

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

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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## CANYON BANK BANDITS GET \$13,000

### Pipe, Laid by Daring Miner in Cave-in, Saves Twenty

#### VENTILATION IS PROVIDED TRAPPED MEN

#### Rescue Crew Clearing A Way Debris in Huge Tunnel

CAMP MITCHELL Calif., Jan. 10.—"We're all right. All of us. Plenty of air. Don't worry. Keep digging." A thin, metallic voice, sounding like a single ear-phonograph of a small radio set, brought this cheering news in jerky phrases through a four-inch pipe in Mitchell tunnel today.

On one end of the pipe was a rescue squad, working frantically to remove a slide of rock, dirt and broken timbering that completely choked the bore.

At the far end were twenty miners, held prisoner since 6:20 last night, when the cave-in imprisoned them at a point 1200 feet inside the mountain.

The life-giving pipe itself was laid by 27-year-old Welby Morgan, nozzlemaster, while the tremendous cave-in was under way.

Morgan, credited with saving the lives of all of the imprisoned men who otherwise might have perished of suffocation, saw the ground start to swell and heard the timber creak and groan.

He ran for safety; then changed his mind, thought of the length of four inch pipe he had seen on the floor and charged toward the group working further back in the bore.

Stumbled to Feet. A piece of falling rock knocked him down but he stumbled to his feet, dragged the pipe to a position on the floor of the tunnel beneath the roof-section that was even then disintegrating into a rain of rock and shale, and escaped as the entire wall and ceiling structure failed with a tremendous roar.

When the blinding dust of the slide had cleared away the lights were obtained, engineers found that the ventilating system had been carried away, but one end of Welby's pipe projected from the tons of debris by two feet.

Fearfully they beat the pipe upward far enough to talk into it. If the pipe cleared the other end it would carry air into the trap; if it didn't, the twenty men beyond the slide would probably die.

"Can you hear us? Can you hear us?" The first calls of the rescue squad echoed woodenly in the dark, ill-lit tunnel.

Then the thin, far-away voice which throughout the night brought cheering news from the trap—was heard for the first time.

"All Right." "Hi! We can hear you! Just found the pipe. We're all right. We counted up and we're all here!"

The rescue crew of thirty men, the largest number that can work efficiently in the bore at one time, toiled ceaselessly throughout the balance of the night and this morning.

The imprisoning wall of shale and rock was cleared away at the rate of approximately one foot an hour.

Two dangers faced both the trapped men and the rescuers. Immediate possibility of additional cave-ins was the first. Accumulation of gas was second.

By mid-morning a one per cent mixture of methane gas floated through the tunnel. Chemists said that this peril was dormant until the mixture increased to 5 per cent.

The men themselves are more afraid of the methane gas than of possible additional cave-ins.

It was in this same tunnel, a part of the Hetchy project, which is to bring water from the high Sierras to San Francisco, that twelve men were literally blown to bits in a terrific gas explosion on July 17.

**RADIO**  
SUNDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES  
Copyright 1931 by United Press  
WABC (CBS network) p:00 p. m.  
CST—Golden Hour.  
WEAF (NBC network) 6:30 p. m.  
CST—R C A Victor Hour.  
WABC (CBS network) 8:30 p. m.  
CST—Graham-Paige Hour.  
WJZ (NBC network) 8:30 p. m.  
CST—Plymouth-Gibbons' Adventures.  
WEAF (NBC network) 9:15 p. m.  
CST—Studebaker Champions.

#### TRUCK REGULATION AND HIGHWAY BOND ISSUE FOREMOST LEGISLATIVE TOPICS

##### Operates as Building Moves

DALLAS, Jan. 10.—Dr A M Hobby, a brother of the former governor of Texas, today revealed that he successfully operated upon a patient at his office while the two story brick building was being moved 62 feet as a part of a street-widening program.

##### ENGINEER SAYS HIGHWAY NO. 23 BASE SPLENDID

Formal notice of acceptance for the state highway department of the grading and caliche base of highway No. 23 from Cisco north to the Callahan county line was made in a letter to County Commissioner Birt Britain from W. A. French, highway department division engineer last week.

##### Hackleman Back From Mexico Trip

H. B. Hackleman, district supervisor for the Great Southern Life Insurance company, returned Friday night from a week's trip into Old Mexico, accompanying a special train-load of company agents, officials and their wives.

##### Utilities Bill Would Create Commission

AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—The public utilities bill proposed by the Texas league of municipalities has been drafted for the coming session of the legislature. It calls for a utility commission. Incorporated towns and cities are authorized to fix rates for the municipalities. County commissioners are authorized to fix rural rates. The state commission is to be an appeal body.

##### Senate Committee Heads Selected

AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—Tentative selection of heads for leading state senate committees has been made by Lieut. Governor Edgar Witt, it was learned today.

##### Big Increase in Orders for Steel

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Exceeding Wall street's most optimistic expectations, unfilled orders of the United States Steel corporation as of Dec. 31, totaled 3,943,596 tons, an increase of 303,960 tons over the increase of 303,636 ton total of Nov. 30.

##### Threatened Labor Troubles Ended

PAMPA, Jan. 10.—Threatened labor trouble here between idle unemployed and Mexicans working on the Childress railroad extension apparently had ended today with the contractors and Santa Fe railroad officials promising that more Americans would be employed.

##### San Angelo Mayor, Worried Over Ill Health and Finances, Plunges to Death

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 10.—Worried over ill health and financial trouble, Mayor A. A. Glover of San Angelo leaped to his death from a six-story building here today.

#### CISCO MAN IS ROBBED BY LONE BANDIT

##### Loss of \$54 Reported to Police by T. E. Miller

A lone unmasked hijacker forced T. E. (Dutch) Miller, oil well shooter for the American Glycerin company, from his car at a street intersection in the residential district here about 8:30 Friday night and robbed him of about \$54. Mr. Miller reported to the police.

##### Seek Torturers of Aged Recluse

MARSHALL Jan. 10.—County authorities today continued their search for three men who Thursday night burnt the feet of Jodie A. Ward, 75, with hot irons and cigars until he revealed the hiding place of his \$300 savings.

##### Five Escape New Mexico Prison

SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 10.—Five convicts escaped from the state penitentiary here today.

##### McDonald Takes Oath of Office

AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—J. E. McDonald of Waxahachie took the oath of office of commissioner of agriculture at 10 o'clock today in the office of the agricultural department before supreme court judge P. L. Hawkins, formerly of Waxahachie.

##### EDWIN FINLEY BURIED HERE ON SATURDAY

Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clements for Edwin Finley, 71, father of Mrs. Clements, who died at his home on East Fourteenth street Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

##### Crash Victims to Be Buried Today

Funeral services for Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Davenport, victims of a railway crossing tragedy at Ranger Friday afternoon, will be held at the First Baptist church at Ranger Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

##### THOUSANDS RETURN TO WORK; OTHERS VIOLENT

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Sharp contrasts in unemployment and reemployment developments in the mid-west were seen today with thousands of men preparing to go back to work in some places as hundreds threatened violence at others in pressing their demands for work.

##### W. E. Fry, City Manager of Oklahoma City, Considered Today

W. E. Fry, city manager of Oklahoma City, considered today the demands which 500 unemployed men handed him after a mass meeting outside his office. The petitioners were orderly and the police who were called were not needed.

##### WEATHER

West Texas—Partly cloudy preceded by rain in southeast portion and somewhat colder in west portion Sunday.  
East Texas—Probably rains Sunday.

#### EXECUTION OF ROBBERY IS NEAR PERFECT

##### Employees and Customers Bound and Gagged by Pair

CANYON, Jan. 10.—Officers of a dozen panhandle counties today sought two unmasked bandits who locked Sheriff Fry and bank employees in a rear room of the First National bank here and fled with over \$13,000 when the time lock on the vault opened at 9 a. m.

##### New Tank for U. S. Artillery Tested

RAHWAY, N. J., Jan. 10.—A new tank which will be recommended as standard equipment of the United States artillery has passed its first tests here.

##### 1930 Post Office Receipts \$29,911.01

Receipts of the Cisco post office for the year 1930 were \$29,911.01, it was announced Saturday by Postmaster F. A. Blankenbecker.

##### Perfectly Executed

Authorities said that the robbery was one of the most perfectly executed in the history of west Texas. Timing of the robbery with the hour for the opening of the vault by timelock was similar to means employed in looting of the Timponson, Texas, bank, Thursday and the robbery of an institution in Kansas City some weeks ago.

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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

**ALL IS WELL**—Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.—John 14:1, 2.  
**PRAYER**—Father, we trust Thee. Thou buildest both the world and the faculties with which we enjoy it.

### TEXAS FACTS FOR TEXANS.

According to a publicity expert, Texas ranks first among the states in the production of cotton, in the number of mules, in number of cattle, in number of sheep, in wool production, in number of goats and production of mohair, producing about 85 per cent of the mohair in the United States. Texas' trend towards increasing its urban population is shown by the fact that in the 1900 census 17.1 per cent was classified as urban; in 1910 24.1 per cent; in 1920 32.4 per cent and in 1930, according to preliminary reports, 41 per cent.

Abilene is considering a 25 billion gallon reservoir near Phantom Hill as a permanent solution of future water supply problems. It will cost around a million dollars. According to the Breckenridge American the Texas-Louisiana Power company, spending several thousand dollars on improvements in that vicinity, "handled the labor situation to make the work as generally helpful as possible." Needing only a hundred men at a time on the job the company gave a week's work to the first hundred, then put on another hundred for the second week and is continuing the program to furnish jobs for the jobless and food for their dependents.

It is said that irrigation of West Texas farms is highly profitable and when pumping is done by electricity inexpensive. This was shown by a recent survey made in the San Angelo district by the representatives of the power company. Irrigation is on the way in the rural districts of Texas and the farmers are taking advantage of the facilities provided by a modern civilization. Five million dollars in gasoline tax money will be invested in public highway building by order of the Texas highway commission during the winter months. This should help along the program for "jobs for the jobless" in order to keep down the number of idle workers in many of the farming districts of the commonwealth.

### DAMING OF THE COLORADO ON THE WAY.

Daming the Colorado river above Austin is on the way. Representatives of the big Chicago Developing company will open bids on the building of the \$6,000,000 Hamilton dam and power house Jan. 29. A five mile railroad from the dam site is in course of construction. It will cost \$100,000. Eight hundred men will be employed in the construction of the dam at top stages and the work will require two and one-half years. Railroad construction camps are located at the dam on the Llano side of the river.

All Texas rivers are to be harnessed. This is the electric age as well as the radio, motor car and sky plane age. Gone are the so-called good old days of the fathers, known as the oxcart age of Texas civilization, the cattle trail highway age of Texas civilization, the bridgeless river ago of Texas civilization.

Yes, a modern civilization is costly but it is worth the price.

### PROFITS OF BONDS ARE TAXABLE.

Profits from the sale of federal and state bonds are subject to state and federal taxes. This is the latest decree by the supreme court of the United States. The lower courts held a tax on profits would, in effect, be a tax on the public securities involved and ruled such taxes invalid under the provision of the constitution prohibiting the imposition of undue burden on federal, state and municipal securities. This ruling was set aside by the court of last resort and now profits on bonds are taxable.

### TEXANS MUST MATCH THE FEDERAL DOLLAR.

A well known Washington correspondent lets it be known that Texas will have \$20,472,162 for road improvement and highway building if the 42nd legislature matches a federal fund of \$5,148,000. In addition he says there is available to Texas now of federal funds the amount of \$10,176,000. It is for the lawmakers to speak out. They are the masters.

### FRISCO SHOP WORKERS MADE HAPPY.

Frisco shop men in the city of St. Louis, numbering 2000 and most of whom had been laid off since Nov. 4 returned to work Jan. 2. They received a monthly payroll of \$350,000. Another army of shop workers numbering 1200 returned for work in the main Frisco shops at Springfield, Mo., but for the present they will work only three days a week. Another 800 workers who had been laid off since Dec. 20 returned to work at various points on the six day week basis. "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot and Roll the Clouds Away."

### OTHER OPINIONS

**SEX TALKIES**  
Few observers it is believed will go as far as a certain chain theatre operator who believes that an excess of sex in the films causing many parents to break their children of the "movie" habit but most of them will concede that sex is often badly handled by Hollywood and that the promoters are largely at fault when their attendance falls off.  
Modern parents are too liberal and tolerant to do much censoring for their progeny. Those who

place limitation on their children's attendance at the "talkies" do so for other reasons than cinema faults. Moreover, it seems that among one's acquaintances the severest critics of the films are those who seldom if ever see a picture and who are childless. Imagination takes the place of reality with them.  
However, this matter of sex is but a detail. If fewer people are going to the "movies," it is because they have found that the realization too seldom comes up to expectation. There are too many

mediocre or worse pictures interspersed with the excellent to make it a good gamble for the film fan.  
Mass production has been introduced in the motion picture industry, with the apparent result that quality is being sacrificed for quantity. It is a pity that the industry, with everything in the world to work with, is producing so few cinema classics.  
Thus it would appear that the financial backers of the producers if they are—as reported—interesting themselves in what their money is producing, could not do better than to modify a practice under which scenarios are accepted, not because they are good, but because maximum production must be maintained.  
—Paris News.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE  
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

That advertising is a service to the public. It is the kind of service that is of assistance. This is the time for some business concern to quit thinking that the public owes them something and think of what they owe the public.  
The public expects to know about the business world and what they have to sell.  
Out of consideration for the public, every business man should advertise.  
The printed page is the proper place to advise the public who are where you are and what you have to sell.  
Every business should look ahead. They must anticipate; they must employ well established policies of modern business; they should have faith in their city, faith in their business; confidence in themselves and then advertise!

### Sunday Services at The Churches

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Sixth street at H Avenue. Regardless of weather today our auditorium will be comfortable, and a welcome awaits everyone who comes. Sunday school will be at 9:45 and worship at 11. Mr. Boney will preach today on the theme, "Three Things Every Man Fears." Special music will be furnished by Dr. G. C. Morris and the chorus choir. Young People's League meetings are at 6:30 and evening worship at 7:30. Bruce C. Boney, minister.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Remember the Sunday services begin promptly at 10 a. m. We especially urge that you be on time, starting the new year with promptness. More especially is it necessary this time, as we are to finish our work here as early as possible, in order that we put on our broadcasting program, beginning at 1:30. This comes from K. F. P. L. Dublin, Tex., who operates on 1310 kilocycles. We hope that many will take advantage of this, that we might have a good hearing from our home town. And too we will be glad to have a hearing from you while in the studio.  
The young folks meeting will begin promptly at 6 o'clock p. m. The evening preaching, begins at 7:15. Subject for that hour: "Marriage of the King's Son."  
Question for the evening: Who named Eve, the first woman on earth?  
Tuesday 3 p. m. the ladies are studying the last half of the first chapter of Romans.  
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. we study the twelfth chapter of Hebrews. Everybody is welcome to attend all these services, and take a part.  
Singing each Friday night. All singers and all lovers of music are invited. Bring any book you have or can get. We welcome them all. J. Porter Whitte, minister.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Corner Sixteenth and F Avenue. Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m.

English morning service 11 a. m. English evening service 7:30 p. m. Sermon topic for morning service: "The Holy Family of Nazareth, an Example for all Christian Parents and Children." for evening services: "The Righteousness That Saves." Voter's quarterly meeting at 2:30 p. m. Arthur Rathjen, pastor.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**  
"Sacrament" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, Sunday, January 11.

John 6:33 supplies the golden text: "The bread of God is he which cometh down from heaven, and giveth life unto the world."  
Among the passages from the Bible will be read: "For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ"—Galatians 3:26, 27. "Blessed are the pure in heart; for they shall see God"—Matthew 5:8.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Broadway and H. Avenue. H. D. Tucker, pastor. G. P. Mitcham, educational director.

Mrs. W. B. Statham, choir director.  
Mrs. B. A. Butler, pianist.  
Sunday, Jan. 11th, the pastor will preach at 10:50 a. m. Subject, "When the Sunset Turns to Gold." Dr. T. Edgar Neal will preach at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. League at 6:30 p. m.

You are invited to our services.  
San Antonio—Construction has started on new St. Mary's academy to cost approximately \$500,000.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

### The Childhood of Jesus

Text: Luke 2:40-52

And the child grew and waxed strong, filled with wisdom; and the grace of God was upon him. And his parents went every year to Jerusalem at the feast of the passover.

And when he was twelve years old, they went up after the custom of the feast.

And when they had fulfilled the days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem; and his parents knew it not.

But supposing him to be in the company, they went a day's journey; and they sought for him among their kinsfolk and acquaintance.

And when they found him not, they returned to Jerusalem, seeking for him.

And it came to pass, after three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both hearing them, and asking them questions, and all that heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers.

And when they saw him, they were astonished; and his mother said unto him, Son, why hast thou thus dealt with us? behold, thy father and I sought thee sorrowing.

And he said unto them, How is it that ye sought me? knew ye not that I must be in my Father's house?

And they understood not the saying which he spake unto them, and came to Nazareth; and he was subject unto them; and his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.

And Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for January 11. The Child of Jesus. Luke 2:40-52. By WM. E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of the Congregationalist.

The picture that Luke gives of the childhood of Jesus is of a very normal development. It is significant, except for the assurance that the child grew, and waxed strong filled with wisdom; and the grace of God was upon him." That Luke and all the New Testament biographers of Jesus pass over the whole period from babyhood to the twelfth year.

All the records that have come to us from the ancient world concerning the childhood of Jesus are not so simple or restrained. We have apocryphal books of the New Testament which were excluded from the canon of scripture because for various reasons, they were not regarded as having equal genuineness and authority. One of the things that characterizes these books is a much more legendary and imaginative narrative with little reference to the life of spiritual import of the life of Jesus. We have in these apocryphal gospels such stories as that of the child Jesus at play among his fellows making mud birds when the birds of Jesus made took wings and flew away.

**Impressive Simplicity**  
It is by contrast with such fantastic and imaginary things that the documents of the New Testament impress us with their simplicity. Even the miracles that are recorded are in almost every instance miracles that are associated with the ministry of Jesus in healing and saving.

The striking incident in the twelfth year of Jesus which occupies the greater part of our lesson, though it forms a dramatic episode in the long years concerning, which we have little record of the Master, is told with simplicity and impressiveness. One marvels that a boy of 12 should have been able to converse with the doctors in the temple in such a way as to win their attention and wonder. But the story carries its own authority. It is told with a simple realism that reminds us that the boy Jesus was as remarkable as the man Jesus and it reveals only what we might expect at the age of 12 from the man of later years.

The age of 12 was a crucial and important age in the life of the Jewish boy. Almost as much as the age of 21 today it marked his passing from childhood to manhood so far as responsibility was concerned. Henceforth he participated with his elders in all religious rites. It must have been for the boy a rich and wonderful experience going up to Jerusalem for the Feast of the Passover.

**Had Deep Religious Interest**  
The movement of the nation toward its religious capital, the throngs crowding every highway, the colorful and varied scenes, must have made their deep impression upon the boy's heart and soul; and no doubt his parents would recall to him the similar circumstances under which he had been born, when crowds thronged Bethlehem and there was no room in the inn.

But beneath all external impressions and wonder at the scene around him was the boy's deep interest in religion. The temple itself must have impressed him with its immense proportions and with its imposing plan and achievement. But the temple now as in the later years of his ministry and teaching, was subordinate to the deeper things that the temple professed to represent. It was in the soul of religion and



not in its external adornments that Jesus found reality.  
One can easily conjecture the nature of the boy's questions and answers as he sat among the learned teachers.

**Teachers Not So Learned**  
The world's teachers have not after all been so learned that a little child could not ask them questions which they would find it hard to answer and in almost every age the lore of the learned has represented such a complex and artificially developed mechanism of knowledge that a thoughtful child preaching truth with earnestness and simplicity might challenge it. Doctors have some times assumed a knowledge that they did not really possess.

The probability is that the mind of Jesus, now as in later years, was moving in the realm of a great spiritual simplicity which laid the supreme stress not upon artificial conceptions of truth, but upon His simple intuitions and its strongest evidences of moral and spiritual depths. So then we need not marvel at finding Christ among the doctors even at the age of 12.

A human touch, such as is given to the whole story of Jesus of Nazareth, is found in the anxiety

of his parents for him and in the reply, wise beyond his years, to his mother's loving reproach, "Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business?"

### OIL NEWS OF SOUTHWEST

**HENDERSON, Jan. 10.**—The Tex Loyd No. 1 Camp was flowing by heads Friday for the seventh producer in the Rusk county field. Thirty barrels of oil flowed in a 14 inch head. The producer is 1,400 feet northwest of the Joiner discovery well.

**GAINESVILLE, Jan. 10.**—An oil sand test will be made in the Big Indian Oil company's No. 2 B. W. Davis at Callisburg, 12 miles northeast of here, as soon as casing is set at 4,482 feet. It was learned today. The sand was encountered at 3,500.08 feet.

Lime in the Gray, Tex No. 1 Mary Riley at Bloomfield will be tested Sunday. Oil showings were found at 1,526 feet.

## COATS & DRESSES

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**BANDIT SLUGS WOMAN**  
DALLAS, Jan. 10.—Police today sought a bandit who last night slugged Mrs. Virginia Briggs, 29, Federal Reserve bank clerk, unconscious and robbed her of \$2 as she was going home from a theater. A watchman found her lying in the street.  
Center-City purchases modern fire truck.

**LICENSE CANCELED**  
AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—The license of the Equitable Casualty and Surety company of New York to operate in Texas has been canceled, the state insurance commissioner announces. The cancellation was ordered because the company has been placed in the hands of a receiver by the New York insurance department.

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# Loboes "Snap Out of It" and Give Eagles Big Scare

## LOOP LEADERS HARD PUT TO WIN CONTEST

### Long Range Hits by Preston Feature Fast Game

The Abilene Eagles won another ball game Friday night but they were not enough scaries to make up for the loss of them in previous contests which they have won handily. For once the Loboes seemed to have found themselves and for four quarters they kept their taller opponents in the proverbial "hot water" with the lead switching from first one team to the other.

Preston, Lobo guard, had his range last time and the direct line registered by this youngster from mid-court featured a contest that was fast and furious throughout and tended to rough tactics several times during the fray. The uncanny accuracy with which he sunk his long-distance shots accounted for the equality in field goals between the teams, each of them registering nine of these shots. The Eagles registered a superior passing combination about the goal and greater accuracy from the foul line while the Ciscoans were superior on the defense, and on long-range tossing.

**Smith High Point**

J. Smith, Eagle forward, was high point man for the game with 13 while Preston, Lobo guard, pressed him for the honors with 12 points. Two Loboes, Karkalits, forward, and Purvis, guard, were banished from the court in the third period with four personal fouls recorded against them and S. Smith, Eagle guard, suffered a similar fate in the same period.

At the end of the first period the Eagles led the scoring by a count of seven to five. At the half the Loboes had forged into the lead with a count of 11 against 10. With the scoring majority shifting from one to the other during the third period, the Eagles led at the end of the third period with 19 points to Cisco 17. They increased their majority to five as the game ended.

Miller, Howard Payne, was the referee.

The improvement shown by the Loboes over their past performances last night was the most remarkable feature of the game. If they continue to improve at this rate, the final days of the season should find them well up at the top in the league.

**Lineups:**

Abilene — J. Smith and Windham, forwards; Groseclose, center; Phelps and S. Smith, guards.

Cisco — Karkalits and Yeager, forwards; Van Horn, center; Purvis and Preston, guards.

## Wrestler Finds Jack Still Has Punch

DALLAS, Jan. 10.—Jack Dempsey, former champion of heavy-weight boxers, left today for Newark, New Jersey, after bowling over a 205 pound wrestler here with one of his famous punches.

Billy Edwards, Kansas City heavyweight grappler, turned fighter at the conclusion of a match which Dempsey refereed here last night and learned to his sorrow that the manna mauler is not, as has been claimed, "too old to fight."

"Break gentlemen," Dempsey told Edwards and his opponent, Jimmy O'Dowd several times during the evening. They did. But after Dempsey patted Edwards on the back in the last round in token of victory, the headlock artist declined to lose. Dempsey jerked the two apart. Edwards swung and grazed Jack's right cheek.

The former champion snapped a short right to Edward's chin, lifting him off the floor and piling him head first on the canvas. The "fight" was over.

Edwards won the opening fall of the wrestling match in 21 minutes a chiropractic headlock. O'Dowd won the second in 15 minutes with a top body lock. The final round went to Edwards in 16 minutes on another head lock.

## Amarillo Cage Meet Dates Set

AMARILLO, Jan. 10.—Amarillo's first basketball tournament for high schools in the panhandle has been set for January 16 and 17. T. G. Hull, tournament manager, announced today.

The entire meet has not yet been completed, but inquiries from parts of the panhandle indicate the tourney will be one of the best meets of the year, Hull said.

The Amarillo Globe-News will provide a trophy for the tournament champion.

## QUITS ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Bobby Jones made his retirement from amateur golfing circles—where for years he has been the game's outstanding star—more complete today when he withdrew from any executive capacity of the United States Golf association.

## "Commercialized Athletics" Deplored by Texas University in Statement

AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—The University of Texas was put on record today standing with those institutions that deplore "commercialized intercollegiate sports, especially football."

The university's declaration is contained in resolutions drafted by Regent Robert L. Holliday, at direction of the board and forwarded to President H. Y. Benedict here to be put into effect.

The decision calls for a policy of promoting those parts in which the greatest number of students take part—not the specialized ones. Baseball, tennis, swimming and track are urged as the major activities.

The resolution is: "The board of regents of the University of Texas, look with disfavor upon the over-emphasis and the commercialization of intercollegiate contests.

**Regrets Reduction**

"It regrets that the Southwest conference has seen fit to reduce the importance of baseball, track and other athletic activities participated in by large numbers of young men attending the South-

west conference schools. The board of regents of the university feel that the purpose of athletics is to develop as many young men of the university as is possible, and expects to promote and encourage those athletic contests in which the largest number of students can participate such as baseball, tennis, swimming, track and other intramural games.

"The board of regents is opposed to the elimination and reduction of the importance of the minor athletic sports, but is in favor of encouraging and extending these sports, and the board of regents of the university sincerely hopes that the athletic council of the University of Texas will not undertake to lessen the importance of these various sports, but will do everything in their power to further and encourage same in order that there will be a well organized and rounded program of all athletic games of the university in order to furnish competition for the greatest number of students to develop their physical strength and moral stamina."

## Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON" "THE AVENGING PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS" (CISCO) (NIA SERVICE, INC.)

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**

Special Investigator Dundee believes that Juanita Selim and Dexter Sprague were murdered by a blackmail victim, while the police theory is that they were killed to avenge a racketeer when Nita is thought to have betrayed. Of Dundee's six possible suspects—Judge Marshall, owner of the death weapon; Polly Beale and Clive Hammond, who married suddenly after Sprague's death; John Drake, Janet Raymond, in love with Sprague, and Flora Miles—his case is strongest against Flora.

He thinks it possible she killed Nita in desperation, and that Tracey Miles killed Sprague to protect Flora from a charge of blackmail. In New York, Dundee learns that there are vague rumors of scandals involving Flora and Janet, which Nita might have known. From Serena Hart, stage star and graduate of the Forsythe School, which these girls attended and where Nita, on Serena's recommendation, directed the Easter play, he learns that Nita was married early in 1918, and that the dress in which she was cremated was her wedding dress, as he suspected. Nita was quickly deserted, however, but not divorced, Serena says that a picture of Nita was printed accidentally in a story about Anita Lee.

Dundee is about to leave, when Serena asks him if he knows Penny Crain, saying that she met her and Roger Crain, who later failed in business and disappeared at the Forsythe School. Dundee impulsively tells Serena that Penny and her mother would like to have Crain back again. After wiring Penny, Dundee learns that on the ninth of February, when Nita tried to kill herself, Sprague was rumored engaged, but that a denial was printed two days later. He receives an answer to his wire to Penny.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLIV

With a sharp exclamation of excitement and triumph, Dundee finished Penny's telegram:

HAMILTON EVENING SUN DATE OF MAY FIFTH NINETEEN TWENTY TWO PUBLISHED STORY OF SUICIDE ANITA LEE ARTISTS MODEL BUT PICTURE ACCOMPANYING WAS NITA LEIGH SELIMS STOP NO CORRECTION FOLLO WED STOP WHAT DOES IT MEAN

"What does it mean?" Dundee repeated exultantly to himself. "It means, my darling little Penny, that anyone in Hamilton who had any interest in the matter believed Nita Leigh Selim was dead, and that the spelling of her name was wrong, not the picture itself! The question is, who read that

## Dempsey Rates Stribling Greatest

DALLAS, Jan. 10.—W L (Young) Stribling was rated the greatest fighter in the ring today by Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, in an interview here shortly before Dempsey stepped into a Dallas ring to referee the O'Dowd-Edwards mat battle.

Dempsey's choice was made irrespective of weight divisions, and contrasted with a recent census of boxing critics which awarded this honor to Mickey Walker, middleweight champion. The manna mauler disclaims any credit for changing Stribling's ring style from a safety-first defensive game to an aggressive, slugging drive.

"All I did," said Jack, "was tell him I thought the best system was to keep busy and throw a lot of leather. One doesn't win fights by going away."

Lack of leaders in Dempsey is reason for the present slump in boxing. A promoter who is peer to the late Tex Rickard and a real fighting champion would cure the ailments of the boxing game, he believes.

The veteran slugger predicted a bright future for boxing in Texas once the sport is made legal.

married although husbandless, was a protection against matrimonial temptations.

To Gladys Earle, a year ago in April, she had confided that she could not marry again, because she was not divorced and because she did not know the whereabouts of her husband.

And so far as New York reporters had been able to find out, Nita Leigh had done nothing to alter her status as a married woman during the past year. Moreover, if Nita had secured either a divorce or a legal separation, her maid, Lydia Carr, would certainly have known of it. And Lydia had vehemently protested more than once to Bonnie Dundee that she knew nothing Nita's husband, although she had worked for the musical comedy dancer for five years. Surely if Nita, loving and trusting Lydia as she did, had entered into negotiations of any kind with or concerning her husband during the last year, her maid would have been the first to know of them. And yet—

Suddenly Dundee jumped to his feet and began to pace the floor of his hotel bedroom. He was remembering the belated confidences that John C. Drake, banker, had made to him the morning before—after the discovery of Dexter Sprague's murder. He recalled Drake's reluctant statement almost word for word:

"About that \$10,000 which Nita deposited with our bank, Dundee. . . . When she made the first deposit of \$5,000 on April 28, she explained it with an embarrassed laugh as 'back alimony,' an installment of which she had succeeded in collecting from her former husband. And, naturally, when she made the second deposit on May 5, I presumed the same explanation covered that sum, too, though I confess I was puzzled by the fact that both big deposits had been made in cash."

In cash! Had Nita, by any chance, been telling a near-truth? Had she been blackmailing her own husband—a husband who had dared marry again, believing his deserted wife to be dead—and justifying herself by calling it "back alimony"? But wasn't it, in reality, no matter what coercion Nita had used in getting the money, exactly that? . . . Back alimony! And the price of her silence before the world and the wife who was not really a wife?

In a new light, Bonnie Dundee studied the character of the woman who had been pardoned—possibly to make her silence eternal.

Lois Dunlap had liked, even loved her. The other women and girls of that exclusive, self-centered clique of Hamilton's most socially prominent women must have liked her fairly well and found her congenial, in spite of their jealousy of her popularity with the men of the crowd, or they would not have tolerated her, regardless of Lois Dunlap's championship of her protege.

Gladys Earle had found her "the sweetest, kindest, most generous person I ever met"—Gladys Earle, who envied and hated all the girls who were more fortunate than she.

Serena Hart former member of New York's Junior League and still listed in the Social Register, had found Nita the only congenial member of the chorus she had invaded as the first step toward stardom. And Serena Hart had the reputation of being a woman of character and judgment, a kind and wise and great woman. . . . Finally, Ralph Hammond had loved Nita and wanted to marry her.

Was it possible that Nita Selim's only crime, into which she had been led by her infatuation for Dexter Sprague, had been to demand, secretly, financial compensation from a husband who had

married and deserted her, a husband who, believing her dead, had married again?

But who was the man whose picture—to spin a new theory—Nita had recognized as that of her husband among the male members of "The Beggar's Opera" when Lois Dunlap had proudly exhibited the pictures of that amateur performance?

With excitement hammering at his pulses, Dundee took the bunch of photographs which Lois Dunlap had willingly given him, and studied the picture that contained the entire cast—the picture which had first attracted Nita's attention. And again despair overwhelmed him, for every one of his possible male suspects was in that group.

But he could not keep his thoughts from racing on. . . . Men who stepped out of their class and went on parties with chorus girls frequently die so under assumed names, he reflected. Serena Hart was authority for the information that Nita's had been a sudden marriage. Was it not entirely possible that the man who married Nita in 1918 had done so half-drunk, both on liquor and infatuation, and that he had not troubled to explain to Nita his motives for having used an assumed name or procedure which he was sensible enough to realize promised small chance of success?

Bonnie Dundee lay awake for hours Friday night turning these and a hundred other questions over and over in his too-active mind, and slept at last, only to awake Saturday with a plan of procedure which he was sensible enough to realize promised small chance of success.

And he was right. Not in Manhattan, or in any of the other boroughs of New York city, did he find any record of a marriage license issued to Juanita Leigh and Matthew Selim. Not only was it entirely probable that Juanita Leigh was a stage name and that Nita had married conscientiously under her real name, but it was equally possible that the license had been obtained in New Jersey or Connecticut.

When he gave up his quest at noon Saturday and returned to his hotel, he bought at the newsstand a paper whose headline informed him that Sergeant Turner was, at that moment, even more discouraged than himself. For the big type told the world:

JOE SAVELLI "GETS" BROTHER'S SLAYER.

And smaller headlines informed the sensation-loving public: "SAVALLOW-TAIL SAMMY" SAVELLI'S DEATH AVENGED BY BROTHER WHO SURRENDERS TO POLICE; "SLICK" THOMPSON, ALLEGED MEMBER OF SAMMY'S GANG, SHOT TO DEATH ON SIXTH AVENUE.

Still smaller type acknowledge that Joe Savelli, after giving himself up, with a revolver in his hand, had disclaimed any knowledge of connection with the murders of Juanita Leigh Selim and Dexter Sprague.

Two hours later, Dundee received a long distance from District Attorney Sanderson:

INFORMED BY EVENING SUN AND CAPTAIN STRAWN THAT SAVELLI IS COMPLETELY WAHOUT STOP HAVE YOU MADE ANY PROGRESS ALONG OTHER LINES STOP HAVE INFORMED REPORTERS YOU WORKING INDEPENDENTLY WITH STRONG CHANCE OF SOLVING BOTH CASES STOP WOULD LIKE YOU HERE FOR ADJOURNED INQUESTS ON BOTH MURDERS MONDAY STOP MOTHER IMPROVED AM ON JOB AGAIN

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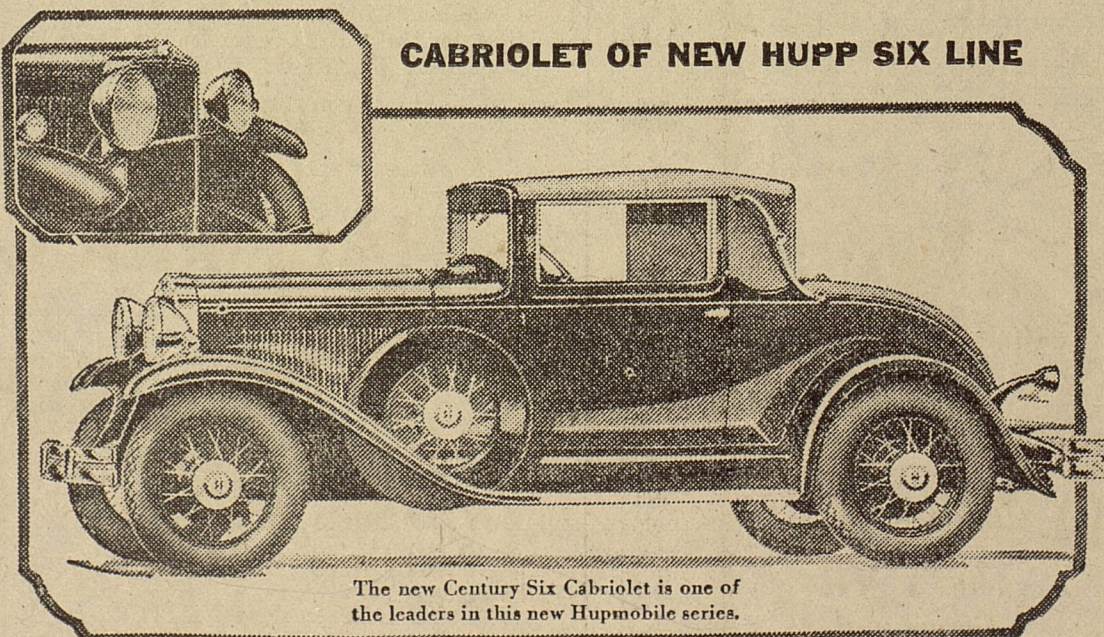
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### Mmes. Wallace-Armstrong Entertain for Guests

Mrs. W. J. Armstrong and Mrs. W. W. Wallace were joint hostesses yesterday afternoon at a bridge party given at the Cisco country club, honoring the mother, and sisters of Mrs. Armstrong.

A red and white color scheme was effectively carried out in the beautiful carnations and poinsettias with which the clubrooms were decorated.

The list of invited guests: Mesdames W. T. Graham, O. C. Cope, Pete Booth, P. R. Warwick, Guy Dabney, Homer McDonald, F. D. McMahon, M. L. McGannon, F. W. Murphy, J. C. Hanrahan, A. C. Green, C. C. Jones, Allan Wood, Gene Bell, E. S. Wilkison, F. D. Wright, Raby Miller, W. P. Lee, J. R. Almond, A. E. Jamieson, Oscar Clitt, A. Spears.

C. H. Fee, Chas. Trammell, Don Sivalis, Roy Stover, Joe Burnham, J. A. Bearman, F. J. Borman, Smith, Anderson, L. A. Harrison, B. S. Huey, E. A. Murrell, G. L. Wingate, L. B. Campbell, Don Burger, R. N. Cluck, H. Brandon, Chas. Maroney, Ted Mullinix, Rex Moore, Peggie Henderson, J. M. Carter, W. K. Eszen, C. C. Moore, of Houston, T. M. Quinn, W. B. Chapman, R. L. Ponsler, W. B. Calhoun, Will St. John, Jack Cabaness, Bobby Henson, Paul Woods, Dorothy Brock, Geo. Atkins, Chas. Brown, Misses Helen Cobb, Marian Chambliss, and Aline Walker; and the honorees, Mesdames Harry McAdams, W. R. Robinson and I. Martin Keiter.

### Mrs. Moore Honoree at Humble Party

Mrs. C. C. Moore of Houston was the honoree Tuesday evening at a party given by Mrs. F. D. McMahon and Mrs. M. L. McGannon at the home of the latter in Humbletown.

Chrysanthemums had been chosen as the predominant flowers for decorating the home. During the first part of the evening, a new and clever game, "Cootie" was played. Mrs. Reggie Henderson winning high score. Bridge was also enjoyed.

Mrs. Harry McAdams winning high Mrs. Will St. John, second, and a guest prize being presented to Mrs. Moore.

Refreshments of Bavarian cream, cake and coffee were served. The guest list included: Mesdames Roy Stover, J. R. Almond, Ted Mullinix, J. C. Hanrahan, W. W. Wallace, Fields of Gainesville, G. M. Simpson, W. K. Eszen, Chas. Maroney, Reggie Henderson, I. J. Henson, F. W. Murphy, W. R. Robinson of Bellingham, Wash., A. E. Jamieson, H. E. McGowan, W. C. McDaniels, Harry McAdams of Bellingham, Wash., J. M. Carter, Will St. John and the honoree, C. C. Moore of Houston.

### Bridge Compliments Houston Visitor

Mrs. C. C. Moore was again complimented Wednesday evening with a bridge party given by Mrs. G. M. Simpson.

Pink and green were emphasized in the tallies, bridge accessories, and dainty refreshment course.

High prize, a beautiful picture, was won by Mrs. A. E. Jamieson, low, a madiera guest towel, by Mrs. Harry McAdams, and a guest prize of three handmade lace doilies, was presented Mrs. Moore. Cut prizes of tiny pot plants were given at each table to Mesdames W. W. Wallace, Roy Stover, J. C. Hanrahan, H. E. McGowan, and W. R. Robinson.

### Luncheon for Club Members and Guests

Members of the Darning and Mending club and a few guests were entertained Thursday noon with a luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

Luncheon was served buffet-style from the dining table, beautifully appointed and lit by tall red candles.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robinson and Mrs. Harry McAdams of Bellingham, Wash., Mrs. I. Martin Keiter of Collingwood, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. William Burkett of Houston, Pa., and Mesdames F. J. Borman, F. D. McMahon, A. E. Jamieson, W. W. Wallace, W. J. Armstrong, M. L. McGannon and Partner of Kansas City.

### Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Parrish

Mrs. C. H. Parrish was hostess to the Happy Thimble Sewing club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace in Humbletown.

After an enjoyable afternoon, refreshments of jellied salad, cheese balls, hot chocolate, and candy, were served to Mesdames Rudolph Shaefner, Ray Haley, C. E. Hickman, Dewey Moore, J. P. Parrish Jr., J. McGregor and M. H. Pittman.

### 8 Club Meets With Miss Ester Hale

At the close of the bridge games played Thursday evening by members of the — 8 club, when entertained at the home of Miss Ester Hale, balloons were presented to the guests and prizes of exquisite linen handkerchiefs awarded to the three who blew them up largest in

the shortest length of time. The long-winded winners were Misses Ruth Endicott, Mary Jane Butts, and Marian Mayer.

High score for bridge was awarded Miss Catherine Cunningham and low Miss Aylene Scudder.

Attractive refreshment plates with favors of gumdrop holders bearing lighted candles were passed to Misses Aline Walker, Mary Jane Butts, Helen Williamson, Arlene Scudder, Ora Bess Moore, Ruth Endicott, Catherine Pettit, Marian Mayer, Louise Trammell, Catherine Cunningham, Addie Fee, Laura Lou Waring, and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham.

Margaret Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Gray to Dr. John Campbell McKissick, was impressively solemnized Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Franklin Presbyterian church. Dr. James McKissick, of Cisco, Tex., father of the groom, read the marriage service in the presence of relatives and friends.

Palms and ferns were massed about the altar and interspersed among the greens were tall standards of calla lilies. At each end of the altar were seven branched candelabra in which burned tall white tapers.

Preceding the ceremony a program of nuptial music was given by Mrs. Humphrey Armistead, vocalist, and Mrs. Dan German organist. Mrs. Armistead sang "Because" and "At Dawning." Mrs. German played "The Pilgrims Chorus" from Tannhauser and "Scherzo's Serenade." Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played both for the processional and recessional and during the taking of the vows, Mrs. German softly played "The Song to the Evening Star."

### Delphians Study Hebrew History

"The Story of the Hebrews" was the subject of the discussion at the meeting Monday morning of the Delphian club which convened at the home of Mrs. A. J. Olson.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer was in charge of the program, numbers of which were: "Physical Geography of Palestine and Sources of Hebrew History" — Mrs. O. T. Maxwell.

"The Hebrews Prior to Occupation of Canaan" — Mrs. George Daniels.

"Reign of Kings of Israel" — Mrs. Chas. Sandler.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

### Green and Gold Scheme at Club

Green and gold tallies and score pads, with the same colors emphasized in the wrappings of the prizes, the refreshments, even in the yellow-hearted narcissi placed profusely about the rooms, were used this week when Mrs. Chas. Brown entertained the Wednesday bridge club.

High score was won by Mrs. E. S. Wilkison and low by Mrs. Geo. P. Fee.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames E. P. Crawford, Oscar Clitt, H. S. Drumwright, Guy Dabney, L. A. Harrison, E. L. Graham, M. C. Cavels, F. D. Wright, W. B. Chapman, Will St. John, E. S. Wilkison, and Geo. P. Fee.

### Mrs. Almond Hostess to Humble Club

Mrs. J. R. Almond was hostess to the Humble bridge club Wednesday afternoon at her home, cottage 12.

High score was won by Mrs. F. D. McMahon and low by Mrs. I. Martin Keiter. A dainty salad course was served.

Members present were: Mesdames W. W. Wallace, Ted Mullinix, J. C. Hanrahan, M. L. McGannon, F. D. McMahon, W. K. Eszen, J. M. Carter, Reggie Henderson, W. J. Armstrong, Roy Stover and G. M. Simpson. Guests were: Mesdames C. C. Moore of Houston, A. C. Green, I. Martin Keiter, of Collingwood, N. J., Harry McAdams of Bellingham, Wash., and Chas. Maroney.

### Mrs. St John Wins High at Pivot Club

Members of the Pivot bridge club were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Brown, on West Sixth street.

High score was won by Mrs. Will St. John.

Players were: Mesdames Will St. John, Don Sivalis, Guy Dabney, E. S. Wilkison, A. C. Green, W. B. Chapman, Chas. Trammell, Allan Woods, M. C. Cavels, J. A. Bearman, and Gene Bell.

### Modernistics Meet With Mrs. R. Cotton

Mrs. Ross Cotton Jr. was hostess to the Modernistic bridge club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hartman, 200 West Fifth street.

High score was won by Mrs. Herman Qualls, second high by Mrs. Thelma Huestis, and low by Mrs. Guy Austin.

Cherry pie topped with whipped cream, hot chocolate, and bonbons were served to Mesdames Joe Black Lonnie Tullos, Frank Jacobs, Wallace Britton, Guy Austin, Ted Huestis, George Wilds, Lloyd Surlis, Herman Qualls Smith Huestis, and R. L. Jeffries.

### Meth. Junior Dept. Guests at Party

Members of the junior department of the First Methodist church were entertained with a party Monday evening by the superintendent, Mrs. John Shertzer, and teachers, Mrs. D. A. Rumbaugh, Mrs. O. W. Statham, Mrs. Zed Erwin, and Miss Ora Bess Moore.

Games and contests were directed by Miss Moore, and after an enjoyable evening, refreshments were served.

### City Federation to Elect Officers Mon.

The City Federation will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the clubhouse with Mrs. F. P. Shepard presiding over the business session.

Election of officers will be held at this time, in addition to the following program: "What It Takes to Make a Good Clubwoman" — Mrs. R. Q. Lee; contra solo, "One Fleeting Hour," Mrs. W. L. Holmbeck, accompanied by Mrs. S. E. Hittson; poem (selected) Mrs. R. A. Williams; reading, Mrs. D. E. Walters.

### Music Club Enjoys Splendid Program

The Music Study club met Monday afternoon at the clubhouse with 11 members present.

After a brief business session, the following most interesting program on the subject, "Opera" was given with Mrs. Larry Waterbury as leader.

"History of the Opera" — a paper prepared by Miss Marian Chambliss and read by Mrs. Ben McClinton.

"Sketch of the Life of Ambrose Thomas, composer," by Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

"Resume of Opera Mignon" by Mrs. Larry Waterbury.

Solo: "Knowest Thou Thy Fair Land" from Mignon — by Mrs. W. B. Statham accompanied by Mrs. Waterbury.

### Woodmen Circle Installs Officers

Cisco Grove No. 356 Woodmen Circle met recently to install the following officers: Past Guardian, Mrs. Joanne Wippen; Guardian, Mrs. Rhoda Burkett; Advisor, Mrs. Effie Mayhew; Banker, Mrs. Maude Wisdom; Attendant, Mrs. Lela Hendricks; Assistant Attendant, Mrs. Ida Mae Tune; Chaplain, Mrs. Belle Clark; Auditors, Mrs. Effie Martin, Mrs. Rhoda Burkett; Mrs. Lela

### Murder at Bridge

There was little chance of following through either on the scandals which Gladys Earle had hinted at, or on Nita's strangely secret marriage of 12 years before, he immediately dispatched a wire to Sanderson, assuring him that vital progress had been made and that he would leave New York on the 4 o'clock train west, arriving in Hamilton Sunday morning at 8:50.

Sanderson's wire, with its confession of an interview on Dundee's trip to New York, had upset him and left him with a cold feeling of fear that, stumbling half in darkness, the district attorney had unwittingly warned the murderer of Nita Selim and Dexter Sprague that his special investigator was on the right track.

An hour before he reached his destination on Sunday morning he went into the dining car and found a copy of The Hamilton Morning News beside his plate.

On the front page was a photograph of dead Nita, her black hair in a French roll, her slim, recumbent body clad in the royal blue velvet dress. Beneath the picture was the caption:

"What part does the outmoded royal blue velvet frock which Nita Selim chose as a shroud play in the solution of her murder? That is the question which Special Investigator Dundee, attached to the

district attorney's office, and due home this morning from fruitful detective work in New York, is undoubtedly prepared to answer."

Dundee was still seething with futile rage when he climbed the stairs to his apartment. On the living room floor, touching the door, he found an envelope—unstamped and bearing his name written on a typewriter.

(To Be Continued)

Grand Prairie.—W. C. Hardman building new filling station on pike just west of old body plant.

Border Kodak Finishing No change in price

Walton's Studio

# Jno. H. Garner's January Clearance Sale

It has been many a day since we have been able to offer you such opportunities for saving on just the things you need right now. And so have no hesitation in saying that it will be many a day before you will see the equal of them offered again.

We are cleaning our store of all Winter goods, and are offering them at a big price reduction to accomplish their exit in double quick time. The following instances will show you to what extent their prices have been sacrificed to move them.

- LADIES and MISSES READY-TO-WEAR
- All Ladies Dresses, Choice ..... HALF PRICE
- All Ladies Coats, Choice ..... HALF PRICE
- All Ladies Hats, Choice ..... \$1.00 and \$4.95
- All Children's Ready-to-Wear .... HALF PRICE
- All Wool Goods, Choice ..... HALF PRICE

Hundreds of other Bargains are here, be sure that you attend this Great Bargain Feast Monday or Tuesday

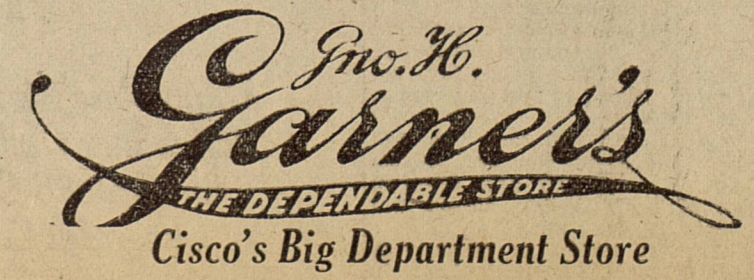
## BARGAINS BARGAINS BARGAINS FOR MEN

Be sure that you attend this sale, never before have you been offered such quality merchandise at prices that you will find during this sale, Manhattan Shirts, Bostonian Shoes, Stetson Hats, Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats, Phoenix Hose, and many other lines that you know. COME MONDAY or one day this week.

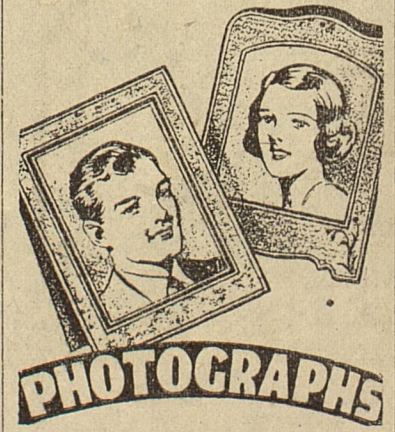
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- BOSTONIAN SHOES \$7.45
- Edwin Clapp Shoes, \$10.85

## HART SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS

- \$35.00 Suits, Sale Price . . . . \$18.85
- \$37.50 Suits, Sale Price . . . . \$20.85
- \$39.50 Suits, Sale Price . . . . \$22.85
- \$42.50 Suits, Sale Price . . . . \$25.85
- \$49.50 Suits, Sale Price . . . . \$27.85
- Men's Top and Overcoats HALF PRICE
- \$22.50 Coats ..... \$11.25
- \$25.00 Coats ..... \$12.50
- \$30.00 Coats ..... \$15.00
- \$35.00 Coats ..... \$17.50
- \$49.50 Coats ..... \$24.75



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Oil Troubles Political Waters; Sports, Job-Seeking and Litigation in Chorus

By RAYMOND BROOKS
AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—Oil troubles, instead of calmed, pre-session political waters. Athletics, appointments, job-seeking and litigation chimed a sibilant chorus at the statehouse.

University regents defended baseball as a college sport, in resolutions authorized at the meeting which ended Tuesday. The wording of the resolution is to be worked out by Regent Robert L. Holliday.

Want All-Around Program
The regents condemned the spread of commercialism in inter-collegiate sports, and declared they are hostile to development of football at the expense of baseball and the non-revenue-producing sports, such as tennis, track and swimming.

They declared for all-around development of athletics for the greatest number of students, rather than the super-development of a football team and seeking of big gate receipts. Regent H. L. Stark, at Orange, strongly backed Mr. Holliday in sponsoring the resolution. The declaration of policy will be in effect as soon as Pres. H. Y. Benedict receives the resolution from Mr. Holliday.

Confederate Home Race
An intense race for the office of superintendent of the state Confederate home at Austin developed.

John H. Tobin, prominent Austin business man, was nominated before the board of control by his friends, as the third Austin man endorsed to succeed A. W. Taber.

R. B. Walthall, retired board of control member, and T. F. Harwell, Kyle, editor, have been recommended to the board.

No More Nominees Wanted
Chm. Claude D. Teer and other members sent out word that the selection has narrowed down to three or four of the present applicants and persons already recommended to it.

"It will serve no purpose for other delegations to come to Austin or for others to write, phone or telegraph," the board announced. "Our selection may require some time, but it will be made from the group of available men already presented before us."

The place is regarded as a \$500 job, with \$300 salary, \$500 for groceries and quarters, laundry, fuel light, water and telephone furnished.

Allred Hears Attorneys
Oil touched pre-session state activities in at least seven particulars.

1. Attorneys protested to the new attorney general James V. Allred, that the only possible solution of the state suit, filed against 212 people and oil companies claiming the Yates field of Pecos county, will be to agree on location of lines. Trial would hold a jury from 15 to 20 weeks, a lawyer insisted, and the technical testimony would mean nothing to a jury.

2. The agreement of university and A.M. boards to divide up the available building fund was said to add a \$30,000 annual expense for the audit of the oil fund income.

State Auditor Moore Lynn said he will recommend that the entire auditing job be transferred from private firms to public officials.

3. Atty. Gen. Allred told University Regents Edward Crane and R. L. Holliday he will have Assts. Atty. Gen. Bryant and Wilson help investigate the merits of a proposal to bring suit for the university against the public school fund for recovery of the Landreth-Gulf land in Crane county from which 10,000,000 barrels of oil already have been produced.

4. State officials were notified that directors of the Independent Petroleum association of Texas will sponsor before the legislature bills to "put teeth into the common purchase law." Other agencies were also to seek to perfect the common purchaser law and the state promotion scheme under it, now being attacked in the Danziger Oil company's suit.

The independent oil men claimed a "glaring weakness" in the law is that pipeline companies which handle their own oil can withdraw as common purchasers and leave the competitors without an outlet. One remedy was suggested to make everyone engaged in transporting oil a common purchaser, whether it be a common carrier, a private pipeline agency, or an individual.

5. The oil and gasoline lobby already was active in a fight aimed at the present four-cent gasoline tax. For the wholesaler, one oil company representative insisted, the tax represents from 100 to 113 per cent of the value of the product.

6. That is, that wholesale prices from the refineries was from 3 1/2 to 4 cents.

7. Gov. Dan Moody, on request of Tom Cranfill, president of the Texas Independent Petroleum association, named a committee of 50 oil men to represent a national conference in Washington, Jan. 15 to consider steps to stabilize the petroleum industry. The conference originated on calls of the Oklahoma and Kansas governors, it was said.

Bob Barker, veteran secretary of the senate, arrived and "opened shop" at the capitol. Miss Oveta

Culp parliamentarian of the house, already had preparations for the opening of the house offices going forward. State Auditor Moore Lynn, who did not move to the land office, quit a recently vacated post assigned to the private governor's reception rooms upstairs over the governor's office, after the board of control secured the consent of Gov.-Elect Sterling for this action.

Terrell Plans Dinner
George B. Terrell prepared to celebrate his retirement Saturday from a six-year service as commissioner of agriculture, to return to a house seat next Tuesday, by giving a farewell venison dinner to his departmental staff.

State Auditor Lynn announced he has completed and filed with Compt. George H. Sheppard audit reports on the administration of gasoline tax refunds and the inheritance tax law to Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer, the health department audit; and to Tax Commr. F. C. Weinert the audit of the state tax board. Copies were sent Gov. Dan Moody, and to Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller and Speaker W. S. Barron. Gov. Moody had not read his reports, he said. Mr. Lynn adopted the policy of leaving it for the other officials to make the reports public; but said the reports contained nothing of the nature of previous reports which had dealt with discrepancies in accounts.

Mr. Lynn said he has finished compilation of his audit of university oil royalty funds, and is preparing a report to the legislative committee dealing with university matters; but that typing will occupy several days.

Epworth League Breakfast Today

The members of the Epworth League of First Methodist church are having breakfast at the church this morning at 8:30 o'clock. This will be a monthly feature in the league and the breakfast will be held each second Sunday morning at 8:30.

It is expected that these breakfasts will stimulate interest in both league and Sunday school attendance.

The League Union Friday night at First Methodist church brought a delegation of eighty young folks from several churches. It was voted that the January meeting would be held at Breckenridge. Rev. H. D. Tucker, pastor of First church, Cisco, was elected pastoral advisor for the League Union.

CHURCH OF GOD
Church of God, corner F avenue and 11th street. Services every Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45; preaching at 11 o'clock. The Juniors meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Dodd in charge. Young people's meeting at 6:30. An inspiring song service with good old gospel songs and specials to help you forget your troubles at 7:15. Preaching at 7:30. Monday evening from 7:30 until 8:30. Bible reading, part of 3rd and 4th chapters of Romans. Bible reading at same time also on Friday evening. Won't you join us in these studies? There is much of interest that will do you good. Always a friend welcome, and a desire to help all who come. Rev. J. W. Dodd, pastor.

LIVESTOCK

PORT WORTH Jan. 10.—Hogs—Receipts 1300, market, not enough good hogs offered to make a market; few head truck hogs \$7.90; one load common pigs and bulk supply lower grade offerings unsold. Good and choice light light 140 to 160 lb. \$7.10 to \$7.85, light weight 160 to 180 lb. \$7.60 to \$7.95, light weight \$7.75 to \$8.00, medium weight 200 to 220 lbs. \$7.80 to \$8.00, medium weight 220 to 250 lb. \$7.75 to \$8.00, heavy weight 250 to 290 lb. \$7.50 to \$7.90, heavy weight 290 to 350 lb. \$7.25 to \$7.85, packing sows 275 to 500 lb. medium and good \$5.75 to \$6.25.

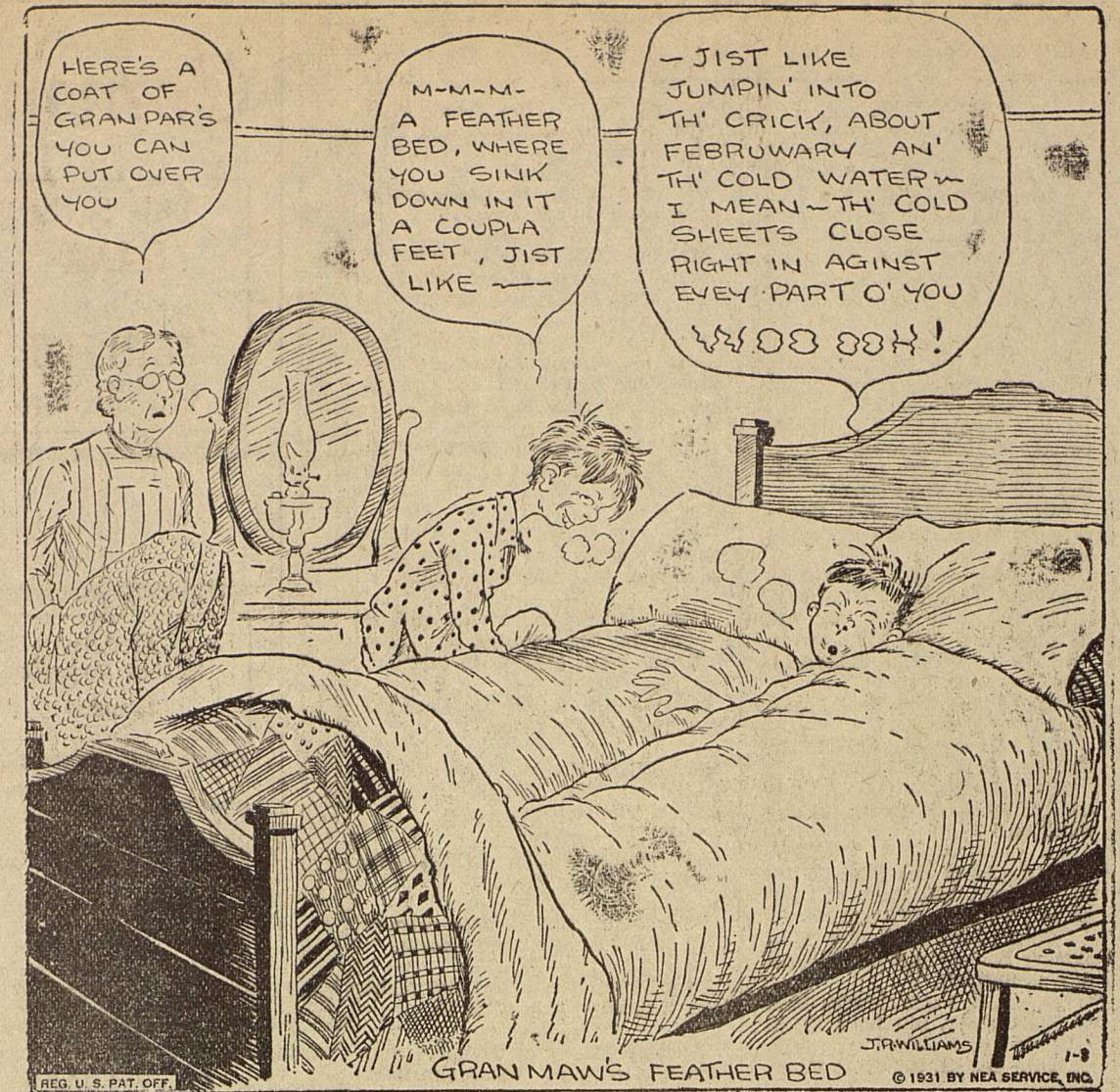
Cattle—Receipts 100; market, today's trade nominal. Market for week: All classes cattle and calves about steady, some weakness in slaughter steers, some strength or small advance in low cutter cows. Week's tops: Slaughter steers \$9.40, fat yearlings \$9.00, practical top fat cows \$5.25, heavy slaughter calves \$7.75, stock steer calves \$8.50. Bulk of prices: Slaughter steers around \$6.50 down, desirable light weight yearlings on heavy calf order \$8.00 to \$8.50, butcher cows \$3.25 to \$3.65, low cutters \$2.25 to \$2.50, some strong weights up to \$2.75, sausage bulls \$3.25 to \$4.00, one load strong weights \$4.50; slaughter calves \$6.00 to \$7.25.

Sheep—Receipts 300; market, two decks mixed feeder and fat lambs \$6.75, or steady; market for week: Fat lambs and wethers 50c higher; feeder lambs strong; fat yearlings scarce, bulk fat lambs \$7.00 to \$7.50, medium grade fat lambs \$6.50; bulk good fat wethers \$5.00, few at \$4.50; feeder lambs \$4.50 to \$5.25, fleshy feeder lambs \$5.75 to \$6.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE
CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Eggs: Market easy; receipts 7,759 cases; extra firsts 26c; firsts 24c; ordinaries 19 to 21c; seconds 12 to 16c. Butter: Market steady; receipts 7,654 tubs; extras 27 1/4c; extra firsts 26 to 26 1/2c; firsts 25 to 25 1/2c; seconds 23 to 24c; standards 27c. Poultry market steady: receipts 21c; car; fowls 21 1/2c; springers 21c; leghorns 15c; ducks 22c; geese 14c; turkeys 22 to 25c; roosters 14c. Cheese: Twins 15 1/4 to 15 1/2c; Young Americas 16c. Potatoes: On track 147; arrivals 62; shipments \$7.79; market dull; Wisconsin sacked white \$1.50 to \$1.65; Idaho sacked russets \$1.70 to \$1.85.

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Lost-Found-Strayed... CORDURY sheep skin coat between 800 block on 7th and depot; liberal reward. Phone 792.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Miscellaneous Service... HAVE you lost something? If you have the best way of finding it is to insert an ad here.

Two Killed in Gasometer Blast

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 18.—Two persons were known killed by the explosion of one of the largest gasometers in the city today. Several persons were injured and taken to hospitals. All available ambulances in Copenhagen were rushed to the scene. The explosion broke windows over a large area. There was additional extensive property damage.



Replace That Broken Glass Now.

It's poor economy and very dangerous to drive your car these bad days with one. We are equipped to replace any size at a very reasonable price. Cisco Lbr. & Supply Company "We're Home Folks" P. S.—We still redeem Jan. 1 coupons on broken glass.

RENTALS

Apartment for Rent... FOR RENT - Two rooms and garage. Very reasonable. 305 West Fifth. FOR RENT - Furnished apartment. 305 West Eighth street. FOR RENT - New furnished apartment cheap. 405 West 11th. FOR RENT - Desirable Apartment. Phone 305.

BOARD ROOMS

Board and Rooms... DON'T wait hopefully for these boarders to come to you. You'll fill that empty room much quicker when you use the News Classified columns.

Housekeeping Rooms

FOR RENT - Two light housekeeping rooms. Phone 183.

Houses for Rent

FOR RENT A REAL HOME New Five-room Cottage, modern in every respect. Rent reasonable to right party.—Cisco Lumber & Supply Co.

WANTED

Wanted to Rent... IF you don't find what you want in this column, why not try an ad of your own. Somebody, somewhere wants what you have or has what you want. The Daily News reaches West Texas readers.

REAL ESTATE

Farms and Lands for Sale... TELL them what you have... be specific! The West Texans are interested readers. You may find a buyer for that ranch... or that herd of cattle... or that C Melody saxophone that the neighbors like so well. Try it!

Better Times in Sight Says Shaw

AUSTIN, Jan. 10.—Business has reached the low point and with the rolling around of the time for new crops, better times are in sight, according to State Bank, Inc. Commissioner James Shaw today. "For the future Shaw advises 'pulling down our sights,' returning to the 'time honored business principle of pay as you go.'" Shaw reiterated that Texas banks are with good exceptions in strong position. "There is plenty of credit for legitimate business," he said, "but the fellows with cash are going to scrutinize the collateral from now on as they never have done before."

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Announcements

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

Cisco Lodge No. 556, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. HAYWOOD CABANESS, W. M.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; JOHN F. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

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# LAWYER BALKED IN EFFORTS TO FREE BROTHERS

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—A squad of police headed by Chief Investigator Patrick Roche of the state's attorney's office raided an apartment hotel today and arrested two men who were understood to be friends of Leo V. Brothers, identified as the slayer of Alfred Lingle. Their names were kept secret.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—An attorney who worked with and was a friend of Alfred Lingle, Tribune reporter, was unsuccessful but determined today in his efforts to secure release of Leo V. Brothers, charged unofficially with killing Lingle for pay last June 9.

Blocked quickly and effectively in his first attempt to free Brothers, Attorney Tyrrell Krum, who said he was employed by Brothers' mother, sought other means of forcing the state's attorney and his men to bring the accused from his secret prison.

In every move, however, he found himself stopped by the determination of State's Attorney John A. Swanson and Pat Roche, Swanson's investigator, that Brothers must face trial for Chicago's most sensational gang murder and that he "will die in the electric chair."

Krum's first attempt was made yesterday when he filed a writ of habeas corpus for Brothers release in the court of Judge Philip J. Finnegan. The attorney, who formerly worked for the Tribune and sometimes "covered" stories with Lingle, stormed and fussed, pleaded and threatened, but the only satisfaction he got was repeated information that a hearing on the writ could not be held until January 14 and that he didn't need to talk so loudly because the judge was not "hard of hearing."

### CAPONE'S HAND IS SEEN

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—"Scarface"

Al Capone, struggling to recapture fading underworld profits, was credited today with being the agency through which Leo Brothers was trapped and accused of the murder of Alfred J. Lingle, Chicago Tribune reporter, seven months after the spectacular shooting.

The information, uncovered exclusively by the United Press, has its beginning in the days when Lingle, ostensibly a \$65-a-week reporter, was dipping into underworld profits to the extent of thousands yearly. From that point, when the racketeer reporter presumably incurred the ire of the powerful Alieio Moran north side gambling syndicate, through a series of outstanding gang murders the information dovetails with the unsolved killings on police plotters.

Having crossed the north side Lingle was murdered in a pedestrian subway, apparently at the dictation of Jack Zuta and Joe Aello, since assassinated, so the illicit activities of Capone's gangsters on the southside would be curbed by the subsequent outbreak of public indignation.

**Profits Shrank**  
In gang vernacular, the "heat was turned on," after Lingle's death. Capone's profits shrank to the vanishing point under police drives. His saloons were closed. Gambling houses and vice resorts which had poured wealth into Capone's coffers, were darkened.

Then, according to the United Press information, Capone hit upon a plan to point out the killer of Lingle on the theory that law and order adherents would consider the battle won and turn their attention elsewhere, permitting the illicit gold to flow again into Capone's strong boxes.

Accordingly, the United Press learned, Capone deviously got into touch with Pat Roche, head of the Lingle "clearing house" investigators, and offered to reveal Lingle's murderer but only after the Capone "execution squad" had taken the slayer "for a ride."

Roche is said to have refused to bargain for only the body of Lingle's killer. He wanted the murderer alive. Capone finally yielded and passed the word along to Roche that Brothers was the man and told where he could be found.

Acting on that information, Roche trapped Brothers in a south side apartment, but he has yet to be charged with the Lingle killing.

### Deadlock in Relief Legislation Broken

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The house deadlock over drought relief legislation was broken today by administration leaders, who decided at a meeting of the steering committee to force a conference with the senate Monday under a special rule.

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# About Cisco Today

LOUISE TRAMMELL, Society Editor Phone 555 or 80

### CALENDAR Monday

The City Federation will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock when election of officers will be held. Other details of the program are given on Society Page.

### Tuesday

Circles of the Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock as follows:  
Circle 1 with Mrs. J. P. Goyen, cottage 30 Humboldt.  
Circle 2 with Mrs. L. A. Harrison, 603 West Fifth street.  
Circle 3 with Mrs. J. E. Spencer, 510 West Eighth street, at 1 o'clock.  
Circle 4 with Mrs. Lewis, 1508 D avenue, Thursday at 3 o'clock.  
Circle 5 with Mrs. G. B. Langston, 603 West Fifth street.  
Circle 6 with Mrs. Benefield, 1509 D avenue.  
Circle 7 with Mrs. S. B. Parks, 1008 West Eleventh.  
Circle 8 with Mrs. A. L. Filler, 602 East Sixteenth street.  
Circle 9 with Mrs. O. J. Russell, Fifth street, in an all-day meeting.

### Wednesday

All circles of the First Christian church will meet at the church Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

### Thursday

Members of the 8 club will be entertained Thursday evening by Miss Arlene Scudder.  
Mrs. H. B. Hackleman, 1605 D avenue, will be hostess to the First Industrial Arts club Thursday at 3 o'clock.

### Friday

The Twentieth Century club will meet at 4 o'clock at the clubhouse with Mrs. W. K. Eschen, hostess.

### Saturday

Eastland County Federation will meet in Eastland this afternoon at 2:30 at the Community clubhouse. Election of officers will be held; a parliamentary drill will be conducted by Mrs. R. Q. Lee of Cisco; club council by Mrs. Buchanan of Fort Worth.  
Miss Bess Maxwell will present her class in dancing, including pupils from Eastland, Cisco, and Ranger, in a recital Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

E. J. Anderson and daughter, Miss Marian, of Durant, Okla., former residents of Cisco, are guests this weekend of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burkett of Houston, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

Nick Miller left this morning for Gatesville to accompany Mrs. Miller and daughter, Bobbie Lee, on their return home after an extended visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cate are spending today in Breckenridge with their son, Stuart Cate and Mrs. Cate.

L. W. Peemster of Moran transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Yancey McCrea and child

Methodist Circle 4 will have a cooked food sale at the meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

dren have returned to Coleman after a visit in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chesley.

Walter McClain of Breckenridge was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindie Raymond of Moran were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cotton Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Whitehead and daughters, Shirley Ann and Margaret Ruth of Crane, were guests Saturday of Miss Ruth Smith.

Coy Thompson and LeRoy York of Abilene were visitors in Cisco this week.

Mesdames S. E. Roberts, Gordon Murray and H. O. Westerfeldt visited friends in Putnam Thursday.

Miss Frances Thomas of Abilene is spending the weekend in Cisco with her sister, Miss Ruth Smith.

Miss Lucille Spruill of Eastland spent yesterday in Cisco.

Mrs. W. D. Hooper of Abilene is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal, of Humboldt.

Miss Lucille Litrelle of Dallas was a visitor in Cisco Friday.

Fred Martin was in Cisco Friday from Dallas transacting business.

Paul McBride returned last night from a business trip to Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney are spending today at the ranch near Sweetwater.

Mrs. Harry McAdams, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, is leaving today for her home in Bellingham, Wash.

J. T. Berry, city finance commissioner, and son, Phil, were in Stanton Friday on business.

Mrs. Melton Day of Eastland was the guest of friends in Cisco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wagner left this week for the Rio Grande valley.

Miss Flora Jones of Weatherford is the guest of her uncle, J. A. Jensen, and family.

J. A. Phillips of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Hollis, Miss Vera Davis, and Miss Janie Johagan of Carbon were luncheon guests yesterday of Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair.

F. G. Yenkers of Ranger was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Bob Poe of Coleman transacted business in Cisco yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, who have been visiting relatives in Cisco, returned to Stamford Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Hanrahan, and guest, Mrs. C. C. Moore, are spending today in Archer City.

Mrs. G. M. Simpson and daughter, Miss Myrtle Augusta, have returned from a visit in Houston.

### Neal to Preach at Methodist Church

Dr. T. Edgar Neal, presiding elder of the Cisco district will preach at First Methodist church Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock, and will hold the first quarterly conference next Wednesday night.

The pastor, Rev. H. D. Tucker will preach at 10:50 a. m. today from the subject, "When the Sunset turns to Gold."

Stinnett.—Grading work begun on new highway No. 117 pavement north of here to county line.

Agua Dulce.—Paving of short stretch of Laredo highway near here, well underway.

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**Bandits Get \$13000**

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bandit gang responsible for the robbery and hope to pick up the trial cast of here.

**Stopped at Pampa.**  
Belief that the bandits were from Oklahoma gained strength this afternoon when authorities were informed that two men in a sedan of the model in which the pair fled stopped at Pampa last night and asked about the way to Canyon and other roads in the vicinity.

The robbery here today was the fourth Texas bank robbery in a month and a day. Officers however, said that this was not alarming. Prior to 1927 when the Texas Bankers' association first posted their \$5,000 reward for dead bank bandits, this number frequently was reported in a single week in the state.

Bandits robbed the Velasco State bank of \$3,950 on Dec. 9. A line man saw a car speeding away and three men were arrested and part of the loot has been recovered.

**Frankston Raid.**  
A day later, four bearded men, said to be armed with a machine gun, held up the First State bank at Frankston and fled with \$11,236

after wounding two pursuing officers in a gun fight.

Last Thursday the Cotton Belt State bank at Timpson was robbed of approximately \$3,000 by two cool young men who made customers and employes lie on the floor until the timelock opened. This robbery was similar in many respects to the one at Canyon today. The bandits were the same in number and fled in the same model automobile.

Two men are under arrest at Fort Worth and one man is held at Palestine in connection with the Frankston robbery.

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