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WEEK'S GRIST FROM LEGISLATIVE MILLS, STATE AND NATION

The approval of the lower house of congress of the inflation measure, providing for the expansion of the currency by six billion dollars, practically insures the adoption of the administration's inflation program. The problem now is just how best and how speedily this money can be distributed into the general channels of trade. If the country is to prosper from expansion, the new money must reach the people—the spending and distributing agency of the country. The administration expects to solve the distribution problem through farm aid, reforestation, Muscle Shoals and other relief measures, and hopes to get this money speedily in circulation that it may relieve the business and industrial stagnation that has prostrated all lines. The senate had previously passed the bill.

Speaking of reforestation, applicants are now being registered for this service, and Eastland county unemployment will be partially relieved by giving 96 of our folk work in this department of national expenditures.

On the success of the inflation program friends of the white metal hang greater hopes on the restoration of free silver as money, as embraced in the free coinage bill of Senator Wheeler, which was adopted as an amendment to the farm relief bill, than any other distribution vehicle. It is claimed that free coinage, or the general utilization of silver as the basis for our national currency will go far toward restoring prosperity to the country.

The legislature finally passed the 3.2 beer bill, and the measure, calling for a referendum election August 26, was sent to the governor Wednesday for her signature. Probably this will have been signed and the constitutional proposal will have become a law before this is read by the large number of Citizens readers.

The timidity of Texas legislators cause them to act by referendum, while those of other states are legalizing beer by legislative enactment. We pass the buck.

The Texas senate Wednesday put to sleep the oil and gas commission, proposed by independent producers, to relieve the rail body from this additional duty of regulation of petroleum production. The bill was slain in the senate after Gov. Ferguson had sent a message to the legislature urging its adoption.

Now the senate has passed a constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of 20 million dollars of state bonds, after voting against the resolution Tuesday. This is proposed to match federal R. F. C. funds for unemployment relief. As one senator said, it is probable relief measures will not be needed by the time the bond issue can be submitted to the people. And when it is submitted there is every indication that it will be hopelessly defeated. The measure has yet to be acted upon by the house, where it may meet its death before the people have a chance to bury it.

CISCO GASSER INCREASED FLOW AFTER NITRO CHARGE

An increase in the flow of gas in the Hickok Producing & development company's well on the W. M. Eppler farm two miles east of Cisco, on the Bankhead highway, was occasioned by a heavy shot of nitroglycerin placed at the 3,500-foot depth Tuesday afternoon. The amount of increase, however, has not been determined as the well has not been completely cleaned out.

J. W. Shepard and Haywood Kinsey were in Dallas last Thursday and Friday where they heard the Paul White-man orchestra.

New Administration Dismisses Three of Subordinate Workers

With the organization of the new administration last Friday evening three of the subordinate employees were let out of the employ of the city. All three of the men discharged were acknowledged to be efficient in their special lines. Of these L. A. Martin, assistant to Secretary Cate, had charge of the clerical work in the secretary's office. Mrs. Myrtle Rominger and Leonidas Shockley at a salary of \$70 per month each, takes Martin's place. Secretary Cate, who was reappointed, gets a salary cut from \$150 to \$135 per month. Martin, Cecil J. Lamb, who has been with the water department for many years, and knows the service perhaps better than any man in Cisco, and A. M. Swindle, also of the water department, were dismissed, (rather, not re-employed) for "offensive partisanship, as these three supported the losing ticket, and they were slated early for the official ax.

Other employees other than these, with the salaries paid include three new men and practically all other old employees, and are G. R. Kilpatrick, water superintendent, \$100; C. D. Phillips and Allen Agnew, assistants to Kilpatrick, \$3 per day; Don Rupe and M. H. French, pumpers, were re-employed at \$2 per day, as was Homer Doyle, at the sewage disposal plant, at \$3 per day.

Police Department
The personnel of the police department remains the same as during the past year, with G. C. Daniels, chief, \$105; F. D. Pierce, assistant chief, \$95; E. O. Hendericks and O. Gustafson, patrolmen, \$90. Gustafson will continue to serve as fire marshal. Henry S. Stubblefield and M. L. Perdue were re-employed as day and night desk sergeants, at \$75 each.

Street and Cemetery
Before reorganization, T. H. Moore, cemetery employe, was let out of the service. No name is given out to take his place, and it is presumed only one man will take care of the cemetery, which is now in fine shape, due to the work done with R. F. C. funds. C. N. Clifton continues as sexton, at \$3 per day.

The street force is unchanged with W. Rasmussen, Joe Brown, Edgar Johnson and E. Green completing the force.

J. D. Mann will continue keeping the city hall and grounds spic and span at the same salary of \$50 per month.

Bob McCrary was employed as patrolman at Lake Cisco, salary not stated.

R. W. Turner and Allen Boon constitute the sanitary force. Turner is still skipper of the "mosquito fleet," while Allen Boon fills a newly created job, that of sanitary inspector. Turner's salary was increased from \$60 to \$80, while Boon's salary was fixed at \$50 per month.

Department Heads
In the reorganization of heads R. E. Grantham is retained as legal adviser at a salary of \$50 as city attorney; H. C. Henderson remains fire and police commissioner; W. R. Winston, water commissioner; J. R. Burnett, finance commissioner. There was a realignment of the sanitation and streets. The only new commissioner, W. J. Foxworth, succeeding J. T. El-Hott, was assigned the street work, with Joe Clements, formerly street commissioner, taking over the sanitation department head.

This shifting of Clements from the head of the street department was unexplained by the commission, and has occasioned some wild rumors, though unauthenticated yet. What it means? I don't know, as the reorganization meeting was, like its predecessor one year ago, an executive session, and none but the official family can give details. You will just have to wait developments.

Amendments Ratified
At a called meeting Monday the commission placed the enabling ordinance, putting in force the amend-

on its final reading and passage. These amendments were municipal maintenance of the chamber of commerce the band and zoo, and the amendment prohibiting the commissioners from serving in any capacity except as commissioners, and limiting their salaries to \$150. Heretofore three of the commissioners have been serving full time at a salary of \$150 per month, just one-twelfth of their present pay. Whether this fact has any bearing on placing Clements at the head of the sanitary department, leaving him free to resign and take over the job as street superintendent, is not known. But there are such rumors afloat. As yet the street superintendent has not been named.

Historic Birth Place of W. H. Kittrell To Be Site of a State Park

William Forrest, of Normangee, owner of the old Kittrell homestead, where W. H. Kittrell, Sr., was born over 82 years ago, has been donated to Texas, and will be converted into a state park, according to the Norman-gee Star. Not only will this park be on the old Kittrell homestead, including the manor house, but our own fellow townsman, W. H. Kittrell, Sr., will be honored by having the park named in his honor, as the park committee suggested, and the State Park board has accepted the name of "Kittrell Park," by which this new preserve will be known.

Kittrell Park will be located at Midway in Madison county, where Mr. Kittrell spent his boyhood days, and is situated on the King's Highway, or

El Camino Real, whose history is replete with mystery, tragedy and romance, to say nothing of the comedy with which it is associated. The park will be located near old Bull Hill battle ground, fought between Spaniards and the Magee expedition in 1813, where the Americans were captured, handcuffed together, shot and buried in a shallow grave.

The site of the massacre was afterwards acquired by the father of Hugh L. Hayes, the present owner, who, on making excavations later for brick clay, unearthed old relics, among which was a rusty bayonet, which he presented to Mr. Kittrell, and which was by him sent to the state museum at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Paschall and Mr. and Mrs. Criglar Paschall had the pleasure of entertaining their daughter and sister Mrs. Frank Gaston and husband, who arrived in Cisco last Sunday. Mr. Gaston returned to his home in Dallas Monday, but Mrs. Gaston remained through the week, and will return home Sunday. Mrs. Gaston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Sr., was the former Miss Lola Paschall, a Cisco girl before her marriage.

The ball teams of Cisco and Breckenridge, playing a double-header at Chesley field last Sunday, chalked up a victory for each team. Cisco won the first, and Breckenridge the second game. Honors easy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dunaway, prominent Dothan people, were trading in Cisco recently.

Judge Wilson Names Advisory Committee Cisco Bank Company

Believing the readers of the Cisco Citizen would be interested in the present status of the litigation in which the Cisco Banking Company is involved, as many of the Citizen readers are interested, personally, financially, or as friends of the bank or its creditors, this paper has gone to some trouble to secure the last court order relative to this litigation, which was issued the past week by Judge James C. Wilson, of the federal court, when the case came on for hearing on the application to have the bank and its stockholders declared bankrupt.

The attorneys for the bank filed a plea for a continuance, which was granted to the October term of the court, and in granting this continuance Judge Wilson named an advisory committee of three to confer with and make recommendations to the court and the trustee named by the stockholders, and to the officers of the bank. The order gives the committee rather wide powers, as all business of the bank must have the approval of a majority of the committee, and must also have the sanction of the court, and with the knowledge of the attorney of record for the creditors.

A condensed summary of the court order is as follows:

"When the case of C. B. Foley et al vs. Cisco Banking Company et al was called for orders in the federal court at the present term, upon motion by the Cisco Banking Company and the co-partners for a continuance of the cause, the court entered an order appointing W. M. Massey, of Tarrant county; J. T. Berry, of Eastland county; and Henry James, of Taylor county, as an advisory committee to confer with and make recommendations to the court and the trustee heretofore appointed by the stockholders and to the officers of said bank, and from time to time, and at such time as said advisory committee may deem necessary require statements of the status of said bank, and of the properties of the individual stockholders thereof. The order authorized the committee to examine the books and accounts of the bank and the individual stockholders, or to have the examination made.

"The order further provides that there shall be no disposition of any of the assets of the Cisco Banking Company, nor of the properties of the individual defendants, except when there has been obtained the written approval of as many as two of such advisory committee, and then only upon the order of the court, after notice by registered mail to the attorney of record for the petitioning creditors herein; that the court will hear the matter of requiring schedules to be filed by the bank and individual stockholders at any time the advisory committee may recommend that schedules be filed."

The case was continued to the October term, 1933.

As the Citizen understands this proceeding, this case is being administered under the new Bankruptcy Act, passed by congress March 3, 1933.

The attorney of record for the creditors is Judge J. D. Barker, of Cisco, while Judge F. D. Wright, also of Cisco is attorney for the bank.

RAIL CROSSING HAZARD AT CARBON ELIMINATED

Workmen, under the direction of the state highway department, are engaged in straightening highway No. 67 where it crosses the M. K. & T. railway at Carbon. The railroad depot has been moved about 100 feet east from its former location and the highway, which in Carbon is the main street, will cross the railroad before making a turn towards Erstland. This eliminates two curves. Dirt is being hauled in and a grade is being built.

Dr. H. B. Tanner, secretary of the Eastland chamber of commerce, was greeting friends in Cisco Saturday.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Many, O Lord my God, are thy wonderful works which thou hast done, and thoughts which are to us-ward: they cannot be reckoned up in order unto thee: if I would declare and speak of them, they are more than can be numbered. ---Ps. 40:5.

Does our burden seem too heavy,
Have we labored lone and long,
Has the work been so outstanding,
That we overlooked the song!
---Lula A. Reid.

I know sometimes the going is rough,
I know sometimes the battle grows hard,
Sometimes we fall under the weight,
Sometimes everything goes dark before us,
But God is powerful;
and when we place ourselves at his disposal,
he places his power at our disposal
and the victory is ours. ---Rev. E. N. Spierer.

UNNECESSARY ORDINANCE

The act of the city commission in passing the enabling ordinance, for the alleged purpose of putting into effect the amendment to the city charter, appears to the Citizen to have been unnecessary municipal legislation. The amendments were voted on and adopted by the people in their entirety at the election of April 4, and became a part of the city charter and in effect the moment the commission canvassed the votes and declared the amendments carried. This action was taken by the commission at the meeting held April 25, and therefore in effect April 26. The ordinance was not adopted until six days later. Therefore, the amendments already being in effect, the pretended ratification did not and could not suspend the amendments during this six days intervening.

If the commission was authorized in suspending these amendments a week, it had the same authority to suspend them a month, or any other time. While it is immaterial, yet why this useless municipal legislation? The only result of this ratification being the allowance of another week's pay to full time commissioners.

THE NEW ADMINISTRATION

Little unchanged, except the election of W. J. Foxworth to succeed J. T. Elliott as a member of the city commission, Mr. Elliott not being a candidate, the new administration was formally organized last Friday night, and some of the old employes were not on the favored list when the workers of the city were announced. Naturally there has been some comment on the action of the commission in discharging certain employes and employing others. Some of the new employes are praised as wise selections, and the only adverse comment that has come to the Citizen is their lack of experience and not being familiar with the duties of the jobs they have taken over.

Generally the appointment of Mr. Kilpatrick as superintendent of the water department is approved, as he is a plumber, and is said to be a good man for the job. Then, it was necessary to have some man actively at the head of the water service since the adoption of the 4th amend-

ment Commissioner Winston was prohibited from serving in his former capacity, as he is now one of the \$150 per year men, instead of a salaried official, being paid \$1,800.

But the failure to retain C. J. Lamb is generally disapproved, and those comments coming to the Citizen are 95 percent that letting Lamb out was a mistake, and one that will cripple the water service, as his long employment with the water department has made him familiar with every connection of the mains, and that he more thoroughly understands the work than can possibly be one who knows nothing of these details.

Practically everybody is glad that Mrs. Myrtle Rominger is taken into the secretary's office, as there is no young woman in Cisco with more friends, and she is competent and worthy.

"Lack of experience", is the universal comment on the two splendid young men added to the personnel of the city employes. Both are splendid young fellows, but neither of them understand the duties they will have to perform. Allen Boon, whose official status is that of sanitary inspector, so far as the Citizen is aware, will be a stranger to his duties. Young Leonidas Shockley, is a young man, unfamiliar with the work he will have to perform, so far as we have been informed. Like Boon, he is a fine young fellow, and has lots of friends, among both young and old. Part of his duties will be the reading of meters. Erroneous readings will

be costly either to the city or the water consumers. Much complaint of improper meter readings have ever been made. These complaints are filed even when experienced men make the readings. Isn't it only natural to anticipate a holy howl with a novice on the job?

But we suppose both of these excellent young men will, in time, finally learn and render satisfactory service. But why convert the municipal government into a juvenile training school as a reward to partisan loyalty of well-to-do customer parents at the expense of the tax payers when there are trained men, with dependents, ready to do the work at the same salaries paid the student employes?

However, the Citizen is waging no fight on these boys. We sincerely hope they will prove apt students and soon master the rudimentary details of their jobs that their

training will not prove too costly to the tax payers.

Meanwhile, the people are asking the question: "Who will be street superintendent?" and are answering their own query by saying "Clements will resign and be appointed to the job."

The fact is few have objected to Clements as street superintendent, nor was there any appreciable adverse criticism of him holding the street job on full time pay, as the job was created before he was elected. The Citizen has maintained that he was the only full-time commissioner legally employed. However the job was created and the salary fixed when conditions were flush, it was believed it was too high. Then, too, two additional full time jobs were created. Instead of only one commissioner, as of two years ago, drawing \$1,800 a year we had three pulling down

\$5,400, and two of them helped to create their new jobs after being elected as plain commissioners. So the people initiated the salary cut amendment and eliminated full time commissioners.

If Clements is given the street job the Citizen thinks the opposition would be nil. But the people have a right to object to any jockeying with the officers they elect. We do not know who will be appointed if Clements should resign, but should he do so we think the commission should waive its right to appoint his successor and call a special election to name a new commissioner, if it can be legally done.

Clements was the choice of the voters as expressed April 4, and he has no moral right to quit now, but should serve out his term.

The Citizen does not know that Mr. Clements even contemplates resigning, as we hold no brief to speak for him, neither have we discussed the subject with him, as the Citizen is not the designated organ of the commission. But the shifting of Clements from the street to the sanitary department justifies the presumption that the carrying out of the above or a kindred program is not beyond the pale of early eventualities.

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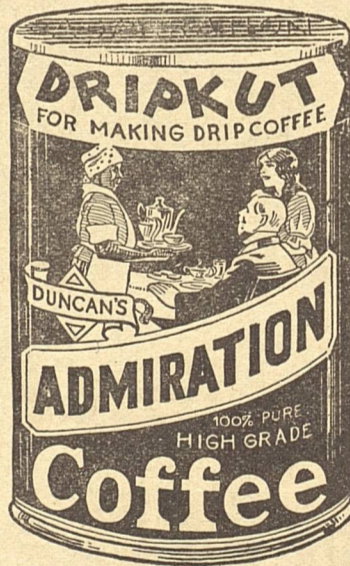
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QUIT ADVERTISING, BUSINESS BANKRUPT MERCHANT DECLARES

The following confession of an Illinois merchant might be appreciated by Cisco business men, and if they profit by this man's sad experience, might avert a similar fate. There seems to be a disposition of some business firms to adopt most any medium, rather than legitimate newspapers, in which to advertise their bargains, Circulars, fly-leaves, etc., are being used, when Cisco has two newspapers that are read by every family in Cisco, besides the Cisco Citizen is read in most of the families on the rural routes out of this city. But read this merchant's confession. There is much in it whether you believe it or not:

An unusual statement was published some time ago in the News-Gazette, Champion, Ill., signed by E. L. Murdock, head of a former leading ladies' ready-to-wear store, which had closed its doors to avoid being thrown into bankruptcy.

In this statement the merchant set forth the principal reasons for the store's failure to maintain the prestige and prosperity it had enjoyed in times past. He said:

Perhaps the greatest contributing cause is the fact that four years ago our firm, because we thought the rates too high, discontinued all advertising in the News-Gazette. We tried other forms of advertising to supplant the News-Gazette, but found none effective. Our business continued on the down grade. Seemingly our friends had forgotten us. The fault is ours."

In every city and town there are stores which have made the serious mistake to which Mr. Murdock confesses in such a manly fashion.

People look to their newspaper for their store news. No amount of hand bills, circulars, sign boards or other devices can take the place of the newspaper that goes into the home and is read by every member of the family.

FOR SALE—First year Harper Cotton Seed, grown on my farm and ginned on my private gin. Recleaned new sacks, fifty cent per bushel, f. o. b. Albany, Texas.—F. W. Alexander, 25-12tp

A GOOD LOSER

Concerning the defeat of the Citizen's candidates in the recent city election, and the statement of the Citizen following the election, Fred Robinson, in the Waco Tribune had the following to say: "Editor R. W. H. Kennon of the Cisco Citizen (former publisher of the Rockdale Messenger), has just emerged from a hot local fight at Cisco, in which he came out second-best, and 'acknowledges the corn' in the Citizen as follows:

"The administration was given an unmistakable and unqualified endorsement by the voters of Cisco in the municipal election Tuesday. The re-election of administration candidates was a defeat of the policies advocated by the citizen, and we congratulate the winning candidates on their splendid victory. We acknowledge our defeat, so far as the personnel of the ticket is concerned, and in this connection the Citizen is too brave to gloat in victory or too proud to cringe in defeat."

"That would seem a better way than keeping up the fight. A good loser always stands a chance to make a come-back. Cisco is on the other end of the Waco-Hico-Cisco highway, and when a good road is secured all the way between the two cities, Editor Kennon can rejoice, despite little set-backs like the one he received in the election."

HICKOK WELL ON R. A. EPLER TRACT TO BE GIVEN A SHOT

Plans were being made at noon today to shoot the Hickok Producing & Development Company's well on the R. A. Epler tract west of Eastland and near the Cisco-Eastland highway. A splendid showing of oil and gas was had in the well at the 3,500 foot level and it is near this depth that the shot is to be placed.

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DISTRESSED PROPERTY BID IN BY NEIGHBORS

The Cross Plains Review tells of a foreclosure sale of the property of a Dressy farmer being bid in by his neighbors, then returned to him, according to a plan adopted by the farmers of Iowa last fall and winter. As the Review tells it the sale was legally held, the property sold, the debt, probably, satisfied, and the distressed property returned to the owner:

Dressy friends and neighbors rallied to the assistance of Owen Baum and prevented his farm implements and teams from being seized at auction Tuesday morning.

A closed bank was offering for sale by public auction, a cultivator, a span of horses, one wagon, harness and a mule, in settlement of a debt owed by Mr. Baum. Neighbors came in and made the necessary number of bids to make the sale legal, and bid in the equipment for \$2.80. There were no outside bidders.

Ed Odom made the purchasing bid after two other friends of Mr. Baum had announced similar offers. Three bids are necessary to make the sale legal. The equipment was then given back to Mr. Baum, the original owner.

"We know Mr. Baum to be an honest man, who meets his obligations but like most everyone else has simply been handicapped by adverse conditions and he needs his teams and tools to make a crop", said a lifelong neighbor of his Tuesday afternoon.

OKRA FARMER DEVISES RAT ERADICATION PLAN

OKRA, April 25.—Fred Scott, farmer, residing near here, has a novel and very successful plan of killing rats, which are becoming a nuisance in this and other communities of this section. He took a wash tub, filled it with water and buried it in his cotton seed pen, covering it over with a thin layer of cotton seed. A piece of meat is suspended just above the tub and acts as a bait. He caught 20 rats the first night and the plan is still working.

NEW WELL BEING DRILLED IN RISING STAR SECTION

RISING STAR, April 25.—Clements & Irving, oil operators of Ranger, have begun operations on a test well on the Walter Boggs tract one mile east of Rising Star. Contract calls for the Blake sand which is usually found here at 1,300 to 1,400 feet.

The Conway well, in this same vicinity, is reported making 4,000, 000 cubic feet of gas after having been given a shot.

NEW CASES PENDING IN DISTRICT COURT

91st District Court: Roxie Farrell vs. J. T. Farrell, divorce.

88th District Court: The Frank Bida arson case and companion cases have been set for trial in the 88th district court for May 15. The criminal docket for the 88th district court was called Monday.

Two sisters contested for the custody of a 5-year-old boy, Roland Breland Wallace, in a habeas corpus hearing before Judge B. W. Patterson of the 88th district court Monday. Lola Sumrow, said to have adopted the boy, had charge of him for some months. His natural mother, Gertie Hartsfield, a sister to Lola, obtained the child and refused to allow Lola to have him. Judge Patterson, after hearing the testimony, held that the attempted adoption of the child by Lola had not been completed and awarded the custody of the child to its mother. All parties in the case reside at Ranger.

County Court: R. C. Fain vs. Seaboard Fire & Marine Insurance Co., suit on policy.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH SERVICES

"Adam and Fallen Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, May 7, including Eastland First Church.

The golden text is from Hosea 14: "O Israel, return unto the Lord thy God: for thou hast fallen by thine iniquity."

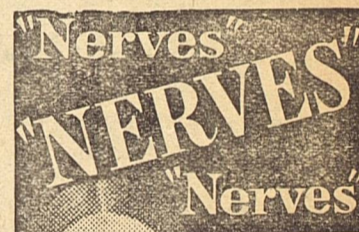
Among the passages to be read from the Bible will be the following from Romans 8: "There is, therefore, now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death."

The Lesson-Sermon will also include citations from the Christian Science textbook by Mary Baker Eddy, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," one of which will be as follows: (p: 534):

"Paul says in his epistle to the Romans: 'The carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be, so then they that are in the flesh cannot please God. But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you.'

"There will be greater mental opposition to the spiritual, scientific meaning of the scriptures than there has ever been since the Christian era began. The serpent, material sense, will bite the heel of the woman, will struggle to destroy the spiritual idea of love; and the woman, this idea, will bruise the head of lust. The spiritual idea has given the understanding a foothold in Christian Science."

Red Top cane seed, silver Drip syrup cane seed, seed peanuts, and Hampshire pigs for sale or trade. What have you? W. B. Starr, Route 4, Cisco.



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**Body of Mrs. Little
Conveyed to Mineral
Wells for Interment**

Following the funeral services on Thursday morning at the First Methodist church in Cisco, the remains of Mrs. J. J. Little were conveyed to Mineral Wells for burial Thursday afternoon in the family burial plot in that city, where were buried her parents and son, Forrest Little, whose death was the result of an automobile accident in 1926. Green's Funeral Home was in charge of the burial arrangements.

Mrs. Little's death followed a paralytic stroke suffered a week ago today, the third since November, 1930, from the last of which she never rallied. With a physician in constant attention her husband and children sorrowfully watched the spark of life as it gradually dimmed till the last vital spark left her body forever.

The seriousness of this last attack was realized by those of the family and intimate friends, and the end, while greivous, was not unexpected.

Born in Morris county, Texas, August 1, 1872, she married May 20, 1894, at Hughes Springs, Texas, to J. J. Little, who, with four of the five children

born to this couple, survive. The children surviving are Mrs. R. S. Dunbar, Gilmer; A. H. Little, Lubbock; Glenn Little, Cisco, and G. H. Little, Amarillo. Besides these several brothers, sisters and grandchildren survive.

The passing of this Christian woman was a bereavement, not only to her immediate relatives, but to those who knew and loved her. Her passing also recalls the tragic death of her son, Forrest Little, auto accident victim, who was killed at Mineral Wells in 1926. Cisco knew this splendid young man before we became acquainted with other members of this family, for he was the first to arrive in Cisco where he established the Little News Stand, which he builded into a prosperous business till his tragic death. It was after the death of Forrest that other members of the family came here, where they have resided continuously.

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**One Inch Rainfall
Recorded In Cisco
Wind Damage Crops**

The Cisco country was visited Wednesday evening by a rainfall of one inch, which came just in time to save young crops, which were already beginning to die, on some farms for lack of surface moisture. While we have had several showers recently, but invariably they were followed by winds that dried the surface to a cake, and young vegetation was left with no moisture.

Considerable damage to crops is reported west of Cisco, by the wind and hail. In the Dothan community considerable hail fell.

The Woman's Missionary Union, of the Baptist church, will hold its 25th annual session at Haskell May 9 and 10. Mrs. Ualia Burnett, of this city, is on the program as one of the speakers during the morning session Wednesday.

Will do children's sewing in exchange for baby bed. Mrs. G. W. Cabeen, 710 W. 9th St.

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**FORMER RANGER MAYOR
GIVEN \$8470 VERDICT**

The Eastland Telegram says: The jury in the case of Jno. W. Thurman vs. Morris Bendix returned a verdict late Wednesday afternoon for the plaintiff. Under the verdict Mr. Thurman was allowed \$7,500 damages, \$800 doctor's bill and \$170 hospital bill, making a total of \$8,470. The case was called for trial in the 91st district court on Tuesday afternoon of last week, was argued by the attorneys on Tuesday of this week and was given to the jury for consideration at 4:30 that afternoon.

This case grew out of an automobile accident which is said to have happened at the intersection of Sue and Main streets in Ranger last September, when a car, driven by the daughter of Morris Bendix, crashed into a truck in which Mr. Thurman was riding. The evidence showed that Mr. Thurman was thrown from his truck by the impact, sustaining injuries to his head and body from which he has not fully recovered.

The plaintiff was represented by L. H. Flewellen of Ranger and the firm of Coldwell, Gilliland, Francis & Gallagher of Dallas, Messrs. Francis and Gallagher being present. Virgil T. Seaberry and Carl Springer of Eastland represented the defendant.

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**Eradication of Slot
and Kindred Devices
Recommended by Jury**

The grand jury of the 88th district court adjourned April 28, made its final report to Judge B. W. Patterson, and asked to be discharged. The report failed to give the public a result of the work accomplished, so judging from the contents of the report one must conclude that crime in on the decrease in Eastland county, as the only item specifically recommended was that the cities and towns take steps to eradicate slot machines and kindred devices. If the slot machines are prohibited by law, and it is a violation of the penal code to operate such devices, it was in the province of the grand jury to return true bills of indictment against the offending operators. The machines are being operated openly. The Citizen thinks the mere fact that these machines are susceptible of being used for gambling is hardly sufficient to justify special enactments of city ordinances against them. Probably they are a nuisance,

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yet there be a few who don't care whether slot machines operate or not. We suppose the grand jury found the usual number of felony bills, but there was nothing about their nature or number in the report, which is as follows:

"On this the 28th day of April, A. D. 1933, we the grand jury, desire to report that we have finished our labors for the term, and request that we be discharged. The result of our work with reference to felony cases is reflected by the indictments returned.

"We desire to call to the attention of the court, and the other interested parties, the fact that there appears to be a large number of slot machines, or similar devices such as ball playing machines etc., around which a number of our citizens, especially the younger men and boys, congregate. It would appear that such devices are used for gambling, and at least they are easily susceptible of being so used. We suggest and recommend to the various city governments in the county that they look into this matter, and pass such regulatory ordinances as will cause the disappearance of such devices from our streets and business establishments, to the end that gambling and its attendant evils may be curbed.

We have tried to make our investigation fairly, to the end that justice might be meted out both to the guilty and to the innocent.

"We respectfully request that we be discharged from further service at this time.

WALTER GRAY, Foreman."