

CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO — Population, 10,214; 1,620 feet above sea; good water; paved streets; A1 schools; 5 rail exits; minimum of malaria and typhoid.

EASTLAND COUNTY. — Area 925 square miles; population, 60,000; cotton, fruit, poultry and oil production.

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LLOYD PRICE HANGS HIMSELF

Rains Have Been Partial Says Link Huntington, Who Is Cultivating a Big Farm With 500 Acres in Cotton

COOLIDGE SIDE STEPS ALL KLAN ENTANGLEMENTS

SWAMPSCOTT, July 7.—All efforts to embroil President Coolidge in the Ku Klux Klan entanglement will be ignored entirely. Hundreds of letters demanding that he speak, and hundreds of others demanding that he not speak before the Klan convention at Washington next month, will go unanswered, it was announced today.

MONKEY SIGNS HERALD COMING SCOPES TRIAL

DAYTON, Tenn., July 7.—This town is prepared for "the greatest legal battle of the century" today, and will give William Jennings Bryan a royal welcome when he arrives tonight from his Florida home. The ruling of the federal court that Scopes must go to trial was received here with great rejoicing, and the streets are decorated with flags, bunting and monkey signs. The ruling of the federal court has placed the defense at a disadvantage, and all of the witnesses must be volunteers, as the use of subpoenas was denied the defendant. Rumors are prevalent that Clarence Darrow will not be present when the trial opens.

GUARANTY FUND DISBURSES BIG SUM SINCE JAN. 1

AUSTIN, July 7.—Upon orders of the state banking board made Monday, the state treasurer paid out of the bank guaranty fund to Charles O. Austin, commissioner of banking, the sum of \$1,215,000 to pay the depositors in seven state banks which have closed their doors since January 1. The non-interest-bearing deposits are now being paid in full out of the bank guaranty fund. The seven state banks whose depositors are to be paid are as follows: The First State Bank of Douglasville, Cess county; Security State Bank of Cooper, Delta county; Lometa State Bank of Lometa, Lampasas county; People's State Bank of Ranger; American State Bank of Harrisburg; Rock Island State Bank of Rock Island, Colorado county, and First State Bank of Hondo, Medina county.

RELATED PYROTECHNICS TO BE DISPLAYED FRIDAY

RANGER, July 7.—The exhibition of fireworks to have been given in Ranger the night of July 4th, but which was postponed because the damp weather would have affected the high grade of chemicals so that the display would have been a fizzle, is to be given in Nitro park, Ranger, next Friday night about 8 o'clock, the weather permitting, but if the day be rainy or the night damp it will have to be postponed again. Arrangements have been made with the aviator in Raner for the last few days to fly over the surrounding country and drop circulars announcing the fireworks and it is hoped to bring a large crowd to Ranger to see them.

FOUR HURT IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT NEAR ALBANY

ALBANY, July 7.—While making a sharp turn on the hill one mile west of Albany Monday morning S. P. Moore and Miss Susie Moore of Abilene, Mrs. A. C. Bledsoe and Ouida Youngblood of Plainview were thrown from the car in which they were riding and all were painfully injured. The party was on the way to Mineral Wells and were on the Abilene and Albany highway.

Link Huntington, who owns one of the best farms between Cisco and Moran, states that the recent showers have missed his place altogether. "I had none of the nice rain that fell in Cisco Saturday, but I understand that a nice rain fell at Bill Farmer's place, four miles west of me. However, he states the showers he has had have not been very beneficial, as the weather has been so warm growing stuff scorches badly after showers unless there is a general rain to cool the atmosphere. "I have about 900 acres in cultivation, 500 acres of which is planted to cotton, which is looking fine but even the cotton is going to need rain soon. This crop is now growing well, and with cool nights may do alright till the August rains come. My oats were a failure, and my wheat was sorry. However, I will raise enough wheat to reseed the land, but it is not good enough to harvest. I expect to plow this wheat under and harrow it for winter wheat some time in August. With ordinary season it ought to make a good crop next year. "But speaking of rain. We are not due for any rain of consequence in July, but we can look for rains in August. Crops are all late in this section and if the usual rains fall in August we should make a fair crop of cotton and good feed crops, as the maize will have to head out in August," stated Mr. Huntington.

"DREAM FARM" OWNER PASSED AWAY JULY 1ST

Will Rasmussen, who was called to the bedside of his father, Andrew Rasmussen, has returned home, and stated that his parent died July 1, and was buried on his "dream farm", where oil was discovered a short while ago. The elder Rasmussen was well known to many in Cisco, and he is said to have had his farm, on which he died, pictured to him in his dreams. Seeing the land he recognized the place, bought it and oil was discovered in paying quantities. On the farm is now one 500 barrel producer, and another is being spudded in. The land is located in Palo Pinto county, near the Stephens county line. The discovery of oil came too late for the elder Rasmussen to long enjoy the fruits of his dream, however.

L. D. HILLYER CHOSEN SPECIAL COUNTY JUDGE

EASTLAND, July 7.—At a meeting of the Eastland County Bar association held in the ninety-first district court room Monday morning and presided over by President H. P. Brelsford, L. D. Hillyer, a member of the bar, was unanimously elected special judge to act instead of Judge Tom L. Cunningham of the Eastland county court-at-law who is off on a vacation, having been ordered by his physicians to take a week or 10 days rest. The meeting of the bar was called to order and the proceedings had according to law. Judge George L. Davenport of the Ninety-first district court, administered the oath to Mr. Hillyer.

"JUST NIGGER INSTINCT"

BRECKENRIDGE, July 7.—Seven negroes were arrested by city police Saturday night, and charged with gambling. Officers Kelly and Harrison raided the place where the men were supposed to have been carrying on a poker game. One negro broke and run, as he said, "just from that negro instinct." "I'd have circled and come back sure even if Mr. Harrison hadn't caught me, but I just had to get up and run when Mr. Kelly came in there. It's just negro instinct."

EX-U. S. ATTORNEY FALLS DEAD IN COURT

GUTHRIE, Okla., July 7.—B. L. Tinsler, former assistant United States District Attorney, fell dead in Federal Court here today.

CLUB DISASTER MAY RESULT IN INDICTMENTS

BOSTON, July 7.—Indictments fixing the responsibility for the collapse of the Pickwick club is expected before evening in the Suffolk county. The building commissioner is being grilled by the grand jury. The death toll still stood at forty-four today. Rescuers are still at work in the ruins.

FRENCH THINK RIFFIAN TAZA DRIVE HALTED

PARIS, July 7.—Women and children are being rushed from Taza as forces of Ab-el-Krim advance on the city, a dispatch to the French foreign office said today. The French reinforcements rushed from Fez have succeeded, they believe, in at least temporary halting the Riffian drive. They have saved the Fez railroad.

CROPS FAILURE BETWEEN BRADY AND SAN ANTONIO

Judge J. H. McDonald is back from San Antonio, where he went by auto to be at the bedside of his daughter Mrs. W. A. Gleason, who was a patient in a sanitarium in that city. He stated that she was not improved, and was sent to a specialist at Fort Worth. Judge McDonald states that the country between Brady and San Antonio is in a deplorable state. Crops are practically a failure everywhere, and was told that there had been no rain of consequence around San Antonio for the past year.

INDIAN FAT WOMAN QUITS SHOW TROUPE

POCA CITY, Okla., July 7.—Julia Littlelake, the near 400-pound young Ponea Indian woman, is back home, coming direct from the Back Bay district of Massachusetts. She signed up last spring to occupy a seat as the fat woman in the sideshow department of the 101 Wild West Show, now on the road, but this is her second trip back to her people at Ponea City. The truth of it is Julia does not like the show business. She made her first trip back home immediately after the show opened in Oklahoma City last April. She complained that the seat, on which she sat during the time the show was open, was too hard. This fault was remedied when the show management bought her a pillow for a cushion. Notwithstanding the cushion, Julia is back home again and says she is going to stay. She has been homesick for her own people.

EAST TEXAS DROUTH BROKEN

HUNTSVILLE, July 7.—Saturday afternoon a heavy rain fell over Walker county. In Huntsville the government gauge showed 1.2 inches and in the north end the rain was heavier still. This is of great benefit to crops, especially the cotton, which was beginning to wither. Corn has been in fairly good condition all the time. The cattle interests, up to yesterday threatened with a water famine and many of the water holes and creeks were dry, but with the light showers of the past two weeks and Saturday's rain the danger is removed and shipping and dipping will be resumed.

WIRE ELECTROCUTES LUBBOCK MECHANIC

LUBBOCK, July 7.—C. L. Thompson, 29 years old, automobile mechanic, was electrocuted late Sunday while working on a car in a garage here. The accident occurred when a high line of the Lubbock Power and Light Company was blown against a smaller line connected with the garage. Thompson is survived by a widow and a 3-year old son, together with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Thompson of Floyland.

EASTLAND TO OBSERVE FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY

EASTLAND, July 7.—A celebration commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the city of Eastland will be held here in connection with the county-wide fair to be held during the first three days of October. The anniversary date is August 19, but owing to the fact that the two dates come so close together it was decided to combine them. The celebration will be marked by features belonging entirely to the "homecoming." The program will be arranged by a committee of old citizens.

Quake Victim



Mrs. Edith Perkins, formerly of Boston, widow of a former rail executive, was among those killed in the Santa Barbara earthquake. She was crushed to death in her room in the Arlington Hotel.

BAGGAGE MAN HELD PARTY TO STATION THEFT

RANGER, July 7.—Special detectives of the Texas & Pacific railroad working with Ranger police and the sheriff of Eastland county have arrested Lonnie Willis about 24 years of age, on a charge of holding up and robbing W. H. Lassater, night ticket agent of the T. & P. at Ranger, about 4 o'clock last Monday morning. H. W. Perkins of the T. & P. railway has had close cooperation from Chief of Police O. V. Davenport and Assistant Chief L. E. Davenport, which enabled them to make the arrest in Ranger Sunday, upon Willis' return from Ballinger, where he went the day after the holdup.

Willis, who follows the occupation of a truck driver, was brought to Ranger and the police claim to have obtained a signed statement from him in which he implicated W. E. Clark, baggageman of the T. & P. railroad, who was in the ticket office with Lassater when the lone bandit held them up. Clark was arrested but refused to make any statement, according to the police, except "I have nothing to say until I see my lawyer." Both Willis and Clark will be taken to the Eastland county jail where they will be held pending action of the grand jury, according to County Attorney W. J. Barnes.

It is stated by the police that, in his statement given to them, Willis claims the plan to hold up the ticket office was suggested to him by Clark, who also furnished him with the gun he used, obtaining it from his brother-in-law. Monday morning was chosen for the time of operation because receipts of both Saturday afternoon and night and all day Sunday would probably be in the office.

Entering the ticket office preparatory to sweeping out, Clark left the door open and Willis, entering with a handkerchief tied over his face, ordered both men to "put 'em up." He backed them into a corner, obtained the keys to the cash drawer from Lassater, helped himself to the cash, about \$99 in all, and then backed out of the door, warning the men not to follow for five minutes.

STETSON GIVEN POST AS POLISH MINISTER

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 7.—The appointment by President Coolidge of John B. Stetson of Philadelphia to be American Ambassador to Poland was announced here today. This appointment completes a switch in post between Stetson and Alfred J. Pearson of Iowa, recently designated American Minister to Finland.

TWO INHERITANCE TAXES PAID STATE

AUSTIN, July 7.—S. H. Terrell, State Comptroller, received today an order from Judge F. H. Alexander, Dallas County, fixing the inheritance tax in the J. B. Adoue estate at \$5,355.91. The net estate was valued at \$227,649 and the gross estate at \$450,298. A remittance for \$5,815.22 was received from Judge Alexander as tax on the \$251,290 net estate of Mrs. Margaret Ash. Abe Ash of San Antonio, a son, received \$227,000 of the estate.

INCIDENTS OF INTEREST FROM BRECKENRIDGE

BRECKENRIDGE, July 7.—Judge William E. Hawkins, who has been employed as one of the lawyers in the \$50,000,000 suit instituted against R. F. Blaffer, the Humble Oil & Refining Company, and about 70 other attendants left Breckenridge at noon Sunday for Austin, where he will take part in a conference of lawyers engaged on the case.

Harold Edward Wallace, age 9, who was injured Saturday when the truck in which he was riding capsized into a ditch on the Woodson road about 12 miles north of here, died at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Breckenridge sanitarium. The body was shipped to Farmersville, Collin county, where burial will take place.

A Ford touring car stolen from J. A. Smith Saturday, from in front of the post office was recovered by officers of the sheriff's department about 11 o'clock Sunday morning in the south part of the city.

Twenty gallons of "check" beer were poured from a barrel and one man arrested as a result of a raid conducted by Deputies Davenport, Waller and Woods of the sheriff's department at 7 o'clock Sunday night, about 14 miles west of Breckenridge.

"MAGGIE" WILL BOOST FEDERAL WASHERS HERE

Graves McGee, "Maggie", as he is called by his friends, of the West Texas Utilities Co. with headquarters in Abilene, is now in Cisco beginning a vigorous campaign on Federal electric washers.

He has just unloaded a solid car load of these washers and says he is ready to do everybody's washing this week. His sales force is on the job, backed by an extensive advertising campaign by the local company and under the live and efficient supervision of Commercial Manager W. R. Cabaness. These gentlemen say this is the largest shipment of electric washers ever brought into this section of the country and after the close of their washing demonstrations Cisco should indeed be famous far and near as a clean town. They assert that one can buy a machine for what it would cost to have the washing done.

BULLET CLIPS OFF HEAD OF CHICKEN, KILLS MAN

WACO, July 7.—Passing through a chicken coop, clipping off the head of a chicken, a pistol bullet entered the left chest of F. J. Megarity about noon Saturday, lodging in his right chest. He died Sunday. The bullet was alleged to have been fired at a negro with whom another man had a difficulty shortly before the shooting took place. Megarity was standing partly behind the chicken coop when the pistol was fired. H. W. Seay, a friend of Megarity, surrendered after he had accompanied the wounded man to the hospital. He was released, pending an investigation.

WOMAN HURT ON RANGER—EASTLAND PIKE SATURDAY

RANGER, July 7.—Mrs. W. A. Wood of Ranger, who was injured Saturday afternoon when the Hudson car in which she and her husband and children were driving from Ranger to Eastland, went off the embankment east of Eastland and turned over, is doing nicely, according to reports from the sanitarium. Mrs. Wood is reported to be suffering from a fractured hip. The car in which Mrs. Wood and family were driving was badly damaged. Martin Smith, who was injured Saturday when the car in which he was driving was able to leave the sanitarium this morning.

CANYON WILL ADD MORE UNITS TO SEWER SYSTEM

CANYON, July 7.—W. D. Howren, civil engineer of Amarillo, is in Canyon making surveys preliminary to the building of a new sewer system will take care of the West Texas State Teachers College plant and of a rapidly developing residence section in the southwest part of Canyon.

LUEDERS, July 7.—The West Texas Utilities company is building an electric transmission line to this place from Stamford. The distance is fifteen miles.

Dead Body of Former Cisco Boy Is Found Suspended From Windshield Of Auto in Garage at Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, July 7.—Suicide by hanging was the verdict by the coroner at Fort Worth this morning when the lifeless body of Lloyd R. Price, son of Mrs. Eunice Price, formerly of Cisco, was found hanging from the windshield brace of an automobile in the garage in the rear of his mother's home. No motive is known for his rash deed, but Lloyd's mother is said to have chastised him severely a short time before he is supposed to have hanged himself. He had taken his belt from his trousers and adjusted the buckle under his chin, in which position the lifeless body was suspended when found this morning. Mrs. Eunice Price, his mother, stated the body would be shipped to Cisco for burial, where the family lived for more than twelve years.

Lloyd R. Price, the boy whose body was found suspended in the garage at Fort Worth this morning, was a nephew of F. E. Price living at 401 West Ninth street, and was a cousin of the Price girls members of the 1924-25 Lobo Queens. It was stated from the Price home that the funeral of the young man, who was fifteen years of age, will be held at Oakwood cemetery tomorrow afternoon, following the arrival here on the 2:20 west bound Texas & Pacific train before going to Fort Worth. Mrs. Eunice Price formerly lived in Cisco, and both she and her dead son are known to many here.

NO ACCIDENTS OR COLLISION ON SATURDAY

"The police department feels real nice about the manner in which the crowd was handled here Saturday, and the orderly and sober spirit manifested," said Acting Police Chief Beford this morning. "Out of that vast crowd of 15,000 people, there was only one case of drunkenness, and none were drunk on the grounds at Lake Cisco. There was not an accident or a collision on the grounds or in the city during the entire celebration. The highway from the dam was kept from congestion by only allowing a part of the cars to leave at a time, permitting those on the road to get a start that the highway would not become jammed by cars attempting to pass others. In this way we let all get away without a mishap."

WAGON TONGUE RAN DOWN A MAN'S THROAT

SAN ANTONIO, July 7.—Gregoria Bribiez of Taylor, was probably fatally injured here today when a wagon tongue was rammed into his mouth during a collision. He was riding in a car, which came head on with a gravel wagon the tongue of the wagon crashing through the windshield and going down his throat.

NEWS FROM THE FORT WORTH HOSPITAL IS TO THE EFFECT THAT W. C. BROOKS, WHO HAS BEEN A PATIENT IN AN INFIRMARY THERE FOR THE PAST SIX WEEKS FOR BLOOD POISONING, IS DOING NICELY, AND WILL SOON BE RESTORED.

SEE CHURCH FIGHT IN CALL BY DR. NORRIS

SEATTLE, Wash., July 7.—Call for a fundamentalist meeting in Chicago in October, issued by the Rev. J. Frank Norris, Fort Worth, Texas, pastor, indicated an early continuation of the modernist-fundamentalist controversy as the nineteenth-annual Northern Baptist convention closed here Sunday. Discussion of a proposed new Baptist mission society will occupy the Chicago meeting called by Dr. Norris.

C. OF C. DIRECTORS MEET

The directors of the chamber of commerce will meet in regular session tonight. All directors are requested to be prompt that the business before the board may be transacted with dispatch.

STAMFORD GAVE LEE AND PARTY WARM WELCOME

Mayor Williamson and Secretary Richardson were in the party that left here Monday evening with President R. Q. Lee of the West Texas chamber of commerce, and Mrs. Lee, for Stamford, where President Lee made his initial speech of the two weeks campaign over northwest Texas in the interest of his intensive farming program he has outlined for the West Texas chamber of commerce for 1926. These gentlemen returned this morning, and Mr. Richardson stated that a representative crowd greeted Mr. Lee on this occasion, at which Col. R. L. Penick was toastmaster, who complimented Cisco on the progressive spirit manifested, and stated that Cisco was more famous over the state for doing things on a larger scale than any other town in Texas of its size. Col. Penick introduced Porter Whaley, who introduced President Lee. Mr. Lee emphasized intensive and diversified farming, and warned the farmers of Texas that over-production of cotton was something that should be avoided, saying in his opinion, a fourteen million bale crop would bring the farmers more money than a sixteen million bale crop. He pointed out that 1924 cotton crop brought the farmers of Texas \$1,800,000,000, but \$1,000,000,000 of this money was sent to north and central states for food, feed stuff and dairy products, which should show the farmers the necessity of diversification.

At the conclusion of President Lee's address, Mrs. Lee was introduced by Mrs. Loftin, wife of the secretary of the Stamford chamber of commerce, who spoke briefly on the part the women of the West Texas chamber of commerce would do in assisting the civic and religious advancement of this section. Others to make short talks were Mayor Williamson, Secretary Richardson, and Field Secretary Whitehead.

CONDITION OF W. C. BROOKS IS MUCH IMPROVED

Mrs. Lee is accompanying Mr. Lee and party on this trip, who left Stamford this morning for Seymour.

News from the Fort Worth hospital is to the effect that W. C. Brooks, who has been a patient in an infirmery there for the past six weeks for blood poisoning, is doing nicely, and will soon be restored. Mr. Brooks, who is in business in Cisco, was injured with a pair of scissors some time ago, from which blood poison developed, has been in a critical condition for the past two months. At one time it was thought it would be necessary to amputate his forearm, and the news that he is overcoming his trouble is gratifying.

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KING EMANUEL

Twenty-five years ago this summer, Vittorio Emanuele Ferdinando Maria Gennaro, Prince of Naples, ascended the throne of Italy in succession to his father, King Humbert, who had been assassinated at Monza. This year, marking the quarter-century anniversary is being featured with many celebrations in his honor.

In the years of his reign, modern European movements of every kind have had a vivid reflex in the Italy that he knows, and of those whose essential and changing unity he has remained the symbol throughout.

His refusal of the resignation of Signor Salandra in 1915 was one of the two decisive actions of his reign. The other was when, in October 1922, he refused to sign the order declaring martial law, thereby enabling the Fascist regime to begin on a constitutional basis.

The simplicity of tastes and the dislike of display which characterize the man, have prevented him from taking so spectacular a part in the life of the nation as is played by other European sovereigns.

There is scarcely a hamlet in Italy that he has not visited, usually with his consort, Queen Elena, who was a Montenegrin princess, and by thus taking the trouble to come into personal contact with his subjects, no matter how humble, he has brought home to them the fact that he has their interest and their welfare at heart. The family instinct is more strongly developed in Italy than in any other country of Southern Europe, and the home life of the king and queen and their children has gone far to confirm their hold upon the affection of their people. Their married life of thirty years has been happy, even ideal. The king is now 56. His hobby is numismatics.

When a fellow owns a high-priced automobile—one that WOULD run as quietly as a well-oiled sewing machine—yet persists in driving through the streets of a city with the cut-out wide open, it is a pretty good indication that, in addition to being a lawbreaker, the man's a fool.

BENEFACTIC QUAKES

It sounds heartless to say that earthquakes may be a good thing for a city. And yet, observing the situation at Santa Barbara, California, one is tempted so to appraise a great catastrophe.

Santa Barbara was a beautiful city, a well built city, a prosperous and growing city, when the calamity came. But from present indications Santa Barbara is going to be a finer and bigger city because of the quake.

Action has been prompt and courageous. The city council has created a reconstruction board with extraordinary powers, which is going to see that in the replacement of wrecked buildings every structure shall stand the test of strength and beauty. Financial assistance will be withheld from any project not approved. Various eyecores destroyed by the earthquake are to be torn down and make room for modern buildings, parks or thoroughfares. City-planning is given immense impetus. The Santa Barbara people are going to rebuild their city "nearer to the heart's desire."

That will be an excellent thing for them and their children. It is also an excellent thing for the nation to have such an example of civic courage combined with civic intelligence. Were it not for loss of life, for which nothing can compensate, an observer would be tempted to suggest that some of the older cities around the country ought to be shaken up a little.

What is needed for automobiles is some kind of mechanical cow-catcher that will reach out and pick up a pedestrian and set him gently to one side of the road.

PROSPERITY

America is liquidating the war. The huge war debt, which stood at \$26,594,000,000 six years ago, had dropped to \$20,516,000,000 when the last fiscal year ended on June 30. A billion a year is a good deal to pay for a dead horse.

If reduction proceeds no more rapidly than it has since the armistice, the country will be free from public debt in twenty years. And the reduction is likely to accelerate with the increase of domestic prosperity, the recovery of Europe and the payment of foreign debts. Allied debts alone would wipe out half the remaining national debt, if they were fully paid.

The government found in its hands on July 1, to start the new year, a surplus of \$250,000,000, five times as much as was forecast last fall. This indicates a commendable and growing restraint in expenditures at Washington. It speaks also, most emphatically, of the essential prosperity of the country, even in times regarded as "dull." America has started on a new career of expansion and wealth whose extent no man can foresee.

"Show me a miracle!" demands a scientific person. Well, that isn't easy; but it would be a miracle if people stopped arguing about miracles.

CHILD LABOR GOES ON

General discussion of child labor conditions has died out for a while. It is obvious that for at least four or six years there is little possibility of any federal regulation of child labor. In the meantime, the tendency to employ children, which has not lessened much since 1920, shows signs of increasing in many places.

There are today seven states permitting children to go to work at 14 years without evidence of ability to read; 18 states make no physical fitness test before employing children; 12 states allow children at 14 to work 9 to 11 hours a day; 25 states allow children at 14 to run elevators; 19 states have no law prohibiting children of 14 from working on dangerous machinery; 36 states allow children of 16 to wipe, oil or clean machinery in motion; 37 states allow children of 14 to work on scaffolding; and

38 states have no laws prohibiting children of 14 from working around explosives.

The National Child Labor committee, which has been working against child labor for 21 years, is still on the job. It is continuing its thorough and honest investigation of the extent and conditions of child labor. It will continue to publish the information it gathers. It will cooperate with the different states in efforts to bring their laws and methods of administration up to a high uniform minimum standard.

If all the people who oppose the federal child labor amendment for various reasons while they professed interest in children's health and education would also devote time and thought to the same activities that the committee pursues, there would be more hope for these youngsters. There is an army of child laborers at work now. Good laws enacted several years hence will not save them. Their minds and bodies and very souls will have been almost irreparably harmed by then.

WAR ON UNPLEASANT SOUNDS

The war against unnecessary city noises goes on fitfully in many communities, but except for a few hospital zones of quiet here and there very little is accomplished. A possible reason for the ineffectiveness of attempted noise regulation may be the fact that as a rule action against noise-makers must wait for a complaint from some individual disturbed. Few persons take the time and trouble to report any specific instances of annoying sounds, so that 99 times out of 100 nothing is done to check them.

Police Commissioner Enright is approaching the matter differently in New York City. He has recently directed all policemen to take the initiative and to halt the noise-maker just as promptly as the thug or burglar.

This is a more difficult job than it sounds. It will require a nice discrimination as well as considerable courage and agility for any policeman to assail all the unpleasant noises in his vicinity. But it's one in which any noise sufferer will wish him all success.

Now a cruel creditor rakes up the fact that some of our own states owe Europe some money which they've never shown any desire to pay—"legitimate debts," some of which were contracted in order to promote banks and railroads."

LIGHTNING STRIPS WOMAN OF CLOTHING

DURANT, Okla., July 7.—All her clothing was stripped from Mrs. M. D. Smith by a stroke of lightning and her husband was slightly injured when they took refuge in a house northeast of here in a rainstorm.

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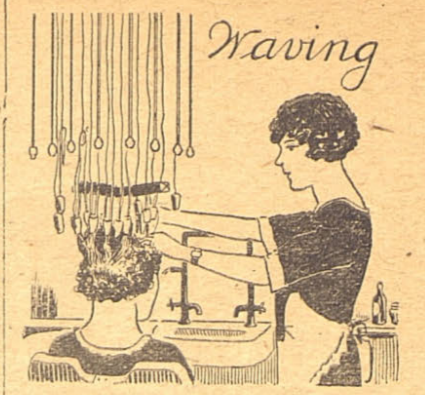
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Four other persons in the house were uninjured by the stroke. The house was set fire by the lightning but was easily extinguished. Another lightning stroke hit a barn of G. W. Baxter and the fire resulting destroyed the barn and \$2,500 worth of hay. The total loss was \$4,500.



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FOR RENT—Two room apartment at 507 West Third, call 501. (103)

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, 308 West 12th, Phone 666. (994)

FOR RENT—Langston flat, now available. 404 West Third Street. (102)

Lost

LOST—Grey mare with halter, no marks. Reward for information or return. Theibert Brummel, Carbon, route 1. (104)

LOST—New 32x5.77 rim and tire, between Abilene and Cisco, Tuesday. \$20.00 reward for return to Cisco Daily News. 100

LOST—New Riverside tire 30x4 between Leray and Breckenridge. Reward \$5.00 for return to 711 West 13th. (102)

Wanted

WANTED—To buy or extend vendors lien notes, any size, for ap-

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LODGE - DIRECTORY

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M. C. WILLIAMSON, Secretary

CISCO CHAPTER NO. 190, R. A. M.

meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited.
L. S. JENKINS, H. P.
JNO. F. PATTERSON, Sec.

Cisco Commandry, K. T.

meets every Third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall.
JOHN F. PATTERSON, Rec.

Cisco Chapter No. 461, Order of Eastern Star

meets first Tuesday night of each month. Visiting members cordially invited.
MRS PEARL MOREHART W. M.
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Cisco Lodge, B. P. O.

E. No. 1379, Meets every Monday at 8:00 p. m., corner 5th St. and Ave. E. Visiting Elks cordially invited.
D. J. MOSS, Exalted Ruler
N. F. PAYNE, Secretary

Cisco Lodge No. 556 A. F. & A. M.

meets Fourth Thursday, 8:00 p. m.
SIDNEY MARTIN, W. M.
J. F. PATTERSON, Secretary

The Rotary Club meets every Thursday Laciaco Inn, Lake Cisco, at 12:15.

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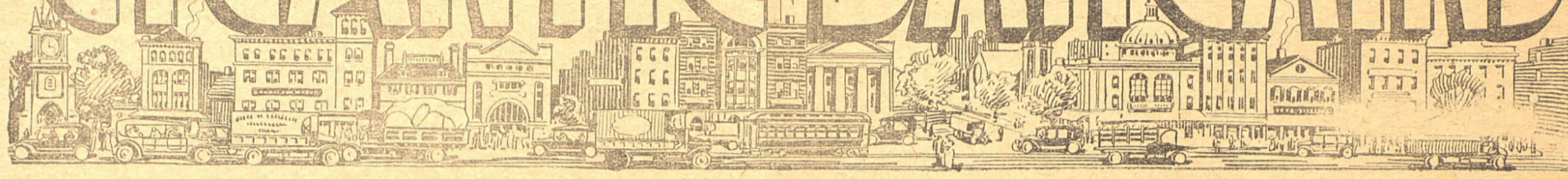
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40,000 Dollars of Goods to be Sacrificed at

Thursday
July 9
9 a. m.

GIGANTIC BARGAINS



Thursday
July 9
9 a. m.

We Are Forced to Clear This Entire Stock Making Space for Our Fall Goods

\$40,000 stock, consisting of the highest qualities in Men's Wear, Ladies' Dresses, Coats, millinery, Dry Goods, Shoes, Luggage and Novelties, to be sold at gigantic bargain prices. We must have room for the immense stock of fall merchandise that is already beginning to arrive. **WE NEED ROOM!---WE NEED VOLUME**, hence! We are offering our large stock at prices that actually startle ourselves. Come, folks, and take advantage of this golden opportunity. We have no space for prices.

Just a Few of the Many "Hot Ones"

<p>Thursday, July 9th From 9:00 to 9:30 a. m. we will sell a fine 27-inch gingham at 5c Per Yard Limit 5 yards to customer</p>	<p>Friday, July 10th From 3 to 3:30 p. m. 12 yards LL Brown Domestic for \$1.00 Limit 12 yds. to customer</p>	<p>Saturday, July 11th From 9:30 to 10 p. m. We will sell a 36-inch Percale at 10c Per Yard Limit 6 Yards</p>	<p>36-inch Cretones Assorted Patterns, 25c value at 16c 36-inch curtain scrim, white and ecru, 20c values at 15c</p>	<p>Voiles! Voiles! 36-inch flock dots and printed voiles, 50c to 75c values at 29c</p>
<p>SILK DRESSES VALUES TO \$65.00 1-2 PRICE Women's Union Suits Summer weight at 49c \$1.00 value, fine knit Union Suits at 79c</p>	<p>MILLINERY At less than cost—150' Hats to sell for 89c to \$3.89 Boy's Union Suits Athletic at 39c Boy's Long Pants \$3.45 to \$5.00 values at \$2.89</p>	<p>FREE --- FREE SAVE your purchase slips and when you have bought \$50.00 worth of merchandise we will give you a beautiful ladies' patent leather hat box ABSOLUTELY FREE</p>	<p>35c Turkish Towels at 19c Barber Towels at 8c Huck Towels at 14c WE ARE CLOSING OUT Our entire Men's Clothing stock at Less Than COST</p>	<p>\$1.50 Silk Chiffon Hose at 89c One lot of full fashioned Hose, \$2.00 values at 89c Men's Shoes, Hats, Pants TO BE CLOSED OUT AT Sacrifice Prices</p>
<p>CANVAS GLOVES at 15c MEN'S SOX at 7c MEN'S UNION SUITS at 49c</p>	<p>MEN'S KHAKI PANTS, at \$1.69 ENGLISH BROADCLOTH SHIRTS at .. 1.69 \$1.00 VALUE FANCY SOX at49</p>	<p>HEAVY OVERALLS at \$1.29 \$1.25 BLUE AND GREY SHIRTS at.... .89 \$1.25 VALUE KHAKI SHIRTS at..... .69</p>		
<p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SHOES AT 95c</p>	<p>ONE LOT OF LADIES' SHOES AT \$1.95</p>	<p>CHILDREN'S SHOES AT 95c to \$1.95</p>	<p>HARTMANN TRUNKS, SUIT CASES, BAGS, AT 1-4 OFF</p>	

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday—The U. D. C. will meet at 4 p. m. at the home of Mrs. T. A. Rose, 201 West Eleventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Waters have as guests during the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Logsdon of Dallas.

Mrs. L. D. Bartlett of Dallas is in the city for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Waters.

Dr. and Mrs. Allen Shackelford of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shackelford of Cross Plains have returned to their homes after a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clements and family.

Eibert Clements of Stanton is spending the week in Cisco with his brother, J. A. Clements.

Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Williamson and family had as their holiday guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carswell and Dr. and Mrs. Mayo and children, all of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Statham and Mrs. M. A. Northup left last week on a motor trip to Oklahoma, where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ocheltree of Thurber were visitors in Cisco during the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Calhoun have returned to their home in Fort Worth after a short visit in the city with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Willig.

Mrs. C. B. Williams left today for an extended visit with her parents in Nacogdoches.

Mrs. J. H. McGill left today for Oklahoma after a visit in the city with her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Simmons. After visiting relatives in Oklahoma, Mrs. McGill will return to her home at La Belle, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben McClinton and daughters, Misses Zelia Blanche and Pauline, and Miss Olga Beard spent Sunday in Weatherford with Mrs. A. S. Dees and family.

Miss Opal McDermitt of Abilene is spending the week in Cisco, as the guest of Miss Louise Petty.

Little Miss Marjorie Lee Russell has returned from a month's visit with her grandparents, Judge and Mrs. B. L. Russell of Baird.

Francis Leary of Eastland transacted business in Cisco Monday.

Odwin Cata has returned from a short visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Brashear of Tahoka are visiting Mr. Brashear's grandfather, P. P. Barber.

Judge James L. Shepherd and Garland Shepherd motored to Eastland on business this morning.

Mrs. M. Mayberry of Goldthwaite spent the week end in Cisco with her daughter, Miss Caddy Mayberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hines and children of Dallas are the guests of Judge and Mrs. D. K. Scott.

Miss Sara Taylor of Hamilton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Everett Davis.

Miss Juanita St. John has returned to Simmons university at Abilene after a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. St. John.

C. L. Anderson has returned from Houston, where he spent his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall have returned from a short visit in Dallas.

IT'S COOL AT THE

IDEAL

TODAY

Franklin Farnum
—IN—
"The Bandit Tamer"

THURSDAY and FRIDAY



LONDON FLAYS THE SPEECH OF MR. COOLIDGE

LONDON, July 7.—The Daily News Monday takes issue with President Coolidge's Cambridge address. Such speeches do not serve the cause of peace and can do no good in America, while in Europe they do positive harm, it says, adding:

"The implication in this and similar speeches appears to be that one of peace is almost exclusively an American virtue, and that the enemies distracting Europe have their roots in a savage passion for war itself.

"There enemies arise from no such thing, but from jealousies and fears from which America is free— if she is free—not owing to her own superior righteousness, but simply through historical and geographical accidents."

The paper contends that any American statesman prescribing for Europe ought first to master the facts and the symptoms of her case.

"There is not a word in Mr. Coolidge's speech," it continues, "which suggests that he has even tried to do this. Such speeches are worse than useless. They are either exasperating platitudes or else mean something which can only be guessed at, in which case they simply import another element of darkness and uncertainty into a situation which is dark enough already."

The Daily Telegraph finds a bone to pick with the United States on another ground. It assumes that the American government is "insisting sedulously upon immediate reform of the extraterritorial rights in China," and argues therefrom:

"Washington has betrayed once more an unwillingness or inability

to grasp the larger aspects of the Oriental question. By making this demand at this hazardous moment she (the United States) will assuredly be regarded in Japan as having thrown down the glove, for it is obvious that Japan would not merely suffer the most by such modification but in the present mood of the Chinese she would be so patently menaced that, pacific as her intentions are, she would be persuaded by the mere instinct of self-preservation to take immediate action."

ABILENE TO VOTE ON BIG CITY BOND ISSUE

ABILENE, July 7.—Municipal bond issues totaling \$710,000 will be voted on here August 10 in accordance with an official call from the city commission. The bond issues are divided as follows: For sewer extensions, \$50,000; for waterworks extensions, \$250,000; for school buildings, \$160,000; for new fire stations and purchase of sites for them, \$50,000; for a city hall, \$125,000; for a city auditorium, \$75,000. The bonds are to bear 5 per cent interest.

POULTRY AND EGGS

AUSTIN, July 7.—Chicago was unchanged on eggs this morning, quoting fresh gathered extra firsts at 30c dozen. Texas markets were fully steady with No. 1 candled bringing \$8.50 to \$9.00 per case and infertiles \$9.50. Poultry was featureless around 14 to 16c pound for hens, 20 to 25c for springs, 2c for oldroosters, 16 to 17c for turkeys live weight, geese 75c, ducks 50 to 60c, guineas 25c each. Butter was fully steady with packing stock country 22 to 25c, creamery A 43, and B 41c.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

RANGER, July 7.—Ranger chapter 394 Royal Arch Masons installed the following new officers at a meeting last Friday night: E. H. Chaplin, most esteemed high priest; R. O. Bundick, esteemed king; L. C. Gorton, esteemed scribe; Abe Davis, treasurer; C. F. Underwood, secretary; J. T. Howell, C. of H.; Charles O. Waits, P. S.; Charles A. Hummel, R. A. C.; H. S. Hinton, M. 3rd V.; H. H. Durham, M. 2nd V.; A. F. Hartman, M. 1st V.; J. A. Rapp, guard.

EASTLAND NEGROES REPORT ROBBED BY HI-JACKERS

EASTLAND, July 7.—Two Eastland negroes have reported to the police that they were held up at the point of a pistol by two white men Saturday night and robbed of what money they had on their persons, one of them giving up five dollars and the other one dollar. The negroes said they were walking toward town near the Ringling depot when the two hi-jackers drove up by the side of them in a Ford car and leveled a pistol at them and told them to hand up their money, and when this was done drove off.

LETTER BAG FOUND ON SCOTTISH COAST

PLYMOUTH, Eng., July 7.—Two men walking on the Cornish Coast found a bag on the sands and

opened it. A bundle of fifty letters with the postmark "St. Louis, U. S. A." and addressed to Scottish correspondents, was disclosed. The Newquay postoffice identified the bag as an ocean mail bag which should have contained fifty bundles of letters. They could not explain how it came to be in the sea.

What My Neighbor Says

Is of Interest to Cisco Folks.

When one has the misfortune to suffer from backache, headaches, dizziness, urinary disorders and other kidney ills—and has found relief from all this sickness and suffering, that person's advice is of untold value to friend neighbors. The following case is only one of many thousands, but it is that of a Cisco resident. Who could ask for a better example?

Mrs. J. W. Gentry, 1108 Ave. A, Cisco, says: "My back was weak, sore and lame and when I stooped sharp catches of pain seized me across my kidneys. I had dizzy spells when black specks danced before my eyes and my kidneys failed to act properly. I felt tired out. I used Doan's Pills from the City Drug Co. and they fixed my kidneys up in fine condition and drove all the misery out of my back."

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Health Warning
Eat the Right Breakfast Hot Days

Quick Quaker cooks in 3 to 5 minutes
Supplies the energy you need

SOME people make a practice of passing vigor foods in summer. That's a mistake. Above all things, you must eat foods that give strength. For hot days drag energy away. For breakfast, have oats and milk. Quick Quaker cooks in 3 to 5 minutes. And that makes it easy. No hot kitchens. No fuming, no frying, no stewing. Start on oats tomorrow. Note how good you'll feel. Mark the way that dragged-out feeling goes. You'll smile at hot days. You'll work better, think better. Just try it!—See the difference.

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TAKE IT TO THE LAUNDRY

Sensible advice! For the laundry is the great first aid to modern housewives. It saves time, money and worry for housekeepers whose business it is to see that wearing apparel of the family is kept clean.

When you "send it to the laundry," send it to our laundry. Your washing can be done here far more quickly and efficiently than at home—and washday will be a thing of the past. Phone 138 for quick service.

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Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FIRST STATE BANK

at Cisco, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1925, published in the Cisco Daily News, a newspaper printed and published at Cisco, State of Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1925

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$231,704.18
Overdrafts	58.60
U. S. Government Bonds	143,350.00
U. S. Treasury Certificates	41,000.00
Real Estate (banking house)	10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	6,103.91
Due from other banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	298,587.78
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	8,539.55
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	21,022.44
Total	\$760,366.46

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 65,000.00
Surplus Fund	11,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,684.41
Individual Deposits, subject to check	673,506.14
Cashiers' Checks	6,175.91
Total	\$760,366.46

State of Texas, county of Eastland. We C. H. Fee, as president, and A. Spears, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. C. H. Fee, president, A. Spears, cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, A. D. 1925. B. A. Schatz, Notary Public, Eastland county, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST: R. L. Poe, A. J. Olson, J. T. Berry, directors.
(Seal)

ROME, July 7.—A doctor who was passing through the Cathedral of St. Mark's in Venice heard a baby crying and traced the sounds to the tomb of Doge Marino Morosini, erected in 1269. A six days old baby was in the sarcophagus.

Itching Eczema Is Worst of All

When you go to the theatre or whenever you are near many people and begin to scratch that eczema or itching part of your body, people become uneasy while they are around you and usually show their resentment to the annoyance.

You don't have to put up with this embarrassment because you can get rid of the trouble you are bothered with by using Black and White Ointment. It is the quickest way to relieve yourself of eczema, rash, "breaking out", boils, pimples, etc. Be sure to use Black and White Soap when you wash to keep the skin soft and smooth after that.

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Foot Comfort Expert to Serve You

For the benefit of all foot sufferers, this store has arranged with The Scholl Mfg. Co., for the service of one of Dr. Scholl's most skilled demonstrators, who will be at our store to give free foot comfort demonstrations on the above date. Every foot sufferer should take advantage of this exceptional opportunity.

Free Podo-graph Picture Made of Your Feet

In a few seconds' time, without removing the shoe, he can make a photographic print of your foot that positively shows if you do have foot troubles and to what stage the trouble has progressed. This service is absolutely free and places you under no obligation whatever.

FREE SAMPLES

Do you want to know how to stop corns hurting instantly? Come in and get a sample of Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads. They remove the cause of corns—friction and pressure. Thin, antiseptic, healing.

Bring your foot troubles to this store during this demonstration and learn the true meaning of foot comfort.

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