miss Caradine and friend, Miss Al-Bigelow, accompanied her home and will spend several weeks.

Miss Mary McCarty is in New York City visiting relatives. Mrs. R. E. Wilgus, Mrs. F. E. LeVeaux has her guests this week, her daughter, Mrs. Frank Parish and little Frank, Jr., of Graham.

Miss Bettie Mae Rominger and Miss Baugh have returned from two weeks visit at Rotan. Mrs. Q. Lee spent Tuesday at Breckenridge. Col. Walters of Moran is in Cisco Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rush and Mrs. Robert, left for their home in San Antonio Tuesday. Miss Annie Belle of Colorado City, is visiting at Julia Shepherd. Mrs. George Wiley has returned to her home in Dallas. While in the city she was a guest in the homes of Judge Johnson and J. T. Anderson.

Miss Mary Jene Butts spent several days this week with friends in Abilene. Mrs. F. W. Kendrick and daughter, Miss Johnnie Lou, of the Rock, Ark., are the guests of Mrs. Cora Harris. Miss Leta Manning has recovered from a protracted illness and is now able to be out with her friends.

CLEAN UP CITY BEGINS TODAY

Cisco's cleanup campaign opened this morning, with women of the Federation of Women's clubs attending the work of cleaning up and beautifying the city.

Mrs. E. Morehart, Mrs. Johnny E. Moore, Mrs. G. B. Kelly, and Mrs. C. B. Kelly, are members of the organization, as is the committee to work for the "A Cleaner Cisco."

During this week and next week extra trash wagon will travel through Cisco, picking up all trash set aside in the cleanup campaign, it was announced.

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WEATHER

Rain for month, 6 inch. Rain for year, 5.3 inches. West Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. East Texas—Cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

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Texas Lawmakers Make Time on Gas Waste

Gov. Allred called for quick action on major bills of importance. Well, the Texas house of representatives voted overwhelmingly in favor of a bill to make gas pipelines common carriers, "a move its sponsors said which would aid in solving the problem of enormous gas waste in the Panhandle." It is remarkable that the bill went to third reading 101-26, "but fell seven votes short of the majority needed to suspend the rules and permit final passage." There were 33 members absent or paired. Another important bill sent to the governor on the same date should not be overlooked—a measure to prohibit privately owned utilities from reducing rates "to squeeze out municipal competition."

Criminal waste of natural gas has cost Texas and its people hundreds of millions of dollars. Conservation of the precious fuel should come without delay. Secy. Harold L. Ickes is reminded that the governor and the attorney general and the railroad commission and the lawmakers "are placing their house in order." This was his advice in the not distant past. Now it is for the friends of conservation of the treasure wealth of Texas to unite as one man to keep the Texas house in order so that state control shall prevail at all times and not national control of the heritage which the builders of Texas passed on to the millions who were to come after them.

Tumble Weed Put To Use

That prairie wanderer and soil drone, the tumbleweed, has at last been put to work, according to reports from Nebraska. For years farmers have tried to eradicate it as a pest, but a few dried plants propelled by the wind until stopped by a fence sowed seeds so effectively that weeks of labor were lost. Undaunted by hoes, the tumbleweed or Russian thistle flourished even in drought. When lack of rain ruined most forage crops in the Middle West during the past summer, many farmers cut green tumbleweed and stacked it for fodder. Indications are that, even in its natural state it will make good cattle feed. But if plant experimenters could remove the spines from cactus, it is reasonable to assume that the rambling tumbleweed can be made even more adaptable for use as a forage crop. With proved ability to withstand drought, it should be even better than the native grasses which wither from lack of rain.

Patman Carries Bonus Bill Over Housetop

Rep. Wright Patman of Texas made history on the banks of the Potomac. After a demonstration seldom witnessed on the floor while the wildest confusion prevailed his followers throttled all attempts at debate and the measure backed by the Texan and his lieutenants gave orders for starting the government printing press to "whirling out \$2,000,000,000 in currency." Patman and his adroit lieutenants played their cards handsomely and took all the tricks. They voted down all compromise measures. It was a sensational riot until the result was announced. Then the house bill was sent to the senate. That body to date has voted down all bonus bills of the Patman brand and all the presidents who held the throne before the coming of Franklin D. Roosevelt vetoed measures enacted by the house and sent across the hall. Lawmakers enact; the president approves or vetoes.

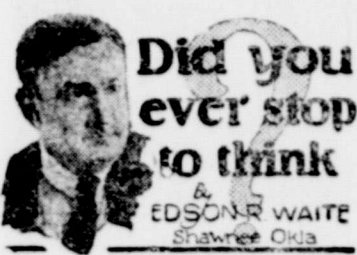
Now what will happen to the Patman measure which calls for \$2,000,000,000 in the currency of the realm to be paid to the ex-veterans before the adjournment of this very remarkable congress F. D. R. has on his hands and will continue to have on his hands until late in the summer months or perhaps until the coming of the fall months of a faded year.

Dust Plague Imperils American Grain Crop

Bread is said to be the staff of life and the golden grain that supplies the staff the most valuable of the food staples of the world. Secy. A. Wallace of the department of agriculture has issued an order removing restrictions on wheat acreage in the grain belt of America on spring planting. This action will allow farmers who had agreed to reduce production by 10 per cent to plant their full acreage this spring and compensate for it by a larger cut in acreage in 1936. Should the dust plague continue and be responsible for another destructive drought in 1936 then what will happen to the AAA set-up? Secy. Wallace declared the action was intended to benefit bread consumers and to avoid reductions in yields and possible importations of wheat resulting "from possible recurrence of drought in several of the major wheat producing states where rainfall and subsoil moisture are still sub-normal." He said the change would make no difference in benefit payments to be given wheat growers this year.

On March 20 the Chicago wires carried the story that sensational reports of crop damage by dust storms that extended hundreds of miles over the Great Plains grain belt was responsible for the hiking of grain values upward. According to the Chicago version, adding impetus to the upward trend of wheat prices were unofficial weather predictions pointing to predominantly dry weather during the next 90 days throughout the country "except in the Gulf states." In addition to this more immediate official forecasts indicated that no relief for moisture dearth was in sight for abnormally dry districts—Kansas in particular. Another drought this year would play havoc with the set-ups and the relief plans of the Roosevelt administration. It may be on the way.

Wonder Where the Next Eruption Will Be?



Did you ever stop to think
EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Okla.

FARMERS MAY USE IMPORTED SUDAN IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, March 25 — Farmers and seed leaders are asking the U. S. department of agriculture if imported Sudan grass seed will be as satisfactory for planting as native seed.

Department seedmen answer in the affirmative for seed from Australia, Argentina and New Zealand. Sudan grass in these countries very probably originated from seed grown in the United States. Seed from Argentina was tested several years ago at a number of field stations in Nebraska, Kansas and Texas, and the crop was found to be nearly identical with that produced by domestic seed in growth habits, and equal in yield and purity. As to seed from other countries, the department has not sufficient information on which to base an opinion.

The 1934 Sudan grass seed crop in the United States was about one-half that usually produced, with virtually no carryover from 1933. To offset this shortage for the 1935 planting, large importations are expected from other countries. Nearly 2,000,000 pounds of seed has been imported since July 1, 1934, and approximately two-thirds of this has come in since Jan. 1. More than one-half of the 3,000,000 pounds has come from Australia, with the remainder divided about equally between Argentina and Hungary. A small quantity came from Morocco. Since the 1935 seed crop in Argentina is now being harvested, it is anticipated that large quantities of this seed will arrive in the United States in time for seeding this spring.

Texas Topics

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, March 25 — Rep. J. Franklin Spears expects to call up his sulphur tax bill on the suspension calendar Monday, April 1, for a decisive test in the house. The bill, with an unfavorable committee report, was given a two-thirds vote to print on minority report so as to be before the house. It proposes to raise the 75-cent sulphur tax to \$2 a ton, but when it is called up it will be open for amendments as to the rate of taxation.

Gov. Allred has given the proposal to increase the sulphur tax his warmest support. Spears has shown that Texas Gulf Sulphur company alone, since 1919, has earned \$119,000,000 net profits on its \$6,400,000 investment, after deducting its salaries, depreciation and the \$11,000,000 taxes it has paid.

There is indication that city representatives will be considerably divided when the amendment comes up to exempt \$3,000 of resident homestead values from all taxation. Many of the city administrations were elected by labor or progressive forces, strong advocates of relief of home-owners and small realty holdings from the unbalanced burden of taxes.

The homestead amendment is vitally affected by others proposing to limit the total of taxation for all purposes, and those to abolish the ad valorem tax entirely for state purposes, but retain it for local purposes.

The title of "single tax" long ago was given a land-rates specialized theoretical scheme of taxation. But states now are facing a new sort of single taxation, which in a way, is symbolical of a stage reached by most of the chief government of past ages.

This single tax would be an overriding national tax, collected by the federal government and allocated back to the states, counties and cities. Sen. Ben G. Oneal of the national tax conference has reported serious study is being given this plan.

Its advantage is to eliminate in the United States about 80,000 sets of tax-assessing and collecting agencies. Its historical effect is that when the national governments takes charge of taxation and the allocation, it makes states and other subdivisions dependent upon it, and through handling of the allocations, finally subservient to it and unimportant in the expression of local rights and free local public administration.

UNDER THE DOME AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, March 25. — Gov. James V. Allred's drive against night clubs came at just the right time to build him up again when his influence with the legislature was at a low point.

It checked a spirit of "ignore the governor" that was becoming apparent in both house and senate. The drive was not "timed" for that purpose. Gov. Allred said it had been brewing for several weeks and was launched as soon as the ranger force was completed.

Nor was the initial drive at Austin planned to catch legislators while they were having a gay time. The inside story is that the raid on the Cactus club, Austin night spot frequently visited by legislators, was started under the impression that the Elks club was being raided.

The Elks club is several blocks distant from the place that was raided. It occupies a former private residence and no complaint has been made of this property.

But rangers, under instruction to turn in any reports of liquor or gambling violations mistook a former Elks building for the Elks club. The building was erected by the Elks many years ago but has not been occupied by the lodge for a long time. The Elks head and name still appear on the building facade.

A ranger, learning that there was a gambling table in the basement of this building, reported it. When officers visited the basement they heard music and revelry above. Following the sound to the third floor to the Cactus club dance floor, they raided a bar in an adjoining room.

Officers said they recognized no legislators in the dance club. If their eyesight and memories for faces had been better, they would have noticed several enjoying the dancing.

Rep. Augustin Celaya of Brownsville said he was there. "And there were a lot of drinking dries there too," he added.

Sen. Tom DeBerry brings word from the "Spivins Boys" that the senate wasted time in submitting constitutional amendments to raise salaries of the governor, attorney general, comptroller, treasurer and state land commissioner.

"Senators just don't know their lessons," the Red River county senator said. "Raises have been submitted before and they have been defeated. Submitting them again will endanger other amendments submitted at the same election."

Lieut. Gov. Walter Woodul, who hopes to draw the governor's salary some day has a different slant on the situation. He said the salary raises have been defeated in elections at which only a few people voted. This time they are to be submitted at the general election. With a large vote polled, Woodul believes the salaries will be upped.

DeBerry agrees they ought to go up. "But just because I think a buzz saw ought to be stopped, I do not have to grab it with my bare hands," he explained.

WRITER SEES NEED OF STATE POLICE FORCE

AUSTIN, March 25. — Recommendations for a state police force for Texas are embodied in an article on this subject in the current issue of Texas Municipalities, organ of the League of Texas Municipalities. The article is written by Paul E. Fidler of the staff of the University of Texas bureau of municipal research. Mr. Fidler pointed out that the subject of much research has been the part of many intelligent and far-seeing investigators. In most of these research reports, he said, "no small tribute is paid to Texas, for Texas, researchers discover, was the first state to reorganize a state police force." But Texas has not carried its development beyond the first stages, he declared.

The Texas Rangers, famous the country over for never failing to get their man, are fast becoming a lamented tradition, he said. "There was a time when one could boast with pride and conviction that one ranger was sufficient to quell one riot, but our sister states must wonder whether such a reputation is merited when the most notorious criminals can roam the vast areas of the state robbing, killing and kidnaping as they go for months on end without being apprehended."

Obsolete Methods "Explaining the stagnation of state police force activities is simple. Texas is trying to fight modern criminals with obsolete and outmoded police methods. A more direct explanation is found in the fact that because the existing law-enforcing agencies do not operate under central direction, efficiency cannot be obtained. Through the obsolescence of the sheriff, constable, and posse methods of policing rural areas, and through the nation-wide expansion of operations of the criminal element, the state police are seriously handicapped by the lack of a rapid communication system and the engineering of road blockades from a central point. Latter-day public enemies can race from one county of the state to another in stolen cars with little fear of immediate apprehension."

"Satisfactory solution of the problem of evolving adequate law enforcement machinery requires the creation of a new division in the state's administrative set-up. The present establishment of divisions, however, is contrary to the best principles of state organization. It would seem well, therefore, to institute a department of public safety which would include within its jurisdiction not only a bureau of state police, with such companion bureaus as criminal identification and records, intelligence, and communication, but also the agencies which now perform inspectional and regulatory functions."

Recommendations In conclusion, Fidler proposed a number of recommendations embodying what he believes are the best principles for the establishment of a department of state police, as follows:

"The governor should have the power to choose the department head, who should be responsible to the governor only. The department should be headed by one man, not a commission. Specific qualifications and tenure of office designated to attract only well-trained men for the position of executive should be set up. Residence qualifications for high ranking department officers and employees should be eliminated. Full responsibility for the organization and operation of the department — within the limits of the principles set by law — should rest upon the executive head. The existing law enforcement agencies should be combined into a single force, to the extent that this is at all possible. Members of the force should have the power to enforce

the laws of any bureau within department. Free Reign "The administration of the personnel of the department should be entirely in the hands of the department head. The law should be general in its provisions for the training of recruits, the probation period, the men to be trained, examinations to be given, the of the force, and the manner of gaining the force. The department head, because of his experience in these matters, should give a free reign in the solution of his personnel problems.

"The bureau of fish and game should be under the department and the state fire marshals' division should be a part of the department. The section relating to the creation of a bureau of identification should be exact. In neither bill are the provisions adequate to the creation of an efficient bureau. Jurisdiction over sale of firearms should be as the functions of the bureau."

LOST AFTER 25 YEARS FALLS CITY, Neb. — Prof. of Ham Willard recently was listed in a search for a back glove, one of a pair which he had worn 25 years.

Political Announcement

This paper is authorized to the following announcements, subject to the action of the voters at the City election on April 2, 1936.

For Mayor:
J. T. BERRY, (re-election)
J. M. WILLIAMSON

For Commissioners:
W. J. FOXWORTH, (re-election)
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F. P. YARGER, Acting W. M. L. D. WILSON, Secretary.

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome.

J. A. BUTLER, President B. E. SPENCER, Secretary.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15 E. L. SMITH, President; Joe C. BURMAN, Secretary.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND CUPS ARE MUSIC PRIZES

BELTON, March 25 — Scholarships amounting to \$400 in tuition and four loving cups will be offered as prizes in the various divisions of the Texas Interscholastic Music Meet at Mary Hardin-Baylor April 12 and 13. It is the thirteenth annual festival sponsored by the Fine Arts Conservatory of the college.

Three winners in the piano solo contests will receive scholarships of \$100, \$75, and \$50. Winners in voice will receive \$75 and \$45 scholarships and one award of \$50 will be given in the violin contest. Cups will go to first and second place winners in trio for girls' voices and chorus for girls' voices.

Solo contest numbers are: Piano, "In the Evening (Des Abends)" by Schumann and "Valse Impromptu in a flat" by Liszt; voice, "Slumber Song" by Grechaninoff and the contestant's selection; violin, "The Son of Puzos" by Keiser-Bala and the contestant's selection.

The trios, class A division, will sing "Left Thine Eyes (from Eljsh)" by Mendelschn and "Will o' the Wisp" by Strauss. Class B groups will sing "Minuet d'Exaudet from Bergerettes" arranged by Saar and "Spring's a Lovely Lady" by Elliott.

Class A choruses will sing "Rockabye Baby Mine" by Sadler, arranged by Deems Taylor, and "Young Lancers" by Moussorgsky. Class B selections are "Stealing O'er the Golden West", arranged by Moffet, and "The Brownies" by Leoni-Stebbins.

For the ensemble contests, schools are divided into class A and class B groups according to the regular interscholastic League rating. Competitors must be regularly enrolled high school girls under twenty-one years of age. Unless there is sufficient merit the prizes will be withheld.

Mrs. Hattie Woodruff Hillier, 403 West Ninth street, Belton, is in charge of the Music Meet and from her office all information is sent.

THE NEW FANGLES (Mom'n Pop)



Coastguard Likely To Get 5 Destroyers

PHILADELPHIA, March 25. — Five United States destroyers may be resurrected from the "cemetery" of the Navy Yard here should congress approve a house committee's recommendation for an appropriation of more than \$1,000,000 for repair of vessels and other equipment for the Coast Guard.

Navy yard officials have received no orders that any of the vessels will be used again, but it was learned that the ships could be prepared for Coast Guard work in a "reasonably short time."

It also was understood here that the navy yard soon will lay keels for four cruising cutters for the Coast Guard.

By COWAN. FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS.



TREAT EVEN SKUNKS

AMES, Iowa. — Iowa State College veterinarians really love science. They even treat skunks in their laboratories.

More than 250 small animals, including skunks, cats, rabbits and monkeys, are brought in from Iowa state parks every year, for students of veterinary medicine to study.

Drunk Bike Riders Not Barred By Laws

SANDUSKY, O., March 25 — You can ride a bicycle here in Sandusky while intoxicated and not break the law.

Patrolman Chris Schimyer had arrested Richard Canfield, 21, a Sanduskyan.

Twice in one block, Canfield had fallen off his "bike" while Schimyer was watching him.

Schimyer locked up Canfield then pored through the big book of city ordinances.

There's not a word there about riding a bike while drunk," he finally told Capt. John Hobart.

So they charged Canfield with just drunkenness.

Recovery Seen In Income Tax Returns

CLEVELAND, March 25 — (North-eastern Ohio has rounded the "depression corner" and is beating its way back to prosperity, according to the story being written here by 1934 income tax returns.

Louis Campbell, chief deputy collector, said returns in the 22-county northeastern Ohio district might reach the 1931 mark of \$34,000,000.

The total collection last year was \$22,000,000, \$16,000,000 the year before that and \$17,000,000 for 1932.

The DARK BLOND

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MILlicent GRAVES' employer, GEORGE DRINGOLD, tells her he has a confession to make and warns her against a woman in a black ermine coat.

Millicent leaves the office and sees such a woman. Later she finds her purse has been taken and a similar one substituted. In the elevator she meets a distinguished looking man of middle age.

Returning to the office Millicent finds Dringold dead. In panic she rushes away and registers at a hotel under an assumed name.

Next day she meets the stranger again. He tells her his name is HARRY FELDING. Happ sends her to a beauty shop where, in spite of her protests, she is transformed into a beauty.

Happ takes her home, introducing her as his secretary. He gives her a suitcase filled with accounts and asks her to open a set of books. Happ's son, NORMAN, tells her not to trust his stepfather, ROBERT CAISE. She says, "There seems to be some menacing personality dominating the household," and Norman exclaims, "The woman in black ermine!"



Slowly Norman's arms came around her. Then he drew her to him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER X

MILlicent GRAVES felt pines pounding in her neck. She moved toward Norman Happ. Unconsciously her hand reached out and rested on his sleeve, as though to keep him from leaving her until she had the information she desired.

"What do you mean?" she asked. "What do you know about a woman in a black ermine coat?"

He stared at her speculatively. Slowly, his right hand slid along his left forearm until it had come to rest upon the back of her hand, holding it tightly.

"What do you know about it?" he asked.

"I don't know," she said. "That is, I can't tell you. Please don't make me tell. Just tell me. Explain what you mean. Who is she?"

"I think," he said, "she's a psychic—one of those astrological nuts—but she's got Cynthia completely hypnotized."

"Does she come here?"

"You mean the woman in the black coat?"

"Yes."

"Three or four times she's been here."

"Have you seen her?"

"Twice."

"Have you seen her face? Would you know her if you saw her again?"

Norman Happ shook his head impatiently.

"Why all these questions?" he asked. "What interest is it of yours?"

"Would you know her if you saw her again?"

"I've only glimpsed her in a dark corridor. I've never seen her face. That's why I've described her as the woman in a black ermine coat. It's a rich fur with a high collar. She walks with quick, nervous steps, as though she were always in a hurry."

"Then how do you know she runs the house?"

"I don't say she ran the house," he said. "You intimated as much."

"No, I said she had a strange influence over Cynthia."

"What is it? Tell me more about her."

"I've already told you all I know. She's engaged in one of those racket—numerology or astrology or something of the sort."

something up his sleeve on that woman—I don't know just what it is. He's going to do something about it somewhere along the line. Bob's dangerous, you know."

"And you think he's responsible for your father's unhappiness?"

"I think he's got a lot to do with it."

"Listen," she said, "I don't wish to seem to be gossiping. I want you to believe me when I tell you that I've got a reason for asking you the questions I'm asking. I can't tell you what that reason is, but it's important that I know what's going on here. Can you tell me whether your father ever talks with this astrologer?"

"I don't think so," Happ said. "Dad has to keep pretty much to himself. Cynthia bosses the servants, and she's a hard boss. I don't think any of them are loyal to Dad except Harry Felding, the chauffeur."

"He's loyal?"

"Yes . . . look here, I shouldn't be telling you all this. I came in to find out about Bob. You're pumping me."

"Please," she said, "please tell me more. I've got to know what's going on in this house."

She swayed close to him and, as she did so, felt the tingle of his presence enveloping her as with a magnetic mantle.

"What do you want to know?" he asked, and his voice sounded throaty and husky.

"I want to know," she said, "about your father—about this astrologer—about Harry Felding . . ."

"If you want to know anything about this woman astrologer," he said, "ask Harry Felding. I happen to know that Dad told him to shadow the woman the next time she came to the house. He wanted her . . ."

Norman Happ abruptly checked himself.

"Wanted what?" Millicent breathed, leaning closer to him.

Happ looked in her eyes, held her gaze. Color flooded his face. Millicent knew what was going to happen before it happened, yet had no power to prevent it.

For what seemed ages she stood staring into his eyes, her soul flooded with some powerful emotion, her body robbed of conscious volition.

Slowly Norman Happ's arms came around her, then hungrily he drew her to him. The slow deliberation with which his embrace had started was supplanted by a writhing tempo of hungry haste as his emotions swept him beyond his control. Millicent felt her lips crushed to his, felt her form held so close that she could feel his throbbing heart, could feel the burning tips of his pressing fingers as they dug into her shoulders.

For a long, helpless moment her vitality seemed to flow through her clinging lips and then, suddenly, she regained her power to move. She pushed back from him, gasping.

"Go!" she said. "If anyone should find you here . . ."

She broke off, as knuckles tapped gently and insistently upon her door.

"But," Millicent said, "they're all of them different. She isn't proficient in all of them, is she?"

"I think she's just an adventurer," Norman said. "One of those racketeers who go around looking for people to victimize."

"What makes you think that?"

"Because of the funny things that happen. Every time Cynthia gets in touch with this woman there's some unusual and unpleasant development."

"Can't you tell me more clearly?"

"There's nothing much to tell. The woman comes here and has a seance with Cynthia. I don't know just what goes on. Whatever it is, it leaves Cynthia all exhausted. She takes to her room and stays there. Her personal maid is posted at the door, with orders to admit no one, and the door is locked and kept locked. It's some time next day before Cynthia will see anyone. Then she comes staggering out, looking white and drawn. She hasn't eaten, and she doesn't look as though she'd slept."

"And then what happens?"

"Then she does goofy things. She puts a lot of new plans into execution. You can't ever tell what she'll do. Perhaps you'll be getting along fine and giving satisfactory service, and then this woman in the black ermine coat will call on Cynthia, and the next day Cynthia will come out of her room looking like a ghost, with a paper on which she's written a lot of things she

College May Banish 'Hell Week' of Frats

GRANVILLE, O., March 25 — After 67 years, Denison university's "Hell Week" faces abolition.

Established as a means of initiating new members into fraternities, the week—a source of discomfort for its victims, has been condemned by

the undergraduate inter-fraternity council.

The council, composed of presidents of each fraternity, voted to recommend to their respective chapters complete abolition of all rough initiation ceremonies. The action followed faculty complaints that freshmen slept in classes during recent initiations.

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ALICE LOUISE FARLEY CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY
Celebrating her eighth birthday, Alice Louise Farley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Farley, entertained a number of her friends Friday afternoon with a party. Various games were played, after which refreshments were served. The guest list included: Robert Reagan, Mayvonne Lomax, Doris Thomas, Billy Blackstock, Doris Lee and Mary Lou Turner, Johnny Pearl Flower, Margarette and Emily Kizer, Joe Plumley, Betty Rae Richardson, Betty Ann and Buddy Scott, Rex and Jerry Farley, and the hostess.

Personals

Coleman Williams attended the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth last week.
Miss Mary Elizabeth Douglas, Helen Farny and Neida Hay of Breckenridge and Neida Fern Matthews of San Angelo, delegates at the Christian Endeavor convention, were guests in the home of Mrs. W. J. Armstrong this weekend.
Rev. J. Stuart Pearce left this morning for Colorado City where he will hold a weeks meeting.
Mrs. C. C. Jones who has been visiting the last few days in Dallas and Fort Worth has returned home.
Mrs. C. Hickman spent the weekend visiting in Dallas.
Mrs. Mattie Washet of Cuthbert is a new patient in the Brown's sanatorium.
Miss Catherine Cunningham spent Saturday in Fort Worth.
Mrs. T. F. O'Brien is spending today and tomorrow in Fort Worth.
Mrs. Opal Yeager and Mrs. N. A. Brown were business visitors in Eastland this morning.
Mrs. T. F. Hickman left this morning for a visit with relatives in Tyler.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry spent the weekend visiting in Stanton with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Berry.
Dr. H. H. Milling of Mineral Wells was the Sunday guest of Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Brown.
Misses Bessie Pearce and Harriet Angus of Brownwood spent the weekend here with relatives and friends.
Winston Castlebury and Lee Grubbs of Eastland were visitors in Cisco yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Newton visited in DeLeon Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. H. G. Sharp who with her daughters, returned home with them.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Anderson and children of Hamlin were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson, and Mrs. Luther Doyle.
Judge Victor B. Gilbert of Austin is visiting in Cisco a few days.
Judge B. W. Patterson of Eastland was a visitor in Cisco Sunday.
Mrs. P. J. Connally and mother, Mrs. Gott, were visitors in Brownwood Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hubbard spent Sunday visiting in Ranger.
E. E. Peicke spent Sunday visiting in the Romney community.
Earl and Guy Strickland and Miss Wilma Ramsey were visitors in Baird today.
Howell Wagoner was a visitor in San Angelo Sunday.
Mrs. Ike Chambliss and children of Albany and Mrs. George Weaver

CALENDAR

Tuesday
The W. M. S. of the First Methodist church will meet in the church at 3 o'clock.
Circle One of the First Baptist W. M. S. will meet in the home of Mrs. Walter Webb, 606 F avenue.
Circle Two of the First Baptist W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. S. Surles, 1104 West Sixth street.
Circle Three of the First Baptist W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Leon McPherson, 808 West Ninth street.
Circle Four of the First Baptist W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. B. Kenney, 501 West Sixth street.
Circle Five of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet in the home of Mrs. J. D. Franklin, 1107 West Ninth street.
Circle Six of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet in the home of Mrs. J. R. Burnett, 1465 D avenue.
Circle Two of the Women's Council of the First Christian church will meet in the home of Mrs. Sam Kimmell, Eighth street.
Thursday
The bridge club will meet in the home of Miss Ora Beas Moore at 3 o'clock.
Friday
The Cisco Choral club will meet 7:30 in the First Baptist church.
Saturday
The Twentieth Century club will observe annual Tag Day for the benefit of the public library.
visited Mrs. Weaver's daughter, Mrs. George Christi and family in Rising Star Sunday.
Misses Ruby Lee Blanton and Maynet Edmondson spent Saturday night in Carbon.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harder and Miss Susie Haynes spent Sunday in Gorman.
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Elliott left yesterday for Fort Worth where they will attend the Fat Stock and return today.
Buster Key of Eastland was a visitor in Cisco today.
Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Bolinger of Big Spring spent the day yesterday visiting relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Jacobs and daughter were guests of relatives in Rising Star Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cabanes were visitors in Fort Worth this weekend.
P. J. Connally of Waco is a visitor in Cisco.
Mrs. C. R. Parker has arrived from Longview to join her husband in making their home in Cisco.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hastes were visitors in Eastland Sunday.

Eastland IS COUNTY TRACK MEET WINNER

EASTLAND, March 25 — Eastland high school athletes amassed 66 2-3 points in track and field finals of the county interscholastic league meeting Saturday in Eastland to win the Class A title.
Ranger with 27 points slipped in to follow Gorman whose athletes earned second with 20 5-8 points. Johnny Garrison of Eastland was high point man with 18 totaled to his credit. Sikes of Eastland scored 12 1-2 points.
Olden with 58 1-2 points won the county Class B track and field meet. The Oldenites led Scranton by 1-2 points.
Records fell in the Class B track and field division. Belew of Scranton broke, according to record-keepers at the meeting, the broad jump by clearing the ground for 20 feet, five inches. The old record was said to be 20 feet.
Bailey of Scranton lowered the old time of 10 1/2 in the 100-yard dash to bring it down to 10 1/4. Gibson of Olden broke the Class B javelin record by throwing 132 feet. The old record was 125 feet seven inches.
Belew of Scranton was high point man for the Class B's with 21 points to his record. Bailey of Scranton was second with 19 points.
Broke Mile Record
Whisenant of Olden bettered the old five minutes, 15 1/2 seconds record of Meritt of Olden that was five minutes, 38 1/2 seconds.
With junior track events scheduled for next week, officials were not able to ascertain the winner of the all-around county Class A champions. Eastland with a total of 137 points however was predicted to win. Winners in all literary events held Friday and Saturday were not announced.
Points won by schools competing in Class A track and field events were as follows: Eastland 66 2-3, Gorman 29 5-8, Ranger 27, Cisco 17 1-2, Rising Star 13.
In Class B the points compiled the schools in the track and field events were as follows: Olden 58 1-2, Scranton 58, Carbon 31 1-3, Alameda 3, Morton Valley 21-3.
Winners in the track and field events:
Class A
100-yard dash—Garrison, Eastland, 10 1/4 seconds; Rhoades, Ranger, 10 3/4 seconds; Craft, Eastland.
High hurdles—Sikes, Eastland, 17 seconds flat; Horton, Eastland; Braly, Eastland; Chastain, Rising Star.
Discus—Britt, Ranger, 106 feet, one inch; Carter, Gorman; Townley, Gorman; Caffrey, Cisco.
Broad jump—Morris, Gorman, 19 feet, eight inches; Garrison, Eastland; Beasley, Cisco; Caffrey, Cisco.
Shot put—Love, Ranger, 42 feet, 2 1/2 inches; Caffrey, Cisco; Britt, Ranger; Townley, Gorman.
Javelin—Carter, Gorman, 132 feet, six inches; R. Taylor, Eastland; Caffrey, Cisco; Bray, Ranger.
High jump—Horton and Sikes of Eastland tied with Harrison of Gorman with five feet, seven inches. Townley of Gorman with Ramsey of Cisco tied for other honors.
Mile run—H. Taylor, Eastland, five minutes, 15 1/2 seconds; Pittman, Gorman; Kennedy, Fanger; R. Taylor, Eastland.
Relay—Eastland, three minutes, 53 seconds; Gorman, Rising Star, Cisco.
220-yard dash—Garrison, Eastland, 23 1/2 seconds; Rhoades, Ranger; Gorham, Cisco; Scoggins, Gorman.
440-yard dash—Craft, Eastland, 56 1/2 seconds; Scoggins, Gorman.

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Starving Cattle To Be Given Pastures

DENVER, March 25 — In a desperate effort to save their half-starved, dust-plagued cattle, stockmen of Bent, Prowers, and Baca counties may move 50,000 head into the San Luis valley or South Park Ranges, as well as cultivated seed in the once prosperous cattle district have been smothered under sand and dust. After 12 days of dust storm many cattle, half starved because of lack of feed, and almost dried out because of a scarcity of water. Already had fallen victims to the choking dust.
Because of the emaciated condition of the cattle, they cannot be driven overland, but must be shipped by rail. It is hoped that a satisfactory arrangement can be made with the railroads and that land can be leased in the San Luis county or South Park.
SUFFER HEADACHES
PHILADELPHIA — Examination of health records of 5,394 teachers in Philadelphia revealed that 25 per cent of them suffer severe and frequent headaches, according to Rudolph Bloom, of the Philadelphia County Medical Society. Only 10 per cent of the school janitors, however, suffer from headaches, he added.
PARIS, March 25 — A Swiss of New York, on trial with wife and 21 others, on espionage charges was understood to have lifted today that he joined the spy ring only in order to expose secrets to France.
DICE CAUSED DEATH
LONOKE, Ark. — Two successive successions a dice game just natural, and Eugene Mitchell, gambler is serving a two-year term because of such an incident. He was charged with killing J. D. Appleton, negro, causing Appleton, allegedly, crooked dice.
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NEWPORT, Ark. — A New Testament printed in 1812, the first Coppenstone edition, is owned by Marvin Reynolds, Jackson County farmer. The edition compares word for word with the printings of today, readers observed. The only difference is in printing where the old German "s" is used in the 1812 edition.
"BREAKLESS BIDDY" DEAD
ONEILL, Neb. — Breakless Biddy, four-year old hen belonging to Mrs. John L. Quig, of O'Neill apparently died of concussion of the brain. Hatched without a beak "Biddy" used her lips to peck at grains. It is believed constant jarring against icy ground caused her death.
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