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We Buried A Cisco Pioneer Sunday As J. H. Stamps Passed

Another Cisco pioneer passed to his final reward last Sunday when the messenger of death knocked at the home of John Henry Stamps and summoned his soul for that journey to that unexplored land from whence no traveler returns. We mourn his passing, but realize that we have put away only that which was mortal and transient, for in God's own way, at his appointed time, we believe his immortal soul will be resurrected incorruptible to fulfil that destiny for which He spoke his being into existence. "Sown in corruption, raised in incorruption." With this assurance we can expect that our friend is just preceding us to that unknown realm where the cares and vexations of this terrestrial habitat never trouble those who have followed the commands of their maker, who judges not as man decrees, but according to the heart's intent, for like Abou Ben Adhem, John Stamps "loved his fellow man," and we are told in the beautiful poem of Heigh Hunt that in the "Book of Life his name led all the rest."

Such was the life of our fallen friend. His motive and acts were according to the Golden Rule, prompted by the dictates of "that little man inside us."

All that was mortal of John Stamps now sleeps in the family burial lot in Oakwood cemetery, where loving hands consigned the body last Sunday afternoon, while hundreds of those who knew and loved him in this life paid their last tribute to their fallen friend.

Stricken August 12

Terminating an illness of more than six months affliction death ended his sufferings early Saturday morning, August 19, just one week after suffering a paralytic stroke, from which he never rallied, and which was the immediate cause of his demise. The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock, which was conducted by Dr. John W. Tyndall, president of Randolph College, assisted by Rev. J. S. Stockard, both ministers of the Christian church, with which religious body the deceased was affiliated since the age of 15. Floral offerings, emblematic of the love and attachment of friends, literally covered the mound in the cemetery where the body now sleeps. The women's choir of the First Christian Church had charge of the music at the home and the grave. Green's Funeral Home directed the funeral arrangements.

Born in Kentucky

John Henry Stamps was born in Bourbon county, Kentucky, Dec. 28, 1854, and was united in marriage to Miss Bettie Barlow, of the same county, in 1878. The couple moved to Eastland county, direct from Kentucky, in 1880, locating on lands east of Cisco in what is now the Bedford community, where he and his brother-in-law, J. T. Hill, operated a ranch, having at one time one of the largest horse ranches in this section of Texas. Before and since his removal to Cisco 30 years ago ranching and farming was his line of business, though for the past 20 years he had not been actively engaged in any line, but always took an active part in anything that affected his adopted city and her people.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Bettie Barlow-Stamps, the survivors are Mark S. Stamps, J. T. Stamps and Mrs. Lellia Jemeyson, another son, John H. Stamps, Jr., having preceded him in death several years.

The widow and her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hill, of Lockney, are the last of the surviving Barlow sisters, all of whom lived in and near Cisco at one time, being Mrs. Stamps, Mrs. Ammerman, Mrs. John Winston, Mrs. J. T. Hill, and Mrs. A. H. Johnson. The husbands of each of these sisters preceded them in death except Mrs. Johnson, whose husband, A. H. Johnson of Eastland, is still living. Mrs. Hill was with her sister during the last of Mr. Stamps'

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We Vote Tomorrow On Federal-State Fundamental Laws

Tomorrow Texans will go to the polls and say by their votes whether the state and federal constitutions will be changed by the adoption of three state amendments and one federal provision. So far the amendment providing for the repeal of the 18th amendment and the adoption of the provision to permit the sale of 3.2 beer has been most talked of and seems to hold the spot-light. But there are other provisions just as important, and should claim the earnest consideration of every patriotic citizen. Of vastly more importance to Eastland county, locally, is the home rule amendment, and the Citizen will bet a dime that there are not more than 100 in the county who have given this amendment any serious thought.

With its adoption Eastland county can frame a charter and work under any system it may devise, and make our county administration just as economical as a sane administration will permit or the people desire. It will be well for every voter to be informed of the provisions of this amendment before they cast their ballot.

Then we will vote whether there shall be issued \$20,000,000 state bonds for the relief of Texans out of employment. You can't dodge this issue. You must either vote to bond the state or risk losing a considerable federal aid. Bonds are obnoxious, and few Texans, except those selfish souls, favor a bond issue on principle, but we don't want to see people in distress, and hear the wail of hungry children. Which route will you take?

Then there is a provision to exempt homesteads to the value of \$3,000 from taxation in those counties that were not included in the homestead exemptions voted last year. We already have our homes exempted from payment of state taxes, but those counties whose tax was remitted in previous years, were not included. The adoption of this amendment will bring them in the fold as soon as the state is notified they have conformed with the requirements provided in the amendment.

Then the commissioners court has called a local option election to determine whether Eastland county will permit the sale of 3.2 beer should the state amendment be adopted. Eastland county was dry before the ratification of the 18th amendment, and before 3.2 can be sold the local option law must be repealed by a vote of the people.

Last, but not least, is the election of delegates to determine whether Texas will favor the repeal of the 18th amendment by the adoption of the 21st amendment. A vote to repeal the 18th amendment does not mean that intoxicants can be legally sold in Texas, as the people adopted a state amendment prohibiting the sale of vinous and malt liquors within her borders. By a vote of the people this amendment will have to be repealed before intoxicants can be sold legally. But a favorable vote will add another state to the 22 states which have already voted to ratify the 21st amendment, and will permit those states who want intoxicants sold to pass such laws as they may elect for their sale.

Whether Texas will make the 23rd state for repeal will depend on which set of delegates get a majority of the votes. Two lists of delegates have been nominated—one for repeal and the other against repeal. You will vote for one of these lists and scratch the other. That ticket polling a majority of the votes will vote for or against repeal—reject or ratify the 21st amendment to the federal constitution.

The Citizen has given a brief explanation of all provisions that will be voted on tomorrow, and if you read carefully what we have said we believe you will understand what you are voting for, and will cast your vote as you want it cast.

Are Our Superior Officers Loyal Supporting N. R. A.?

Cisco has appointed its official corps for the NRA campaign, to whip all the "slackers" into line in supporting the National Recovery Act, but it seems that some of the higher-ups, instead of swallowing the hook, line and sinkers, as good sports, have sought means of evading, rather than carrying out the spirit of the regulations prescribed by those authorizing the display of the Blue Eagle.

Administrator Johnson has sent out the word that you "mustn't trifle with that Bird," and some of these slackers may yet rue the day that they "proudly boasted" of displaying the National Bird of Freedom.

"You mustn't trifle with that Bird." Upon what the Citizen believes is most reliable authority it comes to us that one of the higher-ups in the NRA drive is not displaying that loyalty one might expect from those named to carry out the NRA provisions.

The story comes that this party was instructed by his business superior to "carry out the NRA requirements to the letter." "No," this NRA official is quoted as replying. "I have devised a way to get around that." Before he could outline his plan of evasion his boss is quoted as saying: "We have signed up to obey the mandates of the administrator of the National Recovery Act, and that is what we will do." This is as far as our informant went, and presumably he thought that was far enough, as do most of those who are making sacrifices to put the NRA over.

The NRA officers are creatures of the chamber of commerce, and if there are any slackers among those named to carry out the spirit of the law now seems to be a good time to do a bit of weeding out.

Yet this man proudly displays the Blue Eagle.

"You mustn't trifle with that Bird." It also comes to the Citizen that evasion, rather than compliance, seems to have been the motive of this official since the initiation of the NRA drive. We have heard of no increase in salaries, but there has been a shortening of working hours, but the

GUESTS AT J. A. LASH HOME HAVE DEPARTED

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lash have departed for their homes after visiting here while en route to and returning from Carlsbad where they explored the mysteries revealed by nature's formations in the caves of this resort. While the party was in the New Mexico resort the children of Mrs. W. T. Graham, Glenna and Mary Catherine, remained here with their grandparents. The party included Mrs. W. T. Graham and daughters, Glenna and Mary Catherine, of Dallas; Mrs. Mary Graham, of Pittsburg, Pa., mother of Mrs. W. T. Graham; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cross and son, Jack, of Eastland. Mrs. Cross and Mrs. W. T. Graham are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lash.

Other guests at the Lash home the week previous were another daughter, Mrs. A. R. McCutcheon, Mr. McCutcheon, and daughter, Miss Ida, also Mr. and Mrs. James McCutcheon, all of Shadler, Okla.

ATTENDED STAMPS FUNERAL

Here Sunday to attend the Stamps funeral from out of town were the following relatives and friends of the family; B. S. Walker and Frank Kirk, Gorman; B. A. Hicks, A. M. Ammerman, Mrs. Belle Stamps and Children, Miss Elizabeth and Mark, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Stallard and Son Dalton, of Fort Worth; Mrs. J. T. Hill, of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barlow, of Abilene; Judge and Mrs. W. B. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson, Mrs. Jack Williamson, Mrs. Maggie Dulen, Mrs. Ernest Wood and Will A. Wood, of Eastland.

men are required to perform the same mechanical duties in less time than before the act became operative. No increase in force has yet been made, but an additional man is contemplated, so this paper is informed.

It also comes to us that one of its employes is still drawing \$5 per week, which is said to be the original stipend paid this worker. At least that was the remuneration acknowledged to have been paid a vacation substitute worker for this employe.

Seems that a purgative is necessary among the top kicks of the local army officers.

"You mustn't trifle with that Bird."

Williamson Takes Administration of Jefferson Co. RFC

J. M. Williamson has reported for duty and taken over the administration of RFC funds for Jefferson county. He left here two weeks ago, but was detained in Austin by some official red tape till the first of this week, as there had been some misunderstanding about the position. It seems Williamson had been named for this place about a month ago, but was notified to delay his coming on account of high waters that prevailed in that section. In the interim, it seems, a Mrs. Elizabeth Gardiner, of Austin, had been named for the job, and his appointment displaces Mrs. Gardiner. A recent issue of the Beaumont Enterprise had the following relative to the appointment of Cisco's former mayor:

"James M. Williamson, former mayor of Cisco, will be relief administrator for Jefferson county, instead of Mrs. Elizabeth Gardiner, of Austin, first announced as the appointee. Information that Mr. Williamson had been named to the post was received yesterday by A. Milton Vance, chairman of the county board of welfare and employment.

"Mr. Williamson is expected to arrive today or tomorrow to assume his duties. He will be in charge of the office force and the dispensing of the money which comes from the state and federal funds, and the engineer to create jobs will also work under him. "Mr. Williamson's business and executive ability was largely the reason for his choice as administrator, and too, he has been recommended for the post by a number of Jefferson county leaders."

That the RFC affairs will be in capable hands needs no verification for those who are familiar with Mr. Williamson's business and executive ability. Even those who are politically unfriendly concede his ability. Then too, the permanent improvements he has wrought in Cisco will always stand as proof of his constructive ability and vision.

M. and Mrs. P. P. Shepard had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackson and children, of Albany.

Preparing For Recovery

A visitor in a small town, annoyed by constant rain, said impatiently to an old settler, "Will the rain ever stop?"

"It always has," was the reply.

Now, many people are asking, "Will good times ever return again?" We might reply, with equal truth, "They always have."

The seeds of prosperity are sown in days of depression. Business waste is being largely eliminated, making profitable operation possible on a considerable smaller volume than in times past.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

What is man, that thou art mindful of him? and the son of man, that thou visitest him? Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands: thou hast put all things under his feet.
---Ps. 8: 4, 6.

*One moment's pause in the hurried pace;
Day unto day shall add increase
Till time's evaluations cease
And earth be heaven's resting place.*
---Edith Gaddis Brewer.

To bring in the kingdom of God on earth is our great task, and all else shall be added according to divine wisdom. Such ideals will bring us into conflict with the giants of greed and selfishness who care nothing for the starving thousands or the millions kept in the wilderness of unemployment, but we must not fear to face giants that would crush out the life of the people.
---London, Ontario, Free Press.

GROSS PLAINS TURNS GAS INTO MAINS

We learn from the Cross Plains Review that the municipal gas plant at that place has advanced to that stage where it was possible to connect up a few residents with the mains, and a limited supply of fuel gas was being used from the municipal mains.

Now isn't that nice? Cisco victims of the Community Natural hijackers can be seen looking longingly towards the Callahan county town and wishing that our municipal officers would get an inspiration along similar lines.

Mayor S. P. Collins' home being the nearest to the outlying mains, was the first residence to be connected up, but the Review stated that this gas was being obtained from near by shallow wells, and that work was being rushed on the mains from the permanent source of supply, which will furnish the entire city.

In the mean time the Southwest injunction case is pending, but it seems to concern the city officials but little. However, attorneys have been engaged to defend the city's interest, and will file an answer to the petition of the gas trust and contest the case, even though the city is in the hands of a receiver.

While these small towns are building their own municipal gas systems, some using RFC labor, Cisco is letting this opportunity pass to do some real building that will be of permanent benefit. As F. E. Harrell told the commission recently "Cisco has spent \$27,152.85 of RFC funds with only the cemetery walls to show for it as permanent construction." But we are discussing projects, and may do something yet. All the while chances of using RFC funds are becoming more precarious.

It is now proposed to spend \$50,000 on a filtering plant at Lake Cisco, a worthy project, but that amount, coupled with the deposits for gas meters that could be cashed in and transferred to the city, would go a long way toward building a municipal gas system in Cisco, which would relieve our people from the clutches of the gas trust, and the same time eventually prove

a source of revenue to the general fund. We won't be in dire need of the filtration plant till next summer, but the people will need gas this winter.

AS NRA PROVIDES

Those who have displayed the "Bird of Freedom" at their places of business seem to begin to appreciate the motive and purposes of the National Recovery Act. At first there seemed to be a disposition of some to construe the act as meaning only the shortening of hours of business, but the Citizen was the first newspaper in this section to call their attention to their error. But like the patriotic folk our business people are known to be they are now falling in line and carrying out the purposes of the recovery measure. This is being done by rescinding the agreement of shorter hours and employing more help to conduct their businesses. Several have already added new workers to their list of employees, and others are falling in line. Also, the Citizen warned against group price fixing, and we understand these price agreements are being abrogated. This warning, given by the Citizen, was not done as a criticism of their acts, but that they might correct their mistake before they incurred the penalties of the law.

The purpose of congress and the president in enacting the law was to decrease unemployment and increase the buying power of working people by setting a minimum wage. An evasion of the spirit of the law was indicated by very few increasing their working force, but shortening the hours of business, thus permitting those employees already working to transact the business in the prescribed shorter hours. It is immaterial with the administration how long places of business are kept open so long as the employees are not worked over the minimum hours specified.

The requirements will work a hardship on the business folk in such communities as Cisco, especially at first, but will probably be for the general good in its finality. In towns where there is a payroll of any consequence the regulations proved beneficial at the end of the first week, or right after the larger pay checks were handed out. In Cisco, and other like communities, the cost of commodities have advanced without any attendant increase in the buying power of the public.

With the adjustment of increased salaries and addition of workers, there will some increase in employment, but it will be inconsequential.

Now, if prices are not unduly increased, we may expect an early adjustment of business along the lines prescribed by the National Recovery Act.

VISITED HILLSBORO

C. D. Phillips, city meter reader for the water department, spent the last week end at Hillsboro, where he visited his brother. Mr. Phillips stated that splendid rains had fallen in that section and crops are green and feed stuff promising.

Traffic Regulation For Cycling on The Streets Imperative

Bicycle riding on the streets of Cisco is dangerous recreation for boys and girls, and should have the serious consideration of every parent in this city. Just what can be done is not yet determined. Commissioner Henderson brought the subject up in the last meeting of the commission, but no action was taken. It might be possible to restrict bicycling to residential and uncongested business districts, and prohibit cycling on any business streets after dark. The two-wheel riders carry no lights or signal horns, and the practice of some riders of dodging in ahead of cars will result in an accident sooner or later, may be expected. Parents, of course, could lessen the hazard by knowing when and where their children are riding, but very few parents know, or seem to care, where the kids are or what they are doing. Better to act before your kid is crushed under the wheels of a car that could not avoid running him down.

Commissioner Henderson told of a boy who ran his bicycle into his car one night before he could see it. Fortunately, he said, he was driving slow, and beyond tumbling the boy and bicycle to one side, plus a few bruises, no damage was done.

But the next victim might not be so

West Tex. Utilities Gets Under the Wing of Bird of Freedom

ABILENE, Aug. 22.—The largest employer of labor in this section, the West Texas Utilities Company, Tuesday came under the NRA. Signing the code, by Price Campbell, president, covered all company offices the general headquarters in Abilene, and the branches in 161 West Texas communities—but pledges also were signed locally in each of the towns by resident managers.

Adoption of the national utilities code legally allows for two weeks for setting it up, but the job won't take nearly that long, Campbell said. Changes in personnel and hours are being worked out in the statistical department, he said, and will be in effect in a short time. Nearly 700 persons are on the company roster.

Campbell issued this statement: "The West Texas Utilities Company feels that the NRA program actually will increase purchasing power in an amount sufficient to stimulate general

fortunate. Something must be done to prevent the accidents, rather than wait until we bury one or two of these potential presidents of the nation.

Cycling is a splendid exercise, and the Citizen is not trying to slow down or hamper this sport, only issuing a warning before the fatality occurs.

business. While this program adds a large new responsibility to our already heavy payroll, due to the hours required to give continuous service, we feel that the communities we serve desire that we try to carry this additional burden, together with the summation of the extra 3 per cent tax payments to be taken off the collective shoulders of our consumers and placed on our single shoulders.

"This and other added taxes, together with the increased cost of supplies creates such a very large additional burden that it can be carried only by increased income from increased consumption or increased rates. So we issue a plea to our consumers to help by taking increased service, at least to the extent of the 3 per cent decrease in cost of service by which customers will benefit when we take over the payment of the tax.

"Much of such service will come on the low steps of the rate schedules, and must occur quickly as we have only until the first of September before taking over this tax and the other additional burdens."

Blue Eagles were posted on the company's windows throughout the properties yesterday.

Mrs. James L. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hubbard and son, Ford, Jr., have returned home after attending the big fair at Chicago. Miss Madeline Shepherd, who accompanied the party, is still visiting the attractions.

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Christian Science Church Service

"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, August 27.

The Golden Text is: "No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him" (John 1:18).

Included with other passages from the Bible is the following from I Tim. 2: "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus."

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Born of woman, Jesus' advent in the flesh partook partly of Mary's earthly condition, although he was endowed with the Christ, the divine spirit, without measure. This accounts for his struggles in Gethsemane and Calvary, and this enabled him to be the mediator, or way shower between God and men. Had his origin and birth been wholly apart from mortal usage, Jesus would not have been appreciable to mortal mind as 'the way'....

"As the individual ideal of Truth, Christ Jesus came to rebuke rabbinical error and all sin, sickness, and death—to point out the way of Truth and Life. This ideal was demonstrated throughout the whole earthly career of Jesus, showing the difference between the offspring of Soul and of material sense, of Truth and of error" (p. 30).

Home Demonstration Club Of Reich Meets

The home demonstration club of the Reich community will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Elbert Ezzell. Members are urged to be in attendance, as Miss Ramey will meet with the club on this occasion. The meeting last Friday was at the home of Mrs. R. D. Vanderford.

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CASES DISPOSED OF IN TWO DISTRICT COURTS

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Eastland Countians File Bankrupt Pleas

Two Eastland county men have filed voluntary petitions in the bankrupt court at Abilene. Jesse Leroy Arnold, of Eastland, gives his liabilities in his petition as \$18,751.93, and places his assets at \$400, exemptions \$350. Arnold is a dealer in oil production and operator.

Voluntary bankruptcy proceedings for Stollard A. Eison, Gorman grocery merchant, have been filed in United States district court also.

Liabilities are listed at \$4,018.27 and assets at \$2,901.32, of which \$1,250 are claimed to be exempt in the schedule of the petition.

Callahan Court Names Jenkins County Agent

R. B. Jenkins, former head of Trent schools, has been appointed county farm agent of Callahan county by the commissioners court.

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Marian Dee Vines and Sherman Erwin Vines, and H. S. Von Roeder, of Ranger. Judge B. W. Patterson appointed Judge C. L. Garrett to investigate the home life and antecedents of the applicants and embody the results of his investigation in a written report to be filed as a part of the records in the case.

Another case disposed of in the 88th court was the granting of a divorce to Hallie C. Foster against Claude C. Foster.

Eugene Phillips vs. Texas & Pacific railroad, was awarded a judgment for \$2,618. The General Motors Acceptance corporation, as intervenor, was given a judgment for \$382 of this sum, in the 91st court.

Non-Jury Cases

Non-jury cases disposed of by Judge B. W. Patterson this week included the following:

Pauline Gibson vs. W. E. Gibson, divorce and custody of the children awarded the plaintiff.

James Shaw and successor, E. C. Brand, banking commissioner, vs. Tom Harrell et al, judgment for plaintiff

against Harrel for \$758.45 and interest. Eastland County Lumber Co., named a party to the suit, was ordered to go hence without day.

NEW CASES PENDING IN DISTRICT COURT

District Court—H. V. Doyle vs. Union Benevolent Association, to collect insurance policy.

L. H. Flewellen vs. Howard R. Gholson, Administrator, suit on note.

Ethel Fehl Jarrell vs. J. N. Jarrell, divorce.

J. B. Ames vs. Illinois Pipe Line Co., damages.

Alice L. Dailey vs. Julius Wright suit on V-L notes and for foreclosure.

District Court—A. L. Barton vs. Leah Barton, divorce.

Velma Hayden vs. J. W. Triplett, to collect notes.

J. J. Parks vs. Hall Walker, receivership, etc.

FARMERS CHECKS FOR COTTON ABOUT READY

News from Washington states that the government is about ready to mail out checks to farmers for cotton destroyed under government orders to curtail the crop output. A question arose whether the government would deduct seed loan amounts due, but this was finally waived, and the full amount will be paid. However, some of those in this section owing this loan have expressed their intention of paying off their seed loan with this money.

COMMUNITY FAIRS HAVE DATES FOR FALL SHOWS

The county agent announces that nine communities of Eastland county have set dates for fall fairs to be held previous to the county fair to be held Sept. 20 to 23, inclusive.

Those who have set dates are as follows:

- Sept. 6, New Hope and Elm (combined) at New Hope.
- Sept. 7, Romney.
- Sept. 8, Morton Valley and Yellow Mound (combined) at Morton Valley.
- Sept. 11, Colony.
- Sept. 12, Ranger, at the home of Hayden Neal.
- Sept. 13, Word and Pleasant Hill (combined) at Word.
- Sept. 14, Flatwood.
- Sept. 15-16, Carbon.
- Sept. 15-16, Rising Star.

The dates for the fair at Reich have not been set, but it is stated that it will be either Sept. 5 or Sept. 9.

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CONSTABLE'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF EASTLAND)
In the County Court of Eastland County, Texas, Blease Motor Company, plaintiff, vs. E. L. McClelland, defendant.

Whereas, by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Eastland County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said County Court on the 24 day of May, 1933, in favor said Blease Motor Company, a corporation, and against the said E. L. McClelland, numbered 5297 on the docket of said court, I did on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock, a. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the counties of Eastland and Stephens, in the state of Texas, and belonging to the said E. L. McClelland, to wit:

3-24ths of the surface rights and minerals of in and under the S-2 of the NW-4 of Sec. 463; S. P. R. R. Co. lands; N-2 of the SW-4 of Sec. 463; N-2 of the S-2 of the SW-4 of Sec. 463; and all of the E-2 of Sec. 463, S. P. R. R. Co. lands; and an undivided 3-48ths interest in and to the oil, gas and other minerals in and under the NW-4 Sec. 466, S. P. R. R. Co. lands, and the S-2 of the S-2 of the SW-4 of Sec. 463, S. P. R. R. Co. lands.

And on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1933, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day at the courthouse door of said County, I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said E. L. McClelland in and to said property.

Said execution, among other provisions, recites that in said judgment the court found there was issued and levied a Writ of Attachment out of said cause on November 22, 1932, and was levied by R. L. Wilson, Constable of Precinct 6, Eastland County, Texas, on November 25, 1932, by levying upon and taking into his possession as the property of the defendant E. L. McClelland the land and premises above described, and that after the levy was made a certified copy of the writ of attachment and returns were recorded in the Attachment Records of Eastland County, Texas, in Vol. 3, page 119, and filed with said Clerk on November 26, 1932, and that the court in said judgment made the following order and decree in connection with said attachment lien:

"It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed by the court that the attachment lien created by the issuance and levy of the writ of attachment on said real estate hereinabove recited, be and the same is here now recognized and preserved, and all rights, liens and equities to which plaintiff is entitled by virtue of said writ and levy are here now preserved to it as fully as this court has the power to grant same, and such rights are decreed to plaintiff."

Witness my hand, this 4th day of August, A. D. 1933.

**MISSOURI 22ND STATE
REPUUDIATING DRY LAW**

Missouri voted Saturday 3 to 1 for the 21st amendment, favoring repeal of the 18th amendment to the federal constitution, making the standing today 22 to 0 in favor of repeal of America's dry law, and a return of the liquor sales to the states for disposition and regulations. Sixteen more states must ratify the 21st amendment before repeal becomes effective.

The 21 states which preceded Missouri in voting repeal are Michigan, Wisconsin, Rhode Island, Wyoming, New Jersey, New York, Delaware, Nevada, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Iowa, California, West Virginia, Arkansas, Alabama, Tennessee, Oregon, and Arizona.

**LEE MOTOR CO. ENLISTED
IN THE PROSPERITY ARMY**

Lee Motor Co. is in the army now. If you don't believe it go down any evening and watch the beautiful Bird of Freedom emblazoned on the window of that establishment. And it is fixed up nice. Pasted to the plate glass in an attractive background, with red, white and blue streamers leading off, and an electric light throwing its rays on the back of the Blue Eagle, it presents an attractive picture, one that any patriotic citizen may be proud to work under.

Edward Lee, manager of the Lee Motor Co., did not rush his head off to sign up, but said he wanted to be certain what he was agreeing to do before affixing his name to the agreement, "for when I sign up with Uncle Sam I expect to live up to my obligation," he told the Citizen. This firm has added the required number of additional employes, and boosted the salaries as the regulations provide, setting an example that some of the officers in the NRA army might emulate.

Summoned to the bedside of their parent who arrived Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elder and children, of Waco; Bill Elder and Miss Tennie Elder, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elder, of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Blakely, of Carleton; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moss and children, of East-

J. B. HICKS
Constable Precinct 6, Eastland County, Texas.
8-11, 18, and 25.

**VARNELL CHAPERONES
FOURTH ANNUAL TOUR
TO EXPERIMENT FARM**

E. H. Varnell, vocational agriculturist, chaperoned a bunch of farmers and other interested persons of the Cisco country on the fourth annual pilgrimage to the government experimental station at Spur, Dickens county, last Monday. After spending about five hours at the farm the party returned home about 10 o'clock Monday night.

"A feature of the farm in which our party was most interested was conserving the rainfall on the land," Varnell said. "The value of water conservation was manifest in the increased yield of lands where this conservation was more thoroughly developed. We saw plots of 8 and 10 acres, some larger, on which none of the rainfall had been allowed to run off in the past six years. One tract of 120 acres had not only retained all the rain that fell on its surface, but runoff water from adjoining tracts had been allowed to flow on this field without wasting any appreciable amount. The great progress made in conservation of water means much to the farmers of this section, where we have continued drouths in the summer, for if all water was stored on the lands cultivated there would be no drouths, as the growing crops could use this stored water in the land to carry them through the dry seasons.

"I feel that everyone making the trip got more than it cost them, and the information gained at the farm will be reflected in future yields of crops in the Cisco country."

Those making the trip besides Mr. Varnell were Van Parmer, Lewis Smith, W. B. Peoples, W. E. Hensley, W. F. Ziehr, J. C. Patterson, county agent; Emil Winge, Oscar Schaefer, J. M. Lightfoot, N. A. Berry, J. L. Smith, Herman Schaefer, G. A. Swenson, H. A. Bible, E. M. Oney, Oscar Reich, Chas. H. Wende, M. O. Hood, Morgan Standlee, Clint Britain, Wayne Thurman, U. G. Kinard, J. B. Hulsey, Stanley McCracken, J. P. McCracken, Karl Winge and J. W. McKinney.

**MAYHEW BROTHERS DEPOT
NOW RETAILING ICE HERE**

Mayhew Brothers' Ice Depot is now retailing ice to Cisco consumers. The building next to the Palace cafe has been finished, the vault cooled out and the first consignment of ice was placed in the vault Tuesday night. W. H. Mayhew, senior member of the firm, said that the purpose was to supply Cisco people with ice at a reasonable price.

"All our help are and will be married men who are supporting families," he said. "It is our purpose to give this class of people work, instead of employing those whose families are able to support them.

"Our purpose now is to operate an ice depot, at prices that will enable everyone to have what ice they need without depriving them of other necessities, as our prices are reasonable and in reach of all. Later, it is possible that ice cream and other summer delicacies may be added. I have heard it said that we intended to sell 3.2 beer. I want to deny this right now, as this place will not operate a beer joint, and under no consideration will we handle this beverage by retail should the legal inhibitions be voted down.

"We are asking a share of the ice trade, and if the best service, first class ice and reasonable prices will get it, you will buy your ice from Mayhew Brothers. Just drive by and carry home 50 or 100 pounds and save the difference," Bill said.

**WILL HOLD ELECTION
IN MANCILL BUILDING**

The special election to be held statewide in Texas tomorrow will be held in Cisco in the Mancill building. Those qualified to vote in any election may participate in all issues to be voted on, including the bond election. The provisions prescribing that only property owners may vote in bond elections, does not apply to the state bonds, the attorney general has ruled.

Those appointed to hold the election in the two Cisco precincts are as follows:

East Cisco, J. E. Caffrey, W. W. Wallace, C. L. Gilmore, A. A. Michael.
West Cisco, Will St. John, D. E. Waters, Lee Owen, W. J. Armstrong.

**We Buried A Cisco
Pioneer Sunday As
J. H. Stamps Passed**

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illness, and still remains to minister to her in her bereavement.

Friends Were Pall Bearers
The pall bearers, both active and honorary, were selected from former intimates of the deceased, and were as follows:

Active—Alex Spears, Howard D' Spain, K. H. Pittard, J. C. Horton, R. W. Mancill, and D. E. Waters.

Honorary—James Been, Wm Reagan, C. H. Gober, O. W. Statham, John Tomlinson, R. F. Weddington, George Wilson, W. W. Manning, Tom Fields, George Atkins, L. H. McCrea, A. Grist, D. K. Scott, Alex Ward, James Mobley, O. A. Humphrey, J. B. Cate, Arch Birt, Birt Britain, W. M. Miller, O. W. Kean, Cisco; O. F. Chastain, G. L. Daven-

port, A. H. Johnson, B. W. Patterson, Eastland; H. J. Woolridge, E. C. Duncan, J. V. Heyser, W. P. Coldwell, Doss L. Rogers, W. H. Kittrell, Capt. C. B. Poe, T. J. Dean, W. J. Donovan, T. H. Purvis, Tom Page, A. L. Mayhew, C. S. Karkalits, Cisco; J. M. Williamson, Beaumont; P. C. O'Laughlin, Abilene; E. M. Stallard, Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown and daughters, Mrs. J. B. Stanton of Temple, and Mrs. A. D. Starling, of Cisco, left Wednesday morning for a visit to the famous caverns of Carlsbad, New Mexico. The two little granddaughters of the Browns were also in the party. They are Jerry Stanton and Doris Jeane Starling. They will likely visit other points of interest in N. M. and West Texas before returning home the first of next week.

Mrs. J. B. Stanton and daughter, Jerry, of Temple, are visiting in the home of her partns, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown.

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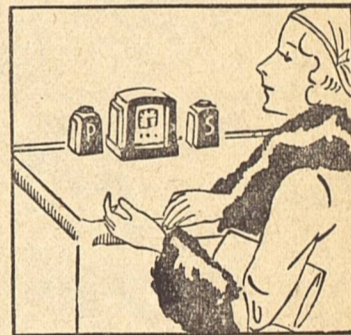
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