

EASTLAND CO. — Area 925 square miles; population 33,981; cotton, fruit, poultry, dairying, natural gas and oil; Cisco is headquarters for operators of the great shallow oil field; churches of all denominations.

BLANTON WANTS EROSION CAMP HERE

SEEKS TO AID SOIL CONTROL IN THIS AREA

Possibilities of a soil erosion camp for Eastland county brightened today as Congressman Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene announced that he was pushing the effort to secure location of such a camp.

In a letter to the Daily News, the congressman said that he had taken up the matter and that he was "anxious to get soil erosion camps established in Eastland county and also in Stephens county."

It has been known for some time that action was going forward relative to the location of a soil erosion station in the county. Blanton's action today lent emphasis to the work.

Congressman Blanton enclosed a letter to L. P. Merrill, regional director of the U. S. soil erosion service at Lindale, Texas, which said, in part:

"I am advised by Director Bennett of the approved locations for soil erosion camps in Comanche and Jones counties. And I want to thank you very much for giving these two camps your favorable attention and consideration, and will ask you to please expedite the establishing of these two camps in Comanche and Jones counties at the earliest date possible.

"Formerly, Jones and Comanche counties were two of the most productive counties in the state of Texas, and we want to get them back on their feet again.

"I am very anxious also to get soil erosion camps established in Eastland county and also in Stephens county, and I would appreciate it very much if you would give these two counties your immediate attention and help me to get them approved at the earliest date possible.

"When congress provided the money for this work, we understood that it should be done immediately to the end that the maximum amount of benefits could be promptly accomplished.

REICH SEEKS NAVAL TALKS WITH BRITAIN

LONDON, April 29. — Germany, it was revealed today, with a revolutionary submarine program, including submarines with a cruising radius of 6,000 miles, capable of influencing the balance of sea power, approached Great Britain with a program for an Anglo-German naval conference.

Capt. Erwin Wassner, German naval attaché, talked with Admiral Sir Ernie Chatfield and submitted orally Germany's proposal for the conference. He also announced the personnel of the delegation which Chancellor Adolf Hitler will send here about the middle of June.

Sir John Simon, foreign secretary announced to the house of commons that Germany had intimated orders had been given for construction of 12,250-ton submarines and that "the matter is at present under consideration."

GOVERNORS INVITED
SAN FRANCISCO — Public safety officials of all the western states have been invited by Governor Frank P. Merriam to the western safety conference here June 11, 12 and 13. Industrial, home and traffic accident problems are to be considered.

HUGE EGG LAID
BORGER, April 29 — A huge egg weighing seven and one-half ounces and perfectly formed was laid by one of Joe Cuff's hens here. The egg is five-eighths inches in circumference one way and seven and five-eighths the other.

Santa Claus Dies Of Stroke Sunday
SANTA CLAUS, Ind., April 29. — It would have been a thankless task trying to explain to any of Jim Martin's million or more youngsters today that Santa Claus is dead.

For 28 years letters addressed to "Santa Claus, North Pole," came by the thousands at Christmas time. He tried to answer every one.

James E. Martin, 60-year-old postmaster of this Hoosier hamlet, died yesterday after a paralytic stroke.

P. O. Clerk Shoots Self During Inspection

CHECK FOUND IN DRAWER IS PROBE CAUSE

AUSTIN, April 29 — M. B. McCullough, 48, Austin post office and money order clerk, fired a 45 caliber pistol bullet into his chest, then slashed his throat with a pocket knife today while postal inspectors checked his accounts.

The bullet passed entirely through his body, striking Mark Williams, Fort Worth postal inspector, under the right eye. Williams was wearing glasses, which were shattered.

Inspectors had just questioned McCullough regarding a check for \$2,505, dated March 18, which was found in his drawer. After the shooting, inspectors found another check for \$3,201 they said.

Hospital attendants said McCullough might live despite his serious wounds. He had been in the employ of the post office department for 20 years.

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Another Beauty Won by Athlete



Beauties just naturally seem to choose Gil Berry, former Illinois University football star and movie player, as a husband. Engagement of Berry and Miss Madeline Leonard, 21, above, is announced, two months after Winifred Hunt, beauty contest winner, divorced the ex-athlete. Miss Leonard is a talented Chicago amateur dancer.

39 EASTLAND COUNTY BOYS IN CCC CAMP

EASTLAND, April 29. — Thirty-nine Eastland county boys Saturday were located at the CCC camp at Brownwood. They were selected recently by the Eastland county relief board.

Names of the boys and their former addresses were as follows: Maurice Franklin, Ranger; Orville Hughes, Eastland; George E. Mills, Eastland Rt. 2; Charley Overland, Ranger Rt. 2; Duke Obie Large, Rising Star Rt. 2; Marshall Carroll, Rising Star; Harlon Browning, Rising Star Rt. 2; L. A. Williams, Carbon Star route; Henry Eisenhuth, Cisco Rt. 3; Clifton Browning, Gorman Rt. 3.

Robert Lee Smith, Gorman; William D. Myers, Cisco; Coleman O'Brien, Cisco Rt. 4; O. M. Abbott, Jr., Cisco Rt. 4; John L. Arnett, Ranger; Odell Andrus, Ranger; William D. Hall, Eastland; Carl Caudle, Gorman; Durward Hopper, Ranger Rt. 1; Greer Hurst, Eastland.

L. T. Prange, Cisco Rt. 3; Cecil Owen, Nimrod; Edmond Crane, Cisco; Daulton Shuart, Gorman Rt. 3; Luther Dodd, Jr., Ranger Rt. 1; Phillip H. Keith, Cisco; Fred McCorkle, Nimrod Rt. 2; Aubrey Holt, Cisco; Eldridge Agnew, Eastland; John A. Hallum, Eastland.

Milton Smith, Eastland; Aubrey Love, Ranger Rt. 1; Paul Bray, Ranger; Isham D. Bennett, Ranger; Melvin Judy, Ranger Rt. 3; Homer Cain, Carbon; Dutch Poe, Eastland; Linnard Wright, Ranger Rt. 2; Joe C. Harvey, Carbon Rt. 1.

Dog Owners Enraged As Pets Poisoned

Owners of pets here today were in an angry mood following a campaign of poisoning of dogs over the weekend.

At least five dogs were reported to have been poisoned since Friday, most of them being killed.

First of the dogs to fall victim of the poisoner was the well known and much loved Don, police dog owned by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Starr of the Laguna hotel. A familiar figure on the street, the dog was well behaved and never was known to make trouble as he trotted up and down D avenue.

Cisco police today said that they were on the lookout for the poisoner and would investigate all the cases of poisoning, it was reported.

"It's a violation of the law to put out poison," the police said today, "and we will do all we can to get it stopped."

Besides the harm done in killing the animals themselves, it was pointed out that poisoning can be dangerous to children as well. Many small children, playing about the city, are potential victims of murder at the hands of the poisoner or poisoners.

Owners of pets that have been poisoned were angry today, one remarked that he is ready to fight, but I don't think I'll have to, for the person who would poison a dog wouldn't have the nerve to come out into the open."

Assassination Plot Thwarted at Boston
BOSTON, April 29. — What was believed to be an assassination plot to assassinate Italian Ambassador Augusto Rosso was thwarted at the state house today.

Rosso was being received by Gov. James Surley when a man was observed acting peculiarly on the fringe of the crowd, according to police.

He was arrested and police said they found a dirk in his right hand. The man identified himself as Eugenio Camaiani, 42, of Boston. Police said he appeared unbalanced mentally.

Body of Chicago Child Mute Found
CHICAGO, April 29. — The body of Richard Perrot, 4-year-old mute who disappeared from his home April 14, was found today in the Chicago river.

It was impossible to determine whether the boy fell accidentally or whether he was slain by a kidnaper.

Evidence that the boy had been kidnapped believed found when a ransom asking for \$150 was received. Investigation, however, revealed that the note was written by a 17-year-old high school youth who later convinced police he had not seen the boy.

OIL OFFICER BACK AT WORK AFTER ERROR
AUSTIN, April 29. — C. G. Johnson, hot oil investigator in East Texas was on his way back to the field today after a forced trip to Austin for questioning by Texas rangers.

Johnson informed the United Press that rangers told him he had been brought to Austin by order of Gov. James Allred. The governor's office reported that the rangers had been asked to look up a man but that it was not Johnson.

"The rangers told me that it was another Johnson," C. G. Johnson said.

"I am glad to know it was a mistake. They could have saved a lot of trouble by telephoning me first," said Attorney General William McCraw.

Johnson, McCraw said, was detailed by Assistant Attorney General Merton Harris at Kilgore to make some special investigations.

Opening Political Guns Are Sounded
CHICAGO, April 29. — Reverberations of coming political wars for control of the national government, intensified by weekend conclaves and speeches resounded over the nation today.

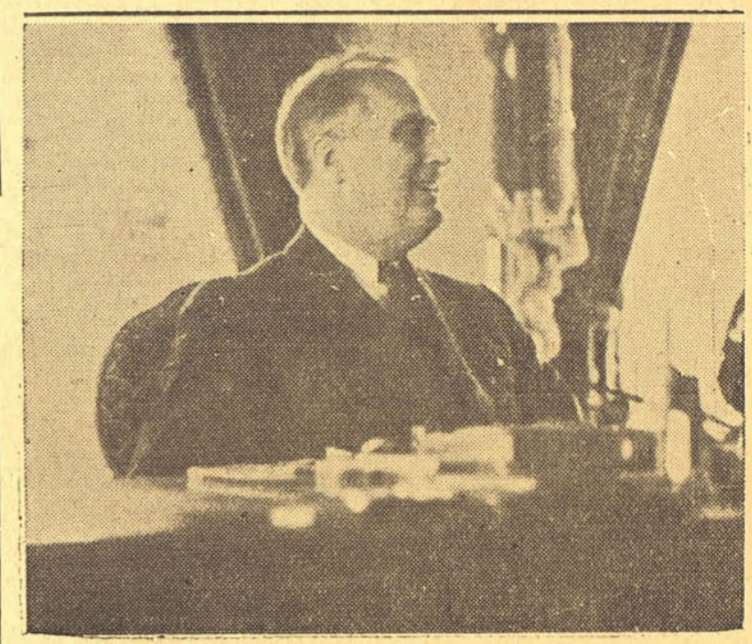
Malcontents with the present two-party political system, sought unity of all their divergent factions, ranging from followers of Father Charles Coughlin and Upton Sinclair to those of Sen. Huey Long in a third party movement.

Republican leaders, meeting in Missouri, called a party conference in June in Springfield, Ill., birthplace of Abraham Lincoln, to plan means of recapturing the people's votes in the 1936 presidential election.

Mexico Silver Act Sends Dollar Down
MEXICO CITY, April 29. — Mexico's move to withdraw silver from circulation has sent the dollar down to 3.6 pesos, the rate Mexico believes best for her foreign trade.

Bank was closed Saturday while the government was withdrawing silver and changing to a paper and copper basis in currency, reopened today.

FDR Outlines Plans In Fireside Chat



President's Fireside Address Spurs Congress To Action On Legislation

WASHINGTON, April 29. — Pres. Roosevelt's pronouncement of a minimum legislation program today spurred his leaders in congress to press for action by laggard committees.

Speaker Joseph W. Byrnes of the house of representatives was confident the program as outlined by the president in his fireside chat could be enacted by June 15. Senate leader Joseph Robinson, however, declared the senate must abandon its lazy tactics if the legislation is to be passed.

The administration was cheered by both public and legislative response to Mr. Roosevelt's outline of basic measures on which he expects congress to act.

Between 500 to 600 telegrams were received at the White House during the first few hours after the address.

A large portion of the money spent should go into wages.

A considerable part of the cost should be returned to the federal government.

The money actually should be spent during the next fiscal year.

The projects should give employment to persons on relief and should be located in relief areas in relation to the number of workers on relief rolls.

Pardon Board Turns Down Hamilton Plea
AUSTIN, April 29. — Gov. James Allred today received an adverse report from the state pardon board on clemency for both Raymond Hamilton and Joe Palmer, doomed to die May 10.

The board's report followed its receipt Saturday of a plea from District Attorney Max Rogers at Huntsville that the board disregard the clemency pleas of "misguided people."

Rogers asserted in his review of evidence filed that many thousands of persons were "taking the unsworn and unsupported statements of Hamilton that testimony against him and Palmer was prejured."

Kimmells Purchase Sivals Residence
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kimmell today were reported to have purchased the home formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Don Sivals at 909 West Fourteenth street. They said they would move to their new residence soon. Consideration in the purchase was not reported.

Johnson County To Get Quail Restock
CLEBURNE, April 29. — The Johnson county Sportsmen's association is going to restock quail every year.

A small assessment against each member and heavy fines for game law violations will pay for the young birds.

Man Made Officer By Long Distance
PORT WORTH, April 29. — Members of the Company C club, 359th Infantry of the 90th Division, installed their overseas first lieutenant as honorary vice president over the long distance telephone.

The lieutenant, Taylor Johnson, was in Plainfield, Indiana, 1,000 miles from Fort Worth.

Breaks Man's Arm In Stealing Purse
FORT WORTH, April 29. — Modern crime note:
A pickpocket lifted Frank Leach's wallet containing \$23 from his hip pocket.

When Leach turned to save his money, the thief kicked his foot out from under him. Leach lost the \$22 and suffered a broken arm in the fall.

About Our Friends

By STEP A. LONG

Mrs. Fred Hays and Mrs. Bob Sanford ... down town Saturday night... Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yates talking to friends... Pete Cooles getting ready for a visit with friends in Breckenridge... Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leech shopping Saturday night... W. R. Huestis, rather quiet, but with a great capacity for friendship, finds much pleasure with his family... Mr. and Mrs. Algie Skiles seem to find life very pleasant... Mr. and Mrs. Mack Stephens, doing some shopping Saturday night... Mitt Williams and Dewey Moore enjoying a little chat... Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Clett window shopping... Dr. Charles Hale chatting with many different friends, who stop for a moment... Mrs. Harold McGowan and one of her handsome young sons, who is about as large as she, walking down the street... Troy Powell making a late delivery... looks tired... perhaps a hard day... Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Russell down town together... look younger and appear to feel younger... those big handsome sons and pretty daughters will soon appear as brothers and sisters to Mr. and Mrs. O. J. ... Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Drumwright ... closed for the evening... they have also forgotten to put on any years, seemingly... Dewey Moore says A. S. Nabors is weakening, apparently... ordinarily he trades an old stove for a yearling a few old pieces of furniture and perhaps \$5.00 to boot... but recently he sold a stove for fifty cents to a competitor who in turns sold it for \$4.00... "Evidently," says Dewey, "Ves is slipping"... But George Atkins still goes strong on salesmanship... John Holder finds time to build

TIGERS - CITY, W. O. W. - RANDY GAMES CARDED

The two league leaders will be vying for supremacy, but against other teams, when the umpires yell the well known "play ball!" this afternoon. The games are scheduled for 6 o'clock.

Topping the card will be the game at Chesley park in which the league leading, fence busting City club takes on the Tigers, dark horse newcomers to the circuit. The other game will bring together W. O. W., pushing the city for the top position, and Randolph, at the college diamond.

The City club has been going strong, winning its first four starts and bidding fair to go through the season undefeated. The Tigers, on the other hand, have played and won one game, having taken over the old Daily News schedule and percentage last week and administering a licking to Nance by an 8 to 7 count.

The Woodmen have won two games, defeating the News in the opener and the Lobos in Friday's game. They will be out to win and take advantage of any break to get an undisputed claim to the top rank Randolph, at the halfway mark, will be trying to advance and may spring an upset. The collegians have had tough luck, losing close games to Nance and City, including an extra inning homecoming game.

Trouble Seen As May Day Nearing

PARIS, April 29. — Police of many nations prepared for trouble today as socialists and communists made their plans for May Day — the European Labor Day — Wednesday.

Austria, France, and Spain appeared to be the principal center of potential trouble.

In three countries, Austria, Bulgaria, and Yugoslavia, left wing demonstrations of any sort were officially forbidden and police were ready to enforce those orders.

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Fifty Years Of Business

A business man in one of the largest American cities was sadly disappointed when he announced that he was giving a dinner for all the men in the city who had been in business there for 50 years. He expected to have a big celebration and a wealth of reminiscence. Only one guest showed up. There were doubtless other eligible persons, but either the word failed to reach them or they were unable to attend. So the host, saying that it took at least three to make a party, declared the dinner off.

But suppose there had been a large outpouring of business veterans with the requisite 50 years of continuous service behind them. What then? It would have been an impressive display of business perseverance and stability. But would it have been a jovial and memorable party? Possibly not. Men who have been in the harness steadily for 50 years seldom retain enough health, spirit and flexibility to enjoy a party, or add much to it.

To have stuck to the task for 50 years is reason for justifiable pride. But does not necessarily prove wisdom. If a man should not work 12 hours a day, or seven days a week, or do without a yearly vacation, why should a man work for 50 years?

We have the working day down to eight hours, and still shrinking. We work only six days a week, or five and a half, with the tendency toward five. We take vacations once a year, and twice if we can afford them. Why, then, work for half a century or more, when the total of mature years is seldom more than that?

A time may come soon when 30 years of active effort are considered ample, with leisure and play expected as a matter of course after one's fiftieth birthday.

Respect For Officers

It is not unlikely that part of the lawlessness that is so prevalent throughout the United States may be traced to the attitude which boys and youths have been permitted to assume toward officers of the law. It is no longer an uncommon thing to hear policemen spoken of disrespectfully.

It is not claimed that the highest type of men can always be secured for places on the police force, but as a rule they are men who are interested in the welfare of the people as far as they are able to protect them and otherwise serve them. They are representatives of the law, and as such they are respected by law-abiding persons.

There is a disposition on the part of certain classes to "talk back" at a policeman or other officers of the law — to make slurring remarks to others regarding them, or to commit acts of a taunting character. It is a practice that should be rendered unpopular by more severe penalties.

Persons of all ages should be impressed with the fact that policemen are employed to protect the interests of all by enforcement of the regulations made for the welfare of the public. If discourtesy is shown to officers of the law the offenders should be taught a lesson that will be good for themselves and for others similarly disposed.

Old Days And New

"Good old days? There weren't any!" So say an aged couple of Frankfort, Ind., celebrating their sixtieth wedding anniversary, with congratulations from 65 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

"Give us the present with its airplanes, automobiles, electricity, newspapers, good roads, good schools, farm machinery, household appliances and other modern conveniences, as against the old days when we had to work hard with our hands and wade through mud and water to win a living from an undeveloped country."

Only one thing they don't like about this modern life. It is the habits of the young people, who stay out late, and often drink, and disregard their health. But that, they think, is largely the fault of the parents. Wherein they are probably right.

Some parents set their boys and girls a bad example. Others preach at them and scold them too much. Too few parents nowadays take the time and thought to understand their children, and work and play with them. And this is an age when children particularly need understanding and sympathy, in fitting themselves to the new world their parents have made for them.

Davis And Processing Cotton Tax

Chester C. Davis is administrator of the agricultural adjustment act. He admits that the domestic textile industry is suffering from "over capacity and highly competitive conditions within the industry."

He denies that the cotton processing taxes are a major cause of the current troubles of the industry. In defense of his cause he submits these facts: "Domestic cotton consumption was greater in 1934 by 400,000 bales than it was in 1932. In 1934 mills paid about 12 cents a pound for raw cotton plus a processing tax of four cents a pound net weight and in 1932 they obtained their cotton at about six cents a pound and paid no tax." If the processing tax is the principal cause of the difficulties of the textile industry he asks, "why did the mills as a group make substantial profits during most of the first year the tax was in effect? And why was it that domestic cotton consumption was 400,000 bales greater in 1934, with the processing tax than in 1932 when there was no tax? Adm. Davis made the very blunt as well as very emphatic statement that the tax does not affect our imports of raw cotton or cotton goods. When all the economic doctors as well as all the brain-trusters disagree as to the cause of all the ills which affect the cotton grower, why not call in a celestial umpire for his decision?"

The Only Game Played Under The Old Rules



Texas Topics

AUSTIN, April 29 — Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann takes rank as the state's foremost lobbyist, if efforts in behalf of a measure for public protection may be termed lobbying.

Mr. Mann proposed, sponsored and worked for the new stringent blue-sky securities selling regulatory law. The measure was passed without a dissenting vote, has been approved and is now in effect. The young official gathered facts, figures and affidavits to show that the worthless stock peddlers driven from other states had made Texas a happy hunting ground. He simply asked the same effective control that applies in other states. He showed the legitimate business firm offering stock for sale not only had no objection to the law, but welcomed it as a protection against the fraudulent type of firm and irresponsible crook type of salesman.

Hereafter, any firm that offers stocks for sale must secure a certificate from the state department, and any salesman who attempts to sell stock without having secured a state license is eligible to be put away securely for a year.

Gov. James V. Allred, the flying

governor of Texas, is immensely proud of the aviation squadron of the Texas national guard. He has made several trips in planes of the guard squadron recently; and this week went to Tyler and Kilgore in one of the ships piloted by Lieut. J. H. Eagles, son of Cong. Joe Eagle.

The state's air squadron is located at Mouston, commanded by Houston national guard officers, and is one of the outstanding factors of the high-rating Texas militia organization. This aviation unit has the highest rating by the U. S. war department of any state's flying service.

Jack Williams, editor and publisher of the Waycross (Ga.) Journal-Herald, says:

"I spent last Monday in the heart of the Okefenokee Swamp, a guest of the engineering party that is making the survey of the scenic Highway through this Great Womeland, much of which has never been surveyed or platted. An area larger than the state of Rhode Island with twenty-one fair sized islands and hundreds of smaller ones has no parallel in the United States.

"The history of this section reads like a romance, down where the semi-tropical sunshine filters through jungles of gray moss and plays hide-and-go-seek among the wild roses, yellow jasmine and shimmering wisteria. Here the soft wind whispers sweet melodies as it dances through the groves of state-

ly pines, palms and magnolias, bringing the music of the waters as it gently laps the shores of the fern-fringed lakes and streams.

"Here the shimmering surface of the open waters of the lakes and creeks was once broken by the rhythmic dip of the Indian's paddle, as he plied their placid depths, and the perfume-laden breezes sang sweet lullabies to the darsi-eyed Indian maidens.

"Now all is quiet in these isolated spots, except possibly for the tap of a woodpecker on a dead tree, the bark of a squirrel, the gobble of a wild turkey, the whistle of the bob-white, the cry of some animal to his mate, or the occasional splash when some alligator, floating like a log, suddenly sinks into the murky waters, leaving no trace other than the rippling waters as they gently kiss the nearby shores."

Congressman Writes Bluebonnet Song

FORT WORTH, April 29 — Anywhere, Congressman Fritz Lanham is versatile.

A local club was going to celebrate "Bluebonnet Day." Congressman Lanham wanted to help — so he wrote a song, "Bluebonnet Sweetheart."

Here's the first stanza:
"Blue bonnie skies and her blue bonnie eyes,
Make Texas so fair it's beyond compare;
The Lone Star State is not lonely
With her as my Lone Star to shine;
Let me bask day and night in that heavenly light
With that bluebonnet sweetheart of mine."

Use Cisco Daily News want ads for results.—Call 80.

Well Planned Act Frightens Prowler

FORT WORTH, April 29 — Here's how to eradicate night prowlers from your home.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Gasney awakened in the night to hear a prowler sneaking up the back stairs.
When he entered their room and started fumbling around, the two went into their act.
Mr. Casney—"I believe I hear someone prowling about, dear."
Mrs. Casney—with a yawn—"Well if you do, get your gun and shoot him."
The intruder left in a hurry.

Purses Are Stolen During Bridge Game

DALLAS, April 29 — Playing bridge proved an unprofitable pastime for ten women here recently.
When the scores were counted and the guests went to get their wraps, they found their purses missing.
The total loss amounted to about \$100 in cash plus some jewelry and cosmetics.

Proves Oats' Worth After Three Years

SAN ANGELO, April 29 — It took three years, but Lee Pfleger, local farmer, was finally vindicated in his belief that oats were worth more than 8 cents a bushel.
In 1932 Pfleger raised 6,000 bushels of oats. The market price was only 8 cents so he decided to hold his crop for higher prices.
Recently the price went to 55 cents and Pfleger sold the crop.

Dog Bites Negro, Then Falls Dead

FORT WORTH, April 29 — Dogs bite Elmer Roberts, nine-year-old Negro, at their own risk.
Elbert bent over to pet his dog. The dog bit him, then fell dead.

Fairy Tale Stepchild

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The DARK BLOND

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BEGIN HERE TODAY
MILlicent Graves, secretary to GEORGE DRIMGOLD, finds her employer in his office dead. JARVIS HAPP, a stranger, offers to help her. He sends her to a beauty shop where she is transformed into a brunette, then takes her home, introducing her as his secretary. She meets HARRY's son, NORMAN; his stepson, ROBERT CASE; Mrs. HARRY; DICK GENTRY, HARRY's partner; and VERA DUCHENE, Mrs. HARRY's maid.

HARRY's home Millicent sees the mysterious woman in black crawling whom she believes has some connection with Drimgold's death.
The chauffeur is found dead. Later HARRY is kidnaped.
Millicent and Norman learn the car driven by the woman to remain belongs to PHYLLIS FAULCONER. They go to her apartment and Millicent finds the missing suitcase of books. She discovers a shortage of \$200,000 in Gentry's account.

NORMAN says, "I'm not going to expose you to the danger of going to the apartment, Millicent. It makes no difference what you may say, this is once I'm going to keep you out of danger."
"Please," she told him, placing her hand on his arm, "please, Norman! Let me go with you. If there's danger, let's face it together."
"No," he said. "You've had more than your share."
He signaled a cab and gave the address of the apartment house.
Millicent pleaded with him, to no avail. He remained firm in his decision.

When they had arrived at the apartment house he gave the cab driver \$2. told him to drive Millicent around the corner, park the cab and wait.
"But, Norman," she said, "please let me go with you. I'll feel ever so much safer."
"No, you're going to stay here. That's settled."
"Then promise me you won't take any chances. Don't go in the apartment. Stay in the hallway."
He laughed reassuringly. "There's just a lone woman there," he pointed out, "and I want to ask her some questions. She may answer them and she may not, but she certainly isn't going to harm me. She can't slice off my head with a meat cleaver or pitch me out of the window or..."
"Please, Norman!" she protested.

He pinched her arm and said, "Don't be a goose, Millicent. You've been in 10 times as much danger as I could possibly encounter in going to this apartment."
"But there might be someone else there."
"If there is," he told her, "it will be Bob Caise or Dick Gentry, and if either of those birds tries to get rough with me I wouldn't want anything better than to give them a punch in the jaw."
"But, Norman, they may be armed. If they're mixed in this thing they're desperate, and..."
"Oh, bosh!" he told her. "I can take care of myself. Don't worry about that. What's bothering me is the idea of leaving you here alone."

THE cab driver turned and regarded them curiously. Norman flashed her a warning glance, turned abruptly from the cab and walked to the apartment house entrance. She watched him with eyes that were filled with anxiety, saw him press several of the buttons opposite different names, and noted with some measure of relief that he had not given Phyllis Faulconer warning of his visit by ringing her bell. That would give him the advantage of taking her by surprise, and Millicent was grateful that he had thought to take this precaution.
She saw him press against the door with his right hand, heard a faint buzz and saw the door open. He turned to give her a reassuring wave of his hand and then entered the apartment house.

The cab slid smoothly into motion, ran around the corner and parked at the curb.
"This okay, Miss?" asked the driver.
"I would prefer you to wait at the front of the apartment house," she told him.
"But these were my instructions and a driver doesn't argue with instructions that are backed up with \$2 in good hard money."
He hesitated a moment, then pulled down the flag in the meter and said, "I'm going to give you my friend a break. It'd probably be a while before I go another fare anyway, so I'm not going to charge him waiting time if he isn't over 10 minutes. After that I'll have to make a charge."
"He won't be over 10 minutes," Millicent asserted.
She glanced at her wrist watch and visioned Norman's progress in her mind.
He should now be leaving the elevator at the third floor. He would walk down the corridor, knock on the door of Apartment 309. Then what would happen? Would the woman come to the door? Would she talk with him? Would she resent his questions? Would he be able to get any information from her? Would he enter the apartment and, if so, would he take precautions to make certain there were no other persons in the apartment?
The cab driver settled down behind the wheel, his manner that of one who must, of necessity, spend a great deal of his time waiting. A matter of 10 minutes meant virtually nothing to him.

He started the motor and the meter, and Millicent, feeling as though she had lost her last friend, fought against the panic which surged up within her. Previously she had visioned Norman going down the corridor—big, dependable, aggressive and formidable. She had pictured him knocking at the door of the apartment, dominating the situation. Now her mind tortured her with mental visions of Norman in danger, being invited into the apartment by some woman whose smiling eyes masked a sinister purpose. She pictured men concealed behind chairs and doors, weapons clamped in their hands.

She resolutely determined to banish such things from her mind. After all, worrying would not help, and Norman might have been placed in such a position that he needed time to force the truth from this woman's lips.
"Suppose we should run back to the apartment house, Miss?" the cab driver inquired.
Millicent looked at her watch. It had been 22 minutes since Norman had entered the apartment.
"Yes," she said. "Go back to the apartment house."
The cab driver turned the car in the middle of the block, rounded the corner and drew her up in front of the apartment house.
"You going in?" he inquired.
"Yes," Millicent said, "I'm going in."

SHE climbed from the cab and pushed her finger against the button opposite the name of one of the tenants, a name which she had selected at random.
Nothing happened. Impatiently, she jabbed the button below that and, after a moment, the speaking tube at her ear gave a shrill whistle and a voice said, "Who is it?"
Millicent had thought of no answer. She had not anticipated such a situation.
"Millicent Jones," she said.
"I don't seem to place you."
"Oh, open the door," Millicent said impatiently.
There was a moment of silence and then the buzzer on the door made sharp sound. Millicent pushed the door open, crossed the lobby of the apartment house with quick nervous steps.

She pressed the button which summoned the automatic elevator and waited impatiently while it rattled down the long shaft. She entered it, jabbed the button for the third floor, and when the cage came to a stop, almost ran down the corridor toward the door of Apartment 309.
She had no definite plan in mind. She knew, of course, that if Norman had encountered danger, she, too, would doubtless encounter that same danger, but she had under gone such mental agony waiting in the taxi cab that no danger could be half as terrifying.

When 15 minutes elapsed Millicent felt something akin to panic. The cab driver turned to her, grinned in a friendly manner and said, "Well, I guess your friend will be out pretty quick, eh?"
"Yes," she said.
"Think he's going to be in a hurry?"
"He may be."
"Well, he'll have the motor running and be ready to go," the driver told her. "I'll have to start my meter going on waiting time though."

To her surprise the door was un- latched, the spring lock being adjusted so that the knob turned freely and unlatched the door.
Without thinking of any possible danger to herself, she pushed open the door of the room, rushed into the unlighted interior of the apartment.
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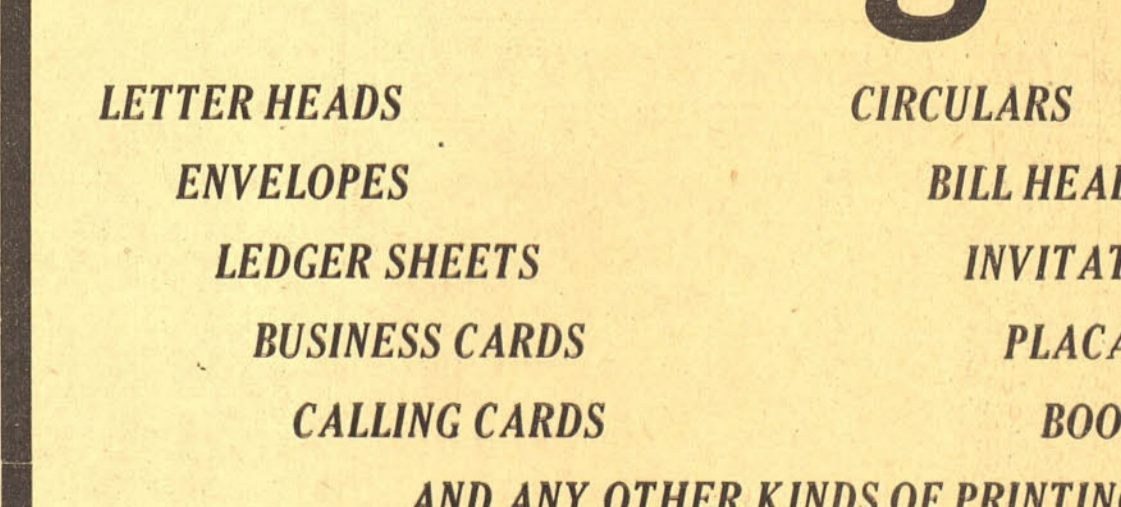
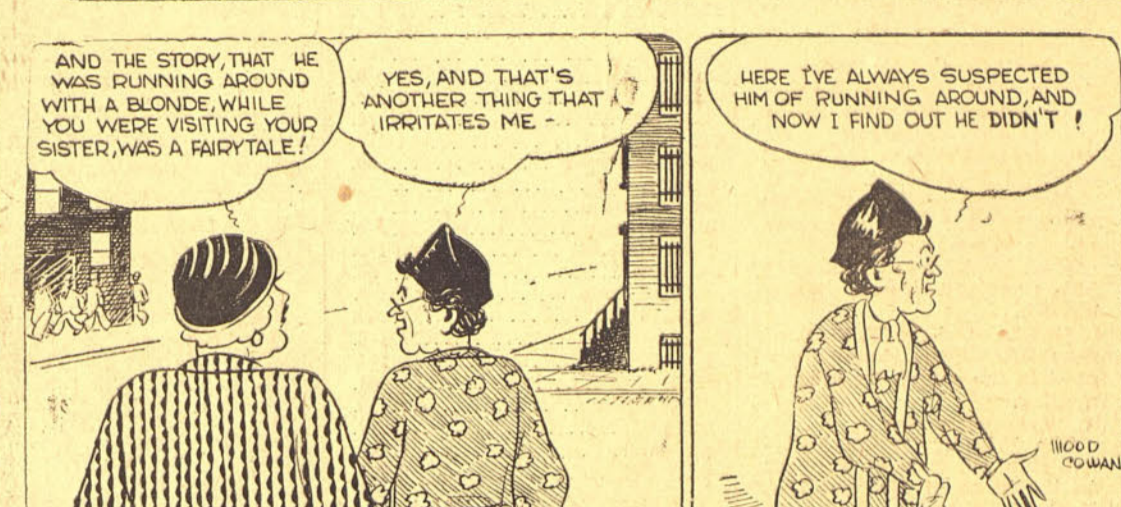
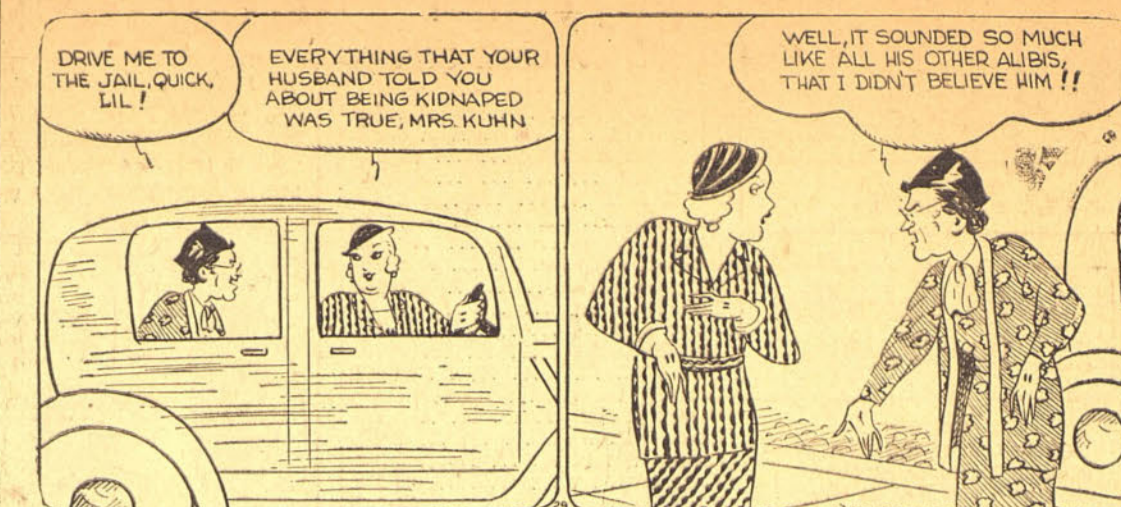
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THE NEW FANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

By COWAN.

New Building Begun At Teacher College



DENTON, April 29 — Construction of Marquis Hall, student dormitory-cafeteria, was started at North Texas Teachers College recently.
The \$210,000 structure, secured through a PWA loan and grant, is named in honor of the late Dr. R. L. Marquis, former president of the college.

Police Are Asked To Find Lost Bosses

FORT WORTH, April 29 — Is there a limit to what can be asked of a policeman in the line of duty? Employees of two firms asked the department to find their bosses and send them to their offices.
"He's holding up a big deal," was one complaint.
"If he doesn't show up pretty quick his wife is going to give him hell," was the other.

HOLD HOMECOMING

CLEVELAND — Cleveland, the sixth largest city in the United States, is going to have an old-fashioned country-style homecoming, and visitors' week this summer. The event, to be known as the Cleveland Summer Festival, will be held July 22 to 27. A feature will be the presentation of the dramatic spectacle "The Last Days of Pompeii."

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VERNON VAN FLEET ENDEAVOR LEADER

There were 18 present at the regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor of the First Christian church Sunday, when Vernon Van Fleet had charge of the program. He was assisted by Vera Taylor, Roland Hill, Rube Vaughn and Bryan Lee Winston in directing the study "How To Take Part in the Fellowship and Work of the Church."

During the business session plans were made for the organization of an Eastland County Union of Christian Endeavor, composed of all the societies in Cisco, Eastland, and Ranger. According to the plans of the district officers, the organization meeting will take place in the First Christian church at Eastland Monday night, May 13. Sunday, May 12, the societies of the mid-west district have been invited to Ahilene to hear Dr. Royal J. Dye, a returned missionary from Africa.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR HOLDS MEETING

The Junior Endeavor of the First Christian church held their regular meeting Sunday to hear a program on "Making the Bible a Guide to Our Lives." An open discussion was held under the leadership of the sponsor, Miss Nadine Sherwin.

During a short business session it was decided that the Junior and Intermediate groups would alternate in having charge of the opening exercises, which would be held jointly. There were 14 members and visitors present.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Huestis and daughter, Rose Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Kilpatrick, spent Sunday in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merkelt were visitors in Wichita Falls Friday.

E. C. McClelland spent Sunday afternoon on his farm near Pueblo.

Mrs. Vera McElroy of Eastland visited friends in Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gardner and children of Leuders visited their mother, Mrs. I. N. Hart, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Darby of Eastland spent Sunday in Cisco. Rev. Mr. Darby delivered the Sunday morning message at the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Frank Blankenbecker and daughter, Betty, of Lubbock, spent the weekend with friends in Cisco. Mrs. Blankenbecker remained here to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. O'Brien left Sunday afternoon for Shreveport, after receiving a message of the death of Mrs. O'Brien's brother there.

Miss Thelma Brewer of Eastland was the guest, Sunday, of Miss Elizabeth Spencer.

Miss Sara Olivia Winchell of Fort Worth, visited with friends in Cisco this weekend.

Miss Zephia Young of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hageman and Mrs. Lane Gilmore, Saturday.

Mesdames J. B. Cate, J. J. Butts, Misses Ardie Smith and Mary Jane Butts were visitors in Ahilene Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stephens and son, Billie, of Breckenridge were weekend guests of relatives here this weekend.

Durwood McClelland and Cecil Hudson spent Saturday night and Sunday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. George Christl and children of Rising Star spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver.

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Social Calendar For Week

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Circle Three of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will meet with a covered-dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. F. D. Pierce in her home, 300 West Sixth street.

Circle Two of the Woman's Council of the First Christian church will meet with a covered-dish luncheon in the home of Mrs. Charles George in Humbletown.

All Circles of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet in the church for a social meeting.

Thursday

The Friendly Twelve Forty-two club will meet at 8 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland.

The First Industrial Arts club will meet at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. J. Poe to hear a program on "Mother's Day."

Piano Recital in the auditorium of the Cisco high school at 8 o'clock by pupils of Miss Ora Howell.

Friday

Mrs. Rex Moore will be hostess to members of the Entre Nous club at 3 o'clock in her home.

morning for a few days visit with relatives and friends in Shawnee, Okla.

Mrs. C. B. Snyder of Moran was a shopping visitor in Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. Eugene Henderson and daughter returned to their home in Dallas after a weeks visit with relatives here.

Mrs. P. J. Connally has returned from a visit in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Franks and young daughter, of Trent spent Sunday afternoon visiting friends in Cisco.

Mrs. W. E. Chaney of Eastland was a visitor in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Strickland of West Texas spent last week in Cisco with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance were visitors in DeLeon Sunday afternoon.

GET ESCALATOR

PARIS—A new automatic escalator has been installed in a new Paris subway station, which is 90 feet below the surface of the street. The escalator does not run continuously but starts automatically as soon as someone places his weight on the bottom step. Other passengers, following keep the machinery in action as long as is needed.

FOUR LEGGED CHICKEN

WOLFEBORO, N. H. — A baby chick on Robert Thurrell's farm should be able to cover the barnyard twice as fast as his brothers or sisters. Among the thousands of chickens born on the farm was a four-legged one. It was normal in every other way.

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Expert Urges Study For Married Life

MILWAUKEE, April 29. — Proper preparation for marriage and family life is urged by the Rev. Thomas F. Reilly, S. J., head of the Social Science department of Marquette University.

"Why is it," he asks, "that athletes, business men, doctors, lawyers, nurses and teachers submit to a long course of training and study to develop knowledge and skill and stamina so essential to success, and yet it is blandly assumed that a man and a woman can succeed in the difficult profession of marriage and parenthood just because they are of different sex?"

"Most marriages are reasonably happy," Father Reilly believes, "because most persons learn how to make compromises with difficulties. Preparation for matrimony and family life is necessary because marriage is the most important natural institution on earth."

Education for marriage should not have an exaggerated emphasis on physiological sex education, he said. Objectives in education for wedded life outlined by Father Reilly are correct ideas, habits and attitudes relative to marriage; a judicious choice of a life partner; and correct health knowledge and health habits.

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LOTIEF EXPERT TESTIFIER WHEN HIGH COST OF BABIES DISCUSSED

AUSTIN, April 29. — The increasing high cost of having babies was discussed in the Texas House of Representatives with Rep. Cecil Lotief of Cross Plains doing the expert testifying, as members argued the ethics of doctors and dentists.

"In 1927 we had a baby girl at our house," the stocky, Syrian-born testified. "The doctor charged me \$25.

"Two years later it was twin boys, and the bill was \$60.

"In 1931 another girl arrived and the doctor got \$75. I tried to swap him back the baby to pay the bill, but he said 'nothing doing.'" Lotief said while members relaxed in a hearty laugh.

Rep. J. T. Roach of Lufkin, whose gray head betrays his years, gained the floor and said:

"Why, that was cheap, Cecil. I'd give a hundred dollars for a baby at our house."

France Is Studying Ouster For Aliens

PARIS, April 29. — Members of the chamber of deputies, headed by Xavier Vallat, are dealing with the problem of the undesirable foreigner in France on financial grounds.

It has been found by experience that an expulsion decree seldom takes effect, as a foreigner can change his address and by keeping quiet escape the authorities for months and even years. The police cannot adopt the simple remedy of paying a foreigner's way out of the country because no funds are provided for that purpose.

The case of an Italian has been cited—a man who has repeatedly been sent to prison for disobeying his expulsion decree. In all, he has served nine years and eight months in jail and has cost the country \$1,638 instead of \$378, the price of a railroad ticket to the frontier.

In hopes of remedying the situation, Vallat has drafted a bill to be presented to the chamber. If this is passed, undesirable foreigners who ignore decree sor expulsion will be escorted speedily out of France.

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BY MARY E. DAGUE
NEA Service Staff Writer

"M for fish! If I keep on dinging at you to serve it, it's just because I really am sold on it myself. It's good and good for you, provided you cook it right. And if you can't cook it right (though there's no reason why you shouldn't learn) I'd rather see you put canned fish on your table than fresh.

Luckily, there's not much loss of vitamin and mineral content in canning fish. And the iodine is still all there, too. When I have canned fish, I don't look on it as a lazy trick, either, the way my mother did. "In fact, I go to some trouble to make chowders, salads and main dishes with all the flourishes.

Tuna fish roll is good for a family luncheon. Or you might make the roll or salmon or shrimp with a few green peas instead of the hard cooked egg.

Tuna Fish Roll
One cup pastry flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 2 tablespoons grated cheese, 1 tablespoon shortening, 1-2 cup milk (about), 2 tablespoons melted butter.

Tuna Fish Filling
Two tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon white pepper, 1 can tuna fish, 2 hard cooked eggs, 4 tablespoons diced celery.

Parboil celery for ten minutes in boiling water to cover and use this water with the milk to make the sauce.

Melt butter, stir in flour and slowly add milk, stirring con-

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Prune and lemon juice, cereal, cream, bread crumb pancakes, maple syrup, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Tuna fish roll, Jerusalem artichokes with mushrooms au gratin, endive with French dressing, stewed rhubarb, crisp cookies, milk, tea.
DINNER: English mutton chops, scalloped potatoes, buttered turnips, apple-celery-raisin salad, pineapple bavarian cream, milk, coffee.

stantly. Add salt and pepper and bring the boiling point. Add celery and bring again to the boiling point. Remove from the fire and add fish broken in pieces and hard cooked egg cut in slices. Let cool.

Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Add cheese and cut in shortening. Add milk to make a soft biscuit dough. Turn out on a lightly floured molding board and roll into an oblong sheet about 1-4 inch thick. Spread with melted butter and then with the tuna fish mixture. Roll jelly-roll fashion and place in a buttered shallow baking dish. Bake uncovered for thirty minutes in a hot oven (400 degrees F.). Garnish with parsley and strips of pimento and serve from baking dish.

Jerusalem artichokes with mushrooms au gratin is a fine vegetable dish to serve with the fish roll.

A dish of stewed rhubarb goes well after the tuna roll and is no trouble.

GOLFERS PLAY INITIAL MATCH HERE SUNDAY

Cisco won seven out of 16 golf matches here yesterday in the first game of the Oil Belt Golf association series played against Eastland.

The next game will be between Cisco and Ranger at Ranger May 18 and 19. T. C. Williams of the Cisco team urged all players here to practice during the next two weeks.

Much interest has been shown in golf here recently. Forty-eight players have qualified and 10 or 12 more are expected to do so during the next few days.

C. L. Stamey defeated Sam Conner 4 and 3.

O. V. Cunningham defeated Dug Jones 2 up.

Wendell Russell lost to Tom Burnett 5 and 4.

Jack Pippet lost to Tim Barnett 5 and 4.

J. L. Thornton lost to Bob Sikes, 1 up, 19th hole.

Charles Shepard lost to W. E. Story, 1 up, 19th hole.

P. L. Cagle lost to J. S. Armour 4 and 3.

R. L. Ponsler lost to Joe Harkrider 4 and 3.

Sentell Caffrey lost to Jack Gourley 2 and 1.

Dr. Paul Woods lost to L. D. Cooper 2 and 1.

C. W. Hanson lost to Ray Morris 5 and 3.

Sach Henson defeated Joe Blankenship 1 up.

A. L. Foster defeated W. Castleberry 3 and 2.

Ed Caudle defeated Lee Grubbs 2 and 1.

Horace Conley defeated Neil Day 3 and 2.

J. W. Thomas, Jr. defeated Bob Dwyer 7 and 6.

WORKERS RIDE BIKES

CLEVELAND. — Relief workers with the Cuyahoga county relief administration may use bicycles to cover their districts, if they wish.

Clark Monk, CCRRA director, ordered when a few of his workers were reported returning to the old method of transportation. A heavy shift to "bikes" came when the relief organization, which had been allowing some of its workers four and one-half cents per mile for operation of their own automobiles, cut the allowance to a flat \$5 a month.

FAMOUS ALUMNI

BOSTON—Historic Boston Latin school, now celebrating its tercentenary, has among its alumni Benjamin Franklin, Cotton Mather, Sir William Pepperell, Charles Bulfinch, the architect, Edward Everett Hale, Charles William Elliot, former president of Harvard university, Phillips Brooks, and Joseph P. Kennedy of the securities and exchange commission.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment.—Phone 80.

CAST FLY 98 FEET

BOSTON — Harry Burns, Maine guide, cast a fly 98 feet in contest at Boston Garden.

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...a cow lot...cultivate a garden, also...Jewel Poe going down early to count his money...likely take him all day to count that million...Miss Cora Harris looking over her flowers at 7 o'clock this morning...Algie and Otis Skiles trying to crank the little red delivery car...perhaps a little late already... Postoffice goes are constantly cheered by the sigh of those lovely roses just across the way in the grounds of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bible...Now that J. C. (Katy) King has gotten moved to his pretty suburban home, he says he thinks he better have a goat to help keep the place cleaned up... eat up the tin cans and other trash.

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