

CISCO DAILY NEWS

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About Our Friends

By STEF A. LONG

There are some very interesting facts about the use of brass and copper. You know that Cleopatra, famous queen of Egypt, adopted the vogue of wearing copper and bronze ornaments centuries ago. Although their beauty has waxed and waned through the ages, recent style notes indicate that the age-old metals will be more fashionable than ever this year.

That the 300 year-old copper which served as a weather vane on the Second Reformed Church in Albany, N. Y. was lost in a fire which destroyed the church is a fact. However, it was eventually found in the ashes and will be more adorn the spire of the church when it is rebuilt.

That the largest solar water heater in America was built and used by students at the Punahou school, Honolulu. The sun's rays heat the water. The system contains 308 square feet of roof area and contains 1400 feet of copper tubing.

That the largest bell in the world is in a 1300 year-old Buddhist temple in Asaka, Japan. It is covered with verigris, and weighs 135 tons. It is 16 feet wide at the mouth and 26 feet high. It is used only for special rites. It is rung the sound can be heard for two miles.

That when Thomas Jefferson designed the Rotunda of the University of Virginia he was forced to put a tin roof instead of copper. He wanted because the state treasury did not appropriate enough money. However, when the old building burned in 1895, the rebuilt one was covered with copper, as originally planned.

That of all ancient time-keeping devices the ingenious water-clock was the most accurate.

House Wishes To Act On Appropriations

SENATE ALSO SEEKING FOR COSTS CUTS

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—House members voted 75 to 53 today to ask Governor James V. Alford to submit the matter of appropriations to this special session so economies can be made. The senate already has voted overwhelmingly for a bill to cut the costs of state departments almost five million dollars. Speaker Robert W. Calvert told the Austin Press today that he will hold the appropriation reduction bill cannot be considered under the governor's call for the present tax session of the legislature. He will follow the advice of the attorney general's department on the question. "As to taking their advice on a bill I had not submitted to them for an opinion on the sale-by-drink liquor. I certainly will follow it on the question I did ask for a ruling upon," Calvert said. "You will remember I ruled at the first special session that an appropriation for San Jacinto monument could not be included in the mileage bill." Governor Alford refused to say whether he will open the subject of economies to the session by submitting it in a message. He fenced with an attempt to get a definite commitment.

School Board Ladies Sponsor Program

The high school enjoyed a program sponsored by the school board. Members present were: Mrs. Warwick, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Kimball. These ladies turned the program over to Mrs. Iry who did the announcing. Mrs. James Moore gave two very laughable numbers which the student body enjoyed thoroughly. Mr. Horace Conley gave a talk on the water supply of Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Krauskopf and Mrs. Powell played two popular numbers on their accordions. The students wanted more but there was not time. The ladies have promised to come back again.

SUPREME COURT REFUSE REVIEW OF COURT ACTS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—The supreme court today refused to review constitutionality, securities and exchange act. The court's action came when it denied a petition of three Florida investment firms dealing in oil royalty participation certificates for a review of a fifth circuit court of appeals decision upholding the act and refusing them an injunction against service of securities and exchange commission subpoena.

CHINESE INFANTRY DIE RATHER THAN BREAK OATH BY RETREAT

SHANGHAI, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—Fourteen hundred Chinese infantrymen died in an entire regiment sworn to die rather than retreat, were annihilated today on the Shanghai front. Two hours after the death of the last man, Chinese reinforcements arrived. They retook the point. The Japanese took it again. At 5 p. m. the point had been retaken several times, the last time by the Japanese. The men of the Chinese regiment defending the position had taken an oath not to retreat. Wave after wave of Japanese went over to be thrown back. Each time the number of defenders was less. At 9 a. m. three hours after the attack started, there were 13 men

Mrs. Jack Dempsey Returns to Stage



Broadway heard a familiar "Cheerful Little Earful" from the torch-singing former Hannah Williams (now Mrs. Jack Dempsey) when she decided after four years' absence, to return to the footlights in amuse-ment comedy with Ed Wynn. A nurse-maid will care for their two young daughters, while Jack continues as a New York restaurateur.

OIL OPERATOR SUCCUMBS TO OLD INJURIES

George Weaver, 62, passed away this morning at his home at 10:30 after a long illness, having received injuries nine years ago from which he never recovered. Deceased was born at Emlenton, Pennsylvania, where he attended the public schools, finishing his education at Bucknell University, near Philadelphia. He made an athletic record as a ball pitcher, playing with national stars like Rube Waddell and Claude Riche, with the Pittsburgh team. He went to West Virginia in 1899, living at New Martinsville, where he met Miss Gay De Bolt to whom he was married in 1901. To this union were born 3 children—William, who passed away at the age of 9, Mrs. George Christie, only daughter, who resides in Cisco; George Jr., who died in 1936. Mr. Weaver began his oil career with his father in Pennsylvania which he adopted as his life business. He drilled in the first well at Erimright, Oklahoma in 1912. He also drilled at Eldorado, Kansas in 1916. He came to Ranger, Texas in 1918. His oil operations were around Ranger, Breckenridge, Graham and Rising Star. It was while drilling

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Officials Invited To Carrier Meeting

County judges and commissioners in counties of the 17th congressional district were invited Saturday to attend the district Rural Letter Carriers' association annual convention Saturday night, October 23 at Cisco. The invitations were sent by mail by W. S. Adamson, county judge, who will deliver the welcome address at the meeting. The meeting, of which a banquet will be a feature, starting at 7:30, will be at the Laguna hotel. Congressman Clyde L. Garrett will be a speaker.

HOUSE OFFERS SENATE BILL IN COMPROMISE

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—A tax compromise with new allocations of receipts will be offered to the Texas senate by the house of representatives in an effort to prevent a deadlock, a reliably informed source stated today. The bill will be reported this afternoon by a sub-committee of the Senate State Affairs Committee. It raises natural utility taxes ten per cent above present levels and adds gypsum and salt to the tax resources. It has 50 cents per \$1,000 capital to the existing franchise taxes on utilities. It levies no tax on oil pipe lines.

Peanut Buying to Begin This Week

W. B. Starr of Cisco, president of the Southwestern Peanut Growers' association, announced Saturday that opening of a warehouse to be maintained by the organization in Rising Star is set Monday or Tuesday. Raymond Gray is to be buyer and manager for the warehouse. It has been explained only No. 1 and 2 grades will be bought at the warehouse. Price for No. 1 grade is 93 cents a bushel and for No. 2 87 cents. Location of the warehouse is next to the Montgomery Motor company.

West Ward Enrolls New Pupils Today

West Ward has 3 new pupils to enroll today. They are: Delphia Stephens, Ruby Stevens from West Texas, and Barney Johnson from Moran, said Prin. A. C. Bradley today.

LOOK—TODAY IS CIRCUS DAY IN CISCO!



ALF M. LANDON WILL ADDRESS NATION TUES.

TOPEKA, Kas., Oct. 18 (U.P.)—Alf M. Landon today prepared to address what he termed "a nation-wide mass meeting over the radio" in his capacity as a republican presidential nominee in 1936. He said that the speech scheduled from 9:30 to 10:30 (EST) Tuesday night would be on certain questions of the day. The announcement was terse and without explanation. It said: "As the republican standard-bearer in the 1936 campaign, I desire to call a nation-wide mass meeting over the radio Tuesday night, October 19, 1 with to discuss and review certain questions of the day."

First Baptist Pastor To Move Thursday

New pastor for the First Baptist church, Rev. Judson Prince, arrived on the field and preached at the two services Sunday to record breaking congregations. Mrs. Prince and Judson Jr., accompanied the pastor and were introduced at the morning service. Mrs. Prince is a very charming woman and ladies of the church are looking forward to her aid in their women's work. The pastor has a very pleasing personality and is deeply spiritual in his preaching. His delivery is good and the membership is looking forward to a revival of church life in every department. They returned to Hamilton and will move into the parsonage next Thursday, at which time repairs will have been finished. The pastor and family were entertained over the week end at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Poe.

TWO WOMEN TO FACE CHARGES STABBING MAN

FORT WORTH, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—The blood-stained car in which A. M. Reilly of Dallas, was fatally stabbed when he accepted an invitation to take a ride Tuesday night, was returned to Kansas City today after foreclosure by a mortgage company. Erstwhile owner of the car, Billie Joe Palmer, 29, and her companion, Betty Simpson, 22, both of Kansas City, will face examining trial tomorrow on a charge of murder. The mortgage company representative found blood smeared on the front seat and floor board where Reilly struggled with the two women over a long-bladed pocket knife, finally being pushed from the car and left at the roadside. Investigators sought to trace ownership of the knife.

BARNES CIRCUS BIGGEST EVER TO VISIT THIS PART OF STATE

The editor was the guest of Mr. Chipman, publicity man for the big Barnes circus in Cisco at lunch today in the mammoth dining tent where the several hundred persons connected with the show get their food. The Barnes circus, the second largest in the United States, has an expense of \$8,750 per day. It has the greatest number of animals of any show to be in Cisco for many years past. The show is a city within itself, having its giant stew pots, hot water system, light system, laundry, post office and postal carriers. The show buys all its food locally as it goes along and makes purchase of over

WORK BEGINS ON OVERPASS FOR HIGHWAY

Work starts on the Katy overpass project today, by the Jensen Construction company who have a new diesel-powered steam shovel for the work of excavation. Supt. Hansen is on the job and a crew of men are expected to begin dismantling the old overpass structure to give place to the new concrete and steel one that is expected to be something worthy of Cisco and the Katy railroad. Concrete approaches will extend from A avenue where it joins the highway project for the east end project and will extend to about the alley on the west side just east of D avenue. While the change will inevitably hurt many sections of property on the abandoned highway, which is to be regretted, yet it will enhance the value of that adjacent to the new route. The Fish hatchery work now going on is to total over \$25,000 when it is finished late in the spring months and it is rumored on good authority that this will be immediately followed by other enlargement and improvements that will be even bigger in appropriations of money than the present one. Meanwhile the work order for the east Cisco highway contract already let to Frank Hall of Waco at a bid of \$41,000, is expected to be issued around Nov. 1 and this work will run concurrently with the overpass project. State engineer, R. R. Huntington is in Brownwood today learning more of the new principles of paving being tested by the highway department.

PSYCHOLOGIST CHARGED WITH GRAND THEFT

DALLAS, Oct. 18 (U.P.)—While charges were pending against him here of swindling an aged Fort Worth widow of \$17,000, John (Curly Top) Pritchard, 27, psychologist, was en route to California today to face charges there of grand theft of \$3,750. The Fort Worth widow, Mrs. Nellie Calder, 65, accused Pritchard last week in a hearing here before U. S. Commissioner Lee R. Smith of obtaining large sums from her on the promise he would help her recover \$50,000 she had lent to a man in Washington, D. C. Pritchard had been arrested here on the request of Los Angeles officers and was submitted to their custody last night after Federal Judge W. H. Awell signed an order permitting his removal. Government prosecutors said he would be returned to Texas after the California trial for trial on charges of using the mails to defraud. Prohibition Vote Called in Precinct Commissioners court Saturday had ordered an election October 30 in Justice Precinct 7 to determine whether sale of all alcoholic beverages shall be prohibited. The election was called in response to a petition signed H. S. Childress and 115 other qualified voters of the precinct. Voting boxes in the precinct are at Rising Star, Pioneer and Okra. The court stated in the order calling the election the following will be the ballot reading: "For prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages." "Against prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages."

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Fair tonight and Tuesday; colder Tuesday and in Panhandle and extreme west portions tonight.

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Stock Market Regulations

An editorial in the New York Times sums up some of the reasons which financiers believe are tending to produce thin, inactive, and non-liquid markets.

1. Today customers of brokerage houses cannot open an account with margins of less than 55 per cent. If stocks decline, their margins are allowed to shrink to 30 per cent, but they are not allowed to withdraw funds as long as these diminished margins exist.

2. It used to be that floor traders and specialists were not required to carry margins, but now the law requires that they, too, must have margins of 55 per cent.

3. In previous market booms, officers, directors and large stockholders of corporations, if they thought their stocks were cheap, might step in and buy.

4. The SEC has been investigating virtually all transactions involving 5,000 shares and over of stock.

This is not all there is to the story by any means, but indicates the burdens placed in the way of normal trade. It seems that in seeking to protect the public interest, the law has gone so far that its very stringency is damaging those whom it was designed to serve.

Parking Becoming Serious Problem

City fathers ponder the city parking problems. Shall parking be forbidden at certain hours in shopping areas? Will parking meters or parking lots solve the difficulty and speed up traffic?

While such questions are being asked, the autos go round and round, says William B. Powell, traffic engineer of Buffalo, N. Y., in the Estarian magazine.

"It is the downtown retail merchant," he continues, "who seems most oblivious to the dangers of his position. He blandly permits smaller rival establishments in less congested suburbs to flourish on the trade of shoppers who are

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Justice Hugo Black did not lack for friends or relatives to give him advice when he returned to the capital.

To take the trouble of ferreting out the whole range of patronage enjoyed by the former senator from Alabama, including members of the family, would be decidedly unfair to Black.

Nevertheless, quite a galaxy of names came popping out as Black drew nearer to Washington—enough to provide an idea of the good graces of the administration can entrench themselves here.

The justice went at once to the home of his brother-in-law, Clifford J. Durr, who happens to be an assistant general counsel at EFC.

William E. Fort, special assistant to the attorney general, turns out to be an ex-law partner of Black's.

Sterling Foster, another brother-in-law, is with the Maritime Commission. Cutler Smith, a cousin by marriage, is with the AAA.

OUT OUR WAY



loath to brave the hazards of downtown traffic. Rare is the downtown merchant who lures trade to his store by free parking in an adjacent vacant lot or free bus transportation from a more distant parking space to the store.

Some cities are experimenting successfully with metered parking, but, according to Mr. Powell, "metered parking is not a final solution to the problem; it awaits a fundamental change in city planning.

But, irrespective of the method used, says this traffic authority, rebuilding will be essential. "We'll clear a whole city block! Around it we will construct a fringe of attractive small shops fronting not only on the surrounding streets, but also on an inner court, sheltered from the weather and lighted from a transparent roof.

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CAST OF CHARACTERS PRISCILLA PIERCE—heroine, young woman attorney. AMY PERRY—Pierce's roommate and murderer's victim. JIM KERRIGAN—Amy's fiance. MARY HILL—Jim's mother. AUNT BERTIE—Jim's aunt. MR. HOLLAN—officer assigned to solve the murder of Amy Kerr.

Bluefields. One of the girls was leaving for the East, and Amy went to the airport to see her off. There, in the ticket office, she heard a man order a ticket on the regular plane three days later—a ticket for Chicago.

"That's the man now!" The very night of the robbery, Worth's body was found in a ravine some few miles out of Bluefields, pinned under his overturned car. He'd been burned pretty badly, but the body was identified to the satisfaction of the court.

"So Amy went to Chicago, on a wild goose chase, our lawyer said. Imagine tracing a voice! By this time my father was serving a sentence. He was badly shaken by the trial, and I seemed to be the one who disturbed him most.

"My God, Cilly," he cried desperately, "it terrifies me to think what the law can do to an innocent man. Where would I be now if the Perrys had not met me? In jail, like my poor father, only I'd be a murderer. Listen to me, Cilly, I've got to tell you the whole story.

"My father was an officer in the bank—you probably heard that much straight. You couldn't have heard that he was the squarest, finest man that ever lived. He never did a crooked thing, he never thought of a crooked scheme. Never. He lost a great deal of money. It bothered him more than he let on to Amy or me. Then out of a clear sky, these bonds were stolen—negotiable bonds, which were as good as cash anywhere.

"Well, Dad was convicted. We hadn't a shred of evidence to save him—at least nothing that would stand a chance in court. There was only one thing—One's intangible fragment of Amy's imagination, our lawyer called it. Nevertheless, she stuck to it, she followed her one little clue right through—to the end, for her."

"What was that clue, Jim?" "The day before the theft, she was visiting some friends in Ogden—that's about 30 miles from here Sunday night! Cilly, I can't

tell you how happy I was... we'd been outcasts so long. I wanted to tell you then and there but Amy warned me. Anyway, I slipped her that note your sergeant found and I met her upstairs on the roof as soon as I left you. There was so much I wanted to know...

"Did she really find Worth?" "She did. What's more, she gathered enough evidence to send him to prison. There was only one thing... she had to be able to prove he was Worth. The man had been declared legally dead. You know. However, last Saturday she saw an item in a Bluefields newspaper—she got them regularly—which finally opened her eyes. Some old hermit in the mountains was missing, had been missing for months. Amy felt sure it was his body which had been mistaken for Worth's..."

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or cleydra, was the most widely used. They were always made of copper, brass or bronze... which cannot rust.

...that although bells have been made out of virtually every known metal through the ages, bells of copper and bronze have proved most satisfactory as far as quality and warmth of tone are concerned.

...that Major Andree, leader of the ill-fated attempt to fly to the North Pole in a balloon in 1897, dropped 12 buoys each containing a sealed copper tube in which messages were placed to inform the world of his progress.

...that eight of the world's largest generators are located in the power house of the Boulder Dam. Each of these huge dynamos contains between 27 and 28 tons of copper and its alloys.

SCHEDULES FOR TRAIN AND BUS

Table with columns for Train Schedules (Texas & Pacific, Eastbound, Westbound) and Greyhound Bus Schedule (Eastbound Originating, Westbound Through).

UNDERREAMING CONTINUES ON DEEP OIL TEST

Operators Saturday continued underreaming eight-inch on the Gallagher-Lawson at 5,500-foot test south of Desdemona, slightly over in Comanche county, at a depth of 4,264 feet.

Hoffmann and Page company at No. 1 A. C. Justice, section 28, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, block 2 Total depth 1,450 feet.

Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil company No. 5 B. L. Danley, Ahrenbeck survey, Total depth 3,540 feet.

Hoffmann and Page company at No. 1 Sealy heirs, section 1, H. & T. C. Ry. company survey Total depth 1,894 feet.

MINNEAPOLIS (UP)—Running out of gasoline has become a national habit. The modern motorist has only to look at his gasoline gauge and drive into the corner service station, yet 1,500,000 of his species last year found themselves embarrassingly stalled on the nation's highways with empty tanks.

E. Ray Cory, president of the Minnesota state automobile association, revealed that the estimate was based on reports from thousands of AAA garages, which gave emergency road services in all sections of the country.

CAIRO (UP)—Military training is to be introduced in all secondary schools and universities in Egypt for the first time in the history of the country. It will apply equally to the teaching staff as well as the pupils.

People We Meet

Have you ever been stopped by the sight of a strikingly beautiful face only to find that any attempt to fit it into a familiar background to link it with a name you entirely at a loss? Return you decide that your senses have been playing you tricks—the person, instead of being a acquaintance is simply a person of a type with which you are familiar. Individuals that fit this group come to mind, and set about sorting the characters that differentiate them. But you might to accept the fact the haunting face was the face of a stranger, you never quite ceased in riding yourself a thought that some where at time you were acquainted with person.

SEASICKNESS ON DESERT ELKO, Nev. (UP)—Seasickness in the desert that lost a working job was reported here. The man was employed on a dredge near Water had been pumped into a depression, forming a lake, blowing across the pond waves, rocking the dredge and workman became ill and quit cause of seasickness.

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Diplomacy Enters Into Horse Buying

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FUNGUS PERILS CYPRESS TREES

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—California's picturesque Monterey cypress trees face extinction from an incurable fungus disease known to exist only in his state...

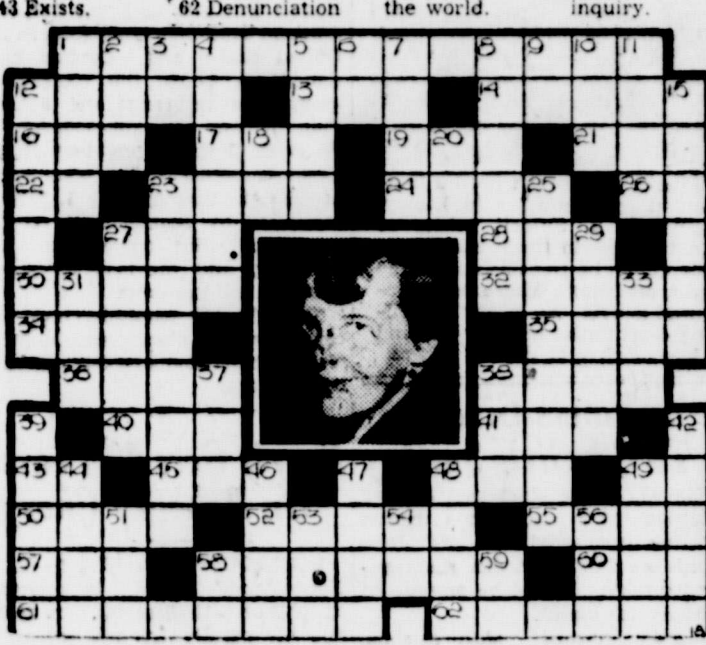
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reason for the scope of the epidemics, he said. "The cypress tree disease can be stamped out only with the cooperation of persons having such diseased trees and hedges," Walther said.

Fungus Easily Detected Dr. Willis W. Wagner, Palo Alto entomologist of the department of forestry service, has made a critical study of the disease and its symptoms.

Up to the present the main groves have not been attacked, forestry officials said. However, artificially planted groves and hedges situated within a few miles of the Point Lobos and Cypress Point stands are infected, they added.

E. E. Walther, city park entomologist, said the disease had not appeared on cypress trees in San Francisco, although growths to the north, south and east of the city are infected.

A fungus spawn, transported from tree to tree by the wind, is the

DUST BOWL NOT APPLICABLE TO TEXAS SOILS

PARWELL, Oct. 18 (AP)—J. D. Hamlin, of Farwell, former president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and executive of a company owning 300,000 acres of land in the so-called "Dust Bowl" area is at a loss to understand why many persons writing about soil erosion insist on placing the emphasis on Texas.

"In only four West Texas counties and only in parts of those—are there conditions which can be likened to a "Dust Bowl," he said.

"For example, the eastern two-thirds of Deaf Smith county is well irrigated and more hereof cattle are produced there than in any other part of the United States."

"Yet it is one of the so-called Dust Bowl counties and is pictured in its very worst light."

"Of our 300,000-acre holdings, 150,000 acres are in Dallam county, and Hartley county and I am familiar with conditions there. I do not maintain that we have not been damaged. We have. The five-year drought has had its effects, and bad ones—but I do contend that it is a localized situation and that the term "Dust Bowl" for all of West Texas, including all of the fertile acres that this year will produce their most beautiful yields, and to call it a drought-stricken wasteland, is grossly unjust and unfair."

Hamlin pointed out that Lubbock county anticipates a cotton crop of 100,000 bales this year, and that all of West Texas probably will produce 1,250,000 bales. Moreover, he said, the largest grain sorghum harvest in the section's history is in prospect.

Court Action to Benefit County

The county will be approximately \$20,000 better off because of recent U. S. Supreme Court action which in effect held valid the state's collection of taxes on intangible values of pipe line companies, officials believed Saturday.

C. H. O'Brien, county tax collector and assessor and County Auditor Don Parker will go to Austin Tuesday and determine whether Eastland and other counties will be authorized to assess taxes on pipe line companies.

Litigation of several pipe line companies' attack on the validity of the law as it applies to them has been in progress since 1935. That year, injunctions were secured against the State Tax Board enjoining it from certifying the values for the year 1935. Similar injunctions were allowed in 1935, pending final determination of the Texas Pipe Line case.

It is now expected that the board will be able to certify the values for 1935-36. New suits have been filed attacking the valuation for 1937 on the ground that fundamental wrong systems were used by the board in making the valuations.

The state's share of taxes collected by the method, pending the collection is allowed in the county for the period would amount to approximately \$9,000, it was estimated.

The Gulf company, apparently foreseeing the action that the case would receive in the U. S. Supreme Court which denied petition for certiorari, has already paid Eastland and other counties the tax.

Daily News—First in news, first in service.

Carnegie Show of Art From 13 Lands

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The art of 13 nations is on exhibit at the 1937 Carnegie International Exhibition of Paintings.

Each of the 13 nations has a number of paintings in the exhibition, which is the world's only annual sowing of current artistic output.

Three hundred of the exhibits are from the following European countries, with the most imposing names of the art world represented: England, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, Poland, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Sweden, Holland, Denmark and Norway. The United States section has 107 paintings.

Eighty-nine of the artists whose work has been chosen to hang on the walls at Carnegie Institute are making their debut in the International. Others have shown their paintings in previous Internationals and are in the top flight of artists.

The Jury of Award this year is composed of four painters, two from the United States and two from Europe. They are Henry Varpurjon Poor of New York City and Judson Smith of Woodstock, N. Y.; Raoul Dufly of Paris and Ferruccio Ferrazzi of Rome.

Awards will range from a \$1,000 first prize to \$100 for fourth honorable mention.

WTCC Move is—

object to the headquarters of this organization being removed to any town which the organization may select, but I and the other residents of the town of Stamford feel as above stated that it should be done in a fair square manner and not as a result of a secret cut and dried confab.

"I felt that the West Texas chamber of commerce represented all of West Texas and that every town in West Texas should have some say in where the headquarters was to be located. I did not favor a secret deal not sanctioned by the board of directors and I do not think now that the people of West Texas should permit any such deal to go over.

Others Denied Bid If the headquarters is to be sold to the highest bidder, an opportunity should be given to more than one town to make a bid.

"This was not done in this instance and in fact, I think it was a cut and dried proposition worked out in advance without giving the constituent member towns of the organization a chance to be heard.

Such an act was not the democratic way of doing things and when you add to that the fact that it was not done legally, I felt that I should object and did object.

The town of Stamford cannot

Charles E. Coombes, Stamford attorney and ex-Abilenean; Cleburne Huston, Stamford newspaperman, and Mayor R. C. Thomas also issued statements in protest to the action. Coombes and Huston, sharply criticizing citizens of Abilene as well as WTCC officials.

"Too Secretive" Coombes, former president of the WTCC and life member of the directorate, declared the action is too secretive, partisan and unfair to be justified, and is contrary to the by-laws and established usages and customs of the organization and is without precedent in its history.

He charged the directors who voted for the change with "arbitrary exercise of dictatorial powers."

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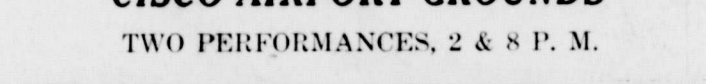
FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



Watch for a New feature: IT REALLY HAPPENED IN FOOTBALL! TWICE A WEEK DURING THE FOOTBALL SEASON, STORIES, WITH ILLUSTRATIONS, ABOUT UNUSUAL AND HUMOROUS THINGS THAT HAVE HAPPENED ON THE GRIDIRON WILL APPEAR IN THIS COMIC, AS A SUPPLEMENT TO THE FOOTBALL STORY NOW RUNNING. The first "IT REALLY HAPPENED IN FOOTBALL" will appear tomorrow!

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U. S. Consul Is Slain in Syria



The brilliant diplomatic career of J. Theodore Marriner, above, U. S. consul-general at Beirut, Syria, was ended in a shower of bullets fired at close range by an Armenian, disappointed in efforts to get a passport to go to the United States. Marriner, whose work at the Paris embassy as charge d'affaires had secured his reputation as one of the more promising young American diplomats, was 55

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse—By Thompson and Coll



Society

CALENDAR

Tuesday
Cecilian Singers meet at the Laguna Hotel at 4:45 p. m.
Group One of the First Christian Council meets with Miss Theresa Weddington, 619 West Sixth street, at 3 o'clock.
Group Two of the First Christian Council meets at church in a luncheon.
Group Three of the First Christian Council meets with Mrs. E. B. Isaacs on Randolph Hill at three o'clock.
Group Four of the First Christian Council meets at the church at three.
Stated meeting of O.E.S. chapter No. 461 at Masonic hall at 7:30.
All Baptist Circles meet at the church at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and will have a covered dish luncheon. An all-day meeting will be held.
The subcommittee of the First Baptist church will meet at the church at three o'clock.
The W.M.S. of the First Methodist church meets at the church at three o'clock.
Tuesday night at 7:30 the stewards of the First Methodist will meet at the church in the pastor's study.
Council of Junior Department of First Methodist church meets at the church at 7:30.
Circle Two of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. J. J. Taberman, 1014 West 6th street, Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Wednesday
The Delphinian Study Club meets at the Club House at 9:30 a. m.
Baptist W. M. U. convenes at the First Baptist church at three o'clock, observing the week of prayer.
The Methodist Fourth Quarterly Conference meets at the

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church at 7:30 p. m.
Young Peoples Choir Rehearsal meets at the First Methodist church at 6:45 p. m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal at the First Methodist church at 7:45 p. m.
Mid-week prayer services are announced at the First Baptist, Presbyterian, East Baptist, and Christian Churches at 7:30 p. m.
The Humble Bridge Club will meet with Mrs. T. Huestis in Abilene, 1930 North Third st., Wednesday morning at 9:30.

Thursday
Thursday evening the Workers Council of the First Methodist church will assemble at the church and enjoy a chili supper. Following which a business meeting will be transacted.
First Baptist W. M. S. meets at the church at 3:00 p. m. observing the Week of Prayer.
Friday
Friday morning the ladies of the First Methodist church will meet in a zone meeting at Breckenridge at 9:30 a. m. Each one attending to take lunch for one.
Boy Scouts meet at the First Methodist church at 7:30 p. m.

Saturday
Saturday night at 7:30 the Young Peoples Department of First Methodist church will have a Halloween party at the church.
The Intermediate Department of First Methodist church will have a party at the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss at 7:30.

PERSONALS

C. B. Poe of Carbon is spending a few days at the home of his daughter Mrs. J. E. Spencer and Mr. Spencer.

Mrs. John H. Surles of Putnam was a week end guest at the home of her son, C. S. Surles and family.

Wade Johnson left Friday for El Paso where he has accepted a position with the American Smelter and Refining Co.

Mrs. R. W. Mancill spent the week end in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Shepard of Plainview visited relatives in Cisco, the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green, accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Brice were Dallas visitors Saturday.

Miss Ethel Leveridge is spending her vacation in Throckmorton with relatives.

Mrs. W. E. Spencer and daughter have returned from Roman where they spent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland visited in Cross Plains the last of the week.

Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Odessa is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Herron, and Dr. Herron.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wilson and little son, Ernest Jr. have returned to their home in Coleman after a pleasant visit with Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson.

Mrs. G. R. Whitney of Breckenridge is in the city today visiting her mother, Mrs. Mattie Robinson.

Miss Laura Kittrell of Winters is returning to her home today after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Kittrell and sister, Miss Lucy Kittrell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aycock and son, Jack spent Sunday in the city with relatives en route to their home in Sweetwater after attending the football game between T. C. U. and A. M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Whit Lovelady and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lovelady of Los Angeles, Calif., have returned to Cisco after spending the week end with relatives at San Angelo.

Mrs. James Lattimer has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Albany. While away, she enjoyed a trip with relatives to

points in New Mexico.

Miss Olga Fay Ford and friend, Miss Vivian Reece, of Rising Star, spent Sunday in Cisco visiting Miss Ford's mother, Mrs. M. E. Ford, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cox of Dallas visited Mrs. Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Moore, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edleman and children visited Mr. Edleman's mother, Mrs. Lula Edleman and children at their ranch home near Moran, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Lucas were among the Ciscoans who attended the football game at Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. Benedict of Albany visited her sister, Mrs. James Lattimer, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Caudle spent Sunday afternoon in Albany, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brunkenhofer and little son have returned from San Antonio where they visited the past two weeks, while on their vacation.

Mrs. J. A. Bearman and daughter, Miss Agnes Bearman, have moved their residence and office from the Laguna Hotel to 706 West Seventh street.

Howard Johnson of Meiga, New Mexico is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Barnett of Albany, Miss Geneva Hitt and Woodrow Hitt of Moran were guests at the home of Mrs. A. L. Cogburn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis of Wickliffe have been the guests of Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gardner, near Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cogburn and baby of Eastland visited Mr. Cogburn's mother, Mrs. A. L. Cogburn, Sunday.

Mrs. Vardi Osborne went to San Angelo today to attend the funeral of young Vance Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Little, former Cisco citizens, who was reported accidentally shot there Sunday.

Mrs. L. S. Jenkins attended the funeral rites held in Abilene Sunday for Dr. Estes, prominent Abilene surgeon, killed in a car accident in California.

Decides State Can Get Along



"Mississippi doesn't need a lieutenant governor," said heartily, jovial J. B. Snider, holder of that office in that state, and thereupon he went fishing in the Gulf, off Biloxi, where he is pictured above. He steers his sailing craft under trim rigging and leaves cares of state to others.

AIR CRASH IS REPORTED FOR UTAH-WYOMING

SALT LAKE Utah, Oct. 18 (UP)—A west-bound United Airlines transport carrying 16 passengers and a crew of 3, crashed among the rugged peaks near the Utah-Wyoming border during a storm last night, the airline announced today.

The scene of the accident was accessible only by mountain trails over which only pack horses could be used. It was reported that it might take several hours to reach the plane and determine the fate of the 19 aboard when it crashed within 50 miles of its port here.

Texas C. Employes Sign Up for Pension

NEW YORK, Oct. 18 (UP)—More than 99 1/2 per cent of the 22,470 eligible employes of Texas Corporation and subsidiary companies in the United States and Canada have signed up under the corporation group Life Insurance and Pension Plan, it was announced today by W. S. S. Rodgers, president of the Texas corporation; the plan which became effective on July 1, 1937, is supported by contributions from the part of individual employes and the company, and provides for death benefits and pensions.

To date 113 employes have received pension checks and 26 death claims amounting to \$77,719.82 have been paid.

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at Rising Star that he received his injury that caused his death nine years later.

Mr. Weaver was a Christian and a Mason holding his Masonic membership with the Weatherford Lodge.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Weaver, he is survived by his daughter, Mrs. George Christie of Cisco. Three grandsons, Robert, Jimmy and Joe Christie. He is also survived by two brothers and three sisters, Charles E. Weaver, W. J. Weaver, Mrs. Laura McIntosh, Mrs. Mary Van Devender of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Also a sister, Sarah, who resides at Baltimore, Maryland.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, 2:30, at the home, where Rev. Joe I. Patterson will officiate. The Masons will have charge of the body at the graveside. Neil Lane's Funeral Home is in charge.

Masons who will participate in burial rites will assemble at the Masonic Hall at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, from there going to the home in a body.

Mrs. Ina W. Jones Visits Cisco Lady

Mrs. Ina Wooten Jones of Abilene was a guest this morning of Mrs. S. E. Hittson who accompanied her to Eastland where they were guests at a luncheon given in the home of Mrs. Art Johnson, president of the Sixth District of Music Study Clubs. At a business session of the club executives in the afternoon, plans were laid for the District meeting, which convenes in Abilene, October 28, 29, 30.

Mrs. Daniels Rests Well in Hospital

Miss Elizabeth Daniels returned Sunday from Temple where she has been with her mother who underwent a major operation there last week. Miss Daniels reports her mother doing well.

Norris Gets 40 Years On Robbery Charge

LOCKHART, Oct. 18 (UP)—T. N. Norris pleaded guilty to a charge of robbery with firearms here today and his punishment was set at 40 years in the penitentiary. Norris was charged with participating in the holdup of a poker game at a Lockhart hotel on September 12, 1936.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK
Livestock: hogs, 800; top butchers, 10-10; bulk good butchers, 10-10-10; mixed grades, 9.50-9.90; packing sows, 8.75.
Cattle, 4800; calves, 3500; market steady; steers, 10-11; yearlings, 9-10-25; fat cows, 3.55-8.50; cutters, 4.00; calves, 4.25-7.50.
Sheep, 5500; market normal; fat lambs, 8.00-9.25.
Tomorrow's estimated receipts: Cattle, 4500; calves, 3000; hogs, 1200; sheep, 3000.

BILL SEEKS TO COLLECT MANY DELINQUENT

AUSTIN, Oct. 18 (UP)—Sen. Albert Stone of Brenham, today introduced a bill to the legislature to collect a part of the estimated collectible twenty-million-dollar taxes.

The bill seeks to create a delinquent tax board of two members one appointed by state comptroller and one by the attorney general. The board would be authorized to effect state tax collection contracts at cost, not to exceed 12 per cent of counties being given the opportunity to join for collection of delinquent local taxes.

Painter Turns to Beer Stein Work

NEW ORLEANS (UP)—In a small workshop in the rear of home Frank Galliano, former boxer, painter and soldier, works at an unusual occupation, mending broken beer steins.

By means of a specially prepared cement and an ingenious machine fashioned from a set of shears and a few boards, Galliano and his wife Anna, turn weekly approximately 200 steins into beer glasses.

Strict silence is observed during the operation in what he calls "Original Beer Stein Hospital." The first step is to file even the broken edges of the glass with a special filing machine, then place the stein on a table where a base is glued on.

A few days of drying in the sun and then the glass goes back to owner, secure against ice foaming beer and doing what "It all started several years ago when I used to paint signs in the parlors," Galliano said. "I wondered what they did with all the broken glasses."

Then the idea struck him and he fashioned his own tools. Gradually he improved his method until now he handles business only from New Orleans but in many South Mississippi towns.

"I haven't found a stein yet couldn't repair," he boasted.

STATE MAY COPY G-M-V JACKSON, Miss

JACKSON, Miss (UP)—Copy of state G-men will be given when the Mississippi legislature convenes in January. The new department would be known as the Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Identification and Statistics, would be patterned after the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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Even back of bullet-proof glass... their hearts aren't proof against love!

Loyalty Club Met With Mrs. Abbott

Officers, directors, and members of the Loyalty Club met with Mrs. Abbott at the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss at 7:30 p. m. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss at 7:30 p. m. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. H. Chambliss at 7:30 p. m.

Breckenridge Wed at Church

Saturday evening at six o'clock Mr. Edward Charles and Miss Celestine Spencer of Breckenridge, were united in marriage at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Fred L. Chunn, Rev. Chunn officiating. The young couple returned to Breckenridge where they will reside.

Mrs. Shockley to be Group Four Hostess

Mrs. Lonnie Shockley will entertain members of Christian Council Group Four Tuesday evening, with a Scavenger hunt. Husbands of the members of this group are also invited to attend. The group will assemble at the First Christian church at 7:30.

Altar Society Will Meet Tuesday at 2

The Catholic Altar Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at two p. m. All members of the church are urged to be present.

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"FROM ANY angle, Camel is the cigarette for yours truly. When I'm tired, I light a Camel and back to work I go with a 'lift' in energy," FRANK MULLADY, auto mechanic, says.

"AS A fashion designer spending long night hours creating new styles, I've grown to depend on the mellow companionship Camels give me," says the famous designer, RENEE MONTAGUE.

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