

CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO, TEXAS—1614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes of water; 3 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.

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

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FLAMING WELL CLAIMS 2 VICTIMS

Three Persons Dead as Result of Jealous Shooting

MAN KILLS TWO OTHERS AND HIMSELF

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 13. — Three persons were dead today as the result of a jealous shooting in which the killer drove around the country with the body of one of his victims, a former sweetheart before killing himself.

Oscar Dearmond, a coal dealer, went to Adamsville, near here, where his former sweetheart, Mrs. Nellie Lowe, 35, and Arnold Pluckett, 29, had an ice cream plant.

Police said Dearmond emptied a pistol into Pluckett's body. Then he dragged Mrs. Lowe from the store in which she had sought refuge, threw her to the ground and emptied another pistol into her prostrate form.

Dearmond then placed the dead woman's body in his automobile, police said, and started a mad race that ended at the undertakers, where he had phoned his mother to meet him. As the car drove up he fired a bullet into his brain.

PLANS MADE TO BEAUTIFY CAPITAL CITY

AUSTIN, July 13. — Unsightly poles and street car tracks down the center of Congress avenue Austin's wide street leading from the Colorado river to the state capitol, will be removed if aroused Austin citizens have their way about an improvement and beautification program planned for the fall months.

The removals would make possible a beautiful, mile-long approach to the red granite capitol, third largest public building in the world, with its beautiful grounds and driveways. Decision to re-surface the brick-paved avenue has brought the removal of tracks and poles to the front in public attention.

Austin long has hoped to boulevard Congress avenue, planting trees and shrubbery where the unsightly tracks now run. Civic organizations, newspapers, citizens and public officials have united in efforts to persuade the street car company to remove the tracks and substitute bus service.

Other improvements planned in co-operation with the state highway department would extend Congress avenue through south Austin in a straight line, into the rerouted Post road to San Antonio for 10 miles. Austinians claim this would make their "Pennsylvania avenue" the longest straight street in the world.

Walton Home Is Destroyed by Fire

Flames, originating in the attic while the family was away from home Sunday evening, destroyed the five-room residence of O. R. Walton at K avenue and Fourth-street Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock.

Origin of the fire was not determined.

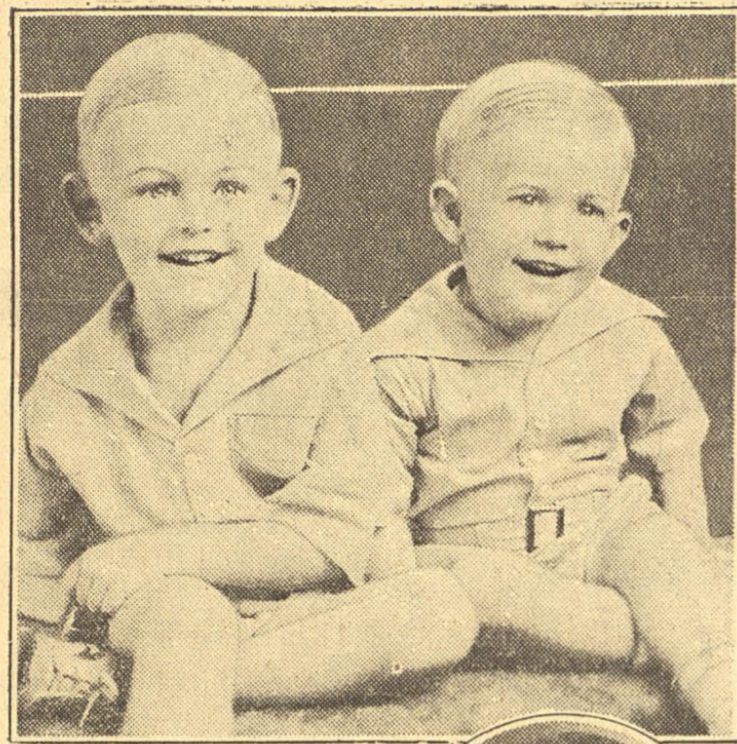
HOSPITAL NEWS

J. R. McCary, of Center, Texas, underwent a major operation at the Graham sanitarium Saturday morning. He was reported doing well Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Lenz, of Cisco, was reported improving this morning following an operation for appendicitis at the Graham sanitarium Saturday morning.

Bryan Austin, 6, underwent a minor operation at the Graham sanitarium Saturday morning also. B. E. Pice, who also underwent an operation at the sanitarium Saturday morning, was reported doing well today.

Millionaire "Kidnaps" Own Sons



A legal battle in which officials of two nations may participate is expected to result from plans of Fort Worth, Tex., officials, to return Luther C. Turman, wealthy oil operator, from Monterey, Mexico, on an indictment charging he kidnaped his own children. Mr. and Mrs. Turman, who were recently divorced and divided a million-dollar estate, each were awarded custody of the children for a part of the time, but Turman fled with them to Mexico where he has big oil interests. Shown here are the children, Luther, Jr., 8, and Tommy, 6, and their father.

REV. BONEY IS CALLED BY WARREN, ARK.

The Rev. Bruce C. Boney, for the past six years minister of the First Presbyterian church here, Sunday afternoon received the following message from Warren, Arkansas: "By unanimous vote you were called to the Warren church today."

Warren, the county seat of Bradley county, Arkansas, is situated in the heart of the southern Arkansas pine belt, with a settled population in excess of 7,000. It is the trade center for a prosperous lumbering and farming belt about midway between Pine Bluff and El Dorado.

Its Presbyterian church has a membership of between 300 and 400, with a beautiful brown brick building equipped with ample Sunday school rooms, an auditorium seating capacity sufficient to accommodate Warren's largest assemblies, and a sweet-toned pipe organ. The church's gifts to benevolences — causes outside their local church — \$5,000 for the year ending March 31. The Rev. W. F. Rogers, D. D., has just completed a 16-year pastorate there.

Warren supports a county community center, which has just dedicated a white stone building with very modern conveniences, for the exclusive use of those who come in from the outlying districts to spend the day; and a Young Men Christian association with a membership of 500, equipped with a modern two-story building in which are played their indoor games, basketball, baseball, hand-ball, etc., and in which are showers, lockers and swimming pool.

Warren is situated on two railroads, the Missouri-Pacific and the Rock Island, and state highways enter it from five directions. Mr. Boney and his family recently visited a college chum in Warren, and was invited while there to preach, and to speak to two civic groups.

He announced that his decision will be made known to the congregation here next Sunday, July 19, at the 11 o'clock worship period.

Mr. Boney came to Cisco in 1925 from the pastorate of the North Ft. Worth church.

FIELD MEET TO BE HELD AT HARRELL FARM

A field tour and pipeline seed demonstration will be held at the Franklin farm, three miles west of Cisco Wednesday morning at 9:30 a. m. under the auspices of the extension department of A. and M. college. J. C. Patterson, county agent, arranged the demonstration at which E. A. Miller, state agronomist will discuss seed selection and seed breeding as done on his farm. Examples of pure seed culture on the Harrell farm will also be studied together with the successful irrigation and pecan work carried on by Mr. Harrell.

Mr. Patterson will not be able to attend because of necessary attendance upon another meeting, and has asked E. H. Varnell, Cisco vocational agriculturist to take charge of the demonstration.

All interested in this work are invited to attend.

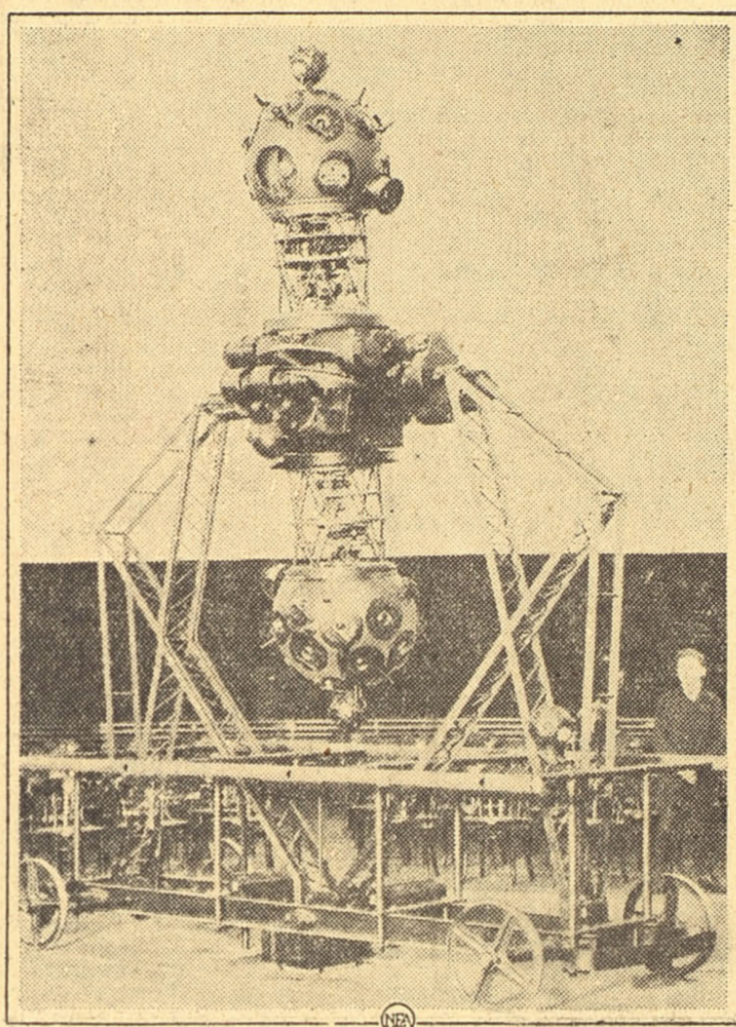
French Fliers Are Sighted Over Moscow

MOSCOW, July 13.—Two French aviators in this big airplane, the Hyphen, were believed cruising rapidly over Siberia today, eastward from Paris toward Tokio, their goal in a daring attempt to break the non-stop distance flight record.

The fliers, Joseph Lebriz and Marcel De Roet, were sighted flying high over Moscow at 10:30 a. m. C. S. T., proceeding northeastward.

5,000-YEAR-OLD OBJECTS. PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—More than 300 objects, many of them over 5,000 years old, have just been received by the University of Pennsylvania museum from their archaeological expedition at Tepe Gawra in Mesopotamia. The majority of the finds unearthed date from the amount "represents my estimation of his love and esteem for me."

"Eye" Sees 6500 Stars at Once



This queer-looking "eye" known as a planetarium, which projects 6500 stars at one time regardless of weather conditions is to be placed in the Benjamin Franklin Memorial and Institute at Philadelphia. The planetarium will be housed in a chamber 65 feet in diameter shaped like a hemisphere which will be lined with white fabric. The instrument will project 6500 images on this fabric at once while a lecturer explains to the audience by means of an electrical pointer the names and positions of the stars and planets.

CHOKING SOLDIER RUSHED TO CAPITAL BY PLANE

WASHINGTON, July 13. — Officials at Bowling Field said today that bad weather probably would delay arrival of Private Olaf Nelson, who is in flight to Walter Reed hospital with two false teeth lodged in his throat.

A telegram from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, from which place Nelson resumed his eastward journey today in an ambulance plane, said the patient would arrive this evening. Bowling Field officers informed the war department that bad weather lay ahead of Nelson.

EL PASO, July 13.—Strapped into a hurriedly borrowed parachute, half-choked by two false teeth he had swallowed, Private Olaf Nelson, 30, a soldier at Fort Bliss, was en route to Washington today in a huge army ambulance plane.

Lieut. E. Irwin, army flier, piloted the big ship across the country in a desperate dash to save the soldier's life after repeated attempts at the hospital here to remove the teeth had failed.

In the cabin of the plane beside the gasping soldier was Major Daniel Franklin, of William Beaumont hospital, who ordered the flight.

Surgeons at the Walter Reed hospital in the nation's capital, were warned to be in readiness to perform the delicate operation necessary to save the soldier's life.

Nelson swallowed the two teeth at breakfast Saturday and they lodged half-way down his throat, one end jammed beneath a bone.

A local surgeon failed in attempts to sever the wire which held the teeth together and remove them separately.

It was feared unless the teeth were speedily removed and infection would set in resulting in death to the already weakened man.

STOP SIGNS TO GOVERN TRAFFIC HERE. VANDERHOOF, British Columbia July 13. — An airplane believed to be the Lockheed-Vega plane Fort Worth, passed here at 10:30 a. m. today, headed south.

Reg Robbins and Harold Jones are flying the Fort Worth back to Seattle after the ending of their unsuccessful Seattle-Tokio flight at Nonie last week.

C. of C. Directors To Meet Tuesday

The board of directors of the Cisco chamber of commerce will meet in regular session tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the chamber of commerce offices.

The special committee, consisting of F. A. Blankenbecker, Guy Dabney and W. J. Leach, sent to Washington to urge hastening of construction on the federal building allotted Cisco, has returned and will make its official report to the directors at this meeting, it was understood.

NON-STOPPERS SIGHTED OVER BROWNSVILLE

TAMPICO, Mex., July 13. — A relief plane left here this afternoon to aid Seph Yerrington and Edward Maloney, forced down on the beach between Matamoros and Seta La Marina.

BROWNSVILLE, July 13.—Seph Yerrington and Edward Maloney, of Oyster Bay, N. Y., passed over the airport here at 9:45 a. m. today en route to Mexico City on a nonstop flight from New York.

Circling the field once, the fliers dropped a note which attendants and onlookers failed to find.

The fliers are on a projected round trip to Mexico City without intermediate stops.

SEES PLANE CRACKED UP. MEXICO CITY, July 13.—A pilot for the Mexican Aviation company reported today that he had seen an airplane believed to be the "Captain Caranza" in which Seph Yerrington and Edward Maloney were making a nonstop flight from New York to Mexico City, cracked up on the beach about 60 miles south of Brownsville.

The pilot said he saw two men on the beach beside the plane apparently unhurt.

GERMAN CRISIS IS AGAIN PUT UP TO FRENCH

PARIS, France, July 13. — Germany's pressing need of immediate financial aid was presented again to the French government through the German Ambassador, Leopold Von Hoesch today.

Von Hoesch, who appealed to Premier Pierre Laval last night, conferred with Aristide Briand, foreign minister, before lunch today while Laval conferred with Finance Minister Flandin.

U. S. GONE AS FAR AS POSSIBLE. WASHINGTON, July 13. — Oden Mills, assistant secretary of the Treasury told newspapermen this morning that the United States government had gone as far as it could in relieving Germany's financial distress.

"The United States," Mills said, "has put approximately \$400,000,000 at Germany's disposal through the president's debt policy plan and cannot do anything more."

CLOSE VIGILANCE IS ORDERED. PARIS, July 13. — French military authorities today ordered frontier garrisons and posts to maintain closest vigilance because of the uncertain situation in Germany and to take particular care to avoid any clash of hot-heads or extremists.

QUITTS OVER NAME. EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 13. — Disagreement over the name of a chimpanzee in Mesket zoo here resulted in resignation of Leon Smith, trainer. Smith, it was said, was ordered by Gilmore Haynie, park board secretary, to change the animal's name. Smith refused, and when Haynie became persistent, resigned.

Five Additions to Twelfth St. Church

Five additions were made to the Twelfth Street Methodist church at the closing service last night when Rev. H. D. Tucker, pastor of the First Methodist church preached to the largest crowd of the revival from the story of the prodigal son.

During the revival quite a large number of conversions and reclaims were made and large crowds attended the services daily. Some of the people are planning to unite with other churches, it was announced.

THIRD MAN IS EXPECTED TO RECOVER

OVERTON, Texas, July 13.—Efforts were made today to extinguish East Texas latest and biggest oil well fire while funeral plans were prepared for two of its victims and another lay in a hospital with serious burns.

The well, Vitek oil company's No. 2 George W. Eaton, burst into flames yesterday afternoon and burned Joe Wedemeyer, 22, to a crisp. Wedemeyer's body was pulled from the flaming slushpit by means of a lasso thrown by Ranger J. H. Sadler.

Paul Vitek, owner of the well, suffered fatal burns and died today in a Fort Worth hospital. Vitek and Wedemeyer were walking near the well when it caught fire. Vitek ran out of the flaming area but Wedemeyer stumbled and fell into the slushpit. J. H. Anderson, 28, of Cooper, Texas, also was burned but was expected to recover.

VITEK DIES AT FT. WORTH. FORT WORTH, July 13. — Paul Vitek, 40, Fort Worth oil man, died in a hospital here today from burns received yesterday when an oil well near Overton, owned by his company, caught fire.

Vitek was head of the Vitek Oil company.

THREE MORE SCOUTS REACH EAGLE RANK

At the regular court of honor held at the First Presbyterian church Saturday evening, three more boys—George Irvine, J. B. King and Lucian B. Campbell—attained the rank of Eagle scout, bringing the total of Eagle scouts for Cisco to eight.

The court was presided over by Judge Eugene Lankford as chairman, assisted by Messrs. Irvine, King, Lawson and Mark Reid. A large number of visitors attended the meeting. Scoutmaster Chisholm's troop put on a stunt that was enjoyed by all. Each Scout attending brought a pie for refreshments.

Those appearing for merit badges were Charles Clark, J. B. King, George R. Winston, Lewis Lankford and Mark Reid.

Presbyterians to Hold Six Meetings

KERRVILLE, July 13. — Eleven conferences of church bodies of various denominations will have gathered at the Westminster Presbyterian encampment near here by the time the establishment closes August 20.

Conferences for the summer are as follows: July 6-11: Conference for inter-mediate age young people of Western Texas Presbytery. July 10-19: Baptist encampment. July 19-25: Workers' summer school and Luther league state convention. Texas synod of United Lutheran church.

July 26-Aug. 9: Combined Presbyterian conference on synod work, ministers' work and religious education. Aug. 10-13: Texas synodical meeting (state convention of Presbyterian women). Aug. 13-20: Kerrville Training school for auxiliary leaders.

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WEATHER

West Texas — Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Probably local thunderstorms in north portion.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

SELF-PRAISE:—Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger, and not thine own lips.—Proverbs 27: 2.

COTTON AND ITS PRICE LEVELS.

Cotton is one of the great farm staples of the South. It is the new money crop of many Southern states. A New York dispatch reads as follows: "The largest single sale on the New York Cotton Exchange in the last ten years was made July 9 when 25,000 bales for October delivery were sold at \$48.10 a 500 pound bale or 9.62 cents a pound."

It appears that Russia invaded the market for Southern cotton. Carl Williams of Oklahoma is the cotton member of the federal farm board. This is his attitude:

"The board is willing to sell on credit to any reputable nation all the wheat and cotton it wants. But Russia is not included. The Russian trading organization, Amtorg, had sought between 25,000 and 250,000 bales of cotton, but credit was refused because of the non recognition of Russia by the United States."

All the other cotton producing nations not only sell their cotton to Russia but furnish credit.

"Statistics often reveal unpleasant but stubborn facts," writes Will H. Mayes. "Census returns show that from 1920 to 1930 the Texas countries devoted most largely to cotton production suffered the largest decreases in land values. In some cases as much as 50 and 60 per cent. These have been considered Texas' richest lands. It is equally noticeable that where there has been large diversification in farm products there has been largest increases in land values. There is a valuable lesson in this for every farmer and land owner."

Now why should a farmer invite poverty year after year by planting cotton and cotton alone? Why should a landowner permit it? Why should the banker and the merchant advance money to those who are wedded to the single crop idea?

Watch the ticker. It tells the story of cotton, day by day, and should convince the farmer that diversification leads to dividend making and not financial disaster.

WHY NOT A MORATORIUM FOR MEXICO?

Mexico has a foreign debt of \$500,000,000. For years and years it has been overdue. Many times interest has been defaulted. Dwight Morrow was made ambassador to Mexico. Banker Lamont of the house of Morgan evolved a plan for the refunding of the debt. It was accepted by Mexico and the holders of the Mexican bonds. After the refunding there was little said of the time of maturity or, rather, the payment in installments of the heavy load that Mexico carried. Germany has been given a moratorium. Now influential Mexican officials and powerful newspapers are clamoring for a moratorium for their country.

They say that Mexico cannot pay. That economical conditions are critical. That their country needs financial relief without delay. That is, a suspension of foreign debt payment.

American banks and bankers advanced the Mexican loans in the long ago. They are not United States government loans. How would it be possible for the Hoover administration to grant a suspension of payment of debts due American citizens and financial institutions and not the government of this republic? Of course, according to the newspapers President Hoover and advisers have promised financial aid to South American republics in order to stabilize their finances and place their governments on a solid basis. Perhaps the moratorium fever will sweep around the world. American financiers loaned \$3,000,000,000 in Germany to corporations and individuals and municipalities, in recent years. A huge sum in itself. Will there be a moratorium when it comes to the payment of private loans by German borrowers to American bankers who are known as international financiers?

MEXICAN BAN ON CORN IS LIFTED.

Quarantine against American corn has been lifted by the Mexican government. It was ordered because of reported damage to corn in the United States because of the European corn borer. A reminder that a large quantity of corn ordinarily is bought in the United States by the Mexican distillers. Texas farmers will have corn for sale this year. There is a booming market "over the Rio Grande."

French statesmen are seeing the light. They have lifted the ban on American films. American tourists, who scatter the golden coin in France demand American pictures. Now they are on the free list. It is different in Canada, where the officials of the government have been told by special investigators that American movie magnates have throttled the local industry and enjoy a monopoly of the picture business. Well, American tourists planted \$250,000,000 in the Canadian provinces in the year 1930 and they are swarming over the Canadian country again this year. Fair exchange is not robbery.

FARM LEADERS WILL FIGHT RAIL RATE INCREASE.

A meeting of the national committee of farm organizations in Des Moines July 15 will frame their opposition to the railroads application for a 15 per cent increase in their freight rates. Ralph Snyder of Kansas is chairman of the group of farm organizations and he predicts that 25 state associations and combines of farmers will join in the organized opposition to the rate increase.

In the Chicago grain pit on July 6, wheat hit its lowest level since 1896. Vice President Charles Curtis and Sen. Arthur Capper of Kansas appealed to the farm board to hold the 200,000,000 bushels of government wheat until a price level of 85 cents per bushel has been reached. Now the tax

payers of America paid for the 200,000,000 bushels of government bought wheat. Kansas is a wheat producing state. All its high officials insist that the federal farm board shall adopt the Kansas grain selling program or suffer the consequences when punishment time comes. Uncle Sam owns the wheat. His subjects paid for the wheat. Uncle Sam's agents should sell it whenever the price is appealing. They are not the servants of the vice president of the United States, the governor of Kansas, or Senator Capper who owns a battery of farm weekly newspapers, and the leading daily newspaper of Kansas.

There is going to be a vast number of hungry people next winter. It will be for congress to order the government wheat milled into flour and perhaps distributed to those who hunger for bread and do not believe in the dole system of charity.

OTHER OPINIONS

THE OIL SESSION

It was inevitable that the present special session should be called by Governor Sterling, just as it was inevitable that oil should be its subject matter. Water and soil are other resources whose conservation the legislature will consider but for the time being its hands will be full enough if it thinks of nothing but oil.

By and of itself, however, there is little chance that a Texas legislature can cure an evil which is flung far beyond its boundaries. However large the Texas production, a Texas price law can't cure a national and international evil. What is needed is a Petroleum Congress of committees from the legislatures of the several petroleum states. Concerted, not individual action is the cure the oil industry requires.

But since the session has been called, there is nothing for the legislature to do but wrestle with a most complicated problem. It must remember its deal with the fortunes of one of the most thoroughly self-contained industries in the world. The larger companies drill wells on company leases, pump production through company pipe lines to company refineries, distribute the finished product to company stations with company tank trucks and sell to the motoring public at company-

fixed prices. Incidentally, requirements over and above their own production are satisfied by purchase made upon a company-fixed market from independent producers; and it is significant that an up or down-ward price schedule announced by one company is quickly met by other companies.

In the present emergency, retail prices of lubricating oils and gasoline have not kept pace with the downward trend of the crude market. We still pay twenty-five to thirty-five cents per quart for motor oil, despite the fact that crude oil is selling at from five to fifteen and twenty cents the barrel, and gasoline has sold cheaper when there was no demoralization of the crude market. All of which indicates that the big companies are pretty well able to take care of themselves. They may be alarmed, but they haven't lost money.

It appears, therefore, that it is the people's interest in a natural resource being wastefully depleted that needs the protection of remedial legislation. Our legislators should legislate orderly production based upon market requirements, they should legislate conservation of a tremendously valuable and necessary natural resource, not price. The companies, it appears, can handle that end of the problem without help from the legislature or anybody else. — Editorial Digest.

Petroleum producers in all the fields of Texas clamored for drastic legislation.

Congressional redistricting demands the undivided attention of the lawmakers. It will be a very busy session of 30 days. A reminder that Rep. Milton H. West of Cameron county has let it be known that all the proposals made so far for curtailing production of the East Texas fields are either unconstitutional or unworkable and that he will sponsor a bill providing for a sliding scale tax on oil as a solution to over-production. His bill would levy a nominal tax on production up to a certain point and above that the tax would increase rapidly until it reached a peak of 50 cents a barrel. Rep. West favored an extra session. His proposal may start something.

A prediction: The third house will be largely represented, the leading hotels will be crowded and the big bathing pool at Barton Springs, the use of playgrounds and bathing pools of America, will be largely patronized by lawmakers and members of the third house while the session is on.

Another prediction: The people demand harmonious and decisive action.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS.

EASTLAND, July 11.—The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the eleventh supreme judicial district:

Affirmed: George T. Adams vs. Stephens county, Stephens.

T. J. Hulsey, et al vs. L. K. Hulsey, et al, Taylor.

Atwood Cotton Breeding Farms vs. Midway Farmers' Cooperative Society, Dawson.

Reversed and rendered: P. L. Walker vs. Jess Hamilton, Palo Pinto.

Reformed and affirmed: Actna Life Insurance company vs. A. W. Gilley, et al, Eastland.

Motions submitted: James Shaw, Banking Commissioner vs. Mary L. Cunningham, plaintiff-in-error's motion for rehearing.

Motions overruled: E. H. Skipworth, et al vs. Wm. Arch Jones, refiled motion for rehearing.

Motions granted: Atwood Cotton Breeding Farms, Inc. vs. Midway Farmers' Co-operative Society, appellee's motion to strike appellant's brief.

High test gasoline, the best and cheapest in town, Bender's Service Station, east Sixth street.

HIGH INTEREST.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The need for funds to pay for medical aid results in one out of every four persons that borrow from small loan companies paying from 12 per cent per annum to as high as 42 per cent on the money they borrow.

Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

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In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

Gov. Ross S. Sterling has called the Texas lawmakers to reconvene in the city of Austin July 14. Constitutional limit of a special session is 30 days. In his call the chief executive directed attention to the constitutional provision declaring that "the conservation and development of all of the natural resources of this state and the preservation and conservation of all such natural resources of the state are each and all hereby declared public rights and duties and a legislature shall pass all such laws as may be appropriate thereto." Furthermore he said "there exists a deplorable condition in Texas on account of the great waste of our natural resources particularly in oil and gas, and there is an urgent demand for the strengthening of our conservation laws to prevent this enormous waste."

Wherever there is oil there is trouble. Wherever there is trouble leading citizens call for the governor and lawmakers to put their heads together and devise legislation to work miracles.

It is announced that the urgent necessity for legislation to strengthen the power of the commission regulating oil production was the primary reason for the call. As for the railroad commission its orders have been violated with impunity in East Texas fields and the commission has been powerless to deal with the situation. Now it is for the lawmakers to act. Gov. Sterling is for the creation of a separate conservation commission. He is for the conservation of all natural resources of the commonwealth, including soil conservation as well as the mineral wealth of the people. Many lawmakers petitioned the governor to issue his call. Many leading citizens the state over called for immediate legislative action.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

By United Press

American Can	106 1/2
Am. P. & L.	36 1/2
Am. Smelt.	32
Am. T. & T.	176 1/2
Anaconda	25
Auburn Auto	170 1/2
Aviation Corp. Del.	35 1/2
Beth Steel	15
Bye's A. M.	31 1/2
Canada Dry	39
Case J. T.	76 1/2
Chrysler	22 1/2
Curtiss Wright	3 1/2
Elect. Au. L.	89 1/2
Elect. St. Bat.	52 1/2
Foster Wheel	25
Fox Films	16 1/2
Gen. Elec.	41 1/2
Gen. Mot.	37 1/2
Gillette S. R.	20 1/2
Goodyear	39 1/2
Houston Oil	40
Int. Cement	33
Int. Harvester	43 1/2
Johns Manville	52
Kroger G. & B.	27 1/2
Liq. Carb.	36 1/2
Montg. Ward	19
Nat. Dairy	34
Para Public	24 1/2
Phillips P.	7 1/2
Pure Oil	7 1/2
Purity Bak.	29 1/2
Radio	16 1/2
Scars Roebuck	54 1/2
Shell Union Oil	6 1/2
Southern Pacific	34 1/2
Stan. Oil N. J.	37 1/2
Stan. Oil N. Y.	17 1/2
Studebaker	17 1/2
Texas Corp.	23
Texas Gulf Sul.	34 1/2
Und. Elliott	52 1/2
U. S. Gypsum	38
U. S. Ind. Alc.	29 1/2
U. S. Steel	95 1/2
Vanadium	31 1/2
Westing. Elec.	66 1/2
Worthington	49 1/2


Curb Stocks

Cities Service	10 1/2
F. rd. M. Ltd.	11 1/2
Gulf Oil Pa.	59 1/2
Humble Oil	62
Niag. Hud. Pwr.	11
Stan. Oil Ind.	26 1/2

San Antonio — Brick work on Central Catholic high school building, North Saint Mary's street, underway.

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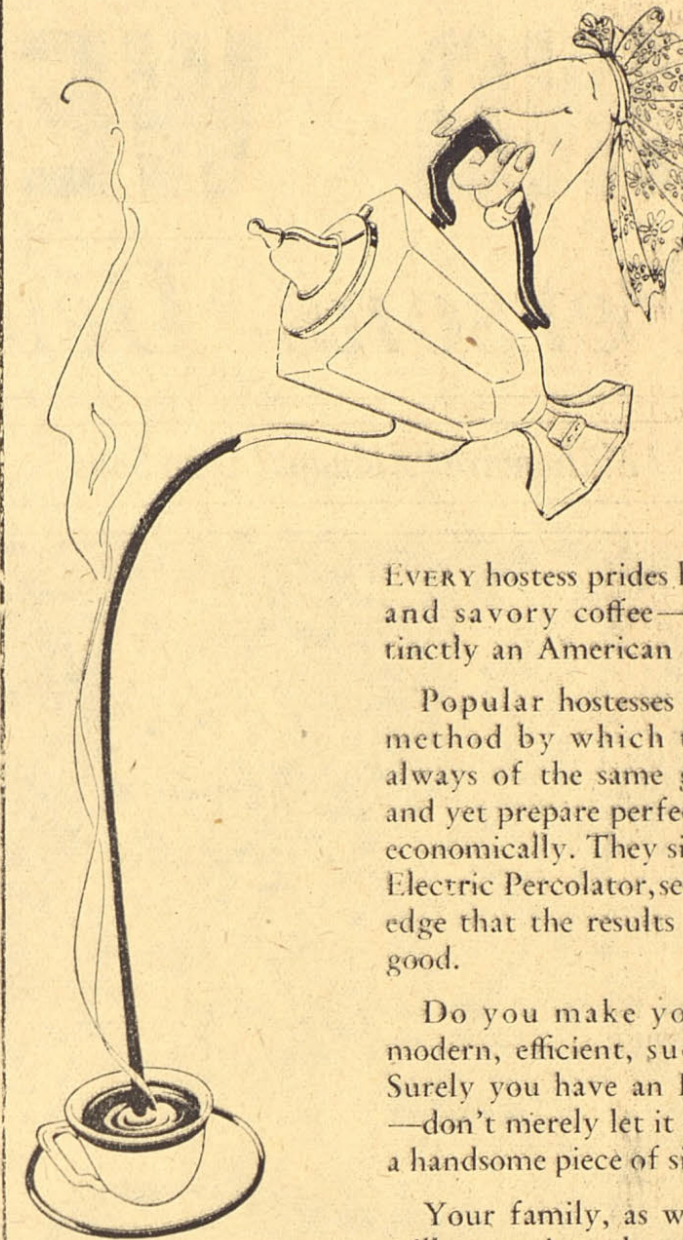


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Heart of Liane

by MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TODAY

When Liane Barrett, 18 and convent bred, went to dinner in a New York speakeasy with casual acquaintances she slipped into one of an awkward scrape by Shane McDermid, young police officer. There had been a shooting. Later when Liane went to Willow Stream, L. I., where her mother was playing in a theater, McDermid came to tell her the man was recovering. At the home of Muriel Ladd, a debutante, Liane meets a handsome stranger whom she had encountered before. He is Van Robard, Cass Barrett, Liane's mother, asks her not to have anything more to do with Robard. Clive Cleespaugh, good looking son of the wealthy patroness of the theater, shows attentions to Elsie Minter, the ingenue.

In the autumn Liane accepts Mrs. Cleespaugh's invitation to stay with her. She discovers Clive and his mother do not get along. She hears gossip about Robard and Mrs. Ladd and is crushed. Muriel seems to be in love with a young reporter, Chuck Desmond, but surprises everyone by announcing her engagement to Robard. Liane is distraught, realizing she loves Robard. Then she receives word that her mother is ill in Philadelphia and goes to her. At the hospital she hears Cass may not live. In her delirium Cass babbles about her dead sister, Liane, who she has always refused to talk about. What she says seems to have some reference to Liane.

After a terrific struggle Cass wins her fight for life. Mrs. Cleespaugh insists on having her brought back to Willow Stream for convalescence.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XVI

"Sit down," began Clive Cleespaugh in a new, commanding voice. "I want to talk to you."

Liane obeyed abruptly, astounded at the change in his manner.

"My mother's gone for a drive," Clive said in preface. "I made sure of that—didn't want to be interrupted. Look here, the situation is this. You probably don't know it but I am tied to mother's apron strings. Haven't a cent in my own right because of a fool will my father made. He left everything to mother, stipulating that I was to come into my own (a few million) only in the event of my early marriage. He was right, said this irrelevant young man slungly "on the subject of youthful marriages. Now I'm almost 25 and I don't seem to have found a wife. Oh, yes, I forgot to tell you that another important fact is that mother must approve the girl I choose. Well, of course, it's practically out of the question to find such a paragon. That is, I had thought it was. Until now."

The girl did not answer. After a moment he went on.

"That's why I wanted to talk to you," blurted out Clive embarrassedly. "I have a plan which concerns you. Do you want to hear about it?"

Liane nodded, her thoughtful eyes on his lowering face.

"Look, you'll probably think I'm all sorts of a fool but it's no harm to talk it over. The thought is this, how would it be if you and I fixed up some sort of agreement? Never let my mother know about it, of course. If she knew the affair was out and dried she'd be down on us from the start. But she likes you so much. She wouldn't suspect anything if I went through the motions of falling in love with you gradually. Little by little. Then we could have a—what-d'ye-call-it?—a marriage in name only. You could go your way, I mine. And I'd be free."

He was done at last. And still the young girl sat, motionless, her great, soft eyes full on his.

He stirred impatiently. "You don't need to answer at once. Think it over," he urged.

Liane stood up. She was trembling now. "I never was so insulted in my life," she said, in a throaty voice.

Clive took a step in her direction. "I didn't mean—you've thoroughly misunderstood—" he began haltingly.

"Oh, don't say any more!" Liane cried. She stamped her foot.

"Now—now you've spoiled everything," she wailed. "And just when I was so happy!"

She ran upstairs to find her mother weeping, the dreary, pitiable weeping of the convalescent.

"We can't go on like this, staying here," Cass moaned to her inquiries.

"It worries me," she said.

Liane tried to soothe her. "Mrs. Cleespaugh wants us to stay. Please, please don't worry about it."

"It's far too much. It doesn't seem right to accept it," Cass protested.

"Darling, you're not to worry. The doctor said that expressly. Just get well and then we'll talk finances."

"But I can't go on being a—well, a pensioner," moaned Cass, raising herself on one thin, bare arm.

The young girl flushed and shrugged. But her attempts to change the subject were fruitless.

Cass was determined to be up

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and about. Only her weakened condition prevented her from struggling into her clothes and going back to join the company.

"It's not that she isn't supreme in kind," Cass pursued, warming to the subject. "She is. And that makes me more uncomfortable than ever."

She began to weep again, the helpless, devastating tears of utter weakness. Instantly Liane was on her knees beside the bed. "Darling, you mustn't. It's all right. Honestly, you're torturing yourself needlessly."

Cass nodded, like a spent child. "You'll promise to stop worrying?"

"I'll try."

But Liane knew the promise was a half-hearted one. She thought suddenly, "If I were a prospective daughter of the house mother would accept Mrs. Cleespaugh's hospitality without question."

It was as if a way had opened to her, dazzlingly clear. There was nothing else for her to do but accept Clive's preposterous proposal. That would justify her mother's presence in the house indefinitely.

She stood looking down at the pale face, the hollows and shadows in the thin cheeks. Hadn't she said she would do anything in the world for her mother? This was her chance. Now she could prove her devotion, to herself at least, because she must never know there was an element of sacrifice in the arrangement.

When she went into Mrs. Cleespaugh's room later she found the dowager magnificent in gray satin and real lace.

"Clive's honoring us with his presence for dinner tonight," she announced, "I thought he was to dine at the Hunt Club. And Mr. Williams is arriving on the 6:15 so I shall get some eribbage. Delightful creature he is. You've not met him. We met in Paris in 1910 when my husband was alive."

Liane agreed that the prospect was agreeable. She dressed with unusual care. Her old white frock, fresh from the cleaner's hands seemed to have taken on a new lease of life. She spilled a few drops of jasmine on her handkerchief. When she went in to sit with Cass over her alluring supper tray her mother said, fondly, "You look sweet, lamb. As if someone had given you a million dollars."

"You're my million," Liane told her.

The nurse bustled about. "Doctor says she'll be up in a week if she keeps up this progress," she said.

In her heart Liane thought, "She shall keep it up. I shall see to that."

And yet she went downstairs with strangely leaden feet. Clive, looking unusually big and formidable in his black and white, held out his arm formally and they followed Mrs. Cleespaugh and the apple-cheeked Mr. Williams in to dinner. Liane experienced an unwonted thrill as she curled her fingers around that broadcloth arm. What a stern and gloomy young man he seemed tonight! He scarcely spoke. Liane glanced at him timidly now and again across the delft bowl with the late roses, the waxen candles in their silver holders.

"—Louis XIV," Mr. Williams was finishing some argument magisterially. "I always said the piece was definitely in that period."

In a daze Liane listened, watched, crumbled bread. Dimly she knew that this night marked a crisis in her life. She seemed to be moving, acting in a dream. She had the sensation of having spoken these words, made the selfsame gestures in a previous existence.

When the long, pompous meal was finally ended the four sat in the small drawing room and Mrs. Cleespaugh poured amber coffee into cups of eggshell fineness.

"You children, run off and amuse each other," she said firmly as Nora carried away the tray and set the table in place for the cribbage game.

"Come along to the music room and I'll turn on the radio. Get that what-d'ye call her?—that astrological person," Clive offered awkwardly. Liane rose. Now that the moment of decision had come she wanted to push it aside. But she followed him meekly.

Clive twiddled the dials for a moment, then turned to her with an abrupt movement.

"Well, let's have it," he demanded. "Tell me what you really think of me. I know I was no end of a fool to have asked you what I did today. I ask your pardon."

She said quietly, "It's I who must ask yours. I was stupid and school-girlish. I've been thinking it over."

"You've reconsidered?"

She nodded. She could not quite trust her voice.

"Good girl," Liane stifled the hysterical laugh which rose to her lips. Was there ever so quaint a wooing?

"We've got to make some sort of show of being pals, at least, before we spring it on mother."

"Of course. I understand that." She was demure.

"Look here," the young man said, giving her a shrewd glance. "This will be your show, run as you want it. You're nothing but a kid. I'll play it according to the rules."

She was mystified. She said, "Tell me what to do, and I'll do it."

"Why, it'll be nothing but the regular thing," he said. "Going about together, sending flowers, and what-not. Mean to say you've never been bearded before?" asked this astonishing young man.

Liane shook her head.

"It just isn't reasonable," Clive objected seriously. "A girl who looks like you—"

"What—what do I look like?"

cried Liane, struck by his tone.

"Oh, a sort of glimmering druid."

She put her hands to her hot cheeks. There was something about the young man's gaze that set her to blushing.

"You don't have to say things like that," she told him.

He turned moody again. Strange, incalculable young man! In a voice suddenly cold and expressionless he said, "Of course not. Sorry. I won't offend again."

Liane, sensitive to the change in his mood, caught him up abruptly. "Oh, but you misunderstood—I didn't mean—"

Clive said, "It's to be kept on a strictly business basis. Isn't that what you meant? Right. Sorry I transgressed."

Oh, well, she thought, if he's going to be mulish about it, let him! She stole a side glance at the mutinous profile.

"Let's see, could we break it to them in about three—say four weeks?" Clive asked a few moments later.

"That will be all right," Liane agreed.

"Well, how's for starting right now with a bit of dancing," the young man wanted to know. He turned the dials and presently the thrum and beat of a far off dance orchestra entered the room.

He held out his arms.

The young girl, after an instant's hesitation, slid into them. Ah, but she hadn't known he would dance like that! She had danced with Van Robard and had loved it. She had been joyous dancing with Chuck Desmond but never before had she experienced this fluid perfection of motion accomplished by the horn dancing man with wings on his heels.

The tune beat its insistent way into her brain as her steps lightly and fleetingly followed his, wove themselves into the pattern of the music. A singer broke in rapturously:

"Oamin' low, my sweet man, I love you so. If you die, where'll I be?"

The irony of it, thought Liane Barrett. The irony of dancing to

CISCO LOSES CLOSE MATCH TO ALBANY

The Cisco Country club golfers and a visiting Albany team played a nervously close match over the Cisco clubs course yesterday afternoon, the last two matches deciding the match in favor of Albany by a score of 11 to 9. Few of the matches were "walk-overs." Most of them were closely fought all the way through and one went to the 19th hole before it was decided.

The majority were decided on the 17th and 18th holes.

A large gallery watched the playing.

The Cisco club will return the match on the Albany course next Sunday afternoon.

The following are the results of the two-somes:

Jeff Durcan, Cisco, defeated J. L. Ward, 2 and 1.

R. E. Hicks, Cisco, defeated Ray Matthews, 2 and 1.

Jack Moore, Albany, defeated J. E. Tichenor, 3 and 2.

Don Svalis, Cisco, defeated W. Hatcher, 3 and 2.

Bill McMahon, Cisco, defeated L. Hill, of Albany 3 and 1.

This was the feature match of the afternoon in view of young McMahon's remarkable score. On the incoming nine holes this 15-year-old Cisco youngster, son of F. D. McMahon, scored a 33 with one ball out of bounds to penalize him one of the strokes. But for this penalty his score would have been 32. As it was the score is credited the best ever made on the Cisco course by an amateur player.

Hermer Sucker, Cisco, defeated Joe

Lowery, 1 up;

Jack Almond, Cisco, defeated Casey Anderson, 4 and 3;

Robert Jordan, Albany, defeated F. D. McMahon, 2 up;

R. Tollett, Albany, defeated Pete Booth, 1 up;

C. Coker, Albany, defeated G. B. Kelley, 4 and 3;

A. M. Russ, Albany, defeated A. E. Jamison, 6 and 5;

E. L. Jackson, Albany, defeated C. J. Russell 1 up;

Ferd Hubbard, Cisco, defeated Mack Hays 1 up on 19th hole;

H. Palmer, Albany, defeated W. W. Donchoe 7 and 6;

Ben G. Reynolds, Albany, defeated P. L. Cagel, 4 and 2;

O. V. Cunningham, Cisco, defeated Roy Watkins, 2 up;

Ed Keough, Cisco, defeated Hugh Ayers, 2 up;

Herman Stuart, Albany, defeated George Irvine, Jr., 6 and 4;

Eus Fleming, Albany, defeated F. L. Kuykendall, Albany, defeated B. C. Boney, 2 and 1. (This match was played Friday).

ILLNESS AVERAGE.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Figures gathered by Alden B. Mills and given to the committee on the Costs of Medical Care, which is making a five year study of sickness and medical facilities, show that the average American man is disabled by illness at least once a year, the average woman once or twice a year, and the average American child, at least twice during every school year. The common cold and allied ailments cause 40 per cent of our illnesses, though they are responsible for but 20 per cent of the deaths, according to Mills' figures.

THINNER THAN HAIR.

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—A fine wire four ten-thousandths of an inch in diameter—one-fifth of the thickness of a human hair—provides the filament for a new type lamp developed by the Westinghouse Lamp Company, according to an announcement made by officials of the company.

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SOX ANNEX 24TH STRAIGHT WIN SUNDAY

Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m., June 7.

T. & P.	
West Bound.	
No. 7	1:45 a. m.
No. 3	12:20 p. m.
No. 1 "Sunshine Special"	4:57 p. m.
East Bound.	
No. 6	4:09 a. m.
No. 16 "The Texan"	10:20 a. m.
No. 4	4:57 p. m.
C. & N. E.	
Leaves Cisco	4:15 a. m.
Arrive Breckenridge	6:00 a. m.
Arrives Throckmorton	9:20 a. m.
Leaves Throckmorton	10:00 a. m.
Arrives Breckenridge	11:50 a. m.
Leaves Breckenridge	12:20 p. m.
Arrive Cisco	2:30 p. m.
M. K. & T.	
North Bound.	
No. 35 Ar.	12:20 p. m.; Lv. 1:05 p. m.
South Bound.	
No. 36	8:40 a. m.

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WANTED—Will pay cash for a twenty or twenty-five horse power oil burning engine. Give description location of engine, and best price at once. Chas. F. Williams, 118 1-2 Chestnut, Abilene, Texas.

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SALESMAN WANTED—Local man only to work Cisco and surrounding counties, calling on business concerns. Nationally advertised line. Must be a hustler. Permanent connection if you make good. Merchants Industries, Inc., Tower Bldg., Rockford, Ill.

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WANTED—Man to handle established customers in and around Cisco. Write R. D. Stevens, 416 Mims Bldg., Abilene, Texas.

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FOR SALE—Orthophonic portable Victrola; practically unused; Call at Daily News.

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FOR RENT—Cool south bed room 304 West 6th.

Henson's crippled side and all allowed Hamilton to score one run off of six well scattered hits but the Red Sox annexed their twenty-fourth win of the season Sunday afternoon. The score of 4-1 resembles a good game but it was a long drawn out affair with nothing interesting happening outside of Alford's home-run in the sixth after Hamilton had tied the score in their half of that frame. Harrison who pitched for Hamilton allowed but seven hits but they were bunched to score runs when they were needed. Harrison contributed to his own downfall by walking three men and hitting three. Clark, first baseman and manager for Hamilton led his team at bat with a walk, single and a double in four trips to the plate. He struck out the last time nearly breaking his back on Henson's slow curves.

Box score:

Cisco	ab. r. h. po. a. e.
Van Horn, 2b	4 1 1 0 3 0
J. Pippen, 3b	4 0 1 0 4 0
Alford, ss	4 1 3 2 0
Thornton, lb	3 1 1 13 0 0
Bryan, cf	4 0 1 1 1 0 0
Bucy, rf	2 0 0 2 0 0
Hill, 1f	3 0 1 0 0 0
Westerfeld, lf	1 0 1 0 0 0
Robinson, c	1 0 0 0 0 0
Hammitt, c	2 0 0 7 0 0
Henson, p	4 0 1 1 6 0
Totals	31 4 7 27 15 0

Hamilton— ab. r. h. po. a. e.
 Franks, 2b 4 0 0 1 0 0
 McDaniel, 3b 4 0 0 2 0 0
 Clark, lb 3 1 2 10 0 0
 Hunter, ss 4 0 1 1 3 1
 Davis, lf 3 0 2 0 0 0
 Holmes, cf 3 0 0 2 0 0
 Secret, rf 3 0 0 1 0 0
 Harrison, p 2 0 0 0 6 0
 Gibson, rf 1 0 0 1 0 0
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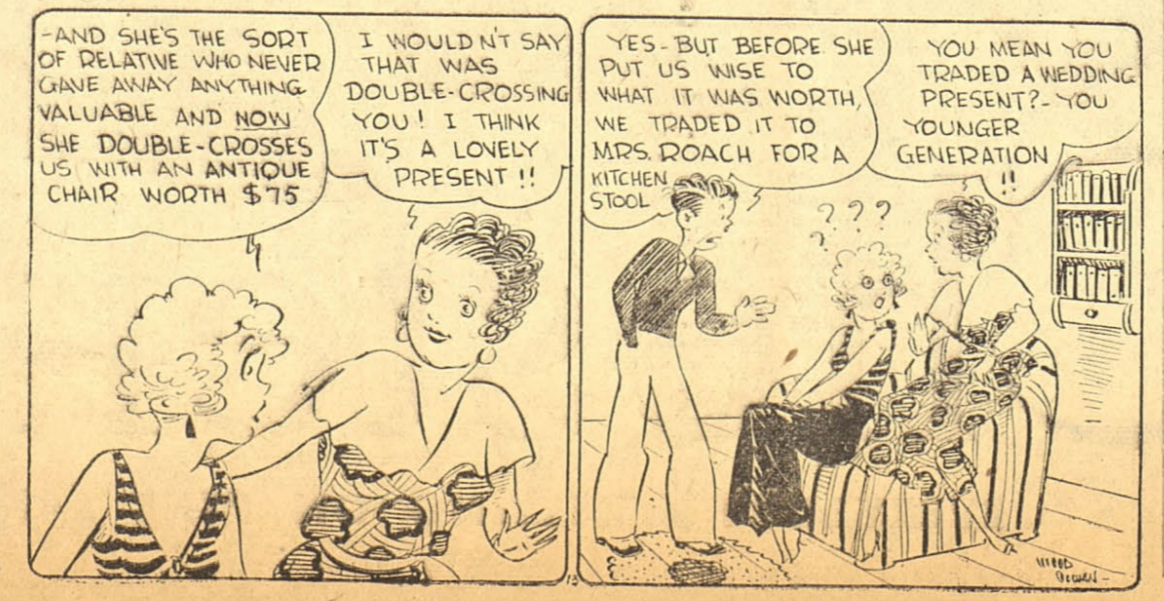
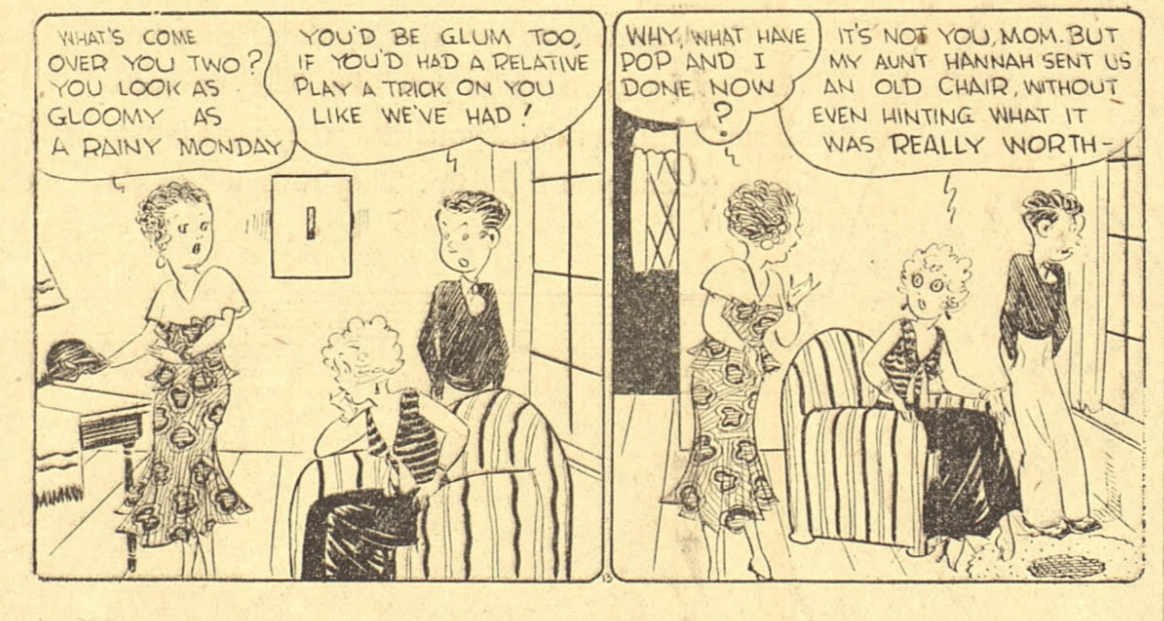
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Summary: Home runs, Alford; two-base hits, J. Pippen, Davis, Clark; double plays, Henson to Alford to Thornton; struck out by Henson 6, Harrison 5. Base on balls off Henson 1, Harrison, 3. Hit by pitcher, Van Horn, Bucy, Westerfeld by Harrison.

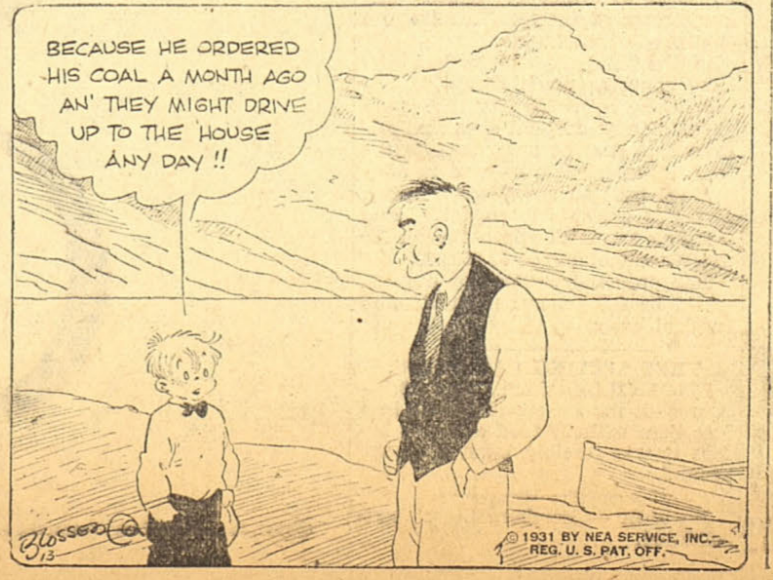
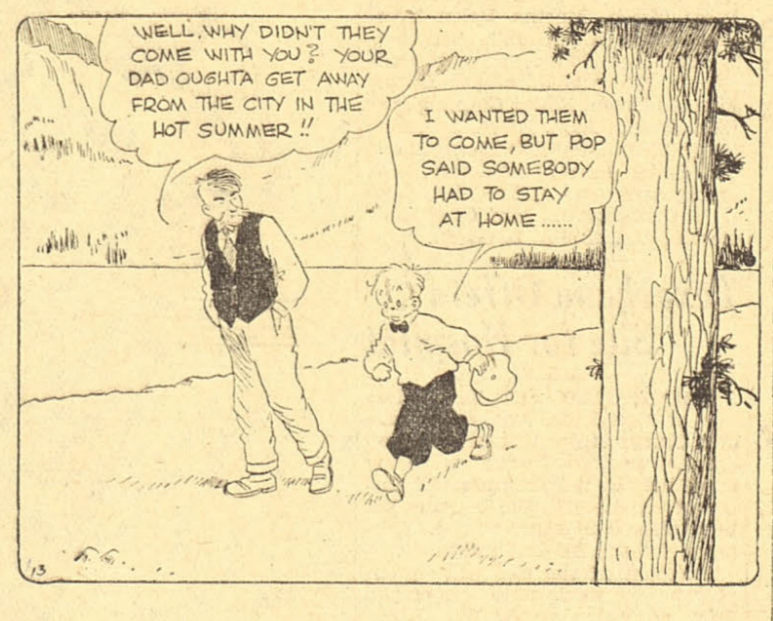
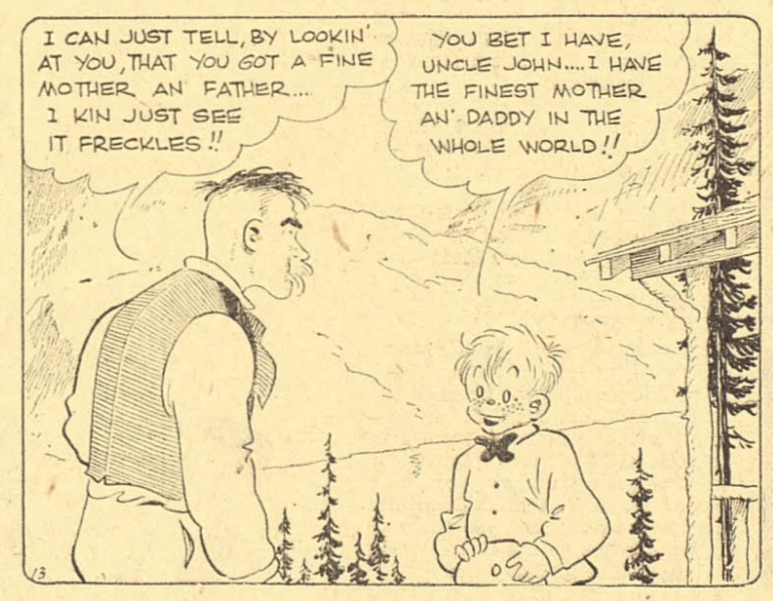
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Cisco Lodge No. 558, A. P. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. FRED A. STEFFEY, W. M.; L. D. WILSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; L. D. WILSON, acting recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 199, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P. L. D. WILSON, secretary.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. E. O. ELLIOTT, president; O. J. TUNNELL, secretary.

About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 20 OR 21

CALENDAR

Tuesday

The following circles of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock:

Circle 1 with Mrs. Bertie Carmichael, East 14th street.

Circle 2 with Mrs. Hubbard, 406 West Seventh street.

Circle 3 with Mrs. J. L. Shepard, 607 West Ninth street.

Circle 4 with Mrs. D. D. Lewis 1507 D avenue.

Circle 5 with Mrs. Don Andrews, 1104 West Sixteenth street.

Circle 6 with Mrs. H. L. Kunkel, 1900 Ash street.

Circle 7 with Mrs. Tucker, 1900 D avenue.

Circle 9 with Mrs. Cecil Stevens, 1001 West Tenth street.

Circle 8 will meet Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with Mrs. C. P. Cole, West Thirteenth street.

The circles of the Methodist Missionary society will meet Tuesday afternoon as follows:

Circle 1 with Mrs. O. C. Lomax, 1705 E avenue, at 3 o'clock.

Circle 2 with Mrs. Lee Owen, 407 West Fifth street, at 4 o'clock.

Circle 3 with Mrs. J. D. Barker, 206 West Ninth street, at 4 o'clock.

Circle 4 with Mrs. George Winston, West 12th street, at 4 o'clock, in a combined business and social meeting.

The circles of the Ladies Aid of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock as follows:

Circle 1 with Mrs. J. H. Hartness, 602 West Fifth street.

Circle 3 with Mrs. Bob Winston, 913 West Tenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Williams and children of Big Spring visited relatives here yesterday.

Mrs. P. B. Glenn and daughter Jean of Breckenridge visited relatives and friends in Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Townsend and Mrs. John Kane of Moran were visitors in Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Elter of San Antonio is visiting friends in Cisco this week.

Truett Jones of Moran was a visitor here yesterday.

Miss Nona Mayhew is spending this week in Breckenridge.

Rev. H. D. Blair left yesterday for a weeks stay in Carbon.

Miss Thelma Phillips and Miss

Mabel Herndon attended a house party in Brownwood over the weekend.

Miss Opal Notgrass has returned from a visit in Abilene.

Mrs. Geo. Bucklin of Wichita, Kans., and Mrs. H. E. Sanders and daughter of Putnam were visitors here today.

Mrs. Fannie Douglas of Moran was in the city Saturday.

Miss Naomi Mathews of Ranger was a visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. Etta McIntyre of Crane is the guest of Mrs. Loma Bland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lowery of Albany were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Letha Maud Eager left yesterday for Abilene after a short visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nichols and children of Big Spring visited relatives in Cisco Sunday.

Miss Beth Kellogg of Houston is visiting friends in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Vard Osburn of Moran were visitors here yesterday.

LeRoy Purvis left yesterday for Fort Worth after a visit with relatives and friends in Cisco.

Theron Blackburn of Clyde visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hooks of Abilene were visitors here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Woodfin of Ft. Worth are visiting in the city.

Miss Betty Lewis Williams of Big Spring is spending this week in Cisco.

Mrs. W. R. Cabness of Memphis is visiting in the city this week.

Dr. F. M. Oldam left today for the Rio Grande valley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Jacobs of Rising Star were visitors here yesterday.

Miss Alice Bacon is visiting in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henderson have returned from a trip to Louisiana and points in Texas.

Miss Maedene Johnson of Breckenridge is the guest of Miss Jourdain Armstrong.

J. M. Hooks, Jr., of Abilene is spending this week in Cisco.

Miss Itasca Hamilton of Abilene visited friends here yesterday.

Mrs. R. C. Link and children of El Paso stopped for a short visit with Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Tucker Saturday en route home from a visit in East Texas.

Rev. E. S. James and Elwin Skiles are spending a few days in Leuders at the Baptist encampment.

W. E. Keeter and son, Truett, left this morning for several days' trip to West Texas and New Mexico.

MELON PLANT NOW.

ONTARIO, July 13.—A two-story frame building here which once housed the La Grange Collegiate Institute, one of the first schools of higher education in the state, is being used as a melon packing and grading plant. The meeting which brought about founding of the institution was February 6, 1837.

Girl Snake Charmer Keeps Strange Pets

EL PASO, July 13. — El Paso has one girl who isn't afraid of snakes—Alicea Martin, who has a pet 10-inch bull snake which climbs about her fingers.

In addition, her collection of pets includes a ground squirrel, horned toad and eight white rats. Miss Martin has been interested in pets since childhood, beginning her collection when neighbors saved up horned toads and lizards for the "most red-headed little girl in the neighborhood."

STOCKS SELL OFF SHARPLY DURING WEEK

In its weekly review of business and financial conditions The Wall Street Journal says:

Stocks conformed to a Wall Street tradition during the past week in selling off sharply on the realization of an anticipated piece of good news. Final agreement on the Hoover debt holiday program was followed by a break of 7 points in the principal industrials on Tuesday, while rails declined an average of 4 points, and utilities lost 2 1/2 points.

This development was not to be interpreted as an expression of disappointment over the outcome of the France-American negotiations. It simply meant that the immediate

beneficial effects of the year's moratorium had been discounted by the sweeping gains stimulated by original announcement of the Hoover proposals. In the upturn which reached its peak on June 27, the principal industrials had scored a recovery of 35-points from the lows of June 2, or practically 25 per cent of their market value on the latter date.

This extensive advance naturally invited active profit-taking for the account of important interests whose accumulation had taken advantage of the depressed levels existing in late May and early June. These people realized that the primary influence of the debt postponement was largely psychological, and that the initial exuberance which it promoted would be followed by sober realization of the many problems that remained to be solved.

As a result of their liquidation, market conditions were technically impaired, and selling on actual consummation of the pact found a death of nearby support.

No disposition prevails to ignore

the obvious fact that Germany's credit difficulties continue pressing. But the constructive leadership taken by President Hoover in the moratorium project affords a virtual guarantee that efforts will persist until the foreign situation has been stabilized. Meanwhile the better sentiment engendered by recent developments has been mirrored in firmer commodity markets, clearly the most hopeful sign since the depression began.

Representative indices of general commodity prices have now advanced for three successive weeks after a long period of disheartening declines. It is true that fresh reactionary tendencies have cropped out in grain and copper. But the recovery in such reliable barometers as silver, cotton, silk and hides has been substantial enough to indicate that a definite turn for the better has occurred. Higher price levels in basic products is the factor most needed to bring about improved profit margins in various branches of trade. Hence, sustained betterment in commodity quotations

would afford a happy augury of autumn business prospects.

In the steel trade, the combination of improved sentiment and seasonal factors is expected to bring an upturn in production later this month, or in early August. Actual developments, however, continued to mirror the tendency toward lower output familiar at this time of the year.

This week's range of the Dow-Jones averages follows:

	High	Low	Close
30 Industrials	\$152.30	\$143.83	\$146.97
20 Railroads	85.22	81.21	82.35
20 Utilities	61.65	58.37	59.38
40 Bonds	95.95	95.79	95.98

survey No. 172, Coleman county; dry at 2515 feet.

Taylor - Link Oil company et al, P. L. Stewardson well No. 3, block 94, E. T. R. R. survey, Coleman county; dry, going to plug.

Arcadia Refining Co., A. J. Cannon well No. 1, E. M. Justice survey No. 166, Coleman county; drilling at 1340 feet.

B. V. Whitfield, L. C. Hass well No. 1, section 71, G. H. & H. R. R. survey, Coleman county; notice of intention to plug.

J. M. Hickey, John Dundersreadd well No. 1, Gillespie county, intention to drill.

Glenrose - "Reporter" changed ownership.

DRILL REPORT

Drilling report filed with W. J. Carden, deputy oil and gas supervisor railroad commission of Texas, 8th district, Coleman, Texas.

The Prairie Oil and Gas company, G. M. Gray well No. 1, Merit 1202

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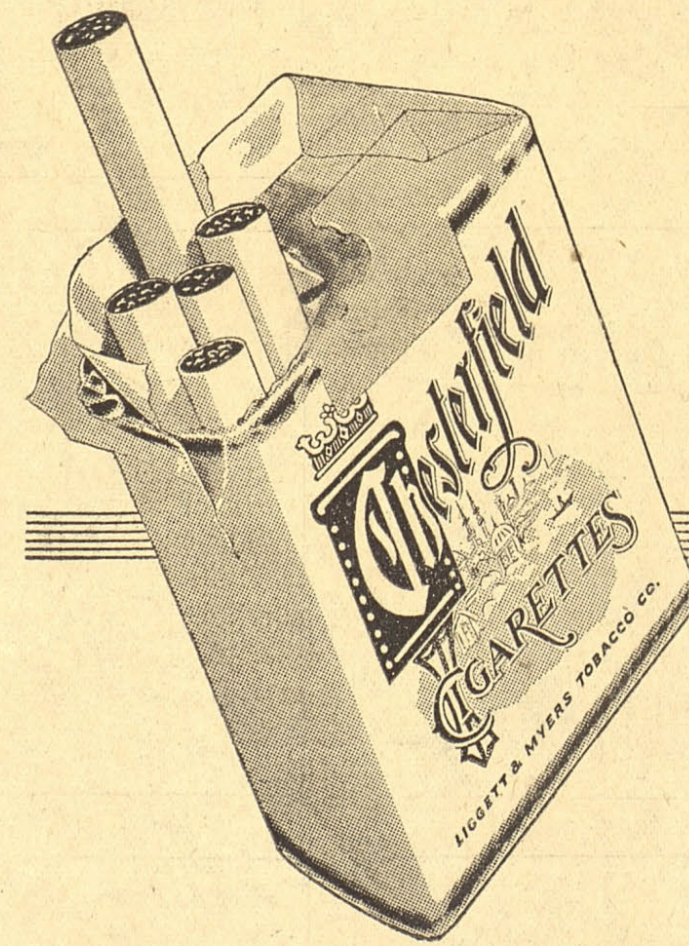
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Texarkana Offers Site for Hospital

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Selection of Texarkana, Ark., as the site of a United States Veterans' Bureau hospital costing \$750,000 is being urged here by the Texarkana Chamber of Commerce. The bureau has been offered 24 other sites in Arkansas for the 200-bed infirmary.

Selection of the site will probably not be made until the end of July, according to A. D. Hiller, assistant to Frank T. Hines, administrator of veterans' affairs and chairman of the board.

In the final days of its last session, congress made \$5,000,000 immediately available for the purchase of new hospital sites and additions to present ones. Part of the fund is expected to be used in adding 300 beds to the Waco hospital, giving it a 600-bed capacity and bringing the total appropriation for the Waco building to \$2,200,000.

The proposed Texarkana hospital would be for general medical and surgical cases.

TREE-SITTING CAT QUITS.
KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 13.—A tree-sitting sat spent a week in a tree here without food or water before it was forcibly lowered to the ground.

Baytown — Feinberg Stores consolidated.