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# Mrs. W. T. Hittson Laid To Rest Sunday

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'- old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. ing service as coach in the Cis-clock for Mrs. W. T. Hittson Phipps of the Deep Cream Dai- co high school, W. B. Chapman home early Friday morning. room at his home Sunday night. in another field. He announc-Services were conducted at the Some time while taking a bath ed some time ago that he would Mrs. Hittson had her member- brother, Troy, on returning high school the coming year. ship.

Miss Eddie A. Wagley. She was the floor, with his head near the married to W. T. Hittson in 1877 heater which was still burning. Interview. Accompanied by the program as out and in that same year they came Physicians were summoned im- Supt. R. N. Cluck, he drove meet for tomorrow: to Cisco to make their home. mediately but all efforts to re- through to the Plains city, and She placed her membership vive him were of no avail.

with the Baptist Church in Gunsight in 1880. Mr Hittson died here in 1928.

Of seven children five survive, these being: Mrs G. M. Stephenson and S. E. Hittson of Cisco, W. C. Hittson of Des rushed home. Moines, N. M., W. T. Hittson of Hamilton and R. A. Hittson of Austin, Texas. Three sisters church at 3:00 o'clock Tuesand two brothers also survive: day afternoon by the pastor, Mrs. E. M. Newman, Mrs. F. M. Rev. E. S. James. Interment coming year. Metcalf, and C. N. Wagley of was made in Oakwood cemetery Cisco; Mrs. J. C. Smoot of Tulia and A. L. Wagley of Wayland, CITY FEDERATION MEETS Stephens County.

Active pall bearers were: J. D. Lauderdale, Tom Stark, F. E. Shepard, H. S. Drumwright, B. W. Patterson, J.L. Thornton, O. L. Mason and J. D. Hall.

A large concourse of sorrowing friends attended the services, and a heavy profusion of flowers attested the love and high regard in which this good woman was held in this community.

# Walton's Baby Contest **Closes Saturday Night**

O. R. Walton of the Walton progress, is a most successful

covered will be: Dairy Judging,

Poultry Judging, Plant Produc-

this year. They will be accom-

panied by E. H. Varnell, in-

structor.

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# Buer Dawson Phipps **Asphyxiation Victim**

Buer Dawson Phipps, 11-year from town, saw that the boy Upon the resignation of Hen-

Phipps was in Dallas on busi-

Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist

AT CLUB HOUSE MONDAY

The City Federation met at the club house Monday afterpresident, presiding. The program for the after-

First Industrial Arts Club, and lield. was not only an enjoyable one, but one which was very instructive, and of particular interest to mothers. It was a "School and Health Program," and the leader was Mrs. J. C. McAfee. Mrs. W. W. Wallace and Mrs. A. E. Jamison favored the club with a vocal duet, after which Supt. R. N. Cluck gave a very

O. R. Walton of the Walton Studios states that their annual baby contest, which is now in progress is a most subject of modern Edu-cation," and stressing particularly the point that educators event, with more than fifty ba- were leaving the old ideas and bies now entered-and coming getting out of the ruts, and that in very fast during these last teachers' problems and parents' remaining days. Although he problems went hand in hand to is very busy now on late entries, be worked out together. A Mr. Walton states that he will round table discussion follow-

do his best to take care of all ed and many new ideas were torney Joe H Jones and Sher, gan, will be in Cisco this even. met with Mrs. B. C. Boney at her home on Fourth street.

### Chaman Will Coach Interscholastic Meet For Lubbock High Being Held At Ranger

After nine years of outstand-

after a very brief conference

Mr. and Mrs. Phipps were with the school officials there, both out of town at the time of signed a contract as head coach the accident, Mrs. Phipps being being chosen from among 25 in Littlefield, Texas, while Mr. applicants for the place.

Lubbock now has a \$750,000 ness. They were notified and high school building, with an enrollment several times that of Cisco, and the retiring Lobo coach will have a wide range of material from which to build up a good team at Lubbock the

Chapman came to Cisco as coach in 1922, and his faithful services in training and directing the boys in many hard-fought battles in the fields of

sport here has endeared him to the hearts of all. It is with renoon, with Mrs. P. P. Shepard luctance that the Loboes give up their coach of these nine years, and their heartiest good

noon had been arranged by the wishes go with him to his new

### **Three Arrested In Connection**

### With Death of Jack King Paul Sheenan, Harry Sheenan and Ralph Pancake of Pioneer were arrested by Sheriff Virge Foster of Eastland and Deputy R. L. Wilson of Cisco Wednesday morning in connection with nals. the death of Jack King of Ris- 3:30 p. m .- Javelin throw, fiing Star who died suddenly at nals. that place on March 25. The 4 r sudden illness upon King's re-

turning home, followed closely by death, was reported to the authorities by the attending physician and members of Mr. King's family, and an investi-

# The Oil Belt District Interheld at Ranger today and to-

from Cisco are in attendance. First Baptist Church by the pas- the boy was overcome by the go elsewhere at the end of this nis were the opening events of Burkett, T. E. Castleberry and tor, Rev. E. S. James, and Rev. fumes from the water heater, season, and it was announced the program started at 9:00 W. P. Roach were elected to the James L. Smart, pastor of the and was not found until some Thursday that he would become o'clock this morning, and these, county board of school trus-East Side Baptist Church, where time later, when his elder head coach for the Lubbock together with the essay writ- tees. Burkett for this precinct Mrs. Hittson was born in Red was not in bed, and noticing a ry-Frank as coach of that entire day's work. Tomorrow large. The following vote was River County, Texas, May 10, light in the bath room, looked school Chapman entered his ap-1864 her maiden name being in to find the boy stretched on plication, and Wednesday he events start, finals being Saturday afternoon. Following is Accompanied by the program as outlined for the

Saturday Program 9 a. m.-Track and field preliminaries, at track near Lil-

lard field. 9 a. m.-120-yard high hurdles, preliminaries.

9:30 a. m.-100-yard dash, preliminaries.

10 a. m.-220-yard low hurdles, preliminaries. 10:30 a. m.-220-yard dash

preliminaries. 11 a.m.-Rural penthathlon

finals.

Noon 1 p. m.-Track and field events continued at track near Lillard field.

1 p. m.-120-yard high hurdles, finals.

1 p. m.--Pole vault, finals. 1:30 p. m.-100-yard dash, finals.

1:30 p. m .- Running broad jump, finals.

2 p. m.-880-yard run, finals. 2 p. m.—Discus throw, finals.

2:30 p. m.-220-yard low hurdles, finals.

2:30 p. m .- Running high jump, finals.

3 p. m.-440-yard dash, finals. 3 p. m.-12 pound shot put; finals

3:30 p. m.-220-yard dash, fi-

4 p. m.—One-mile run, finals. 4:30 p. m.—One-mile relay.

### **Big Baseball Game Tonight**

The House of David Baseball torney Joe H. Jones and Sher- gan, will be in Cisco this even- Mrs. Joe Wilson was leader, the

**Returns Canvassed On Trustee Election** 

The Eastland county commisscholastic League meet is being sioners' court in session Tuesday canvassed the returns on who was found dead at her ry, was asphyxiated in the bath leaves the sport circles of this morrow, and quite a number the school trustee election held Saturday, April 4. According Debate, declamation and ten- to the official returns Omar ing and the three R contest, No. 4, Castleberry for precinct were to occupy the time of the No. 1, and Roach trustee-at-

Precinct No. 4-Omar Burkett, Cisco, 198.

W. B. Starr, Dan Horn, 162.

G. C. Daniels, Cisco, 123. Precinct No. 1—T. E. Castleberry, Eastland, 186.

J. A. Beard, Eastland, 168. P. County-at-large — W. Roach, Rising Star, 525.

Harve Vestal, Pioneer, 401. Dave Harper, Gorman, 286. E. M. Curry, Pioneer, 113.

MRS. CHAS. HALE HOSTESS TO THURSDAY "42" CLUB

One of the prettiest parties of the spring season was the one given by Mrs. Chas. Hale Thursday afternoon when she was hostess to the Thursday 42 Club at her home on Sixth street Bowls of Bluebonnets and clover throughout the rooms enhanced the charm of the home and added a spring note to the occasion.

At close of games high score went to Mrs. Burette Patterson for guests and to Mrs. C. Owen for members.

A dainty dish of strawberries and cream was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Esther, to Mesdames Burette Patterson, Gus Ward, D. Ball, G. P. Mitcham, J. J. Butts, Joe Shackelford, L. A. White, C. Owen, Lee Owen, J. R. Burnett, J. W. Mancill, C. Davis, Ben McClinton, Geo. Fee, J. B. Cate, W. W. Moore and P. P. Shepard.

### FIRST INDUSTRIAL ARTS **MEETS WITH MRS. BONEY**

First Industrial Arts Club met with Mrs. B. C. Boney at

entries brought in up to 9:00 presented. o'clock Saturday night, when

Miss Lurline Poe gave two the contest closes, and he urges readings which gave much that anyone still contemplating amusement to the occasion. making an entry in this con- Dr. F. E. Clark read a paper, "Safe-guarding Health of Adotest phone for appointment at the very earliest possible mo- lescent Girl." This paper was so beneficial and instructive, ment.

The judges in the contest will and proved of such great interbe selected from among travel- est to the mothers present that ing men stopping at some of after the round table discussion the hotels, who will not be fa- on motion of Mrs. J. D. Barker, Texas Tech. relays at Lubbock liefs does not permit the trimmiliar with the contest entrants it was decided that printed cop-

all indging will be by num- ies should be made so that all ber, so that all may be assured mothers might learn the prop-a fair and impartial considera- er care that their daughters fourth in the 220 low hurdles, er like Sampson of Biblical a fair and impartial considerahould be given. tion.

Mrs. P. L. Ullom sang. The

program in its entirety was Five teams composed of sevthoroughly enjoyed and the enteen boys of the F. F. T. club Federation is indebted to the will leave Cisco Sunday for A. First Industrial Arts Club for & M. College to enter the state its arrangement. judging contest. The subjects

The Twentieth Century Club will be in charge of the program the second Monday in May, and tion, Terracing and Beef Cattle. will have for its subject, "Amer-The Cisco teams have had very successful results in previous icanization and Good Citizenship" contests, and it is expected that

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berry were they will make a good showing called to Abilene Monday after-

R. H. Gaines, superintendent day evening. Col. J. T. Berry, day afternoon. Mrs. Smith Hues-father of Mr. Berry, and Mrs. tis was hostess at her home on cific roads in this division.

iff Foster went to Rising Star ing and will play at Chesley topic for discussion was "Perand had the body exhumed and Park, crossing bats with the sonalities of Texas Cities." The the viscera was sent to the Cisco Red Sox. This team is state chemist at Austin for ex- one of the greatest traveling amination. The three men ar- baseball clubs on the road, and rested in connection with the attracts large crowds wherever affair are being held in the they appear. county jail at Eastland.

won some nice honors in the ious leader. fourth in the 220 low hurdles, fourth in the 50 yard dash, and

fourth in the special relay. Jeter, Gero Miley, Connel, W. Massengale, and Ben Miley were the five members of the team. They were accompanied

to the meet by Coaches W. B. Chapman and Leonard Hill.

# Mrs. Smith Huestis Hostess

Mrs. Leonard Surles won high noon to attend the funeral of score and Mrs. Ray Godfrey sechis eldest sister, Mrs. John ond high at the meeting of the Bowyer, who died there Sun- Modernistic Bridge Club Thurs-

of maintenance of the way and Bowyer, was the founder of the Ave. F. Lemonade and cake were A. E. Pistole, superintendent of city of Abilene, and Mrs. Bow- served to Mesdames Joe Black, the Rio Grande division of the T. & P. railroad, were visitors in Cisco Monday on an inspec-Funeral services were held at tion tour of the Texas and Pa- the Episcopal church in Abilene Jeffries, Ted Huestis, Geo. Wild McClelland are members of the will leave Saturday for a weekat 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. and J. L. Thornton.

They are members of a religious sect of Benton Harbor, followers of "King"

A Cisco track team of five Benjamin Purnell, their relig-One of their be-Saturday. They took first place ming of beards or shearing the in the 440 relay, third in the hair, and their appearance thus times, they draw their strength from their hair, is not known, bers. but it is known that they can put up a baseball game that will make the opposing team get very busy to be in the run-

ning, and make the admiring fans sit up and take notice.

The team carries their own electric lighting equipment with them, consisting of large flood To Modernistic Bridge Club lights which thrown on the field shows every movement made by the players.

> It will be a sight well worth watching to see these teams in action at Chesley Park this evening at 8:30.

Mrs. Burl Daniel and Mrs. E. C. McClelland will spend Satur-Cisco High School Band.

following program was very in-

teresting. Paper, "Bits of Past and Present, in Gate Cities of Texas," Mrs. B. E. Morehart. Paper, "San Antonio-Where History Teems," Mrs. H. B. Hackleman. "Galveston and Corpus Christi, Royal Deep Water Ports," Mrs. J. D. Barker. Paper, "Houston, Queen City of the South," was read by Mrs. Joe Wilson in the absence of Mrs. Shertzer.

A dainty salad plate was served by the hostess to the mem-

Mrs. R. Q. Lee will arrive home Saturday night. She will be accompanied by Mrs. W. R. Potter, past president of State Federation, and Mrs. Lindsey of Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. Lindsey is president of the State Federation. These ladies will be guests of the city over Sunday and Monday. Arrangements are being made for their entertainment while here.

Mrs. Oscar Cliett and daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. John Shertzer and daughter, Miss Lillian, spent Wednesday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Shepard end visit to the Plains.

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### WE HAVE BARGAINS TOO!

An Arkansas man has just paid a Temple man principal and intereston a 15c hair cut given him forty years ago, which goes to prove that all accounts are good -when they're paid. We have a few outstanding accounts on people who sit in the seats of the just and pose as honest people, who will probably pay on or be fore forty years. Account of the depression and an urgent need of \$1.75 in cash, we offer a selected list of our accounts at 10c each for the next ten days. - Belton Journal.



That Awful Water Bill --By Oldtimer--

We have the highest water rate, It seems to me, in a l our state, cannot see the reason why The water here should be so high In our big Cisco lake.

'Bout twice a week we wash our clothes, I can't see where the water goes,

We drink a little on the sly, But just enough to get us by, But this doesn't give relief. Whenever it rains I wash my feet,

Sometimes I take a bath complete, Then when my bill I go to pay The lady's almost sure to say, Four eighty-five today."

We often boil a pot of beans, Some spuds or soup or tarnip greens, We'll have to use our water twice To help reduce that awful price,

Or have it all to pay. Just figure, lard at fifteen cents, Will help reduce that great expense, To roast or bake or fry instead,

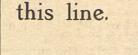
That water bill is such a dread--Four fiftyfive or more. We wash our dishes at the sink,

It doesn't take much I should think. But times may get to such a state That we may have to lick our plate To save that water bill.

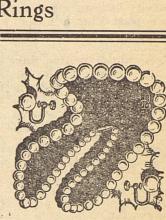
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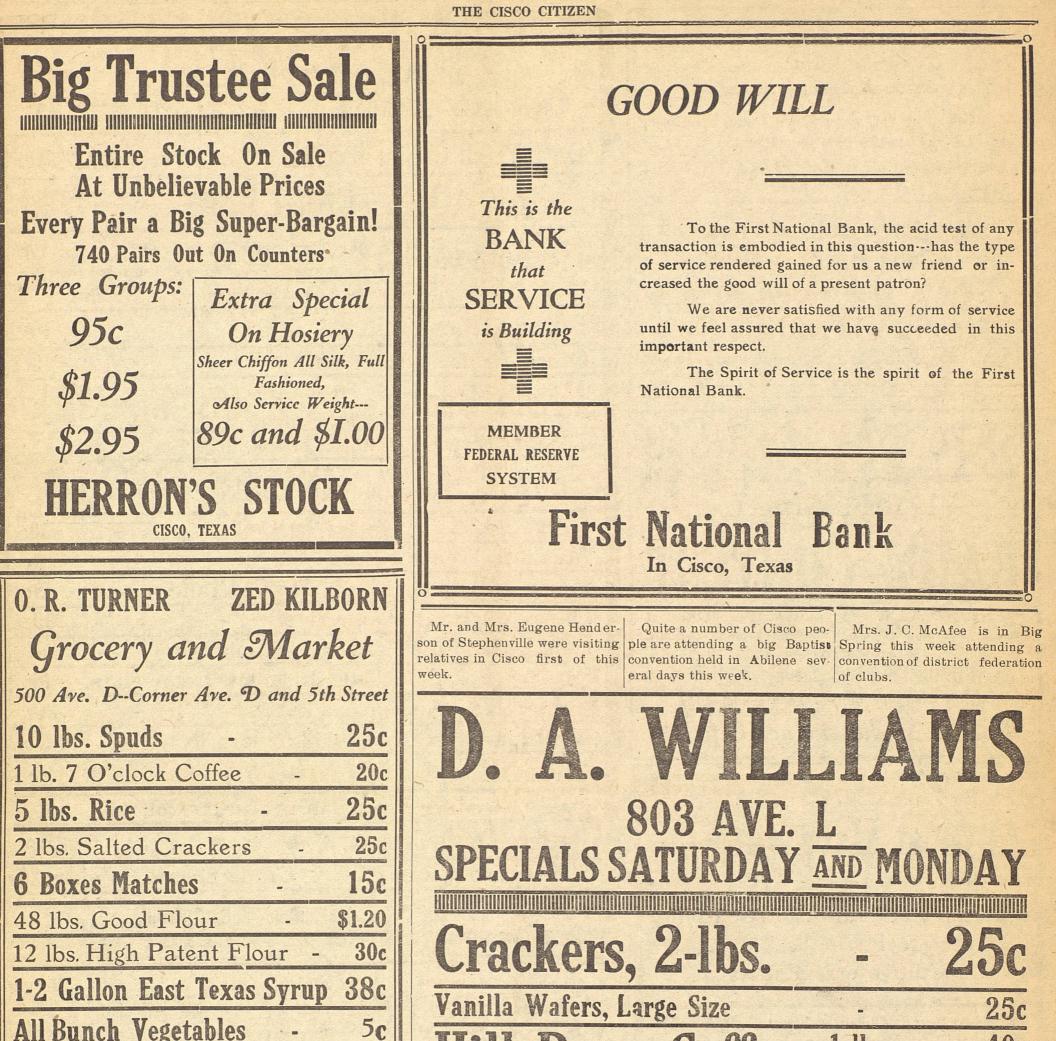
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