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WOULD ARM MERCHANT SHIPS WITHIN WEEK

BENTLEY OF WEST TEXAS C. OF C. MADE A SOUND TALK HERE LAST EVENING

The Cisco chamber of commerce held a very interesting meeting Tuesday night, with eight directors and several visitors present.

The principal talk was by Max Bentley, director of activities of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Mr. Bentley, still young but a veteran newspaper man from the standpoint of experience and ability, spoke interestingly and convincingly of the part the great West Texas organization has had in conserving and advancing the interests of this vast portion of the Lone Star empire.

Equalization and saving in freight rates, legislation protecting pioneer land owners, efforts to put the state government on a strict, carefully audited business basis, with a yearly saving of more than ten million dollars, are a few of the accomplishments and endeavors of the organization as brought out by Mr. Bentley in his brief talk.

Bentley made a decided hit with his listeners and completely re-energized them on the value of his organization, in which Cisco has been an active unit since its organization in 1918. J. Thomas Davis, president of the West Texas chamber, had expected to be present at last night's meeting, but was ill.

The proposed abolishment of the C. & N. E. railroad was discussed. Cisco and other cities on the line have protested against such action, but the T. & P. railroad, of which the C. & N. E. is now a part, presents the argument that the C. & N. E. is a non-earning property and should therefore be dismantled. There will be another meeting of the stockholders and citizens on the night of Oct. 14, at Breckenridge, at which Cisco will be represented by Secretary Warwick and perhaps Mayor G. P. Mitcham and others.

Directors and members present were J. J. Collins, Nick Miller, Henry Drumwright, Jack Elkins, A. D. Anderson, J. D. Lauderdale, Dr. Charles Hale, H. H. Monk, G. P. Mitcham, Dr. G. M. Stephenson, A. L. Osborn, W. H. LaRoque and A. B. O'Flaherty.

CHICKEN FEAST FRIDAY EVE FROM 6 UNTIL 9

The women of the Twelfth-street Methodist church are arranging for a chicken dinner for Friday afternoon and evening of this week—6 until 9 o'clock.

The dinner will be served in the basement of the First Methodist church and the charges will be 40 cents per plate. Proceeds go to the Twelfth-street church. There will be music by the Hittson-Judith orchestra and a cordial invitation is extended to all. Come out, enjoy a good dinner and mingling with friends and acquaintances.

ROGERS BE TRANSFERRED.

J. D. Rogers of Cisco is one of approximately 100 Texans who have been transferred from the recruit detachment at Randolph Field to squadrons scheduled to leave within the next 80 days for the new air corps field at Enid, Okla.

IN DALLAS MARKET.

F. B. Altman and sister, Miss Edith Altman and Mrs. Myrtle Anderson left this morning for Dallas to purchase new merchandise for the Altman Style Shop.

TRIGG & MONTGOMERY RECEIVED \$2,086 FOR 60 HEAD OF CATTLE IN TUESDAY'S LIVESTOCK SALES

There was a slight decline in receipts at the auction sales of the Cisco Livestock Exchange Tuesday. Secretary Claude Booth announces that the sellers received the sum of \$4,299.65.

Again Trigg & Montgomery's entries were the top sales of the day their 60 head of cattle bringing them the neat sum of \$2,086. On the buyers end R. D. Williams of Putnam, paid the top price for 31 steers, which cost him \$1,108.25.

Sellers. Following are those who had livestock entries and the prices paid:

- D. B. Perdue, Cisco, bull calf; \$3.00.
- Mrs. J. M. Wedgworth, Breckenridge, 1 bull; \$72.
- E. N. Strickland, Cisco, 5 calves; \$174.60.
- D. L. Hollis, Scranton, 1 steer; \$26.
- C. O. Miller, Cross Plains, 3 cows; \$52.
- D. W. Wilcox, Cisco, 4 heifers; \$127.
- W. L. Pippen, Dothan, 2 cattle; \$87.50.
- Clyde Curry, 1 bull, 1 heifer; \$116.50.
- J. M. Webb, Eastland, 1 steer; \$29.
- Charles Pence, Cisco, 2 cattle; \$84.50.
- E. E. Harris, 2 steers; \$86.
- George Harrison, Breckenridge, 2 cattle, 2 pigs; \$56.15.
- Kirk Butler, Rising Star, 9 calves; \$180.
- T. L. Cooper, Eastland, 2 steers; \$76.
- Van Tickner, Cisco, 3 cattle; \$95.
- A. C. Peck, Ranger, 4 cattle; \$110.
- Bill Johnson, Rising Star, 1 cow; \$44.
- R. B. Taylor, Putnam, 4 cattle; \$123.50.
- H. T. Brooks, Moran, 4 cattle; \$70.
- John Stewart, Breckenridge, 2 steers; \$57.
- J. P. Stoker, Breckenridge, 3 cattle; \$74.
- J. F. Alsop, Cisco, 1 calf; \$12.50.
- A. Z. Myrick, Cisco, 1 baby calf; \$1.10.
- Billy Bacon, Cisco, 1 cow; \$37.50.
- John Jones, Cisco, 1 cow; \$50.50.
- Joe Coats, Cisco, 8 calves; \$243.50.
- Con Gilmore, Cisco, 2 cattle; \$46.25.
- Trigg & Montgomery, Cisco, 60 cattle; \$2,086.
- D. E. Childers, Breckenridge, 20 goats; \$17.
- W. C. Cravey, Breckenridge, 1 cow, 1 calf; \$53.
- Milton Slaughter, 1 goat; \$1.05.

BUYERS.

- Following were the bidders in the auction ring Tuesday, and the prices paid for livestock:
- Ira Hanna, Eastland, 15 cows, 1 calf; \$517.
- H. R. Short, Gorman, 3 cattle; \$84.75.
- Cisco Lumber & Supply Co., Cisco, 20 goats; \$17.
- Noe Woodbridge, Brownwood, 3 cattle; \$153.50.
- John McKinney, Cisco, 13 cattle; \$446.75.
- W. J. Dudman, Breckenridge, 3 cattle; \$128.50.
- V. A. Montgomery, Cross Plains, 3 cattle; \$70.50.
- Mart Agnew, Cisco, 4 cattle; \$77.
- C. C. Coats, Cisco, 6 calves; \$114.
- A. C. Morris, Moran, 1 calf; \$19.50.
- J. P. Stoker, Breckenridge, 1 steer; \$3.50.
- W. B. Varner, Cross Plains, 3 calves; \$63.
- Charles Nosick, Cisco, 1 goat; \$1.05.
- R. B. Taylor, Putnam, 1 calf; \$19.50.
- C. A. Waters, Moran, 1 steer; \$37.
- Carl Bowers, Rising Star, 2 steers; \$75.
- Bill Johnson, Rising Star, 1 calf; \$1.10.
- B. Humphreys, Eastland, 3 cows; \$97.
- Clovis McCollum, Moran, 8 cattle; \$215.
- Dick Gray, Gorman, 2 cattle, 2 pigs; \$71.40.
- C. L. Claborn, Okra, 2 cattle; \$49.75.
- Bob Kirk, Breckenridge, 1 bull; \$91.
- H. F. Claborn, Okra, 4 cattle; \$90.25.
- W. C. Cravey, Breckenridge, 5 cattle; \$210.50.
- Rudolph Schaefer, Cisco, 1 calf; \$3.
- M. M. Carey, Breckenridge, 5 cattle; \$178.
- J. H. McKinney, Cisco, 1 calf; \$15.
- J. B. Mashburn, Cisco, 5 calves; \$174.60.
- Ed. Huestis, Cisco, 2 heifers; \$75.
- R. D. Williams, Putnam, 31 steers \$1,108.25.
- J. O. Earnest, Eastland, 2 steers; \$57.
- Mart Agnew, Cisco, 1 heifer; \$29.50.

FOUR EASTLAND CO MEN CALLED TO THE COLORS

Four men have been selected for induction by the Eastland county board and will report to that board at the court house in Eastland, at 3 p. m., October 16, when they will be sent to the induction station of the Army at Ft. Bliss, El Paso. They are: Order No. 810—Roy Lee Fenwick, Rt. 1, Rising Star. Order No. 875—William Thomas Chambers, Rising Star. Order No. 900—Willard Burton Balch, Ranger. Order No. 904—Robert Obit Duncan, Rt. 1, Eastland. Order No. 908—James Thomas Ryon, Rt. 3, Gorman.

Patterson Opens Davenport's Court

EASTLAND, Oct. 8.—In the absence of Judge Geo. L. Davenport of the 91st district court, who is holding court at Gilmer, Judge B. W. Patterson Monday formerly opened the October, 1941 term of the 91st district court.

COUNTY P.-T. A. MEET.

The Eastland county council of the Parent-Teacher association will meet Saturday afternoon, Oct. 11, at 2:30 in the Morton Valley school auditorium, says Mrs. Josie K. Nix, president.



SMALL FRY—Two-and-a-half-year-old Mary McBride isn't a bit afraid of those great big, bad lions. That's because they're only one month old, having recently arrived at the Griffith Park Zoo in Los Angeles. She's about to take them for a ride in her express wagon.

LIONS HEAR PASTOR OUSLEY AND ARRANGE FOR SHOW; LION LOONEY GOES TO WICHITA FALLS

A F OF L HALTS U. S. WORK

HOUSTON, Oct. 8.—A strike of the A. F. of L. Teamsters' Union has stopped work on the army's \$8,000,000 San Jacinto ordnance depot on the Houston ship channel.

JAPS SAY END RUSSIAN WAR, WHIP BRITISH

TOKIO, Oct. 8.—Domei, in a special article, Wednesday urged the Axis powers to terminate the war with Russia to conserve German resources in manpower and equipment for an all-out assault on Great Britain.

The news agency warned that if the war with Russia is extended, the Axis powers may be faced with a dearth of materials because, it said, they are a union of "have-nots."

Britain and America, on the other hand, the agency declared, may become stronger because they represent a union of "haves."

Domei, which has close government connections, expressed a fear which has been voiced by other Japanese organs, that Germany will spend her strength in Russia, leaving her ally, Japan, to face alone the hostility of Britain and perhaps the United States.

The agency said the German-Russian war was started to end any possible threat to the German rear, but said this purpose already had been attained because Russia had been crippled by the heavy losses inflicted upon her.

If the war with Russia is concluded the Germans could turn on

Pastor L. H. Ousley of the Church of Christ was introduced by Lion Jack Anderson as speaker at the Lions luncheon today, and Mr. Ousley proved himself intensely human and a good entertainer by prefacing his talk with a number of humorous stories that led up to a very interesting talk along lines of being thankful for our country and its liberties and for other temporal blessings of this earth. Mr. Ousley expressed himself as delighted to be with this group of men and for the privilege of becoming better acquainted with the men of Cisco.

Lion Droel Looney, who has been a hard taskmaster in his capacity of tailwaster—parting the members from their dimes at most every meeting—told the Lions he was leaving Cisco soon and expressed his regret at being forced to leave town. Leslie Seymour, always ready with sparkling wit, arose to say that if it was a matter of room rent he could probably lend Looney the money.

Lion Looney goes with the adult education project as supervisor of several counties, with Wichita Falls as his headquarters. Mr. Looney has been an unusually high ward principal in the Cisco public school system, and his removal will be regretted. He and Mrs. Looney have made many friends.

Football Coach M. O. Murphy was introduced as a Lion cub and will receive his initiation at some future time.

Committees for the Zogi magician show to be sponsored by the Lions at the high school auditorium next Thursday evening, 7:30, completed final plans for ticket selling and advertising. Stickers and window cards are being distributed and posted in various places of business by Lions Paul Culp, J. H. Latson, Jr., and Stanley Webb.

Tickets sales are in charge of Lions R. W. McCauley, C. J. Turner, Bruce Younger, H. R. Garrett and O. L. Stamey. Each Lion is expected to sell ten tickets.

FIRST A. & M. GRADUATE.

DENVER, Oct. 8.—Funeral arrangements were being made Wednesday for Festus Carruthers, 81, member of the first graduating class of Texas A&M College and a pioneer Oklahoma attorney who died Monday after an operation.

Suez and establish sea communications with the Far East, Domei added. Japan then would be able to remove "the evil hand of Britain from the Far East," it said.

RUSSIA IN REAL DANGER

Hitler's all-out offensive broke through the Eastern front in a great encirclement battle against the elite of the Red armies defending Moscow and brought new Russian proposals that Britain strike decisively at the Axis in Western Europe.

The Germans claimed that destruction of the bulk of the Russian Central front armies is now assured.

While Moscow admitted some Panzer forces had broken through, a spokesman said the Germans are meeting with stubborn resistance.

Moscow and Berlin reported desperate hand-to-hand fighting only 130 miles from the Soviet capital, and the Germans said the push into the Donets industrial basin was continuing after "destruction of the Russian defenders."

FOUR SOLDIERS GET FIVE YEARS IN JOINT TRIAL

After deliberating only a few minutes the jury trying the four soldiers from Camp Wolters declared them guilty Tuesday morning and sentenced them to five years each for robbery with firearms.

Their conviction followed pleas of guilty after the state had made a case against the defendants. No witnesses were introduced in their behalf. They were tried jointly, though indicted individually.

The court, in its charge to the jury, stated that they must return a verdict of guilty and could assess the penalty at any term not less than five years in the penitentiary.

It is understood that other charges are pending against the quartet in Palo Pinto county.

GAS KILLS FAMILY.

EL PASO, Oct. 8.—A family of four were found dead from monoxide poisoning in an El Paso home. Police think the victims have been dead for several days.

FORTY-THREE BABIES BORN IN SEPTEMBER TURN IN WAR IS NEAR

The following births were included in the early vital statistics report for September, as filed with the Eastland county clerk:

- Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Williams, Cisco, Sept. 12, a girl—Bonnie Helen.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson, Eastland, Sept. 3, a boy—Darel Jon.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walters, Eastland, Sept. 1, a girl—Gaila Loy.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Turner, Eastland, Sept. 27, a boy—Billie Don.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson, Ranger, Sept. 29, a girl—Linda Joyce.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Eastland, Sept. 9, a boy—Kenneth Wesley.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stevens, Cisco, Sept. 30, a boy—Billie Nelson.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Speegle, Cisco route 4, Sept. 1, a girl—Linda Bernice.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith, Cisco, Sept. 28, a boy—Dalton Ray.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Schaefer, Cisco, Sept. 19, a boy—Harry Paul.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Schaefer, Cisco, Sept. 2, a girl—Gloria Ann.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rodgers, Ranger, Sept. 27, a girl—Christine Euvonne.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Notgrass, Cisco route 2, Sept. 12, a girl—Jane Delores.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Notgrass, Cisco, Sept. 1, a boy—Kent Nolan.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Mendez, Ranger, Sept. 12, a girl—Salia.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Maynard, Putnam, Sept. 15, a girl—Patsy Jean.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ace Lucas, Cisco, Sept. 9, a boy—Jack Garson.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hutchins, Cisco, route 4, Sept. 17, a girl—Hazel Lynette.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Leverage, Cisco, Nimrod route, Sept. 10, a boy—Robert William.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Laird, Cisco, Sept. 22, a girl—Mary Lucile.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones, Cisco, Sept. 8, a girl—Alpha LaVerne.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hickerson, Eastland, Sept. 12, a girl—Lena Jim.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hobert, Ranger, Sept. 5, a boy—Allen Joseph.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hatton, Ranger, Sept. 16, a girl—Edith Rozell.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harris, Cisco, Sept. 9, a girl—Geraldine Ann.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Garland, Bowie, July 10, a boy—Larry Ronald.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fox, Ranger, Sept. 11, a boy—Marshall Henry, Jr.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Estes, Caddo, Sept. 12, a girl—Martha Marie.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ruben En-drade, Ranger, Sept. 9, a girl—Mary Francis.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eakins, Strawn, Sept. 21, a boy—James William.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Deal, Cisco, Sept. 2, a boy—Jerry Roland.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Davis, Cisco, Sept. 28, a girl—Lena Irene.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Burkett, Vernon, Sept. 22, a girl—Brenda Frances.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Brown, Cisco, Sept. 27, a boy—Carlton Wayne.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Brierton, Santo, Sept. 26, a boy—Gem Odell.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bray, Ranger, Sept. 17, a girl—Allin Aloma.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Benson, Cisco, Sept. 15, a girl—Mary Alice.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bargsley, Ranger, Sept. 15, a girl—Cora Ann.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Larry Dean.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.

President Roosevelt tomorrow will ask congress to revise the neutrality law. Effort will be made to have the house pass the first part of revision which would permit arming of U. S. merchant ships by the middle of next week.

The house appropriations committee meantime asked congress to vote an additional unrestricted \$5,895,000 for the lend-lease program.

Committee Chairman Clarence Cannon, in his opening arguments, declared "a turn in the war is imminent."

GREEN BEGAN BUSINESS HERE 22 YEARS AGO

"Times have changed in Cisco since October 8 1919, the date on which I purchased the undertaking business from the J. T. McCarty Furniture company," said A. C. Green, local undertaker, today.

"Times were pretty lively in those days, just following the close of the first world war, when the boys were coming home from across the pond," he continued.

It was pretty hard then to find a house in which to live, much less to do business in, but that does not trouble Green now, since he owns his beautiful brick home at 1000 W. Seventh street and his undertaking business is quite comfortably housed in his own stucco building at 305 on the same street.

The undertaking establishment is very handily arranged, consisting of eight rooms, which include well furnished chapel and reception room, display room, morgue, storage, helpers' room, etc.

Mr. Green purchased the business from J. T. McCarty on October 8, 1919, later taking Charley Gray of the Gray Hardware Co. in as a partner. He bought the interest of Mr. Gray in 1926, since which time the business has been known as A. C. Green Funeral Home.

There are two helpers, D. A. Pelfrey, day man, and Geo. Warfield, night man.

Mr. and Mrs. Green lived in Stamford before coming to Cisco.

Bankston, Ranger, Sept. 14, a girl—Lila Jean.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ayler, Ranger, Sept. 10, a boy—Thurmond Wayne.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Erwin, Rising Star, Aug. 30, a girl—Annie Lou.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McFerrin, Aug. 29, a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Allen, Rising Star, Sept. 27, a boy—Larry Dean.

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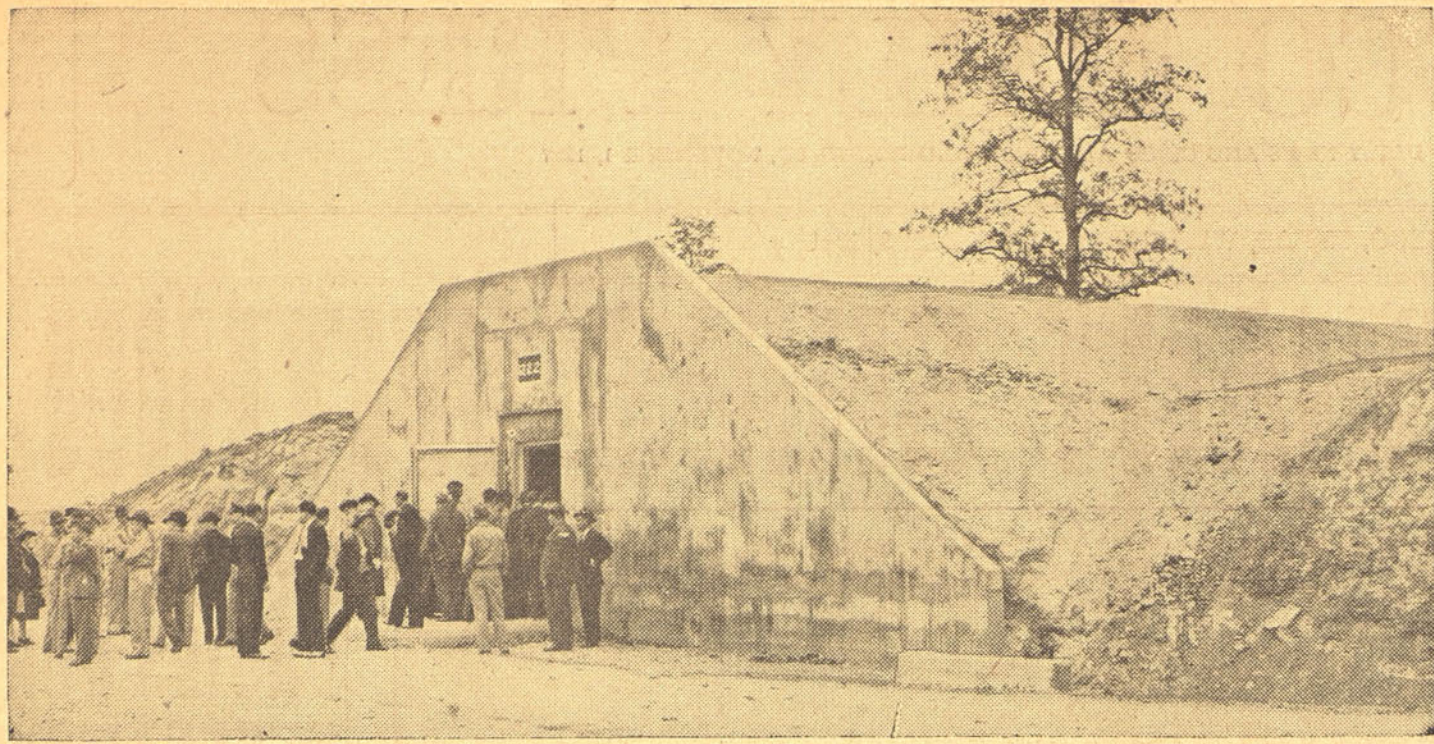
(From Files of Cisco Daily News, December, 1928.)

A shock of the profoundest character was experienced by the people of Cisco Saturday morning with the announcement of the sudden passing of one of this city's most esteemed and most active citizens, D. J. Moss. Mr. Moss died of an attack of acute indigestion at 10:30 at his home at 1300 L avenue, Friday night. Funeral service will be held from the residence this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. B. C. Boney, pastor of the First Presbyterian church here. Burial services, following the funeral at the home, will be in charge of the Masonic fraternity. The body will be carried in procession from the residence to Oakwood cemetery where interment will take place. Known as one of Cisco's most progressive citizens, a man who has always associated himself actively with movements for the good of his city, Mr. Moss will be missed not only from the supervision of the business concerns he so enterprisingly headed, but from the councils of those who with him have labored unceasingly for the upbuilding of Cisco. In business life he was the manager of the Bankhead Feed Mill, which he founded, and the Moss Gin company, owning a series of cotton gins throughout West Texas. Mr. Moss was born in Caddo parish, Louisiana, June 21, 1878. He had been a resident of Cisco for the past seven years. He was married at Decatur, Texas, March 21, 1906, to Miss Pauline Kinney, who with three children, Roberta, Katherine and Jack D. Moss, Jr., survive, together with his father, Dr. J. R. Moss, of Mineral Wells, and a sister, Mrs. E. R. Ratcliffe, of Shreveport, La. Dr. and Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Ratcliffe and daughter, Ruby, F. M. Kinney and Mrs. J. H. Cates, of Decatur, sister and brother of Mrs. Moss, are here to attend the funeral. D. J. Moss was a member of Cisco lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M.; Cisco Commandery No. 47, Knights Templar; Cisco chapter No. 190, Royal Arch Masons, having been demitted to these Masonic fraternities from the Hamlin lodges in July, 1924, where he was past high priest of the Hamlin chapter and past worshipful master of the Blue lodge. He was demitted from Decatur lodge, No. 447, June 16, 1919. He was also a member of the Cisco Elks lodge by demit from the Sweetwater lodge of that order.

The Lutheran church will celebrate Christmas with the usual festive services. The pastor, H. F. Peiman, announces a children's program for Monday night, Dec. 24. At this service there will be a lighted Christmas tree, with distribution of gifts to the Sunday school children and others who participate in the service. For Tuesday morning the pastor announces a Christmas service at which he will preach on "The Virgin Birth." The climax of the festivities will be the sermon on Tuesday night where a sermon will be delivered on "Christ's Coming Into Your Heart."

Rev. Father Collins, of Ranger, pastor of the local Catholic church, conducted the funeral services of the late Van J. Kuntz, who was killed by a Texas & Pacific train Friday night. The services were held in the Cisco Catholic church, where a large crowd was present at 10 o'clock this morning. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery, in this city. After the body had been prepared for burial the remains were conveyed to the home of a son, Adolph Kuntz, at Putnam, and returned here for the services this morning. The pallbearers were selected from oil men and friends in Cisco and Putnam. The services were according to the ritual of the Catholic church.

Dr. Charles Hale enjoyed a delightful visit Friday afternoon from his former professional associate, Dr. N. W. Crain, of Nocona, who was accompanied by his son, Williamson. Drs. Crain and Hale were partners in the practice



IGLOO OF WAR—Because they are practically invisible from the air, igloo-type magazines like one above have been installed by army at new ordnance plant, New River, Va. The magazine, measuring 80 by 24 feet, is undergoing inspection by officials.

of medicine at Breckenridge many years ago, and Dr. Crain took advantage of his visit to Breckenridge where he attended the semi-centennial celebration of the Masonic lodge at that place Friday night, of which he was a former past master. Dr. Crain was also a charter member of the first county medical society ever organized in Stephens county.

One Cisco man is included in the list of those who will receive refunds from the federal government for illegally collected taxes. According to the list made public Friday, R. C. McCarter, Cisco, oil man, will receive a refund of \$4,619. Mrs. C. M. McCarter, of Eastland, also included in the list, will receive a refund of \$4,673.

Rev. Thomas Lenox, pastor of the First Christian church, announces the marriage of E. T. McKelvin, of Moran, and Miss Ethel Fox, of Olden. The ceremony was performed at the Christian church parsonage last Wednesday evening, with Rev. Lenox officiating. The newlyweds left immediately after the ceremony for Moran, which will be their future home.

The ladies of the First Christian church Missionary society met Tuesday afternoon at the church in a Christmas program and party. There were thirty ladies present. Rev. McKissick read the devotional, which was the story of the birth of Christ. The meeting opened with singing "When Love Shines In." After a brief business session, a Christmas exchange was had. Each guest received a gift from some other member of the society. "Silent Night" was sung by Mmes. Love, J. B. Cate, C. B. Powell and Miss Rita Troxell. Mrs. R. A. Highsmith told a Christmas story which was enjoyed by all present. Each of the four circles had planned a part on the Christmas program.

Cisco's Big Dam Lobes remained true to their title of "Fighting Lobes" Saturday afternoon and upheld the prestige of

oil belt high school football on a foreign field by defeating the tout-ed Central high school Panthers of Ft. Worth 25 to 13 at Ft. Worth. The Panthers, declared one of the best passing aggregations in the state, failed to get very far with their aerial attack against the Lobes. The first half ended with Cisco holding the long end of a 12-to-0 count. In the last half honors were even, both scoring a couple of touchdowns.

At a called meeting of the Cisco board of health held Saturday night, with the full membership of the board and the city health officer present, it was deemed advisable to postpone opening of the Cisco public schools another week. Those present and recommending this action to the school board were Dr. F. E. Clark, president; Dr. E. L. Graham, Dr. Ball, members, and Dr. John H. Brice, city health physician. President F. D. Wright, of the school board, was seen after the meeting Saturday night, and stated that the school board acquiesced in the action of the board of health and authorized the Daily News to announce that the Cisco public schools will not open until Jan. 7. It was planned for the schools to reopen tomorrow. No action was taken in regard to Randolph college by the board of health. A statement printed in the second section of the Daily News today stated that the public school would be opened tomorrow. The action of the board was taken after the article had been printed.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy complimented the Confederate veterans of Cisco Saturday noon with their annual Christmas dinner party. Though their ranks are thinning out, the veterans were all glad to get together, and celebrate one more Christmas, recollect long-forgotten memories and experiences that mean so much to these men who wore the gray. W. E. Manell and M. V. Palmer answered roll call as the oldest, both being over 90. Next in order came J. C. Harris,

86; J. C. Swift, 83; A. Thompson, 82; W. F. Elkins, almost 82; while the rest were mere boys, comparatively. At 12:30 Mrs. D. E. Walters, president of the U. D. C., called the guests into the dining room in the basement of the First Baptist church, and Rev. J. W. Thomas asked the blessing, with a heartfelt petition that found an echo in the hearts of all. The menu consisted of baked turkey, dressing, gravy, cranberry jelly, hot creamed peas, celery, potato salad, pie with whipped cream, hot coffee, milk, and fruit. At the close of the meal, Mrs. John Sherman favored the guests with piano selections, including Dixie, and others that the veterans know and love. Rev. B. C. Boney sang "I'm Praying for You" and "Sweet Peace, the Gift of God's Love." The veterans gathered together for a social hour, while the hostesses distributed Christmas gifts to the guests of honor. Those present were Messrs. C. M. Marchman, W. P. Pulley, J. W. Thomas, W. E. Manell, W. F. Elkins, T. Thompson, J. C. Swift, J. C. Harris, M. V. Palmer, A. A. Williams, B. C. Boney, and Mmes. J. W. Thomas, Augusta Mason, J. L. Shepherd, Minnie Williams, W. F. Watson, Fannie J. Pulley, P. P. Shepard, R. T. Porter, D. E. Waters, John Sherman, B. C. Boney, Miss Ruby Ray Swift.

A large number of farmers gathered Saturday afternoon at the Cisco chamber of commerce in

response to the call of W. B. Starr for the purpose of pooling orders for state certified seed potatoes and commercial fertilizers. Forty-two present joined the pool and 251 sacks of seed potatoes were ordered, plus 14 sacks of eating potatoes. The prices this season are somewhat lower than those prevailing heretofore, it was said. No action was taken on ordering commercial fertilizers as the committee had received no price quotations. The matter of ordering fertilizers will be taken up at a future date. Those attending the meeting Saturday and placing their orders for state certified seed potatoes, together with the number of sacks for each, are as follows: W. B. Starr, 19; C. A. Weiser, 4; J. E. Stansel, 1; Herman Reich, 2; O. P. Weiser, 3; W. B. Varner, 2; Walter Ray, 1; Piggly Wiggly, 30; T. S. Parker, 25; Agnew and son, 46; T. J. Morris, 51; L. T. Wilson, 15; Dan Winge, 3; Gus Wende, 2; Paul Wende, 1; A. J. Majors, 2; Mrs. Wm. Stroebel, 4; Charles Wende, 1; Herman Stephan, 1; A. Z. Myrick, 2; J. H. Blanken, 5; W. J. Poe, 2; T. J. Hale, 5; L. H. Warner, 1; J. T. Graves, 1; J. R. Bacon, 1; Carl Winge, 6; E. K. Winge, 2; J. L. Smith, 1; W. A. Hale, 1; K. Word, 1; Henry Stroebel, 7; T. B. Garrett, 3; J. C. Thurman, 1; W. J. Holt, 1; E. J. Wende, 1; Frank Penn, 2; W. E. Harris, 2; F. J. Ziehr, 1; O. G. Reich, 2; A. Reich, 2; E. J. Reich, 1.

EASTLAND

It is said that all things come to an end. Well, we are just wondering about the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reeves of Cisco were among those shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wisdom and son, E. J., Jr., of De Leon were guests of Mrs. Wisdom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Poe of Cisco was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cozart of Okra were business visitors here Thursday.

Miss Edna Overton of Gorman was the guest of friends here over the week-end.

Robt. Campbell of Carbon spent the week-end here with his sister, Mrs. Clyde Pool and family.

Hubert Sullivan and T. L. Lasater, Jr., who are employed at Rotan, were brief visitors in the city Friday.

R. L. Harper of De Leon was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Beech Cameron of Rising Star was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. Garner Kinard and daughter, Ann Nell, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reeves in Cisco.

T. L. Lasater and son Bruce were in Cisco Sunday.



WOULD BOMB JAPS—"Perhaps I'm not speaking as a bishop should, but I'd like to see a few American bombers bomb the Japanese," said the Rt. Rev. Ronald Hall, Anglican Bishop of Hong Kong, on arrival in Los Angeles.

Back to Work We Go



THIS is the time of year when radio studios get their annual face-lifting. Summer substitute shows move unobtrusively out, making way for the big parade of returning stars. Headline news on the radio front is the return of George Burns and Gracie Allen (1) with their new madcap series Tuesdays on NBC. After a summer at Lake Placid, Kate Smith (2) locks up her summer home there preparatory to resuming her Friday night Variety Hour on CBS. Ready to forsake the holiday comforts of his Hollywood home for the rigors of radio, Jack Benny (3) pictured here with Mary Livingstone, slips back into his Sunday night spot. If you were to go up to Helen Hayes' in her country home today, you probably wouldn't be apt to find her in her garden as pictured (4). The actress is back in Manhattan readying her big new dramatic series for CBS Sunday nights. Another CBS Sunday dramatic feature is the famous "Screen Guild Theater" (5). Emcee Roger Pryor, Carole Lombard, producer Harry Ackerman and Fred MacMurray go into a huddle over plans for the Screen Guild Theater which has started again Sundays over CBS. Eddie Cantor (6) cut his vacation short to return to his Wednesday night NBC niche and make ready for his return to the Broadway stage. He is shown here with two assistant jokesmiths.

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. Why is the Defense Savings Program truly national in scope?

A. Because it was devised to make possible participation by every individual—whether he buys one 10-cent Savings Stamp or a \$10,000 Bond. Also it provides for enlistment in the Program of every business enterprise and every kind of organization, great and small, all combined in a mass patriotic movement to save for National Defense.

Q. How can an individual consumer help to prevent a rise in prices leading to an increased cost of living?

A. He should avoid buying goods that are scarce, and manufactured in competition with products needed for defense, buying instead things that are plentiful. Also he should purchase Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps on a regular, systematic, and continuing basis.

NOTE — To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office, bank, or savings and loan association; or write to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. Also Stamps are now on sale at most retail stores.

STORIES IN STAMPS



Michail Eminescu Saw Rumania Gain Freedom

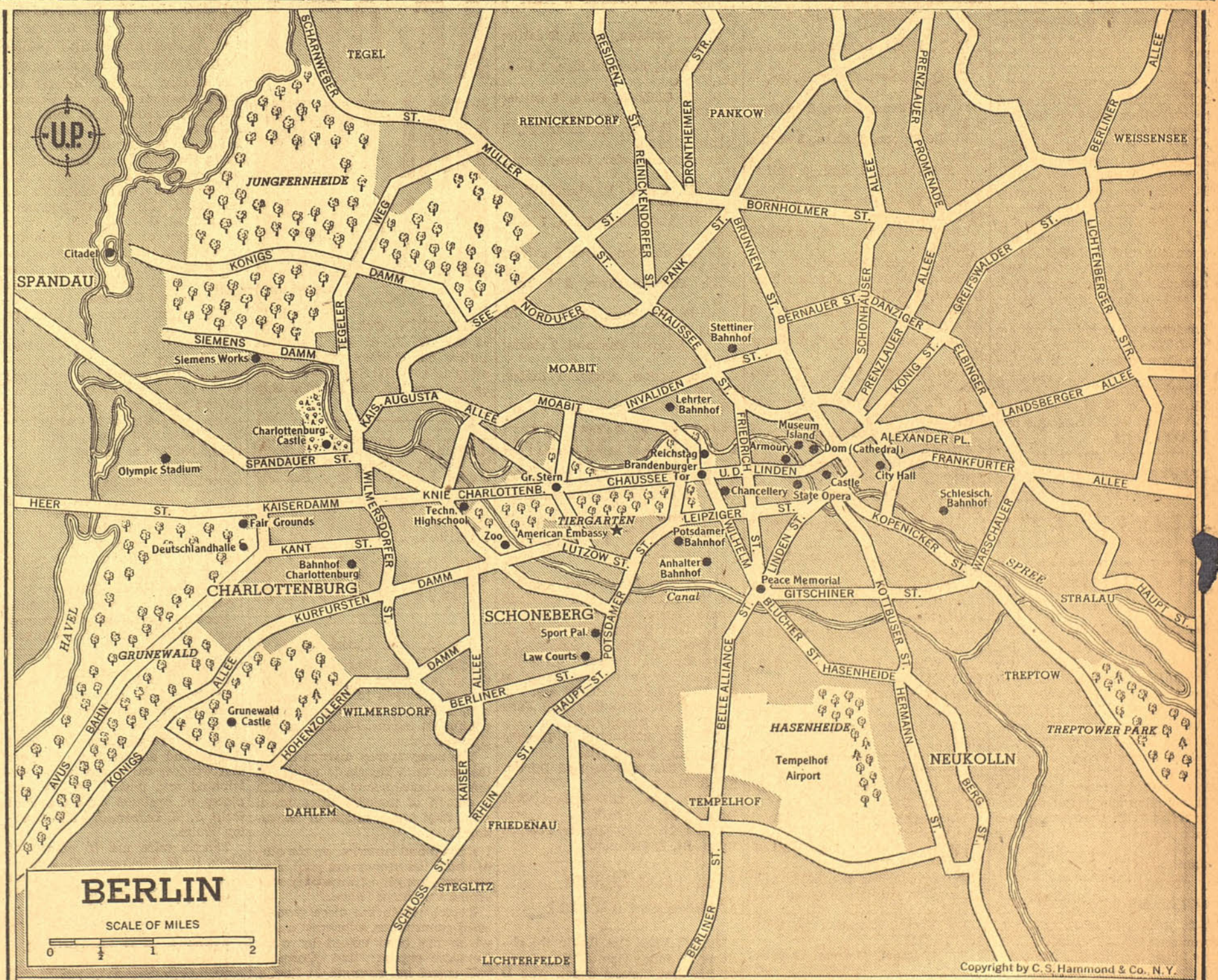
MICHAEL EMINESCU, noted Rumanian poet, saw his country finally win freedom from Turkish domination in 1878. In 1899, as Rumania lived its last days of independence before falling into the Nazi orbit, Eminescu was recognized philatelically by his government.

Thus a man who witnessed the dawn of Rumanian freedom was honored just before its sun set once again.

Two stamps were issued in 1939 commemorating the 50th anniversary of his death in 1889. He was born in 1849 in Moldavia. He was of Turco-Tatar origin, studied at Czernowitz, joined a roving theatrical company as actor, prompter and stage manager.

In 1870, his first great poetical talents were shown in two works, "Venera si Madona" and "Epigoni" which he contributed to the organ of the Junimist party.

He studied in Vienna, Jena and Berlin. In 1874 he was appointed school inspector and librarian at the University of Jassy. Eminescu was a mystic, addicted to spells of melancholia. Sadness and coming doom tinged his works. He was especially critical of the conventionality of 19th century Rumania.



This United Press map of Berlin shows the city's famous avenues, parks and governmental buildings well known to American newspaper readers. Some of these indicated are Unter den Linden, Wilhelmstrasse; Tiergarten, Jungfernheide; the Chancellery and the Reichstag.

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The conversation had turned to the subject of fraternal organizations. This went on until one of the ladies who hadn't been especially interested, became bored with the whole thing. Suppressing a yawn, she remarked: Well, I don't know anything about the masons, but I do think their fruit jars are very nice.

Typhoid killed 36 annually out of each 100,000 forty years ago, according to Census records. This has now been reduced to two.

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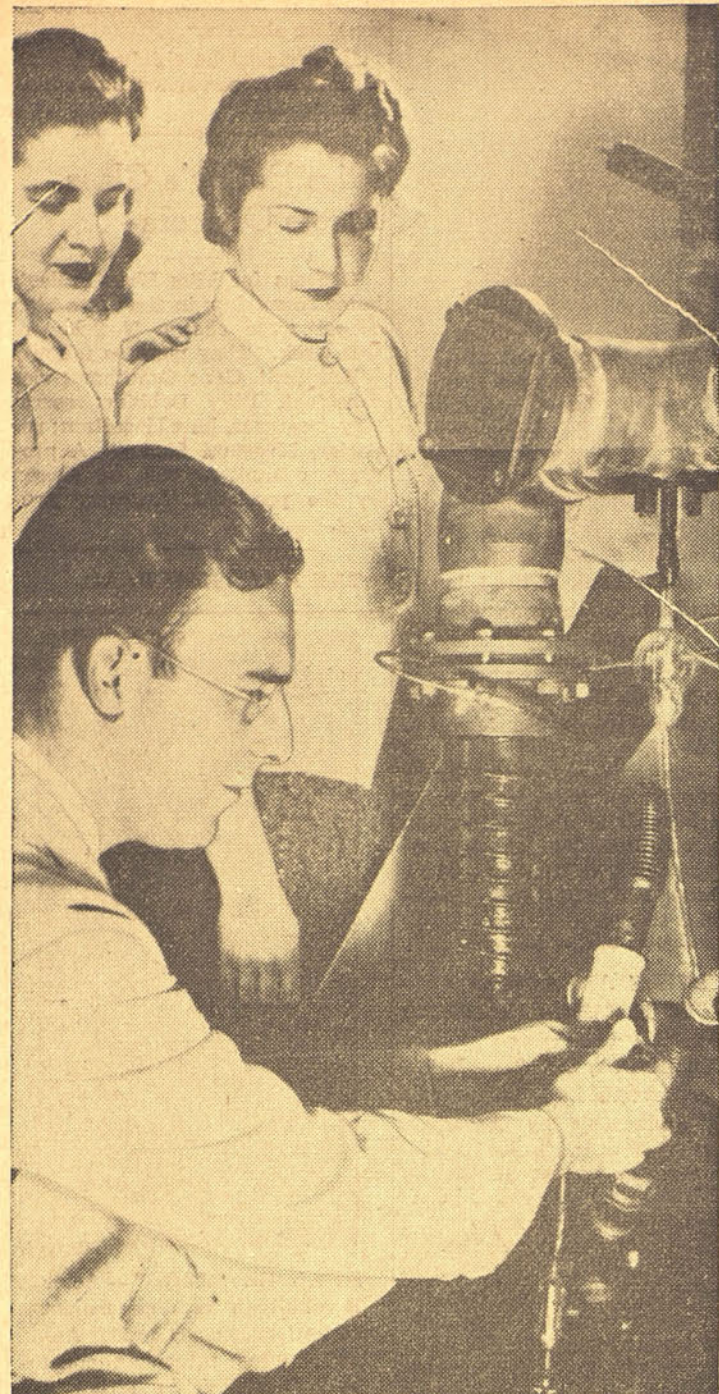
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SMALLEST ATOM SMASHER—Dr. W. R. Kanne, research physicist and assistant professor of physics of Illinois Tech, Chicago, inventor of this "smallest" atom smasher, explains its workings to two of Tech's co-eds. He's supervising its construction.

MISS MATTHEWS HONORED WITH SHOWER PARTY

Friday night, Oct. 3, 1941, Mrs. H. D. Blair, Mrs. W. E. Higginbotham and Mrs. J. H. Kendrick entertained in the home of Mrs. Blair with a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Della Matthews, bride-elect of Wilford Fox of Colorado City, Texas.
Guests were received by the hostesses and Miss Matthews. Upon entering, each guest registered in the bride's book, presided over by Mrs. James Matthews. They then went to the beautifully decorated dining room, where they were served punch from the lace-laid dining table, centered with an enormous punch bowl surrounded by fern and flowers, with Mmes. Forrest Miller and Herbert Lewis pouring.

An interesting program was given by the hostesses. At the conclusion, many useful gifts were presented to the bride-elect in a wagon attractively decorated in red, white and blue, and drawn by Ivy Jane and James Wesley Matthews, niece and nephew of the bride-elect.
Approximately 75 guests attended.

Those present were Mesdames J. T. Berry, J. R. Burnett, A. B. Cooper, Jay Warren, Davis Fields, Miss LeClaire Harrison, Mrs. O. G. Lawson and Mrs. Harrison.

Lesson In English
By W. L. GORDON

Words Often Misused: Do not say, "I think your home is awful (or awfully) nice." That is awful which inspires awe. Say, "I think your home is very nice or very beautiful, very attractive."
Often Mispronounced: Preventive. Pronounce as spelled, never pre-vent-a-tiv.
Often Misspelled: Icicle; cicle. Bicycle; cycle.
Synonyms: Apparent, visible, evident, manifest, obvious, perceptible.
Word Study: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: SERENITY; tranquility; composure. "The day is always his who works in it with serenity and great aims."—Emerson.

The importance of a proper diet in tuberculosis has been emphasized by every medical writer of prominence since the days of Hippocrates.—Orville D. Wescott, M. D.



"DEAR MOM . . ."—A young Soviet lieutenant snatches a few moments from duty at his machine gun post on the eastern front to drop a line to the folks at home. Automatic rifle is beside him. His map case serves as writing desk.

SOCIETY and CLUBS

By MRS. KATE RICHARDSON

THE NOTEBOOK

Wednesday.
The Cisco Study club will sponsor a morning coffee at 9:30 in the home of Mrs. Alex Spears, 400 G avenue.

Grammar school P.-T. A. meets at the Grammar school building at 3:30 p. m.

Thursday.
The N & T club will meet with Mrs. C. C. Webb, 408 Front street, at 3 o'clock.

The Friendly Twelve Sewing club will meet in the home of Mrs. C. K. Padgett at 3 p. m.

Cecilian Singers will meet in the First Methodist church at 7:30 for rehearsal.

Friday.
The Twentieth Century club will meet in the Library club rooms at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. L. A. Harrison Is Circle Hostess

Mrs. L. A. Harrison was hostess Tuesday afternoon when circle five of the First Baptist Missionary society met for election of officers. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. A. B. Cooper and the devotional was given by Mrs. J. R. Burnett.

Officers elected were chairman, Mrs. Davis Fields; vice chairman, Mrs. L. A. Harrison; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. Warren; mission program chairman, Mrs. A. B. Cooper; teacher, Mrs. J. R. Burnett; reporter, Mrs. O. G. Lawson.

Mrs. J. R. Burnett gave an interesting Bible talk from the Book of Jeremiah. The hostess served refreshments during the social hour. She was assisted by her daughter, Miss LeClaire Harrison.

Those present were Mesdames J. T. Berry, J. R. Burnett, A. B. Cooper, Jay Warren, Davis Fields, Miss LeClaire Harrison, Mrs. O. G. Lawson and Mrs. Harrison.

Mrs. Cogswell Entertains "Friendly 12"

Mrs. Cleon Cogswell entertained the Friendly Twelve Sewing club in her home Monday for a luncheon which was held at 1 o'clock. Golden cosmos and marigolds carried out a hallowe'en motif which was repeated in the comic plate favors.

After the delicious luncheon, the president, Mrs. Paul Culp, took charge and a birthday gift was presented Mrs. Cogswell. Pal gifts were also exchanged. The meeting then adjourned to pay a visit to a sick member, Mrs. M. C. Stivers.

Enjoying the luncheon and meeting were Mrs. Paul Culp, Mrs. Jack Norman, Mrs. B. B. Hurst, Mrs. A. G. Gary, Mrs. A. V. Osburn, Mrs. C. K. Padgett, Mrs. Fred Scott, Mrs. L. G. Ball and Mrs. Cogswell.

NOTICE

CISCO & NORTHEASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice that on the 15th day of September, 1941, it filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity permitting abandonment of its line of railroad extending from Cisco northerly to Throckmorton, a distance of approximately 65.5 miles, all in Eastland, Stephens, and Throckmorton Counties, Texas.

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Christian Council Meets in Church

The First Christian council met in the church in a general meeting Tuesday afternoon. A hymn, "The Lily of the Valley," opened the meeting, and was followed by prayer. Mrs. Jack Elkins, council president, was in charge of the business session and reports were heard from the various group chairmen. Other routine matters were transacted.

Group three sponsored the missionary lesson which followed the splendid devotion by Mrs. James Latimer on "Democracy as Equality."

The meeting closed by repeating the missionary benediction.

Mrs. C. N. Clifton Is Hostess to Circle

Circle Four of the First Baptist Missionary society met in the home of Mrs. C. N. Clifton Tuesday afternoon for organization work. The president, Mrs. M. F. Underwood, took charge of the meeting which was opened with prayer.

The following officers were chosen to serve: Chairman, Mrs. W. D. Hazel; vice chairman, Mrs. E. C. McClelland; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. F. Walker; mission study chairman, Mrs. Vergil Rauch; assistant chairman, Mrs.

C. N. Clifton; reporter, Mrs. L. A. White.

It was voted to take a membership in the 100,000 club; the sum of \$2.50 was ordered paid to state missions.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion to three visitors: Mrs. Judson Prince, Mrs. W. W. Lamarr and Mrs. M. F. Underwood, and Mesdames W. D. Hazel, W. F. Walker, E. C. McClelland, L. A. White, W. G. Jefferson, A. V. Osburn, Fred Grist and Mrs. Clifton.

Baptist Circle Two With Mrs. O. L. Mason

First Baptist Missionary society circle two met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. O. L. Mason in the first meeting of the fiscal year. The business meeting was presided over by the hostess, after which Mrs. G. B. Langston brought an interesting devotional.

During the business period officers for the incoming year were chosen, as follows: Chairman, Mrs. W. V. Gardenhire; vice chairman, Mrs. R. D. Jones; secretary treasurer, Mrs. S. B. Parks; teacher, Mrs. O. L. Mason; reporter, Mrs. G. B. Langston.

At the close of the meeting a refreshment plate was passed to Mrs. W. C. Shelton, Mrs. W. H. LaRoque, Mrs. Don McEachern,

Mrs. A. D. Estes, Mrs. R. D. Jones, Mrs. G. B. Langston and Mrs. Mason.

GOODFELLOW CLASS.
The officers and teachers of the Goodfellow class of the First Methodist church will entertain the class with a chili and pie supper Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

in the Goodfellow class room. All members and friends of the class are cordially invited. Fun follows the feed.

Columbus really saw America Oct. 11, 1942, but did not land to plant a cross on Watling's Island in the Bahama Isles until the next day.

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BRIEFLY TOLD

Mrs. Wilson Davis has returned from a visit with relatives in Galveston.

Mrs. H. C. Nix of Olden and daughter, Miss Betty Gray Nix, teacher in the Anson schools, were guests of Mrs. Nix's sister, Miss Joe Gray, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McMahan of Brady are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Benedict. Mrs. Benedict is Mr. McMahan's sister.

Mrs. Earl Bruce has returned to her home in Weatherford after a visit with her friend, Mrs. Leon McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Brunkenhoefer have returned from a trip to Carlsbad Cavern.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pond of Dallas were recent visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark.

Miss Lillian Gray has returned to her duties as postal employee in Mexia after a pleasant visit with her sister, Miss Joe Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gutierrez, of Portland, Ore., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Haynie, have decided to remain in Texas and Mr. Gutierrez has accepted a position in Dallas.

Mrs. Randolph Lee Clark is in receipt of news that her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Deaton of Wichita Falls is in Detroit, Mich., where she appeared on the National Red Cross convention program this week.

Tom Bacon, former Ciscoan, now on Abilene, was visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Max Bentley of Abilene spent a few hours here yesterday in the home of her friend, Mrs. B. S. Huey.

Mrs. J. P. McCanlies, district manager of Woodmen Circle, and Mrs. R. M. Bates left Tuesday for

Amarillo, where they are attending a district meeting of Woodmen Circle organization today.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lee of Desdemona were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lawson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Malone and daughter, Clara Louise, left Tuesday for their home in Wesson, W. Va., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lawson and with relatives in Desdemona.

O. E. S. Chapter Presents Gift To Bride Elect

O. E. S. chapter No. 461 met in Masonic hall Tuesday evening in regular session, with the worthy matron, Mrs. W. F. Watson, presiding. All officers were filled and two out-of-town visitors were present. Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal presented a gift to a member, Miss Nadeene Huestis, bride-elect of C. Blake Stephens, on behalf of the chapter.

Plans were made for a program which will be given Oct. 21, loyalty night, at which it is hoped all members will be present.

The session closed in regular form. Twenty-five members were in attendance.

Presbyterian Circle With Mrs. G. L. Smith

Presbyterian auxiliary, circle three, held the weekly meeting in the manse Tuesday afternoon, with Mrs. Gary L. Smith as hostess. Mrs. Joe Clements opened the meeting with prayer, after which Mrs. Elizabeth McCracken presided during the business session. Mrs. A. R. Purifoy was elected vice chairman in place of Mrs. F. D. Pierce, who resigned because of ill health.

An interesting Bible lesson on "Peter's Call to Leadership" was given by Mrs. S. E. Hittson. The meeting was closed by repeating the auxiliary benediction in unison.

Refreshments were served to Meses. A. R. Purifoy, Joe Clements, John Garrett, H. C. Henderson, S. E. Hittson, John Jones, Jr., W. L. Jones, Elizabeth McCracken, W. R. Simmons, J. E. Walter, Lily Baugh, Dan Dillingham, and the hostess, Mrs. Smith.

TROOPS SHOOT TARGET TANKS ON ODD RANGE

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 8.—American anti-tank gunners are sharpening their marksmanship.

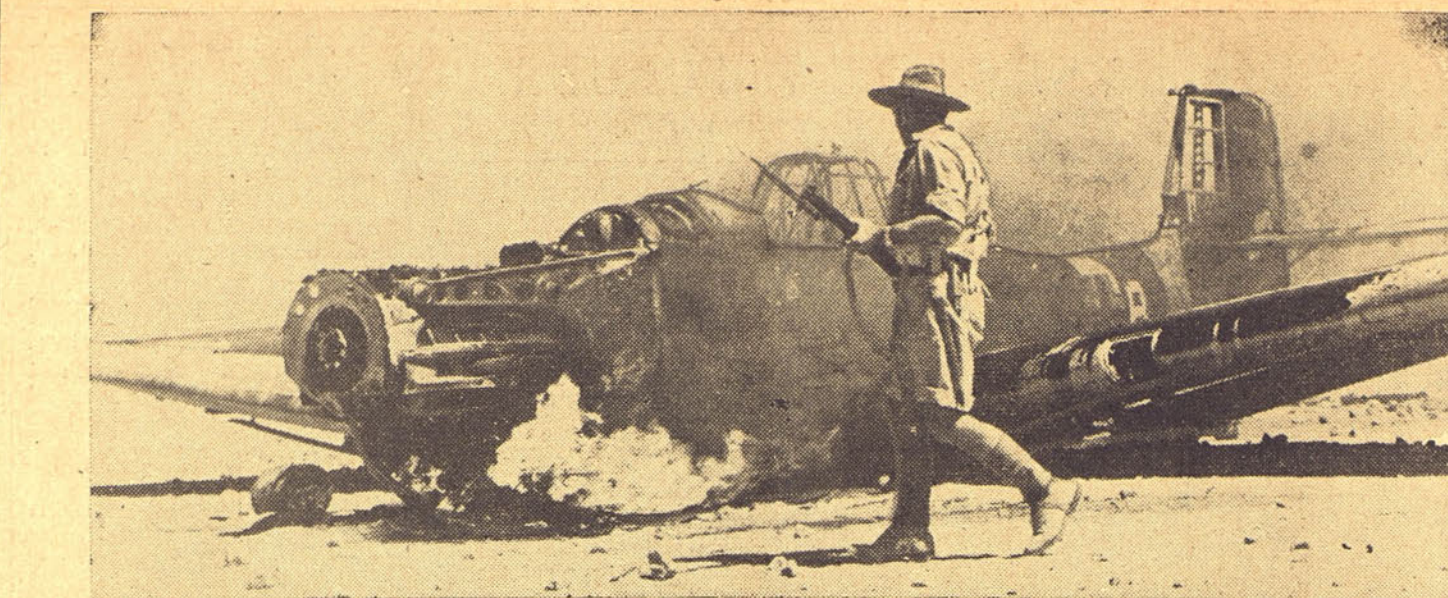
In a far-removed valley in northern New York where the armies of three nations have struggled for control of the western world, soldiers are acquiring skill on the new tank combat range at the Macomb military reservation. The federal government cleared 65 acres of ground with WPA labor to construct the device which enables simulated attacks on fast moving tanks.

The range embodies approximately 3,800 feet of narrow gauge railroad track on which the simulated tanks travel only by gravity. The target, in the shape of a tank, is mounted on small railroad flat cars.

Range Nearly a Mile. The anti-tank gun is nearly a mile away. Rolling downhill, the flat car winds in and out among the hills, at times accumulating speed up to 55 miles an hour.

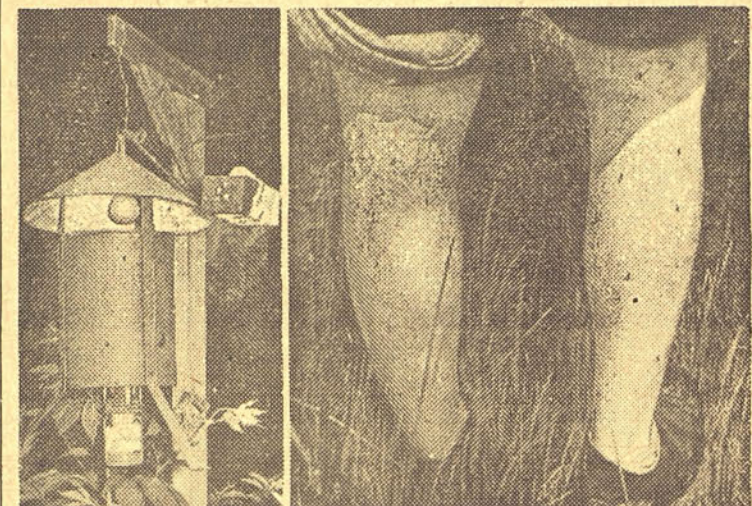
The gunners get not more than six glimpses of the target as it coasts down the track. Three of these shooting chances give a broadside view of the "tank." Flashing over the course the target has the practical appearance of an attacking tank.

The "tank" itself consists of a rough lumber structure, covered with scrap tin, mounted on a flat car. As the car is released from a bomb-proof shelter it takes a



ON AFRICAN FRONT—Flames devour a German bomber, brought down by the anti-aircraft defenses of besieged Tobruk in the Libyan desert. British defenders have taken a huge toll in Nazi men, machines and other equipment on the African front, one of three on which, Winston Churchill warned, Hitler may soon start a new drive.

Way Mosquito 'Tracks' Victims Aids Science in War on Pests



Investigator standing in bog tests insect repellent developed at Rutgers University. Mosquitoes bite right leg but avoid left one, which has been treated with repellent. (Left) Rutgers mosquito trap equipped with light, fan, and dry ice.

ONE of the fascinating aspects of "pure science"—the finding of facts which seem in themselves to be of no practical value—is the way such facts have of suddenly becoming useful, as witness the experience of a research group at Rutgers University.

A member of the New Jersey institution's faculty, Dr. Willem Rudolfs, was working on the problem of what guides a mosquito to its victim. Was it the insect's sense of smell, hearing, sight, sensitivity to warmth, or some more mysterious faculty that helped it locate its prey?

Searching for a clue, Dr. Rudolfs took glass test tubes, putting mosquitoes and various chemicals into the tubes and noting the insects' reactions. Usually the mosquitoes indicated indifference, or dislike. Rarely did they seem favorably inclined toward any of the substances tested.

One day Dr. Rudolfs breathed into one of the test tubes. Instantly the mosquitoes flew toward that end of the tube. They hummed and hovered. In every way they exhibited the liveliest interest. And there, it developed, Dr. Rudolfs had his answer. What attracts a mosquito is the breath which humans and animals exhale—part of it carbon dioxide gas.

Some time later Dr. Rudolfs and his associates embarked on a

new project, this time a very practical one. On an assignment from the National Carbon Co., the research group set out to develop a hundred-per-cent-effective insect repellent. Aided by their knowledge of substances that mosquitoes dislike, the group succeeded. The result of their labors was a repellent that gives human beings better protection against biting pests than ever before—a lotion easy to use, having no undesirable effect on the skin, and yet keeping winged enemies at a distance.

Dr. Rudolfs' original discovery about breath, carbon dioxide gas, and mosquitoes has now become useful in another way. Under the direction of Dr. Thomas J. Headlee, internationally known for his work in the field of mosquito extermination and control, the Rutgers group developed a mechanism for trapping mosquitoes to determine their density and the number of species in a given area. Formerly only a light was used to attract the insects to the traps, with a small electric fan to draw them inside. When a large sample of the pests was needed, it was necessary to build a large trap.

Now, with the additional use of a piece of "dry ice," which gives off carbon dioxide gas, thousands of the insects can be caught in a short time. Dr. Rudolfs' curiosity about how a mosquito finds his prey is still paying dividends.

down-grade course through a grassy valley.

The range boasts a particularly historic background. Named for General Macomb, commander of the northern forces in the War of 1812, the ground has been fought over by armies of the United States, Great Britain and France. Not far away Samuel de Champlain, with a party of invading Huron Indians, fired the first firearm on American soil.

Studied as Model. The range is one of the few devices used by the army. Military experts are understood to be studying its capabilities in other training areas in view of the tank menace learned from the war in Europe.

Soldiers trained at this range will be used as instructors at other ranges. Actual target practice entails the use of .37 and .75 caliber guns, with the "tank" traveling the entire distance of the range, from a dead start, in less than two minutes.

A group of army officials who inspected the range voiced the opinion that its unique design should acquaint anti-tank gun crews with the proper method of stopping tanks in battle. The theory of training, it was

explained, is based on reports of actual combat observed by United States military observers abroad.

Talkative Lady: A big man like you might be better occupied than in cruelly catching little fish. Fisherman: Perhaps you're right, lady. But if this fish had kept his mouth shut he wouldn't be here.

CATTLE STEADY

FT. WORTH, Oct. 8. — The Fort Worth market on cattle and calves was generally steady Wednesday. Hogs were steady to 15c lower at a top of \$10.85. All classes of sheep and lambs ruled steady.

Good to choice fed steers and yearlings ranged from \$10.00 to \$11.75. This range included load lots of fed heifers at \$11.35 and \$11.75, one load of choice 997-pound steers at \$11.50, and one load of fed steers at \$10.75. Common to medium steers and yearlings ranged from \$6.50 to \$9.50.

Fat cows brought \$7 to \$7.75 with one load at \$7.25. Butcher cows brought \$6.25 to \$7 with two loads at \$6.25. Cutter cows ranged from \$5.25 to \$6.25 with one load at \$5.25; and canners brought \$3.75 to \$5. Bull prices ranged from \$6 to \$7.75.

Good fat calves sold at \$9 to \$10 with a few choice calves higher. Plain and medium butcher calves cashed at \$7 to \$9. Cull calves sold at \$6 to \$6.75.

Good to choice stocker steer calves ranged from \$9.50 to \$12 with good heifers calves at mostly \$11 down. Common to medium stocker calves brought \$6.50 to \$9. Stocker steers and yearlings ranged from \$6.50 to \$10. Stocker cows went back to the range at \$5 to \$8.50.

Hogs were steady to 15c below Tuesday's levels with the Wednesday top \$10.85. Good and choice 180 to 280-pound butchers sold at \$10.75 to \$10.85 and good 150 to 175-pound averages brought \$10.15 to \$10.70. Packing sows were steady to 25c lower, mostly

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"driven throughout this area to recruit strike breakers and to intimidate strikers."

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Miss Pulley's Class Elects Officers

Officers for Miss Elsie Pulley's home room class in the Cisco high school were chosen Tuesday of this week. They were as follows: President, Gene Grantham; vice president, Billy Dobbins; secretary-treasurer, Mae Harrelson; reporter, Margaret Hailey. A program committee will be chosen by the president Thursday evening.

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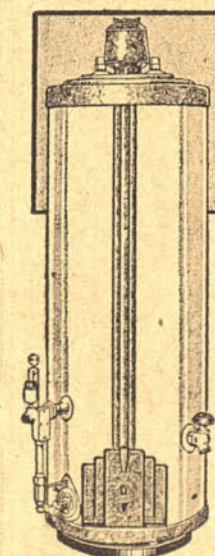


HE'LL BE "GOOD"—Actor Errol Flynn acts nonchalant as he leaves court in Los Angeles after promising court he'd "never again strike a movie columnist," on which charge he'd just been hauled into the tribunal.

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HIGH RIVER, Alberta, Oct. 8.—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor were to bid goodby Wednesday to the duke's EP ranch, where they have been vacationing, and head back to the United States.

The teacher had asked the class to name all the states. One small urchin responded so quickly and accurately that she commended him for it.

You did very well, she said, much better than I could have done at your age.

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