

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

EASTLAND CO.—Area 925 square miles; population 32,881; cotton, fruit, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; Cisco is headquarters for operators of the great shallow oil field; churches of all denominations.

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

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## HOUSE RUNS RIOT WITH TAX MEASURE

### Buried Auto Puts Police on New Trail in Kidnap Hunt

#### CAR FOUND IN HAY NEAR LINDY HOME

HOPEWELL, N. J., March 19. — An automobile found buried beneath a ton of hay in a barn near the residence of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh led state police late today on a new trail in the search for the kidnapers of the famous flier's 20-month-old son.

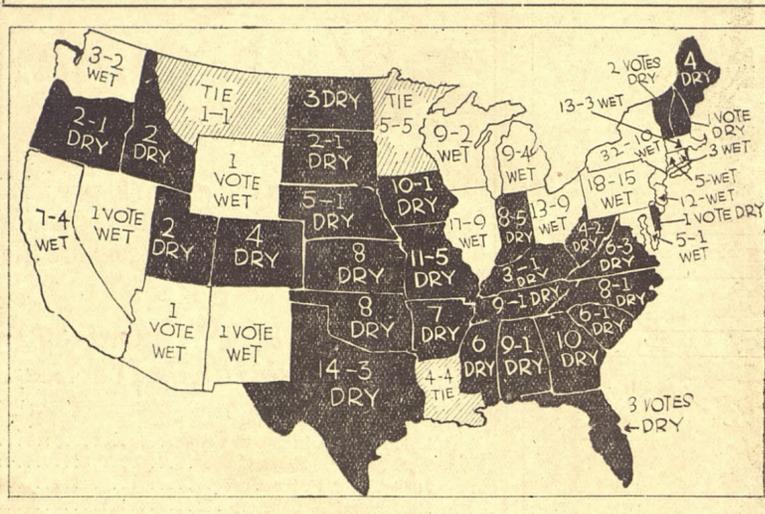
Sam Cucchiara, known as Sam the Barber, was credited with having furnished information which led to discovery of the hidden car. He was taken to the Lindbergh home for questioning.

An inspector of the state motor vehicle bureau posed as an auto thief and managed to gain the confidence of Sam the Barber, who gave him the information concerning the car. The farm where the car was found is a few miles from the Lindbergh estate.

Some time after Sam the Barber was taken to the Lindbergh residence, police found Caspar Oliver, on whose farm the automobile was found. He and a negro, said to have been riding with Sam the Barber near the Lindbergh estate on the night of the kidnaping, were being questioned by state police.

Motor vehicle inspectors said the engine had been removed from the car and that it is extremely unlikely it is connected in any way with the kidnaping.

#### How Congress Vote Mapped Prohibition.



When Congress voted on a proposal to bring the Beck-Linthicum prohibition amendment out of committee in the first wet-dry test of importance since 1917, Representatives lined up as shown in sketch map above. The Beck-Linthicum resolution, still locked in committee, would amend the 18th amendment to allow state control of liquor. Wets piled up a surprise vote of 187 to bring the proposal before Congress. They were defeated by 227 dry-voting congressmen. The 18th amendment originally was adopted in the House by a vote of 382 for and 128 against.

#### JUNIOR MEET DRAWS MANY CONTESTANTS

Approximately 200 youngsters, representing practically every public school in Eastland county, participated in the junior athletic tournament of the County Interscholastic league here yesterday. Boy 15 years of age and under only were eligible for the contests.

The contests went off with but one minor protest being filed.

The meet was divided into four divisions. Tabulation of results at the conclusion of the contests showed the following winners in each division:

Class B Juniors—Scranton, 22½ points; Olden, 20 points; Alameda, 11 points.

Rural Juniors—Pleasant Hill, 36 points; Dothan, 18 points; Romney, 6 points.

High School Juniors—Gorman, 25 points; Cisco, 12½ points; Ranger, 11 points.

Ward Juniors—Rising Star, 36 points; Hodges Park (Ranger); 2½ points; Eastland South Ward, 3½ points.

Officials.

The meet was conducted under the direction of Coach Ted L. Jeffries, of Cisco high school, athletic director for the county league. He was assisted by Asst. Director Brummett, of Scranton. Coach Leonard Hill, of Cisco, served as starter.

There were six events in each division. The meet opened at 10 o'clock and was concluded at 3 o'clock, on schedule time.

These contests were open to boys of 15 years and less and were preliminary to the main county league events which are to be held Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26.

Individual winners in each event were:

Class B Juniors.

50 yard dash—Brelsford, Olden, 11.7.

100 yard dash—Brelsford, Olden, 11.7.

Relay—Alameda, 55.9.

High jump—Bradshaw, Scranton, 5 feet 5 inches.

Broad jump—Brelsford, Olden, 16 feet, 9 inches.

Chinning bar—Starr, Scranton, 34 times.

Rural Juniors.

50 yard dash—Daugherty, Pleasant Hill, 6.7.

100 yard dash—Daugherty, 12.7.

Relay—Pleasant Hill, 1 min. 32 sec.

High jump—Romney, Pleasant Hill, 5 ft. 1 in.

Broad jump—Johnson, Dothan, 14 ft. 6 in.

Chinning bar—Tucker, Pleasant Hill, 19 times.

High School Juniors.

50 yard dash—Boaz, Gorman, 6.1.

100 yard dash—Rogers, Gorman, 11.1.

Relay—Cisco, 55.

High jump—Davenport, Eastland, 5 ft. 2 in.

Broad jump—Walker, Ranger, 17 feet 10 in.

Chinning bar—Chastain, Rising Star, 21 times.

Ward Juniors.

50 yard dash—Howell, Rising Star, 6.4.

100 yard dash—Howell, Rising Star, 11.3.

Relay—Rising Star—1 min. 2.5 seconds.

Hodges Park school 5 ft. 1 in.

Broad jump—Howell, Rising Star, 11 feet, 11 inches.

Chinning bar—Walsh, Ranger (Hodges Park), 30 times.

#### Led Wets in House Test Vote



It was a dry victory, but the unexpected strength which the wets showed in the vote to take up the Beck-Linthicum resolution in the House caused representatives Charles Linthicum (left) of Maryland and Representative James M. Beck (right) of Pennsylvania to congratulate each other. They're leaders of the anti-prohibition forces in Congress and authors of the resolution to resubmit the Eighteenth Amendment to the people. Although defeated 227 to 187, the wets polled the largest vote since the dry law went into effect.

#### TURBULENCE OF SESSION FORCES HALT

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The house ran riot with the billion-dollar tax bill again today in one of the most unruly sessions in the history of the American congress.

Passionate words and gestures in the movement to tax wealth created such excitement on the floor that the leaders halted the session in mid-afternoon and adjourned over the week-end to let the membership "cool off."

The turbulent end of the session found the rank and file still in possession of the bill despite the resounding admonition of Democratic Floor Leader Rainey that "there is only one more step you can take and that is the step they took in Russia to eliminate all wealth."

Leaders Aroused.

Rainey and the other leaders were aroused by a third blow delivered to their bill. They fought vigorously but fruitfully to prevent adoption of an amendment which will prevent Henry Ford and other large bankers and industrialists with branches abroad from deducting their foreign taxes from the tax they owe here.

Those who sponsored the amendment urged that the house meet the treasury deficit by taxing those best able to pay. They contended the proposed sales tax would steal bread from the mouths of the poor to run the government and they wanted the money raised from wartime surtaxes they adopted yesterday and through similar measures.

"Boos" were shouted when Rep. Rankin, D., Miss., member of the opposition, tried to ask Rainey whom he was calling a communist. Speaker John Garner did not participate. He remained in his room on the floor below and read newspapers.

#### BYBEE IS NOT IDENTIFIED AS BANK BANDIT

BRECKENRIDGE, March 19. — Officers who viewed W. H. Bybee, 26, of Pampa, held in the murder of Deputy Constable Ollie Parks, today would not disclose whether they had positively identified him as one of those who held up the Lexington State bank recently.

Local officers said, however, that Ohio Warren, bookkeeper of the bank, could not identify Bybee as having been connected with the bank robbery March 8, when \$1,028 was taken.

The officers who viewed Bybee were Sheriff John J. Burtshell, of Lee county, and J. S. Newman, finger print expert of the identification department of the Texas Sheriff's Association.

#### GOVERNOR NOT IMPRESSED BY MA'S PLATFORM

AUSTIN, March 19. — Governor Sterling said here today he is not much impressed with Mrs. Ferguson's platform for governor.

"I think we have a practical moratorium now," said the governor, smiling when her suggestion for a two-year let-up on tax debts was cited particularly.

The governor also expressed the view that her proposed division of gasoline tax is not desirable. He indicated the belief the schools now get a fair share of the gasoline and other taxes.

The governor, back in Austin today after his trip to El Paso, said he will not be able to go to Houston to attend the banquet given there tonight for William G. McAdoo.

#### Gov. Murray Hurls Defiant Challenge

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 19. — Gov. W. H. Murray rapped a brown scarf about his throat to protect his voice and left tonight on a campaign speaking tour of the old south.

To democratic opponents of the presidential nomination he sounded a defiant challenge.

"They will find when it is all over, by god, that I will name the next president and write the democratic platform," he said, while pausing 11 hours at the Oklahoma capital during campaign trips.

"I haven't any ambition to hold the damned office. I would rather have a man in the place who would do right than be president myself. They may lock the convention on me but I will get a majority of votes before they get through and I will be the controlling factor. They don't know yet that I am making a fight for the public interests."

#### McADOO URGES HIGH TARIFFS AS FARM CURE

HOUSTON, March 19.—William Gibbs McAdoo, wartime secretary of the treasury, tonight urged a 12 cent per pound tariff on short staple cotton and a 65 cent per bushel tariff on wheat as a means of returning the American farmer and the nation to prosperity.

He spoke at a meeting sponsored by the local Salesmanship club. W. O. Higgins, chairman of the state democratic executive committee, also spoke. State Senator Walter Woodliff presided.

Upon his arrival by airplane from San Antonio McAdoo was greeted by T. W. Gregory, Houston, former attorney-general, and A. S. Burleson, Austin, former postmaster-general, both colleagues of McAdoo in the Wilson cabinet.

"The salvation of the wheat and cotton farmers revolves around a tariff on these commodities, sufficiently high to preserve for the producers the home market against outside competition," said McAdoo. "This must be accompanied by federal regulation which will enable the farmers to get the full benefit of the tariff protection awarded to them on that part of their crop consumed in the United States."

Price Fixing Law.

"Congress should enact a law empowering the secretary of agriculture, with the approval of the president, to determine at certain dates each year what percentage of the cotton and wheat crops shall be for export and domestic consumption, and to fix annually, semi-annually or quarterly the minimum prices at which wheat and cotton may be lawfully bought and sold in the United States.

"These prices should be so fixed as to represent as nearly as possible the prevailing world price plus the flexible tariff then in effect on wheat and cotton."

McAdoo said that he was confident that such a federal law would be constitutional and that if violations were made punishable by fine and imprisonment it would be obeyed.

#### PAIR LINKED WITH BANK HOLDUP

AUSTIN, March 19.—W. H. Bybee, 26 years old, of Pampa, and Harry Roberts, 30 years old, of Throckmorton, held in the dance hall slaying of Constable Ollie Parks at Breckenridge, today were linked with the \$2,500 robbery of the Lexington State bank at Lexington.

The two men have been identified by bank employees.

Capt. Frank Hamer said today. The bank loot, however, has not been found and a third man still is sought.

Officers were seeking the Lexington bank bandits when Bybee and Roberts resisted arrest at Breckenridge. In the gunfire that followed Parks was fatally wounded, Roberts shot in the leg, and Bybee had a finger shot off.

The pair will not be returned to Giddings in connection with the bank robbery until they have faced charges in Parks' death, Capt. Hamer said.

#### 50TH ANNIVERSARY WICHITA FALLS

WICHITA FALLS, March 19. — The 50th anniversary of the founding of Wichita Falls will be celebrated with an elaborate jubilee here Sept. 26, 27 and 28. Walter D. Clinch is general chairman of a committee making arrangements.

#### LONGBEARDS TO TRAIN MINERAL WELLS

MINERAL WELLS, March 19. — The House of David baseball team from Benton Harbor, Mich., will arrive here March 23rd for 10 days training before opening their season. Grover Cleveland Alexander, one time major league pitching ace, will again be with the team.

#### Barbers and Insurance Man Shear 11 And Discover as Many Human Beings

Ray Godfrey and A. L. Clark, of the X-Ray Barber shop, are expected to apply for a Carnegie Institute medal for exceptional bravery for their part in relieving one of the ills of the depression. Friday afternoon business wasn't what it used to be in the shop. The barbers were lolling in their chairs commiserating among themselves and with K. H. Pittard, who takes one day out of each month to sell insurance, when a vehicle that looked like a relic of the Lost Cause squealed to a stop in front of the door.

Specifically, the vehicle was the composite of a cotton bed and the misnamed running gear of an extinct model of popular vintage. Like so many cabbages in a crate 14 tuff-colored heads bobbed cautiously above the sides of the truck and 14 pairs of eyes gazed silently at Godfrey and Clark and Pittard.

Each silent head resembled a juvenile imitation of Robinson Crusoe, with enough dirt added to make the effect realistic, and the hearts of the barbers bled within them.

Said Godfrey: "What a shame, as many good barbers as there are, for such a sight to be seen anywhere."

"I'll bet those brats never saw a comb," remarked Clark. "I wish I had hold of them for a while."

"Second the motion," said Godfrey.

"Done," said Pittard, leaping to the occasion. "I'll herd them if you'll trim them."

Sheared and Washed.

Godfrey and Clark were not to be outdone. Heroically they sharpened fresh shears and waited the onslaught while Pittard concluded negotiations with the parents of the regiment and marshalled the excited youngsters into the shop. While the two tonsorial professors sheared the herd, the seller of insurance, aproned to the armpits, sleeves rolled to his shoulders, labored manfully with soap and water. Coercible little faces began to emerge from masks of grime and dirt, while matted hair enough to start a mattress factory was removed by Archie, porter for the shop.

Eleven little savages underwent the process and came out looking startlingly human, and Godfrey and Clark sank back into chairs with sighs of relief and moved that they violate union rules and close the shop, depression or no depression. Pittard, not being interested in union rules, decided that dishwashing would be a vacation.

All fourteen were full brothers and sisters—a fact with some serious implications for social welfare scientists.

Someone remarked in amazement, "Seems to me they'd run out of names."

"Maybe so," he was informed, "but they've another to think up."

#### FARM BOARD TO CONTINUE SALES

WASHINGTON, March 19. — Chairman James C. Stone, of the Federal Farm board, said today the board would continue its policy of limited sales from the grain stabilization corporation's holdings of surplus wheat.

#### Red Sox Play First Game at 3 o'Clock

The Red Sox, Cisco amateur baseball club, will begin its third session this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Chesley park with a game free to the public.

There are 50 players from which to choose the roster of the team. The American Legion post will sponsor the club this year.

#### MERCHANTS JOIN EAGERLY IN PLANS FOR COOKING SCHOOL

Merchants of Cisco are joining eagerly with the Daily News in its plans for the four-day cooking school to be conducted by Miss Zella Allen beginning Tuesday, March 29. Officers of cooperation have come in such numbers that it is evident the school will be staged with the greatest convenience both to those attending and to Miss Allen and her assistants in the series of demonstrations that will be given during the four days.

"Garland Ranges" will be featured at the school by the Community Natural Gas company and one of these ranges will be equipped for Miss Allen's use. The West Texas Utilities company will demonstrate "Frigidaire" and other electrical appliances. Lumber for the stage will be supplied by the Cisco Lumber and Supply company. Johnston's Grocery will donate the food necessary for the first day's demonstrations and the Cisco Dairy Ass'n., E. N. Strickland, manager, will provide cream and butter needed by the lecturer. The Home Furniture company has offered the use of kitchen cabinets, tables, kitchen rugs and other furniture that may be required for use during the school.

To Feature Goods.

Local dry goods stores will feature house dresses; chinaware and utensils will be shown by local hardware stores while silverware and table linens will be displayed by some concern selling these lines. Other business concerns will be announced as soon as arrangements for their participation have been completed.

Miss Allen, who will conduct the school, is one of the most successful

#### Neff Accepts Post As Baylor Prexy

WACO, March 19. — Pat M. Neff, former governor and a member of the railroad commission, has accepted the presidency of Baylor university to which he was unanimously elected here February 23.

Neff's acceptance was announced in a letter to Judge W. H. Jenkins, secretary of the Baylor trustees. It said, "Mindful of its responsibilities and conscious of its obligations and appreciation of its ever-widening opportunities, I accept, to assume work at a later date, the presidency of Baylor university, my mother of learning, as a challenging call to duty and to service."

#### Health Officer Appeals to Ciscoans To Join War Against Plague of Flies

Spring-time is fly-time, warns Dr. W. P. Lee, city health officer. Appealing to the people of Cisco to mobilize their forces against the dreaded disease carrier, Dr. Lee says:

"Among the list of diseases of which there is more or less evidence that the infection may be conveyed by flies are: Typhoid, Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhea in infants, Erysipelas, Ophthalmia, Diphtheria, Small Pox, Poliomylitis, and several infections of the lower animals.

"With such a number of diseases that may be communicated to man by such a medium as the fly, does it not behoove every citizen of our town to declare war on the house fly?"

"It is time to begin.

"A brief description of the fly is given that we may realize the necessity of fighting it and the means to be used. A few adults live through the winter in cellars, attics and out of way places, and as soon as warm weather sets in they lay their eggs in manure and garbage refuse. From the egg to the mature fly requires about 10 to 14 days. A single female fly will lay 120 eggs and a generation is produced every 10 to 14 days at summer temperature. There may be 10 to 14 generations in a summer. You see, therefore, that many millions may come from one fly.

Strike at Breeding Place.

"To suppress flies we must strike at their breeding places. One neglected stable or horse lot will furnish a plague of flies of an entire neighborhood.

"Their suppression is neither difficult nor expensive. Places where stock are kept within the city limits should be cleaned up and kept so. The manure should be gathered and removed at least once every week or treated with a suitable substance to prevent the propagation of the fly.

"Those who have garbage cans are reminded to keep them covered and those who have none must provide a suitable receptacle for their garbage.

"That we may not have a scourge of flies within the next few weeks may we not appeal to every citizen to do his or her part NOW in fighting this pest in order that we may keep Cisco clean, healthy and free from flies?"

#### FUNDS RAISED FOR HIGHWAY 1 CUT-OFF ROUTE

Plans for raising between \$7,000 and \$7,500 from cities along the Bankhead route from Thurber to Pecos, to secure parts of the right-of-way for the Weatherford to Strawn 45-mile Highway No. 1 cut-off, were discussed at a meeting at the chamber of commerce here Friday afternoon. Groups from Baird, Putnam and Eastland met with President J. J. Collins, Dr. Charles Hale, P. L. Ullom, F. D. Wright and Sec'y J. E. Spencer, of the local chamber.

It was announced that all right-of-way in Eastland and Erath counties has been secured but that portions of the route in southern Palo Pinto county and in Parker county are unobtainable except through condemnatory proceedings or probate court order. About 75 per cent has been obtained in Parker and 80 per cent in Palo Pinto. The Palo Pinto county commissioners court opposing the cut-off, refused to purchase the necessary right-of-way while the highway commission's policy prevents expenditure of highway funds for the purpose. Consequently, in order to assure construction of the road—which has been definitely promised as soon as the necessary route is completed—the cities along the Bankhead must provide the funds for purchase of the land not obtained by gift.

Eastland and Ranger have already provided their quotas. Other cities represented pledged immediate action to secure their parts of the needed fund.

#### WEATHER

West Texas—Partly cloudy Sunday except unsettled and cooler in Panhandle.

East Texas—Sunday, partly cloudy.

Spring Begins Today.

DALLAS, March 19.—Spring will begin officially in Texas at 1:54 p. m. Sunday, Dr. J. L. Cline, U. S. meteorologist here yesterday, after calculating the vernal equinox to the proper meridian. He expected no unusual weather to accompany the sun's passage north of the equator.

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## DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

A SURE DWELLING PLACE:—Trust in the Lord, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.—Psalm 37: 3. MERCY ASSURED:—He that covereth his sins shall not prosper; but whose confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy.—Proverbs 28: 13.

## GOVERNMENT ASSISTED PIRACY.

Business is interested in the fact that the loans so far made by the Reconstruction Finance corporation are so small. Less than two hundred millions—or one hundred and eighty three millions, to be exact—have been dispensed by Col. Dawes and his board since the government agency for credit liquidation began functioning. Of course the entire \$500,000,000 available at this time and as much money as the corporation could obtain upon debentures, through sale of which its loan fund is expected to be increased, could have been gotten rid of in that period if the corporation had let the bars down and favored all and any who applied. But the RFC is a business institution and wisdom and caution in the administration of its affairs are even more mandatory because of the fact that it is lending government funds.

That the amount of deserved credit extended is so comparatively small is a significant fact. Already the fresh stream of credit that has trickled into the stagnant pools of commerce without confusion or ballyhoo has accomplished healthful results. Bank failures which had reached figures more than alarming have dwindled to normal, bank credits to customers have eased, bonds have strengthened, while a definite check has been placed upon the hoarding reflex and its implications of fear and loss of confidence in financial institutions. Part of the responsibility for this improvement is due the Glass-Steagall measure, liberalizing federal reserve policy, and to other factors of the general program for business revival, but that does not detract from the evidenced fact that it is not so much credit that is needed as it is a restoration of confidence. The mere knowledge that loans from the government agencies of relief are available has been the stimulating factor. While it has loaned only a scant two hundred millions in direct credit, the Reconstruction Finance corporation has been the means of unlocking much greater stores of frozen energy in the normal reservoirs of trade and commerce, and that, after all, is its mission. Once this energy is set in motion it will carry forward of its own momentum and the RFC will have served its function. The quicker that the public agency it is able to drop out of the picture and let business carry on of itself and with its own resources the sooner will the present depression vanish.

But there is one factor in the general picture that deserves critical attention. There must be a uniformity of policy all-down the line if the purpose behind the RFC is to be realized. Eligible institutions receiving credit from the public agency assume an equal responsibility toward those institutions which are dependent upon them for credit and assistance. If the public funds borrowed by insurance companies, building and loan associations and similar lending and investment agencies are used to "freeze out" embarrassed creditors of these institutions and to prosecute a program of virtual confiscation of resources for future exploitation, rather than to assist the harassed owners of such property in working out of their difficulties, then what would otherwise be a beneficial instrumentality becomes a means of oppression. A policy of this stripe is so reprehensible that it ought to be classed as larceny per se and so dealt with.

## GIVE HIM A MEDAL.

The mayor of Los Angeles was recalled with a recall action by the voters of the city because he refused to drink a toast in wine while visiting with a group of American contemporaries in France. France has no prohibition laws—at least so far as wine, women and song, are concerned—and it would not have violated any legal or even ethical presumptions if the doughty mayor had chosen to wet his ultra-dry whistle with the juice of the grape. The American law does not place the inhibition on the drinking but upon the having to drink. If a man has in his possession a stimulating potion he may pour it down his gullet and poison himself to his heart's content for all the law cares—so long as he confines his mischief to himself. The law simply says that the functions necessary to provide the refreshment are illegal. Hence the Los Angeles mayor's explanation that he would observe the American domestic laws while rubber-necking in France sounds a bit peculiar.

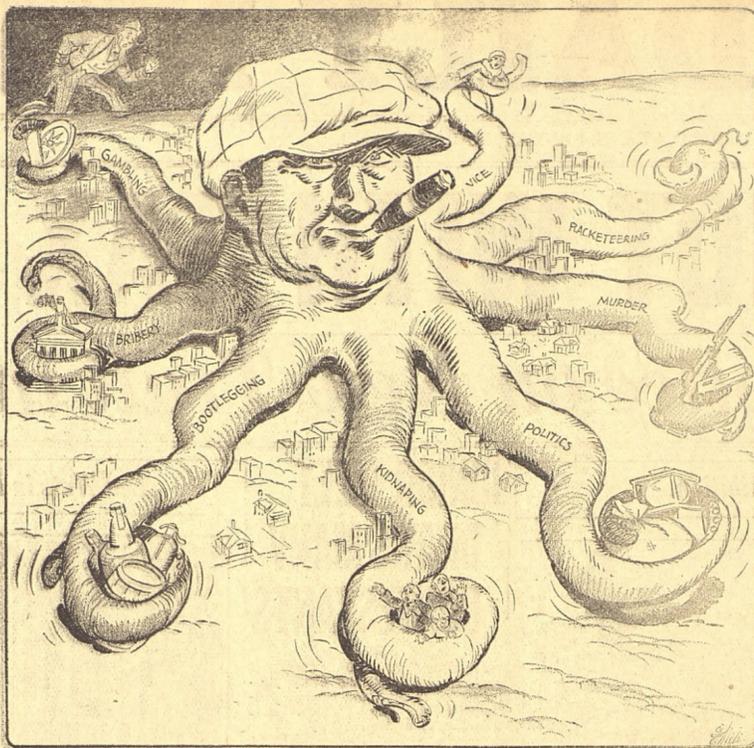
But that isn't the point. Instead of giving their mayor the official gate the Los Angeles electorate should pin a medal on the gentleman. It is refreshing to discover in politics and elsewhere a soul that can be turned inside out and not lose color. Among "hizzoner's" blatant critics we doubt there can be found very many worthy to grace that slender category—their known principles and politics being what they may. We are not attempting to evaluate the mayor's ideals, but the fact that he can keep those ideals intact in practice as in profession is enough to place a mighty high estimation upon his character. We need more of his worthy stripe in American public and private life, and a good deal less of that pliable mold whose principles are so fluid that they will fit any convenient pattern.

If that were true we wouldn't have any glorified gangsters lounging in plush-lined jail cells waiting to be honored by the visits of newspaper colonels.

RUSH OF APPLICANTS. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 19.—With the annual citizens' military training camp period three months away, applications of candidates are already far ahead of last year, with 512 ready on file and more than 1,000 expected.

EAGLE CAUGHT. ALBANY, Ore., March 19.—A lamb-killing eagle was captured alive here. The bird, of an undetermined species, measured seven feet, two inches from tip to tip of its wings. Its beak is 2½ inches long.

## "The Crime Trust!"



## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON DEATH ON THE CROSS

Text: John 10:17-22, 25-30. The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for March 20.

By Wm. E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of The Congregationalist.

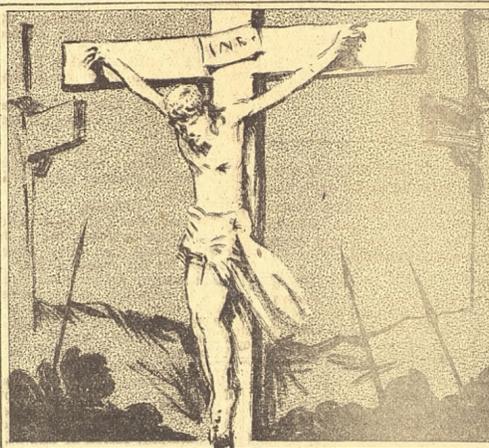
One does not speak of the death of Jesus on the cross as the most "tragic" event, for other men have died upon the cross and other men have suffered similarly cruel destruction. Nor is the significance of the death of Jesus found only in the fact that he was dying for truths sake. Other men have suffered martyrdom through cruel and terrible forms of death.

What makes the death of Jesus upon the cross significant above all other tragic events in history is the relationship of that incident to the whole life and mission of Jesus, to his ministry on earth, his teaching and the fellowship of Christian souls which in the Christian church has been built up into an organized body of witnesses to his name and to his power.

The momentous place of Jesus in the purpose of his death and in all that it has meant to mankind His martyrdom is supreme among the martyrdoms of those whose lives have been sown as the seeds of truth and of progress.

The cross of Jesus, also, finds its significance in that law of sacrifice illustrated in all humanity's lesser experiences of trial, renunciation and martyrdom. That law of life, so amply illustrated in the history of the race, has never been explained.

Jesus himself continuously emphasized in his teaching the law and purpose of sacrifice, but he never explained its meaning, nor why it should be necessary. In a



world such as ours love is inseparable from sacrifice, and all that Jesus was and all that Jesus did, has reference to the eternal love of God. Equally certain, from every survey of life and history, is the fact that sacrifice for righteous ends, and in behalf of love and truth, is the greatest force in human progress and is inextricably associated with the power of salvation. Those who rallied upon Jesus as he hung upon the cross said sneeringly, "He saved others; himself he cannot save." There was a measure of truth in the contemptuous saying. Jesus could save others only by giving himself. Again and again in the history of humanity men and women have been able to save others only by giving themselves. Sometimes it has been true in a physical sense. They have given their physical life that others might live. Sometimes it has been true not merely of a physical life nor of any one event and incident, but they have saved others only by the giving of their lives in obedience to a long course and demand of sacrifice. It is these experiences of life that

find their inspiration in the death of Jesus himself. The cross on which he died, in the gloom and darkness of a terrible hour, has become a light, illumining the lives of men and women, and pointing the way not only to God but to humanity's highest goal of happy and triumphant living. It is through sacrifice that we find the highest life and the way of Christ's cross is the way to the noblest attainment.

## COMPLETES PLANE.

DETROIT, March 19.—A giant airplane, believed the largest land plane ever constructed, has been completed in the aircraft plant of the Ford Motor company, Dearborn. Officials plan a test flight in the immediate future.

## LASTED 47 DAYS.

MEMPHIS, March 19.—Trial records were broken here recently when a murder trial involving five men lasted for 47 days and the cost to the state was estimated at \$7,000. Four convictions were obtained, one man being freed.

## Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco Daily News and Cisco American and Roundup are authorized to make the following announcements subject to the democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For District Judge, 88th Judicial District of Eastland County: J. D. BARKER, B. W. PATTERSON, FRANK SPARKS

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (Re-election)

For District Clerk: P. L. CROSSLEY, W. H. (BILL) McDONALD (Re-election)

For County Clerk: WALTER GRAY, W. C. BEDFORD

Commissioner Precinct No. 4: L. H. QUALLS, ARCH BINT, BIRT BRITAIN (Re-election)

For City Commissioner (Three to be elected April 5, 1932): J. H. STAMPS, W. R. SIMMONS, W. R. (BOB) WINSTON, H. C. HENDERSON, GEORGE D. FEE (Re-election), W. J. DONOVAN (Re-election), J. R. BURNETT (Re-election)

## Sen. Connally Loses Race With Death

WACO, March 19.—Sen. Tom Connally, speeding through the midwest lost a race with death today to the bedside of his 87-year-old mother, Mrs. Mary E. Connally. She died at her home near Eddy, 20 miles southeast of here, early today while the train carrying the Texas junior senator, her only son, was crossing Indiana. The senator will arrive here tomorrow afternoon in time for the funeral.

Mrs. Connally had been ill for two years following injuries in a fall. Besides the one son she is survived by six married daughters.

## ANNOUNCES MEETING.

LENINGRAD, March 19.—The spring session of the Academy of Science will be held in Novosibirsk, the metropolis of the new Siberia, it is announced here. The development of western problem discussed by the Academy at this gathering. Vast new industrial problems are under way in this region.

## Sterling Petitioned To Seek Re-Election

AUSTIN, March 19.—Madera Canyon "Sterling for Governor" club is the first out with a petition to Gov. Sterling asking him to run for re-election. The governor received the petition on the way between El Paso and Austin. He said he had not answered it. All efforts of newspaper correspondents to get an expression from him at this time were parried.

## Bus Station Is In New Quarters

The Greyhound bus station quarters here are being temporarily removed from the Laguna hotel building to the Manhattan cafe on South D avenue. Alford Carroll is agent in charge of the station.

## TWO MAJOR CAUSES.

SALEM, Ore., March 19.—Two major causes account for nearly all pedestrian automobile deaths, the

state traffic department has learned. "Children playing in the streets" and "walking out from behind parked cars" are the two fatal classifications.

## TO EDIT REVIEW

CLEBURNE, March 19.—Texas Christian university journalism students will have full charge of the Times-Review here Tuesday April 5 under direction of Prof. Willard Poole, editor of the paper.

## SECOND REFINERY

ODESSA, March 19.—A second Reever county gasoline refinery is being built at Arno, southwest of here. It is being built by the Mentone Oil Refining company and will handle 1,000 barrels of crude oil daily.

## LEGION ROWE

ODESSA, March 19.—Members of Earl S. Bailey Post 430 of the American Legion will conduct a Memorial Day rodeo here May 30. Prize money of more than \$1,000 will be distributed to winners in various events.

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### FOURTH WEST TEXAS BAND CONTEST NEAR

ABILENE, March 19. — Plans are under way for the fourth annual West Texas high school band contest to be held at Simmons university April 30 under the auspices of the Cowboy band. Announcements have been sent to schools by Prof. D. O. Wiley, Cowboy band director in charge of the tournament, and 15 or more high schools are expected to take part.

The contest will be divided into four classes. Class A will include band from schools which have enrollments of 750 or more, Class B those of 250 to 500 enrollment, Class C those of less than 250 and Class D those schools which have had bands organized only one year.

A solo contest is being added this year. Players will compete in their own high school class and against players of the same instrument.

Loving cups will be given as prizes to the winning schools. Solo winners of first and second place will receive bronze and silver medals.

Fourteen bands were entered last year. Cisco won the Class A contest, Colorado Class B, Wink class C, and Breckenridge Class D. Other schools entered were: Lubbock Abilene, Ranger, Midland, Snyder, Ballinger, Albany, Bronte, Haskell and Wichita Falls.

### Sunday Services at The Churches

#### GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Corner Sixteenth street and F avenue. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Topic for morning services: "Continuing in the Faith"; for the evening service: "Father, Into Thy Hands I Commit My Spirit." An English service will be conducted Thursday at which service Holy Communion will be celebrated. Topic for this service: "Jesus Washing the Disciples' Feet." A service will also be conducted on Good Friday at 7:30 p. m. during which service the Passion history will be read, and appropriate hymns will be sung. We invite you to attend all these services.—ARTHUR RATHJEN, Pastor.

#### HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

Mass today will be at 10 a. m. by Rev. P. Ruano. Lenten devotions will be held on Tuesday at 8 p. m. by Rev. M. Collins. There will be no catechism on Easter Saturday. The Way of the Cross will be recited on Friday evening at 8 by Rev. P. Ruano. There will be devotions in Ranger on Sunday, Wednesday Thursday and Friday at 8 p. m. and on Thursday and Friday there will be High Mass at 7:30; and on Saturday at 7 a. m.

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 8:45. S. N. Nance, superintendent. Preaching at 10:40 by the Rev. J. D. Henderson. Young peoples services at the regular hour. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by Dr. Colburn H. Booth.

#### EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Palm Sunday services at 4 p. m. Holy communion Monday at 10 a. m. Rev. C. A. Beesley, priest in charge.

#### TWELFTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. C. B. Diltz, conducting a revival series of services at the Twelfth Street Methodist church preached to congregations that filled the church Friday and Saturday evenings. His subject last night was "Repentance." This morning he will preach on "The Christian Home." There will be special music for the morning services including a solo by Rigdon Edwards. The evening services will begin at 7:30. The Epworth League will meet at 6:30 with Lois Taylor as leader. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. The public is invited to attend these services.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

The subject of the lesson sermon is "Matter" in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, Sunday, March 20. Psalms 46:10 furnishes the golden text: "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth." The following passages from the Bible (II Peter 3:10,13) are included in the lesson-sermon: "The heavens shall pass away with a great noise, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness." Embraced in the service are also the following citations from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy—pages 267, 572 (L. 1-5) (L. 17-18): "Every object in material thought will be destroyed, but the spiritual idea, whose substance is in Mind, is eternal. The offspring of God start not from matter or ephemeral dust. They are in and of Spirit, divine Mind, and so forever continue. . . . Under the supremacy of Spirit will be seen and acknowledged that matter must disappear."

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### Pilots Killed in Midnight Crash



When a plane carrying five pilots of the Century Air Lines crashed at Curtiss-Steinberg flying field, East St. Louis, L. Atkinson, left and John S. Kirk, both shown above, were killed. Both were residents of Chicago. Kirk was the father of five children. The pilots had been hired in place of others who were discharged when they refused to take a wage cut. The new men were practicing night flying and crashed shortly after midnight.

### In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

William Gibbs McAdoo is flying from California to Texas. He will hit the Texas trail in the shadows of the Alamo tonight where he will be the principal speaker at a banquet tendered by the Garner for President club. Frank Davis of San Antonio, for many years as close to William Jennings Bryan as any Texan and ever a stalwart backer of the presidential aspirations of McAdoo, extended the invitation to the Californian. He will eulogize Speaker Garner and then fly to the bayou city where he will be the honored guest of the Salesman club Saturday and where he will say many complimentary words concerning the Texan and perhaps indulge in reminiscences of other days.

Texas has a federal reserve bank at Dallas. Texas has a federal land bank at Houston. As secretary of the treasury McAdoo was given credit by Texas friends for having delivered the two big prizes to two Texas cities. In 1920 he was given an instructed delegation, and the delegates battled for McAdoo for president in the Golden Gate city of California until his flag was furled. In 1924 he was given an instructed delegation for a second time. It is a matter of history that the delegates stood for him until his flag was furled for a second time. Thomas B. Love and other close friends of the distinguished Californian will foregather at Houston Saturday and the result of the conference may be felt later along in the political arena of Texas.

It is the queerest line-up in recent political history. In California Hearst and McAdoo are political bedfellows, out for the scalp of Franklin D. Roosevelt, and all other eastern candidates. Alfred E. Smith in the far east is out for the scalp of the New York governor and perhaps ready to accept a presidential nomination if it is possible for him to grab it.

Hearst and McAdoo are the implacable political enemies of Smith. They have as little use for Mayor Frank Hague of New Jersey who is very close to Smith and his plan and who is likewise the absolute dictator of the democratic party of New Jersey. A glance at the files reveals a statement by Col. Arthur Brisbane that Mayor Hague is the most intellectual, astute and resourceful director of democratic campaigns of all the political bosses in the Thomas Jefferson wigwam. Really the democratic party very much resembles the Mexican army in the days of Carranza—a brigadier for every private.

Speaking of the "irrepressible conflict," the house of representatives refused by a 227 to 187 vote to consider a state control prohibition amendment to the constitution of the United States. Ninety-seven republicans and 90 democrats voted for admission. They were defeated by a combination of 114 democrats, 112 republicans, and the farmer-laborite representative from Minnesota. Of course the leaders of the wet blue knew that they were going to be defeated on a showdown, but they were determined to place all representatives on record regardless of what happened. Twenty members did not vote. Speaker Garner did not vote. Why should he? It is customary for a speaker to abstain from voting unless he is called upon to break a tie. Speaker Garner walked in the footprints of his predecessors. Three Texas congressmen voted for submission; James P. Buchanan of Brenham; Richard Kleberg of Corpus Christi; John J. Mansfield of Columbus. Two Texas congressmen did not vote—Sam Rayburn of Bonham and Guinn Williams of Decatur. Rep. Rayburn is said to be on his way to Texas. He was named by the Alamo Garner conference chairman of the national organization.

The national anti-saloon league and allied organizations have invaded Texas to shell the woods for the pro cause. This happens every four years. All the representatives or crusaders are veteran campaigners, persuasive talkers, and know the practical side of politics as well as the moral side of the issue. Texas has constitutional prohibition, Texas has the Dean law, which is one of the most drastic ever enacted. If the 18th amendment were repealed tomorrow and the Volstead act thrown in the political discard ditch, Texas would continue under the rule of constitutional prohibition and the Dean law would be functioning just the same.

There are four women and 21 men entered as candidates in the congressional free for all. In the list are five to eight who marched out of the democratic camp in 1928 and enlisted as soldiers under the republican banner. There is a democratic entrant in Houston who is a very unique character, Joseph A. Eagle. Eagle spent eight years in congress as a democrat from the Houston district. He helped to write and pass the federal reserve act. He helped to pass the federal land bank act. Indeed, he helped to pass many of the noted acts of the Wilson administration. He quit congress of his own accord. Now he is out for congress-at-large. He voted against the prohibition amendment in congress. He is ready to vote to repeal the amendment. This is his advice to the democratic voters of Texas:

"I do not want any man or woman to vote for me without knowing how I stand on any and all questions. Make the other candidate or candidates come out in the open also. Cowards have no proper place in congress. Your liberty, your living, the future of your families are all at stake. Some congressman merely want to draw the salaries, take life easy, make promises, agree with everybody and do nothing. Don't let them treat you that way any longer. Make them take a stand on every issue. Don't let weak men draw your pay and ruin you, just because they belong to this or that, or the other church, club, so-

## HOOKS AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

#### Red Sox Personal

HUGH DUFFY was manager of the Chicago White Sox in 1910, the year that John "Shauno" Collins came to the Chicago club as a raw rookie.

Ten years later the Boston Red Sox traded Harry Hooper, one of the greatest outfielders that ever lived, to the White Sox for Nemo Leibold and Shauno Collins.

Ten years after that, Shauno Collins was named manager of the Red Sox, and one of his first official deeds was the employment of Hugh Duffy as spring training coach. Now Shauno orders Hugh to run around the park every day before practice, just as Hugh used to chase Shauno around the premises 22 years ago.

That isn't just a joke, either. Hugh Duffy, who now must be in at least his 67th year (some there are who say he played baseball that long), actually sprinted around the park at the Red Sox training base in Savannah, Ga., the other day, and came up without a deep breath. He eats shrimp cocktails, too.

#### DID YOU KNOW THAT—

ROY SPENCER, the catching gent who has seen practically all of the Washington pitching the last few seasons, will bet dough that Bump Hadley will be the winningest twirler in Chicago White Stockings this season. . . . To be dropped off a flag contender to a tall-order isn't a ballplayer's idea of a lucky break, but Spencer says it tickled Hadley. . . . for the Bump believes he'll be sitting pretty when he helps lift the Sox out of the cellar. . . . and about Sad Sam Jones, who really isn't sad, Lu Blue would bet that 40-year-old Sam can outstep 90 per cent of the White Sox in training at San Antonio.

#### Bits About Bits

"BITS" BIERHALTER, trainer and connoisseur of medicated muds, is the health and strength of the Red Sox party. He applies his peculiar paste to cuts, sprains, bruises and abrasions alike. The strange thing about it is that it works.

Horace Lisenbee, Red Sox pitcher, cut a deep gash in his foot on a piece of glass that somehow the zealous officials of the Savannah Chamber of Commerce overlooked in one of the shower baths. Bits brought out his magic mud. Overnight Lisenbee's wound was healed.

How do you suppose Bits Bierhalter got that nickname? Well, years ago in his home town, Columbus, O., the young man invaded a bookie joint with one silver dollar—and ran it up to \$125 in four races. The name of the fourth horse was "Two Bits."

#### Moore Still Gambling

WILCOY MOORE, Red Sox pitcher, still maintains a mule at his premises in Hollis, Okla., and the beast's name is Babe Ruth. A few years ago, when Moore's relief pitching was winning a pennant for the Yankees, Babe Ruth wagered with Wilcoy Moore that he would not get four hits all season.

Moore won the bet with a silly grounder along the third base line near the end of the season, and, with the profit earned by his gambling, bought a mule.

Now Moore has stirred up a feud with young Edward "Bull" Durham, the promising kid pitcher with the Red Sox. "Bull" has placed \$25 on the line that he gets more hits this season than Wilcoy.

Last year between them, Moore and Durham amassed approximately seven hits, compiling a joint batting average of something like .024. Most of the hits, of course, really were errors, credited to their account by lackadaisical scorekeepers probably bored by the summer heat.

#### Medford, Ore., March 18.

Heavy snows crushed the roofs of privately owned summer lodges at Medford this winter a ski party we are going to save ourselves and our country from ruin and chaos."



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A fighting product of modern China, General Tsai Ting-kai, young commander of the heroic 19th Route army, is shown in his latest picture above. It was taken during one of his frequent tours through the battle area as his Cantonese troops fought off the drive of Japan's invading forces, north of Shanghai.

### Young Roman Directs Hose SON OF "OLD ROMAN" WATCHES CHARGES DRILL AT TEXAS TRAINING SITE

The fact that Lou Comiskey, right, is larger than the average big league magnate, doesn't mean that the Chicago White Sox are syndicate-owned. Neither are they to be anchored in the American League cellar by Lou's weight. The son of the "Old Roman," now the sole owner of the club, believes in personally directing his team. This photo of him was snapped as he watched the Sox in conditioning drills at their Texas training camp.



### BIRT BRITAIN SEEKS COUNTY COMM'R POST

Birt Britain, Cisco, Saturday announced that he is a candidate for re-election as commissioner of precinct No. 4, Eastland county. In announcing Mr. Britain thanked the voters for their support in previous campaigns and urged that they consider him for another term upon the basis of his record in the office. He declined to make a detailed statement of his acts, pointing out that not only has his administration of the office been in the public view but also that the records of proceedings of the commissioners court are open for inspection by any voter who may desire to examine them.

He pointed out, as a taxpayer himself, that the real tax burden of the county lies in its bonded indebtedness, but pledged himself to use his best efforts to reduce to a minimum the operating expenses of the county government.

His statement of candidacy is:

#### Announcement

In making my announcement as a candidate for the nomination of county commissioner of precinct No. 4, I do not deem it necessary to make a detailed statement of my acts as a member of the commissioners court of Eastland county. The records of the proceedings of the court are open for inspection by any voter who may desire to examine them.

The public roads in precinct No. 4 show for themselves what I have done as road supervisor in the way of construction and maintenance. In putting down the base on highway No. 23 north of Cisco, using local labor, I completed the job for approximately \$12,000.00 less than the estimate made by the engineers of the State Highway department, thus saving the county this amount.

As a taxpayer I feel the burden of taxation as other taxpayers feel it. All are agreed that every reasonable means should be used to reduce the expenses of government and lighten the burden. Our tax levies for the various county funds for this year are as follows: Jury fund, 8 cents on the \$100 valuation; road and bridge fund, 15 cents; general fund, 25 cents; courthouse and jail fund, 10 cents; courthouse interest and sinking fund, 6 cents; road bond interest and sinking fund, \$1.20; and special hospital maintenance fund, 2 cents, making a total levy for county purposes of \$1.86. Sixty cents of this total is for the general running expenses of the county and the remaining \$1.26 is for bonded debts. It is evident that our real tax burden lies in our bonded debt from which it is hoped that our next legislature will give us some relief. In the meantime I shall use my best efforts as a member of the commissioners court to reduce to the minimum the operating expenses of the county government.

I invite you to examine my official record without bias or prejudice and if you find I have made you an efficient and faithful commissioner your influence as well as your vote at the coming primary is earnestly solicited, and I assure you will be highly appreciated.

### TEXAS TOPICS

By RAYMOND BROOKS  
AUSTIN, March 19.—Rice M. Tilley former first assistant attorney general, has told Gov. Ross S. Sterling the practice of enjoining enforcement of state laws can be curbed by a simple statute that would require a three-judge state court, including one supreme court member to hold a hearing before any court could set aside a statute. Then if the law were enjoined it would have the presumption of permanently going off the statute books.

The same thing that put British government into the hands of the conservatives, the regulation of Hitlerism in Germany, that rejected the radical proposals of Gov. Murray in Oklahoma, stands as a safeguard in Texas against the state's going back into the hands of extremists. That is a desire for security, a reaction against the rosy promises of radicalism, a healthy restoration of people's minds to fundamental principles and away from frothy promises.

There is no agency now in any county in Texas that has on record, or that could get on record, short of exhaustive and costly investigations, the complete list of people employed by districts, precincts, cities, school, counties, the state and federal government.

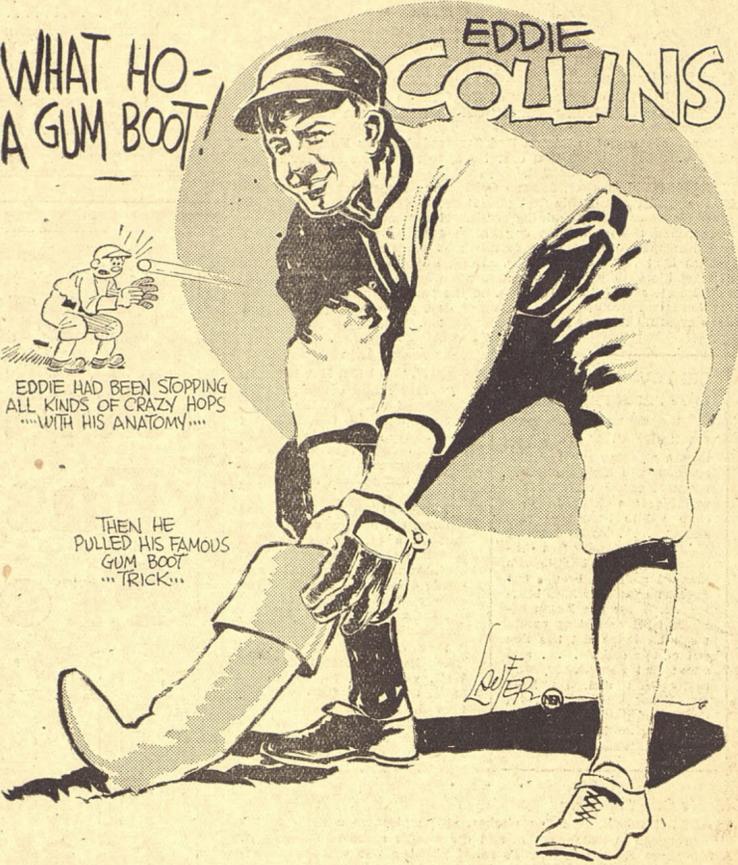
"How are they going to get in the race in which they will have the opponents they prefer?" is being asked of the congress-at-large candidates.

Will the candidates have to file for specific numbered places, or will they be sorted out by the state committee? Can they change over from one to another of the places at will before the lists close June 7? Many interesting questions here. All the candidates may line up for a wild scramble on closing day, each waiting to see which race the other will choose.

Anyway, it is for the best interest of Texas that the candidates shall have to run through a second primary, when necessary, and become actual plurality nominees. The free-for-all principle is repugnant to the spirit of Texas election laws; and the democratic committee was guided by sound judgment in requiring the races for numbered places.

Suggestion was made recently by

### BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



THEY ALL LAUGHED WHEN EDDIE COLLINS showed his disgust at the condition of the Chicago White Sox playing field. After a miserable day at second, when he had stopped bad hops with various parts of his anatomy, Collins came to the park early. He had borrowed a fireman's gum boot, which he buried under the turf

about 10 feet back of second base. On his first fielding chance that afternoon, Eddie sprawled headlong, picked himself up and went to the spot where the mishap occurred. The crowd howled its delight when Collins pulled the boot out of the ground. Old man Comiskey was a spectator, and the next day the infield was fixed.

### ST. JOHN MAY BE ASPIRANT TO 107TH SEAT

Possibility that another candidate would toss his hat into the ring vacated by Victor B. Gilbert was seen here Saturday when rumors predicted the announcement of Will St. John as a candidate for floridial representative of the 107th district, comprising Eastland and Callahan counties.

St. John is a son of the late R. A. St. John, a political power in this section in his day where he was noted as a democratic leader. The elder St. John served as postmaster at Cisco under the Wilson regime.

Although Will has never offered himself as a candidate for a political office he has always taken an active interest in politics. At one time, while quite young lad, just prior to the oil boom that swept over this section, he served by appointment as county attorney for Terry county, then just organized and the scene of expanding railroad development as the Panhandle and Sante Fe pushed a new line southward.

He returned to this county as the oil boom broke and continued here, engaged in various enterprises connected with the rail and gas development.

If he enters the race for the Gilbert place the Cisco man will probably find himself arrayed against Ben L. Russell, Jr., of Baird, the son of another well-known political leader of the oil belt, Judge Ben L. Russell. Russell according to a quite definite rumor, will also seek the place. Others to contend with will be Cecil A. Lotief and Cleve Calloway, of Cross Plains, and Tip Ross, of Gorman, the latter having two sessions to his credit as a representative.

#### YOUTH BEATS VETERANS.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 19.—Veteran bowlers took a beating when 15-year-old Joe McManus who had bowled but for a month rolled 179 in competition here. He weighs less than 100 pounds.

#### JOURNALISM CONGRESS.

BELTON, March 19.—Students and faculty members from 13 colleges and universities in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana will attend the 1932 meeting of the Southwestern Journalism Congress at Baylor college here April 8 and 9. Miss Helen Zene Wortman of Baylor is president.

Parker county, introduced the "rocking-chair" campaign plan this year. . . . It seems to be working out, so far, except that he hasn't even started rocking yet. . . . But then his opponents the Fergusons have also delayed the starting of their usual campaign fireworks.

Gov. Sterling that he adopt a "rocking-chair" campaign plan this year. . . . It seems to be working out, so far, except that he hasn't even started rocking yet. . . . But then his opponents the Fergusons have also delayed the starting of their usual campaign fireworks.

Rep. Victor B. Gilbert, coming to the statehouse as assistant director of motor transportation of the railroad commission, a post held by the man who is legal counsel for motor transportation matters, brings to the administrative service a record of achievement in the legislative branch of government. . . . He served for two years as chairman of revenue and taxation; and he has served on all the principal committees of the house, and has sponsored many far-reaching tax bills.

lawn where, before the addresses, the Eastland Booster Band played. R. B. Hood, of Weatherford, a candidate for congressman-at-large, and W. B. Collie, of Eastland, a candidate for the state senate, spoke during the morning in the interest of their candidacies.

The crowd of between 700 and 800 included Murray supporters from numerous towns and cities over west and central Texas. They heard the addresses from a platform erected on the south side of the court house

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# The dime-a-dance girl

BY JOAN CLAUTON

## BEGIN HERE TODAY

Ellen Rossiter, beautiful 29-year-old, falls in love with Larry Harrowgate, an artist whom she met at Dreamland where Ellen works as a dance hall hostess. Larry is engaged to Elizabeth Boves, a debutante, but she shows attention to Ellen until his fiancée returns from Europe.

Believing Larry is lost to her, Ellen agrees to marry Steven Barclay 37 years old and wealthy, who has paid hospital expenses for her brother, Mike injured in a street accident. Ellen knows such a marriage will provide for her mother, Molly Rossiter, and make it possible for her sister, Myra, to marry Bert Armstead.

Barclay has been married and divorced. Scandal accompanied his divorce from Leda Grayson, dancer and actress, fearing this talk may be revived and Ellen agree to keep their marriage secret until they sail for Europe. Barclay wants to settle a fortune on Ellen but she persuades him to wait until after the ceremony. Barclay's lawyer, Symes regards Ellen as a gold-digger.

In a double marriage in a small Connecticut town Barclay and Ellen and Myra and Armstead are married. They depart and almost immediately Symes arrives, demanding to see Barclay. No one knows where the couple have gone.

Ellen and Barclay drive to his Long Island home. The girl is terrified, knows her marriage has been a mistake. She reads in a newspaper that Larry's engagement to Elizabeth Boves is broken. Barclay comes to Ellen's bedroom. The girl faints from terror, revovers consciousness to find that her husband has suffered a heart attack. She calls for help and doctors and nurses arrive. Symes arrives, Ellen believes her husband is dying and is overwhelmed with grief.

Ellen bowed her head, sent up a silent and grateful prayer. She felt confident and strong, believing that she could snatch him back from death. Steven's heavy hand was on her hair, rested against her cheek. She knew he was struggling to speak and shook her head. She whispered that he must be quiet, man's eyes turned to Symes and seemed to call the lawyer to the bedside. Symes drew closer.

Ellen did not see the faces of the watching physicians. She did not know that no matter how passionate Steven's desire to live might be he had no chance. His overtaxed heart was beating more and more slowly.

"Let him talk, Mrs. Barclay," said one of the watchers. "It can do no harm now."

At that Ellen knew. She knelt on the floor, stroking Steven's hand as the slow, bitter tears she restrained seemed to drop one by one on her hair.

"Symes," Steven's voice barely stirred the stillness.

"Here I am old man," Symes said heavily. "It's all right," he told the dying man. "Don't worry about the settlements. I'll take care of — Mrs. Barclay. Everything shall be as you wished."

The lawyer stepped back from the pool of light circling the bed. Ellen was to have those last few minutes alone with Steven. She clung to his hand more tightly. No one thought he would speak again. Slowly he was sinking into the darkness. Just before the end his lips moved again. The words were barely above a whisper.

"Smile — my darling — smile for me."

Ellen smiled.

The rest was nightmare. The girl remembered being taken away from the bedroom. She remembered crying because Steven was dead and crying for her mother and that presently someone told her her mother would come. She remembered drinking something hot and refusing food brought to her on a tray.

The nurse came and went from the room where Ellen lay, huddled on the golden divan on which Steven had sat the night before. Outside the sky was of brass and not a breath of wind stirred. Ellen cried softly, steadily, endlessly, with a horrible conviction that her tears would never stop. Why was Molly so long in coming? Ellen needed her desperately.

After a while Fergus appeared and said that Symes would like to see her. Ellen arose and went into the green and gold bath and dashed

cold water on her face. She managed to stop crying.

Fergus was still waiting when she returned.

"Did you telephone my mother?" she asked.

"The butler only looked at her a little strangely from his sunken eyes and hurried out the door. She felt a little surprised at his manner but that was all. When Symes strode into the room her face was pale, ravaged with fatigue and tears, but it wore a valiant smile.

"Sit down, my dear," the lawyer told her. "I know you've had a terrible ordeal."

"The note of sympathy in his voice, the first she had heard that morning, almost blotted Ellen's self-control. She wondered why she had thought once that she disliked Symes.

"That's good of you," she said forlornly. "I've been crying and crying—oh, if only there were something I could do for him!"

"There is," Symes told her. "You can be brave."

"I know," she said, raising helpless, childish eyes to him. "I'm — I'm trying but it only my mother would get here—"

The man hesitated, cleared his throat, looked with infinite pity at the little figure before him. He drew her, unresisting, to the sofa beside him, cleared his throat and again felt silent. At last he spoke.

"Your mother isn't coming."

"She's not coming?" Ellen repeated and felt a cold hand on her heart.

"What is it?" she cried in a loud, strange voice. "Is it my brother? Is he worse? Is that what you're keeping from me?"

Her hands trembled and her eyes were pits of horror as though she could not bear this second calamity.

"No, it's not that," Symes was quick to reassure her. "Your brother's in no danger. I asked Fergus not to carry out your request because I think it would be better if I took you to your mother."

Ellen shook her head as though she could not understand what he was saying.

"My place is here with my husband," she insisted, clasping and unclasping her cold hands.

"My dear child," Symes said painfully, "we're making this uncommonly difficult for me, but I must tell you."

Again Ellen felt herself in the grip of rising horror. Symes' eyes frightened her.

"Go on," she whispered.

"Her bravery wrung the man's heart. He had not known it could be so hard.

"There's a technicality about the marriage," he muttered in an uncertain note in his voice. "I think it would be best for you to avoid reporters for a few days."

"If it's about the money," Ellen said slowly, her pale cheeks flushing, "I told Steven and I told you too that I don't care about it. He—did so much for me before. I don't want any more. I just want to be with him till the end—"

"It isn't about the money," Symes said, avoiding her eyes. His glance was on the tips of his trim, immaculate boots. "It's about the marriage."

Ellen's bewildered eyes were watching him.

"I don't know what you mean," she said in a nervous effort "but if it's something about the license, we didn't get one. The minister was going to mail it later—"

Symes resisted with difficulty the pleading, frightened glance. He felt the girl's cold, desperate fingers tugging at his wrist.

"I tried to reach Steven yesterday," he explained fumblingly, cursing himself for his lack of ease. "I tried all last evening but he wouldn't answer the telephone. He didn't know what I wanted. Yesterday Leda Grayson had Steven's divorce from her set aside. Ten days ago she slipped down to the Mexican court that granted it, bridled someone and well — that's all. I only heard the news yesterday afternoon but the papers last night and this morning were full of it."

"That means?" Ellen whispered whitening. "Oh, no — it can't mean that!" she cried out desperately. "Why were we married in a church, he and I, by a minister? Mother was there and Myra — so it can't mean that. It can't!"

"I'm afraid it does," Symes told her wearily. "There's liable to be an ugly scandal and I can do nothing for you. You'll have to keep a stiff upper lip. We'll do all we can, of course."

"But I don't understand at all!" Ellen said brokenly.

"Steven secured a Mexican divorce," Symes explained patiently. "It was against my advice, against advice of all his friends and advisers. He wanted to protect that woman he married. He could have divorced her in this state easily but he chose Mexico. Mexican divorces are recognized in New York only if both parties consent to them."

"But she must have consented," Ellen said. "Steven wouldn't have—"

"She did consent," the lawyer responded. "She signed the papers, releasing all claim on him forever."

"Then papers have disappeared from Steven's safe. In some way — don't know how — anyway she got hold of them. She went to Mexico had the court records lifted and swore she'd never had service. There's no legal proof she did because she's done away with it."

"But I — I don't understand at all!" Ellen said painfully, feeling this burning humiliation, this final indignity would kill her.

"You must understand and be

brave. If Steven were living the whole thing could be fought out in court with him to stand back of you. As it is, you stand alone. Unless the papers are found, and I doubt that they can be Leda Grayson has the prior claim. I'm afraid the courts will side with her. New York courts always frown on divorces obtained outside their jurisdiction."

"You mean everyone will think Steven knew or I knew all the time he wasn't free?" Ellen heard herself saying.

Symes hesitated, was silent. Ellen knew the lawyer believed that the world would never accept her story of the night in Steven's home. (To Be Continued)

**WORKED FARM**  
INDIANA, Pa., March 18.—John P. Martin, 55, husked 1,000 bushels of corn and plowed 15 acres of his land in Rayne township this season.

**TWIN CALVES BORN**  
SCOTT'S BLUFF, Neb., March 18.—There are twin calves on the G. H. Kellet ranch near here, yet the calves were born to the mother cow ten days apart.

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No. 3 ..... 12:20 p. m.  
No. 1 "Sunshine Special" ..... 4:57 d. m.

East Bound  
No. 6 ..... 4:13 a. m.  
No. 16 "The Texan" ..... 10:20 a. m.  
No. 4 ..... 4:25 p. m.

**C. & N. E.**

Leaves Cisco ..... 5:00 a. m.  
Arrive Breckenridge ..... 6:30 a. m.  
Arrive Throckmorton ..... 9:20 a. m.  
Leaves Throckmorton ..... 10:00 a. m.  
Arrive Breckenridge ..... 11:50 a. m.  
Leaves Breckenridge ..... 12:20 p. m.  
Arrive Cisco ..... 1:50 p. m.

**SUNDAY**

Leave Cisco ..... 5:00 a. m.  
Arrive Cisco ..... 10:55 a. m.

**M. K. & T.**

North Bound  
No. 55 Ar. 12:20 p. m.; Lv. 1:05 p. m.  
South Bound  
No. 30 ..... 8:40 a. m.

**Announcements**

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome President H. S. DRUMWRIGHT; secretary J. E. SPENCER.

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION.**

Notice is hereby given that the General Election for the City of Cisco, Texas, will be held on Tuesday, April 5th, 1932, at the city hall, for the election of three City Commissioners by order of the City Commission.

(Signed) J. T. BERRY, Mayor.

Attest: J. B. CATE, City Secretary.

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  - Fox Films 3 1-4.
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  - Stan. Oil Ind. 16.

**TOMATO CROP.**  
MEDFORD, Ore., March 19.—This southern end of the Rogue River Valley, famed for its pears, will also produce one of the largest crops of tomatoes in its history this coming season, growers predicted. One Ashland cannery alone expects to pack 50,000 cases.

**ALL ON SAME DAY.**  
BOSTON, March 19.—Mrs. Mary Shruhan and her three children all celebrate their birthdays on the same day. The mother was born March 2, 1906. Rita was born March 2, 1925. Robert and Richard, twins, were born March 2, 1929.

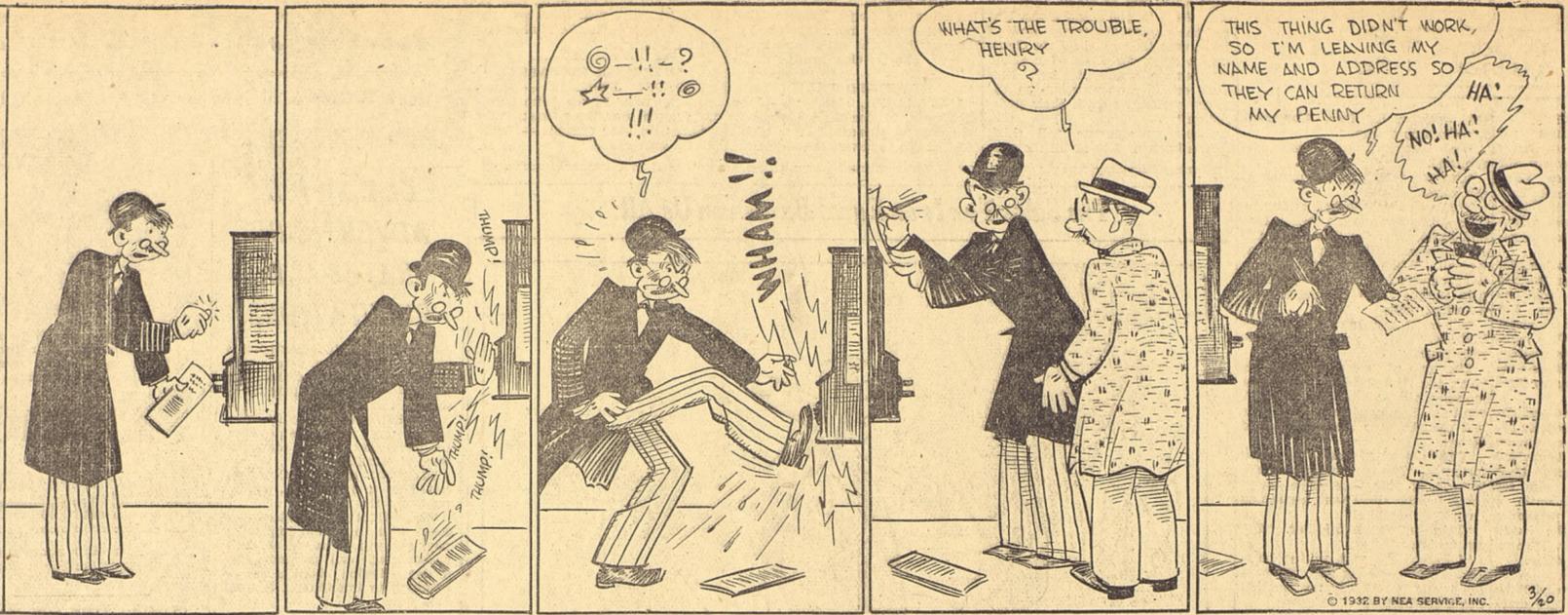
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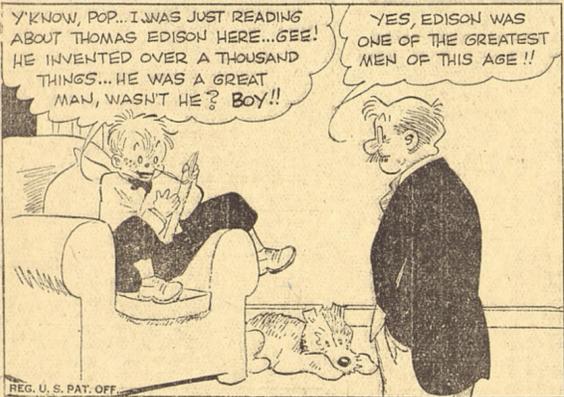
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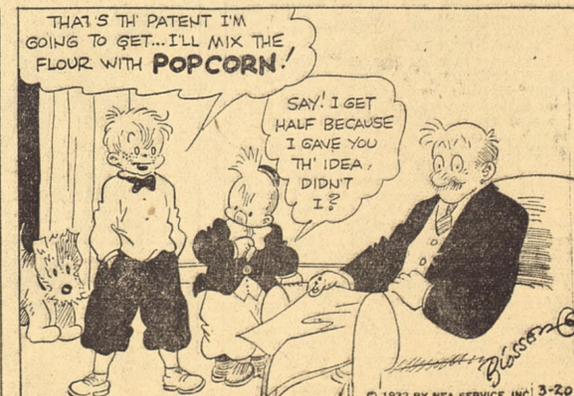
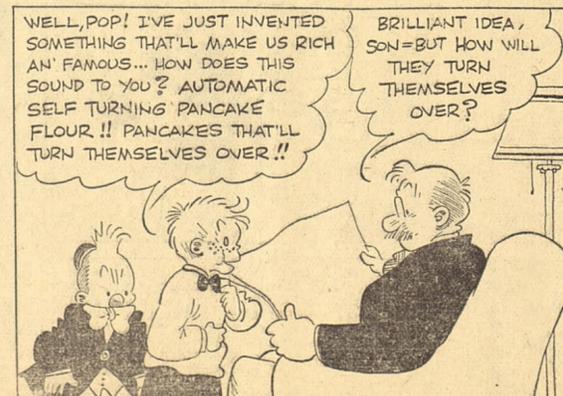
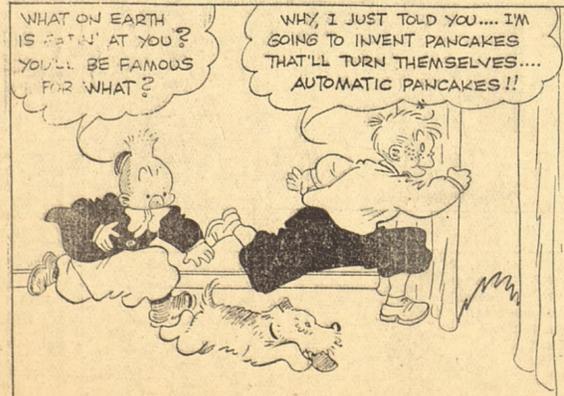
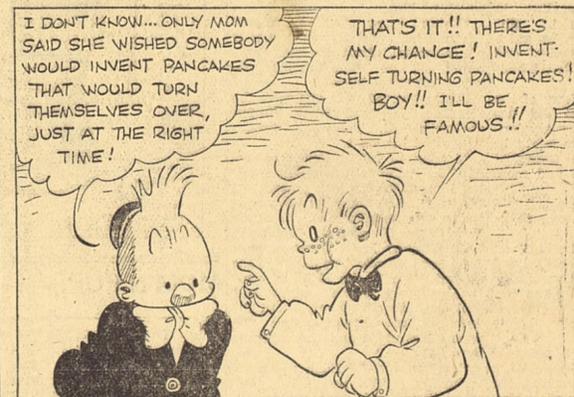
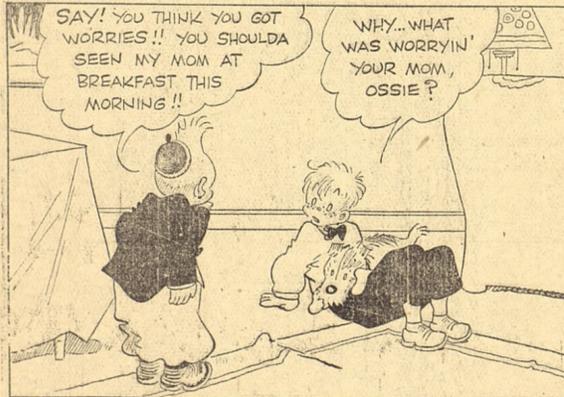
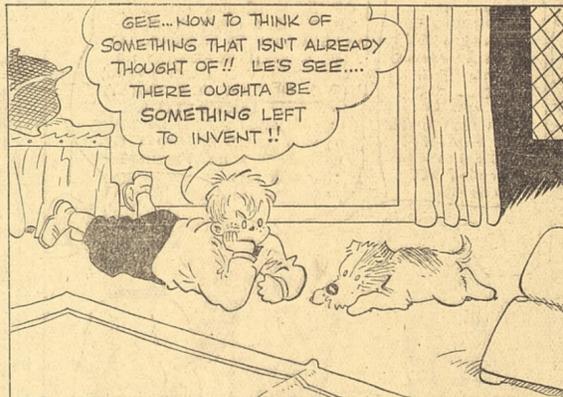
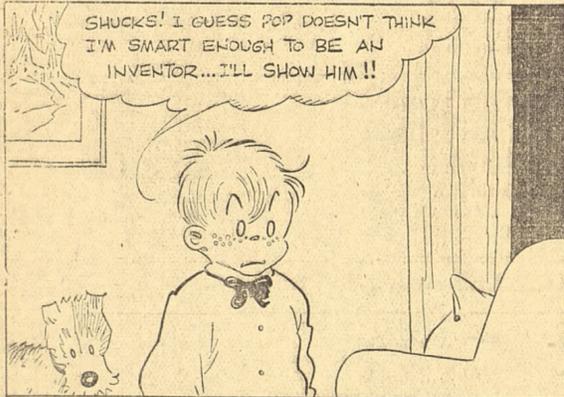
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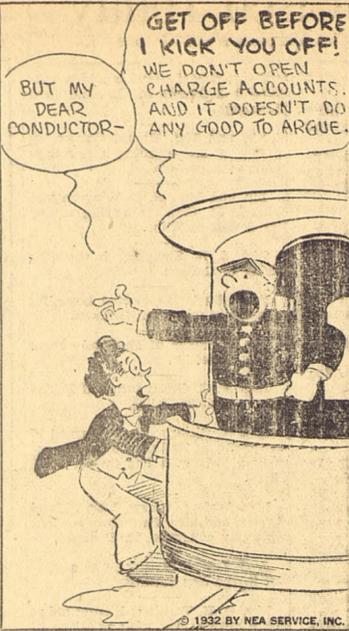
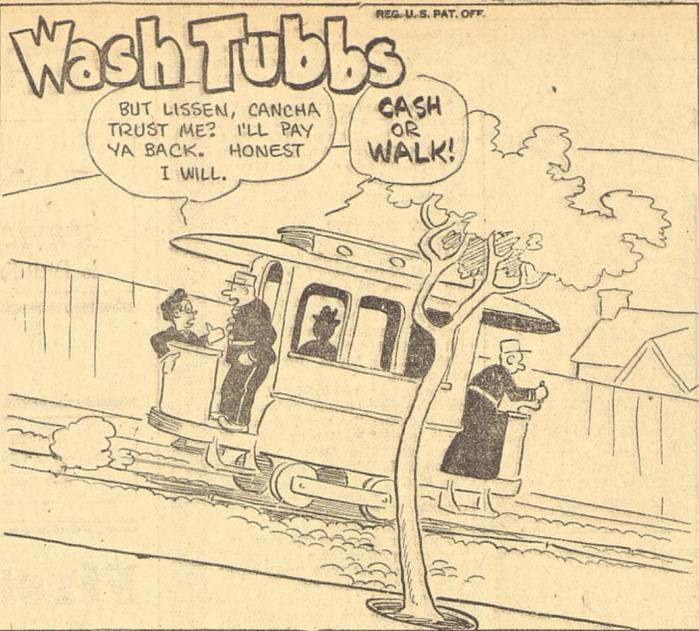


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# THE WILLETS

# Out Our-Way

By Williams



### Choral Contest Wednesday Evening

Ozell Murdock, principal of Pleasant Hill school, director of choral singing for the Eastland county interscholastic league, said Saturday that an error in the program for the annual county meet had placed the choral singing contests on Thursday evening of next week. The contest will take place Wednesday evening, March 23, at the Eastland high school auditorium at 7:30, he said.

The contests are open to the public. Six schools have entered choruses. A massed chorus will be an entertainment feature of the program, all contestants participating.

### Easter Day Plans To Be Discussed

Dr. Collum H. Booth, presiding elder of the Cisco district and acting pastor of the First Methodist church until April 1, will preach at the First Methodist church tonight, using for his subject "Personal Evangelism—Our Main Happiness." He desires a full attendance of the membership, but especially requested the Sunday school workers and teachers and the board of stewards as he wishes to discuss with them plans for a great Easter day at the church.

### W. H. Gibbons, Aged Cattleman, Dies

FORT WORTH, March 19.—W. H. Gibbons, 84 years old, millionaire San Saba county cattleman and land owner, died here last night of heart disease.

He came to America as an Irish immigrant boy in 1871. He made his home at Richland Springs, San Saba county.

## About Cisco Today

Society Editor, Miss Marjorie Noell.—Phone 80.

### CALENDAR

**Monday**  
The Delphian club will meet Monday morning at 9:30 at the clubhouse.

The American Legion auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. Zed Erwin, 1402 K avenue.

**Tuesday**  
The circles of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon as follows:

Circle AD with Mrs. P. P. Shepard, 705 West Seventh street.

Circle B with Mrs. Nora Skiles 803 West Ninth street.

Circle C with Mrs. Allen Crownever, Humboldt.

Circle E will visit the county poor farm.

Circle F with Mrs. J. R. Burnett, 1505 D avenue.

Circle G with Mrs. W. D. Hazel, 1000 West Sixth street.

Circle H with Mrs. H. W. Swenson, 711 West Ninth street.

The General Aid of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

The Methodist Missionary society will have a social Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Neal Turner on West Eighth street.

The circles of the Presbyterian auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon as follows:

Circle 1 at the home of Mrs. W. J. Murray in Abilene.

Circle 2 with Mrs. O. W. Shepard at 3 o'clock at her home in Humboldt.

Circle 3 with Mrs. J. Lamunyon, West Ninth street, at 3 o'clock.

**Wednesday**  
The Happy Thimble Sewing meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Rudolph Schaeffer, 506 West Seventeenth street.

**Thursday**  
The Bridge club will club meet Wednesday afternoon 6 o'clock with Mrs. Arthur Cunningham, 704 West Seventh street.

**Friday**  
The Twentieth Century club will meet Friday afternoon at the clubhouse.

Fred Metcalf of Toronto, Canada, spent Friday and Saturday in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ridgeway of Houston are visiting here.

Miss Georgia Underwood of Stamford is spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Jr., of Cross Plains were visitors here Friday.

Mrs. E. Q. Lee and son, Quincy, left Saturday for a trip to Fort Worth.

Word has been received from the Scott and White sanitarium in Temple that Mrs. Ed Huestis has undergone a very serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bailey and children are spending the weekend in Coleman.

Mrs. R. W. Rogers and son have returned to their home in San Angelo after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Powell.

Mrs. L. M. Lutz of St. Paul, Minn. has come to Cisco for an extended stay with her son, H. C. Wippen.

W. J. Armstrong has returned from a business trip to west Texas.

Mrs. N. W. Nell is spending the weekend in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hageman and children, H. H., Jr., and Mary Louise

are spending the weekend with relatives and friends in Loraine and Hemeleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Reford Comer of Longview are spending a few days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wippen and Mrs. L. M. Lutz are leaving today for a visit in Waco.

Mrs. J. R. Slaughter is spending today in DeLeon.

A. J. Davis is expected home for a weekend visit from Graham.

Joe Whitaker of Eastland spent Friday here.

Mrs. A. C. Green returned Friday from a visit in Dallas.

Mrs. R. Dickinson has returned to her home in Ballinger after an extended visit with her father, J. C. Swift.

Mrs. Walter Agnew, Miss Haze Agnew, and Mrs. Paul Huestis spent Saturday afternoon in Eastland.

J. O. Lamar of Baird was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. C. H. Parish is leaving today for a week's visit with relatives in Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mashburn of Moran were visitors here Saturday.

D. L. Rogers is visiting relatives in Hamilton.

Ed Green of Kilgore is spending the weekend in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lambert of Brownwood, and Blair Lambert of St. Louis spent Thursday and Friday with their sister, Mrs. R. E. Grantham.

Jack Dunn of Moran was a visitor here Friday.

Mrs. Joe McAdams of Cross Plains spent Saturday in Cisco.

Robert Stelle of Ranger visited his mother, Mrs. A. M. Williams here Friday evening.

Mrs. L. Johnson and Miss Vivian Johnson of Rising Star were Cisco visitors Friday.

Mrs. Hugh Wagoner and daughter of Ranger spent Friday here.

Mrs. S. H. Nance and daughters are spending the weekend in Winters.

**MRS. ARMSTRONG HOSTESS TO HUMBLE BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong entertained the Humble Bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home on M avenue. Bouquets of sweet peas added floral charm to rooms where games were played at tables strikingly appointed in a St. Patrick motif. The favored theme was also given emphasis in the salad and sweet course which was served, and in the favors, which were mint cups in the shape of tiny green hats. Mrs. H. E. McGowan won the high score prize, a pair of Dresden figures, and Mrs. F. D. McMahon received the low score award, a set of ash trays.

Present were Mesdames F. J. Borman, A. E. Janison, W. W. Wallace, F. D. McMahon, M. L. McGannon, J. R. Henderson, W. K. Egan, I. J. Henson, H. E. McGowan, W. B. Herr, J. R. Slaughter, W. C. McDaniel, and the hostess.

**MRS. ST. JOHN ENTERTAINS CLUB.**

In entertaining for members of the Pivot Bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home in Humboldt, Mrs. Will St. John used a St. Patrick motif in an artistic way for table and games appointments and in the refreshment course served after the games. Mrs. Fleet Shepard received the high score award.

Members and guests present were Mesdames J. A. Beerman, Chas. Brown, Guy Dabney, Jack Cabness, L. A. Harrison, F. E. Logan, T. F. O'Brien, R. L. Ponder, Chas. Trammell, S. W. Coplin, Fleet Shepard, and the hostess.

**WHILE-AWAY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. ELLIOTT.**

Easter colors and symbols were used in an artistic way to appoint game tables Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. E. O. Elliott entertained members of the While-Away bridge club in her home on West Ninth street. After the games, in which Mrs. E. M. Walker won high score and Mrs. Smith Huestis the cut prize, a dainty salad course, further reflecting the chosen theme, was served.

Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Ted Huestis, Fanny Pulley, Smith Huestis, R. C. Pain, E. B. Gustafson, K. N. Greer, L. C. Moore, Lee Smith, E. M. Walker, Guy Austin, Mitt Williams, and the hostess.

**INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB HAS MEETING.**

The First Industrial Arts club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. P. Shepard on West Seventh street, with Mrs. H. G. Bailey co-hostess. It was voted to have an antique department in the art exhibit which the club is sponsoring.

Mrs. James Moore read "The Valiant," a one act play which is to be presented by high school students in the league contest. This being St. Patrick's day, Mrs. W. W. Wallace brought phonograph records of Irish music "The Rose of Iralce" and "Ireland, Mother Ireland," which were very appropriate for the occasion. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. Hubert Seale and

### Happy "Mayor"



Several Los Angeles families, ousted from their homes banded together several months ago and moved into shacks they built on vacant land near the outskirts of the city. "Now the colony, named "Hoover Town," has a population of over 700 persons, and E. A. Hanna, shown above, is recognized as "mayor" Everybody's happy in Hoover Town, inasmuch as rent is free and welfare organizations feed the entire community.

Mrs. O. J. Russell in serving a delicious refreshment course.

Guest favors, which were tiny Texas flags made by Mrs. Shepard, were given to Mesdames J. B. Pratt, E. J. Poe, Joe Wilson, R. E. Grantham, J. C. McAfee, N. A. Brown, Neal Turner, L. J. Leech, B. E. Morehart, H. A. Bible, J. B. Denman, T. C. Williams, J. D. Barker, A. J. Oken, Rex Moore, John Shertzer, E. H. Varnell, Hubert Seale, Harris, W. Wallace, H. L. Vann, Lee Smith, and H. L. Dyer.

**CRESSET CLUB MEETS.**

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. D. C. Saddler entertained the Cresset Bridge club at her home on West Tenth street. Sweet peas were featured in floral decorations in rooms where four games of bridge were enjoyed at tables attractively appointed in an Easter motif. Prizes were awarded Mrs. W. P. Thompson, winning high score, and Mrs. Vance Littleton, winning high cut.

A refreshment plate, with ice cream, cake, and nuts, was passed to Mesdames K. N. Greer, P. B. Glenn of Breckenridge, L. P. Jones Vance Littleton, J. B. Pratt, W. P. Thompson, and Allan Crownever.

**MRS. WRIGHT ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. T. F. O'Brien won high score Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. F. D. Wright was hostess to the Wednesday bridge club at her home on West Seventh street. A green and white color scheme was carried out in every detail of decoration and was given emphasis in the refreshment course served at the close of the game hour.

Players were Mesdames Chas. Brewer, Oscar Clift, E. P. Crawford, Guy Dabney, E. L. Graham, Leon Maner, L. A. Harrison, T. F. O'Brien, Will St. John, Fleet Shepard, Miss Mary Jane Butts, and the hostess.

**FEDERATION HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM.**

An unusually large attendance standing room being at a premium, marked the monthly meeting of the City Federation. During the business session, over which Mrs. G. B. Kelly presided, with Mrs. J. C. McAfee acting secretary, Mrs. Coe McLeRoy of the Music Study club was appointed corresponding secretary for the Federation.

The program was of special interest, the participants being students who have been selected to represent the city schools in the various literary events of the Interscholastic League meet. Miss Aline McAfee, seven year old student of the high first grade, gave the story of "The Tar Baby," made immortal for the children of the world, by Thomas Nelson Page. Miss Louise Statham, who is to represent the Grammar school in declamation, gave Van Dyke's patriotic accolade of the wanderer returning from foreign shores in "Home Again." Miss Fern Warren, representing Cisco High school in declamation, gave "Americanism," by Theodore Roosevelt. Miss Bessie Pearce and John Peter Huey, of the high school debating teams, gave five minutes speeches, pro and con, on the question, "Resolved, that lobbying as practiced in this country is detrimental to its best interests."

**MRS. MCCLINTON HOSTESS TO "42" CLUB.**

The Thursday forty-two club was entertained at the regular meeting this week in the home of Mrs. Ben McClinton on West Seventh street. The hostess used both an Easter motif and a St. Patrick motif in party appointments. A delicious salad course was served at the close of the games.

Those present were Mesdames J. T. Berry, Connie Davis, Chas. Hale, T. J. Dean, J. W. Mancill, J. T. Anderson, Wm. Reagan, Lee Owen and the hostess.

**CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. SAZMA.**

The Happy Thimble Sewing club met this week with Mrs. George

Sazma at her home on West 17th street. Mid-afternoon hours were spent in sewing, conversing, and exchanging quilt blocks. An attractive refreshment plate, carrying out a St. Patrick motif in the sandwiches which were green and white in Shamrock shapes, salad, cookies, and punch.

Members and guests enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Dewey Moore, C. E. Hickman, H. A. Crosby, Burl Comer, Burnel Osburn, Rudolph Schaeffer, Ernest Lemmon, Leonard Miller, J. E. Jamison, Jimmie Allen, and Ralph Smith.

**CIRCLE TO VISIT POOR FARM.**

At the most recent meeting of Circle E of the Baptist W. M. S. at the church, with Mrs. C. E. Sole hostess, the circle decided to visit the county poor farm on next Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. F. E. Shepard presided during the business session, and a lesson from Exodus was taught.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Edwards, served a dainty refreshment course during the social hour to Mesdames R. Ashbury, J. W. Slaughter, Eldon Anderson, F. E. Shepard, L. Flesher, and Mac Stephens.

**MISS JOYNER HOSTESS TO BRIDGE CLUB.**

The Ever Ready Bridge club met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Lillian Joyner, 608 East Sixth street. A St. Patrick's motif was attractively carried out in the refreshment course and in the wrappings for prizes awarded to Mrs. Clyde Bailey winning high score, and Mrs. H. J. McArdle, receiving low score.

Present were Mesdames E. E. Hadley and Wade Swift of Ranger, A. L. Filler, Clyde Bailey, H. J. McArdle, C. E. Barnes, Miss Juanita Elliott, and Miss Joyner.

**MRS. WILSON HOSTESS TO MERRY WIVES CLUB.**

Mrs. Joe Wilson entertained the Merry Wives club at her home on West Eighth street Friday afternoon, with five tables of members and guests enjoying the spirited games. Spring flowers and greenery added floral charm to entertaining rooms. The tallies, unusually attractive, were hand painted by the hostess' daughter, Miss Laura Fae Wilson. After the games, Mrs. Wilson, assisted by Mrs. Neal Turner served refreshments of grape juice jello topped with whipped cream and pecans, and orange layer cake.

Those present were Mesdames J. R. Burnett, C. H. Fee, W. E. Ricks, Neal Turner, B. Patterson, Hubert Seale, Max Krauskopf of Pecos, Chas. Hale, J. D. Barker, C. Owen, A. J. Olson, W. W. Moore, J. E. Spencer, P. P. Shepard, G. B. Kelly, Gus, Ward, and the hostess.

**DINNER HONORS MISS RENFRO.**

Mrs. Joe Shackelford and Mrs. E. C. Metcalf entertained with a St. Patrick's dinner on Thursday evening honoring Miss Iris Renfro on her birthday anniversary. Lighted green tapers adorned the table where places were laid for ten guests in appointments carrying out a St. Patrick's theme.

A delicious six course dinner was served to Miss Lucille Self, Miss Thelma Noll, Mrs. B. Bedell, Dr. Oldam, Fred Metcalf of Toronto, Canada, Mrs. V. T. Lockhead, Talbot Lockhead, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shackelford, and the honoree.

**Pounding Surprises Methodist Minister**

Members of the First Methodist church gave a surprise pounding Friday evening for Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Hendrickson. The party gathered at the church, and went from there to the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hendrickson, taking with them an abundance of gifts.

A very enjoyable evening was spent by the guests and their surprised hosts.

**Young People's Meeting at 6:45**

The Young People's league of the First Presbyterian church meets Sunday evening at 6:45 at the church. An attractive program has been planned and all young people who are interested are cordially invited to attend.

**ROTARY SPEAKER MINERAL WELLS, March 19.**

Bob Hill, noted alumni secretary of the University of Missouri, will be a speaker at the All-State Rotary conference here May 2 and 3.

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### Cisco Girls Win Baseball Pennant

By defeating Eastland 20 to 10 in the finals, the girls of the high school baseball team contributed twenty points toward Cisco's share in the Interscholastic League meet, the junior events of which were completed Saturday. The team, which before meeting Eastland, defeated Rising Star 22 to 8, is composed of Christell Reynolds, Marie Qualls, Martha Denerson, Etna Swindle, Annie Muriel Thorp, Marguerite Barker, Mary Jane Morehart, Catherine Meglasson, Earline Farmer and Lois Johnson, captain.

To most of the girls that is no new experience for they were members of last year's Grammar School team which under the sponsorship of Mrs. Edward Lee, won the championship. The team was coached by Mrs. O. L. Stamey.

### ALLRED TO SPEAK.

MALAKOFF, March 19. — Attorney General James Allred is scheduled to make the commencement address at the local high school graduation exercises.

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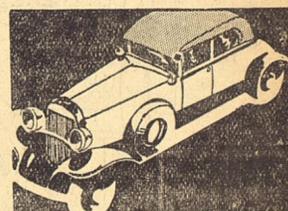
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