

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO, TEXAS—1,614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes of water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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## PERSONAL TILTS MARK OIL HEARING

### Cisco Contestants Leave for County Meet Tomorrow

#### FINALS IN LITERARY ARE DUE FRIDAY

Representatives of Cisco high school in the county interscholastic league meet at Gorman tomorrow and Saturday will leave early tomorrow for the meet. They will be in charge of Superintendent R. N. Cluck, Miss Marian Chambliss and Coaches W. B. Chapman and Leonard Hill.

The latter will direct the Cisco contestants in the county track and field meet preliminaries of which are to be held Friday afternoon, according to the schedule announced last week.

Mr. Cluck and Miss Chambliss will have charge of the students who will compete in the literary events. Finals in all literary events in which the high school students will participate will be held Friday evening. Finals in the track and field meet will take place Saturday afternoon at the Gorman athletic field.

#### REPAIRS MADE TO CITY HALL FOUNDATIONS

Repairs to the foundations of the city hall to prevent further settling and consequent damage to the building were started today. The plans include the construction of four concrete piers underneath the northwest corner of the building and walls adjacent where the building has been steadily sinking.

#### 16-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLED AT FUNERAL

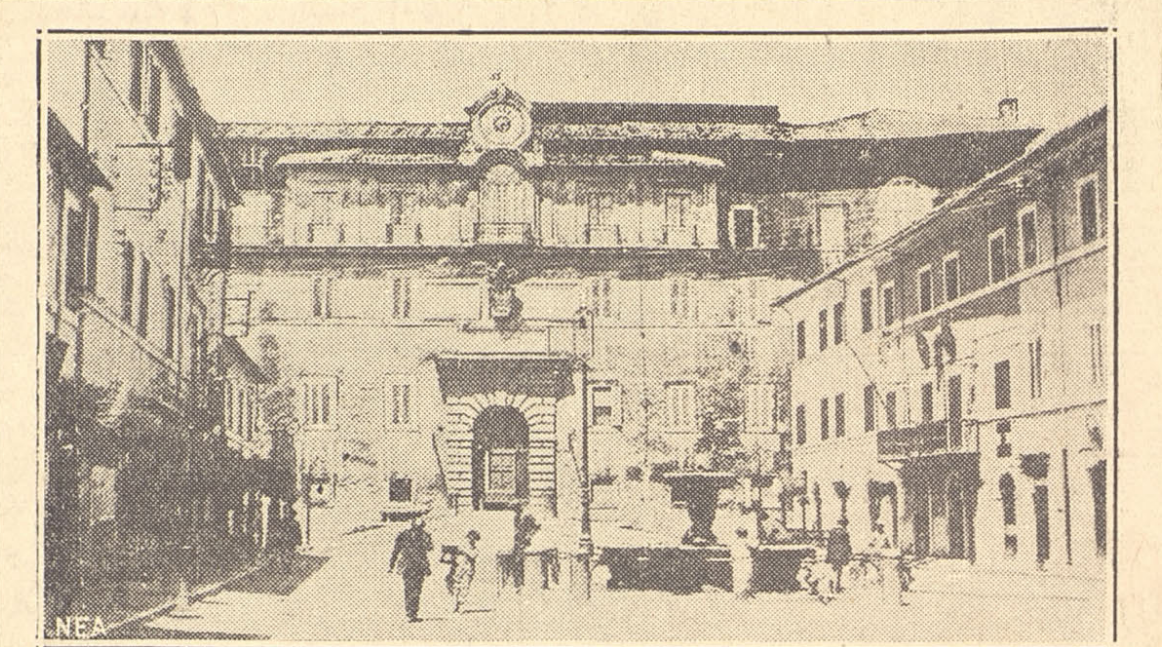
SAN BENITO, March 26.—A 16-year-old boy was dead and two brothers, one 14 and the other 15 years old, were in jail today following a fatal argument while attending a funeral yesterday.

Cenobio Gonzales, the dead boy, and Frederico Atkinson, 14, and Carlos Atkinson, 15, were at the funeral of Gonzales' cousin when the two older boys got in an argument.

The younger brother, also entered, and a fist fight was started. During the battle Frederico drew his knife and stabbed Cenobio. He died shortly after.

Sheriff Frank Brown arrested the two boys.

#### Summer Residence Made Ready For Pope



Ancient Castle Gandolfo, overlooking beautiful Lake Albano in Italy, is being modernized to become the summer residence of Pope Pius. Some of Europe's foremost builders and artists are engaged in joining the historic structure, shown above, with three large villas which probably will house the papal staff.

#### CISCO WINS PLAYGROUND BALL TITLE

The Cisco grammar school girls playground baseball team won Cisco its first athletic event in the county interscholastic league meet Tuesday afternoon when they defeated Rising Star 21 to 6 at Cisco. Five teams were entered in the meet and a round robin schedule was played, the Cisco girls winning all of their contests.

#### XXth Century Club to Have Tag Day

The Twentieth Century club will conduct its annual tag day Saturday for the benefit of the public library which the club supports.

#### M'CLELLAND WELL STRIKES HEAVY GAS

Lorenzen and associates E. C. McClelland well in the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 466, S. P. R. R. company survey has struck a heavy flow of gas, according to reports to the Cisco Daily News today.

#### Johnson Found Guilty But Freed

BEAUMONT, March 26.—Although found guilty of murdering the man he held responsible for his daughter's suicide, A. B. Johnson, 40, was freed today to go back to his work as an oil refinery fireman.

A jury found Johnson guilty last night of murdering Otis Lee Adams, young Sunday school teacher, and sentenced him to five years imprisonment but directed that the sentence be suspended.

#### BLIZZARD IS SWEEPING OUT OF ROCKIES

DENVER, Colo., March 26.—A blizzard out of Medicine Hat roared into the Rockies today. Air mail traffic was paralyzed. Automobile traffic throughout Wyoming and northern Colorado was at a standstill as storm warnings were broadcast to motorists.

#### Three Former Cisco Pastors in Shift

Three former pastors of the First Methodist church of Cisco were in a shift that Bishop Hey made in appointments this week to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. P. C. Fletcher, presiding elder of the San Antonio district.

#### Here to Manage Auto Supply Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carroll, of Uvalde, have moved to Cisco where Mr. Carroll will manage the Carroll Auto Supply Co.

#### FREIGHTER IS DAMAGED IN CRASH IN FOG

NEW YORK, March 26.—The freighter Pacific Cedar reached port today somewhat damaged in a collision with a tanker off Barnegat, N. J., during the night.

#### SAM HINES OF DALLAS DIES OF PNEUMONIA

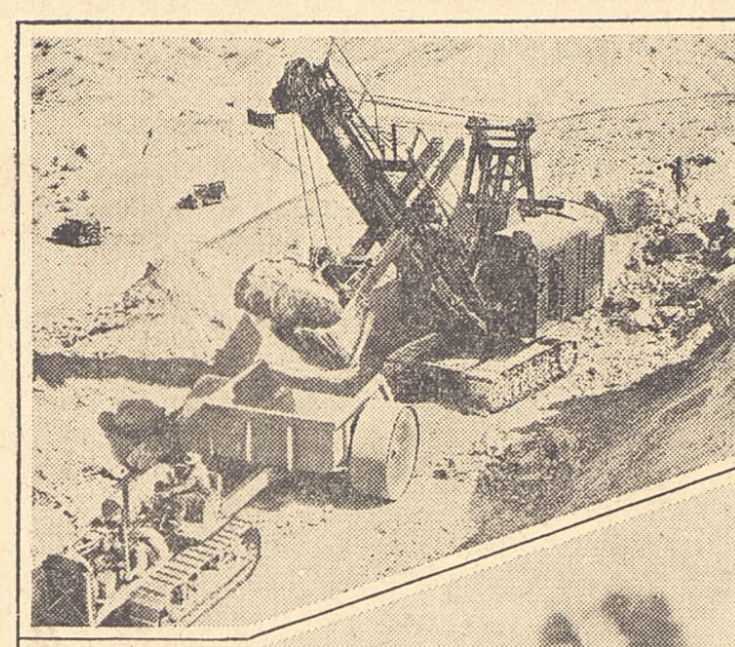
Sam Hines, Dallas real estate man and son-in-law of Judge D. K. Scott, of this city, succumbed yesterday morning at 11 o'clock to an attack of pneumonia, according to a message received here. Judge Scott is in Dallas, having left yesterday morning following receipt of a message that his son-in-law was very low.

#### BEAR VISITS BEACH

SEASIDE, Ore., March 26.—Instead of going "over the mountain," a bear recently strolled on the beach here and returned to the wilds of Tillamook head unharmed. Old timers said it was the first time in 30 years that bear tracks have been found on the beach in front of the town.

Offers free meals. KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., March 26.—Friends acclaimed James Luis, restaurant owner, as having the biggest heart in Oregon. During slack times of the past few months he has given away 9,600 meals to unemployed at a cost of \$1,612.50.

#### Work Begins at Boulder Dam



Already the thunder of dynamite and the chug and clank of huge steam shovels resound at Boulder Dam, Nevada, where preliminary work has begun on the government's great five-year project. At top, a shovel drops boulders into a specially-built steel chafert. Below a 1500-pound charge of power opens the way for workers who are building a new highway to the dam.

#### PATRONS ARE ASKED TO AID SCHOOL CENSUS

Supt. R. N. Cluck, of the Cisco public schools, said today that parents or guardians living within the Cisco independent school district, whose children have not been enumerated in the 1931 scholastic census, should report the children to the school authorities for enumeration before Tuesday they wish to send them to school free next session.

#### BROWNWOOD NINE COMING HERE SUNDAY

The Brownwood Bottling company's team of college all-stars will play the Cisco independent baseball team here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Chesley park. It was announced today.

#### KITTENS PLAY CYCLONES AT DALLAS MEET

The Cisco Randolph College Kittens advanced to the quarter finals of the national A. A. U. open girls basketball tournament at Dallas last night by defeating the Biltmore Junior college, of Asheville, N. C., by a score of 47 to 29.

#### SNOW BANK SAVES CHILD

WESTWOOD, Cal., March 26.—A 3-year-old Charlotte Gosser fell out of a second story house this week—and landed in a snow-bank. The child was rushed to a doctor, who found she suffered only minor bruises.

#### PENN PROBED BY FORMER GOV. MOODY

AUSTIN, March 26.—Advocates and opponents of proration in east Texas divided honors in the railroad commission hearing here today. The motion of Marion Church, attorney for the central proration committee, for the consolidation of the cases before the commission involving statewide and east Texas proration was adopted and the anti-prorationists won the privilege of immediately cross-examining Robert R. Penn, chairman of the committee.

The east Texans had sought to delay the east Texas hearing, and prorationists wanted to have other witnesses testify before allowing former Governor Dan Moody to question Penn.

#### YOUTH GIVES UP IN DEATH OF SWEETHEART

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 26.—Elliott R. "Pinkey" Hathaway surrendered today and soon afterward admitted, according to investigators that his story that two highwaymen murdered his girl friend, Verna Russell, was false.

#### Notorious Killer Is Captured

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 26.—Fred Burke, notorious killer, was captured today and brought to the St. Joseph jail. Burke was taken without resistance at the home of a relative near the village of Green City.

#### Athletic Ass'n to Meet Tonight

The midweek meeting of the Citizens Athletic association will take place at the high school gymnasium this evening at 7:30. A varied program of indoor athletic contests will be carried out as usual.

#### WEATHER

West Texas — Cloudy, rain in southeast, snow in northwest. Colder with temperatures 12 to 22 degrees in north. Freezing in south tonight. Friday, partly cloudy, colder in south portion. East Texas — Thunderstorms tonight with rain turning to snow in northwest portion. Colder in north and west. Temperatures below freezing tonight. Friday cloudy, probably rain in south portion, colder northeast and southwest. Freezing temperature Friday or Friday night.



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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

**HAVE ALL GOOD**—The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger: but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.—Psalm 34:10.  
**PRAYER**—Thou, O God, art the Source of every good gift.

### TEXAS BOUNDARY REPORT APPROVED.

A Washington dispatch lets it be known that the report of Samuel S. Gannett, engineer, marking the boundary between New Mexico and Texas along the Rio Grande river, in accordance with a decision of the supreme court, has been approved by that tribunal. Maj. Richard F. Burgess is the Texas member of the boundary line commission. The land in dispute is near El Paso, New Mexico claimed it, the controversy centering over the location of the Rio Grande at the time the boundary line was originally located. New Mexico claimed that it was at that time on the eastern side of the valley, while Texas contended it was on the western side. It is said the decision of the supreme court was broadly in favor of Texas. As for the Rio Grande boundary line controversy with the republic of Mexico and the republic of the United States as principals it may be settled in the year 2000. It has been in litigation for years and years as well as in negotiation with the very able representatives of the United States and Mexico doing their very level best to draw a decision from the two referees.

### PUBLIC FREE LIBRARIES SMASHED BETWEEN THE EYES.

Senator Margie Neal, speaking for an army of Texas club women and voters who are not club women, early in the session submitted a proposal to amend the constitution and allow the levying of a tax of two mills on a one dollar evaluation for the establishment and maintenance of public free libraries. At first it had plain sailing and was engrossed. Then when it came up for final passage by a vote of 13 ayes and 10 noes the public library amendment and its backers read the handwriting on the wall.

When the women backers of the proposal? Were they sleeping at the switch or attending the bridge lecture given by a noted bridge expert two blocks away from the big dome?

### OKLAHOMA LAWMAKERS KILL TOBACCO TAX.

By a close vote the senate of Oklahoma defeated the bill proposing a tax on cigars and cigarettes. A number of Gov. Murray's staunch supporters voted against the proposal. Gov. Murray's free text book commission proposal won 23 to 11 but it was amended to provide that the regular text book commission, instead of a new group appointed by the governor, should act. That is, he was given a new text book commission but the senatorial lawmakers provided that the old commission should do the work.

Governor Murray is going to grow very angry some day and threaten to send in his resignation. He is not a Mussolini. He is an able and sincere man but he is constantly reminded by legislators that his function is to recommend or use the veto power and the function of the lawmaker is to enact legislation. There is a difference.

### TEXAS COTTON BUYERS ADOPT PROGRAM.

Those who call for the repeal of the federal farm board act are redoubling their activities. Members of the Texas Cotton association adopted a resolution calling for repeal of the act. The resolution asserted that the act had failed to aid American farmers "but on the contrary, by holding large surpluses of cotton and grain over the market, resulting in declining prices." Read it: "Unless production is reduced by half since the United States only consumes less than half of the crop grown in the United States this country must sell in competition with foreign countries and its price cannot be divorced from those of foreign crops. That this is unworkable it is evident from the fact that such a reduction would throw one-half of the cotton producers out of a job." Four hundred members attended the convention of the association. Dr. James E. Boyle, professor of rural economy at Cornell, was the leading speaker. Apostle Boyle in his address asserted that holding cotton off the market to obtain a higher price later was a great mistake as "price depends on the total crop instead of the amount marketed any one day." The expert from Cornell made another interesting statement, "Reduction of acreage would be useless because of reduction in this country would only lead to increased acreage abroad as cotton is now grown in some 60 countries." There you are, Apostle Boyle says reduction of acreage would be useless while the resolution adopted says that unless production is reduced by a half this country cannot sell in competition with foreign countries "and its price cannot be divorced from those of foreign crops." There is an over-production of cotton. This is a self-evident fact. It is also a self-evident fact that the surplus fixes the price. If there is a nine million bale carryover and 60 countries engaged in the production of cotton the southern grower should come out of his trance and do some individual planning as to diversification of crops and the importance of feeding his own table.

### IN THE POLITICAL ARENA

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD  
Petroleum is the power that moves the American world. Gen. John J. Pershing is responsible for the victory that tanks propelled by gas won the war for the Allies. There is war on in the American petroleum world and the battle line has been flung from the capitol dome

on the banks of the Pctomac to the capitol dome on the banks of the Colorado. Port Arthur, down on the Gulf, is one of the great refining cities of the country.  
A reminder that the following from The Port Arthur News is interesting at this time: "Liquid gold from the productive fields of East

Texas will flow into Port Arthur through a direct pipeline connecting with the producing well and extending approximately \$500,000 for a 50 mile extension from the main artery in the vicinity of Nacogdoches and the new Texas line will connect with the Corsicana-Shreveport system in the vicinity of Nacogdoches." Contract for the East Texas extension has been let by the Texas company to the Texas Pipeline company, a subsidiary, and construction work is to begin immediately, according to the writer of the Port Arthur pipeline tale. The line will be built of eight inch pipe and will connect with a main line of the Texas company running between Corsicana, San Augustine and Shreveport and serving the Southern, Arkansas and North Louisiana area. Port Arthur refineries are the pride of the people. These refineries give employment to thousands of wage earners. When pay day comes the refinery workers turn their wages loose. In the last analysis it is money that makes the world go 'round.

Rep. Robert J. Long of the Wichita country turned loose his batteries the other day and pot-shot Gov. Sterling and Railroad Comm. Pat Morris Neff. After his machine gun had exhausted itself the genial Bob subsided and the legislative procession moved on. One of his allegations against the former governor and present time rail commissioner had to do with the wastage of gas in the Laredo district. This aroused the fire of the editor of The Laredo Times, or rather the ire of Harry L. Fansler, official oil statistician of the district. Fansler said: "Rep. Long's statement is evidently an error as there is no wastage of gas in the Laredo district other than necessary to complete new wells and keep them in proper condition. Recently the railroad commission, through its deputy inspector in the Laredo district made a complete survey of South Texas, including the Laredo, Refugio, Kingsville, and Corpus Christi areas and in none of these, especially the Laredo district, did he find any appreciable amount of gas wastage." To the Fansler statement the editor of The Laredo Times added his own personal comment, "Oil men of the Laredo district, who are careful in the bringing in of new wells shut them in in the shortest possible time, it was stated by other oil men and the crack taken at the Laredo district by Rep. Long seems to be one without any foundation." A reminder that the crack was taken at the former governor and present rail commissioner said to be at odds with his fellow commissioners who are directing the activities of the oil and gas branch of the railroad commission of Texas. Publicity is the thing. Agitation will help a lot. It will result in all the facts coming uppermost and facts and figures linked together furnish the concrete evidence that the people need in order to clarify the atmosphere and create a healthy public opinion.

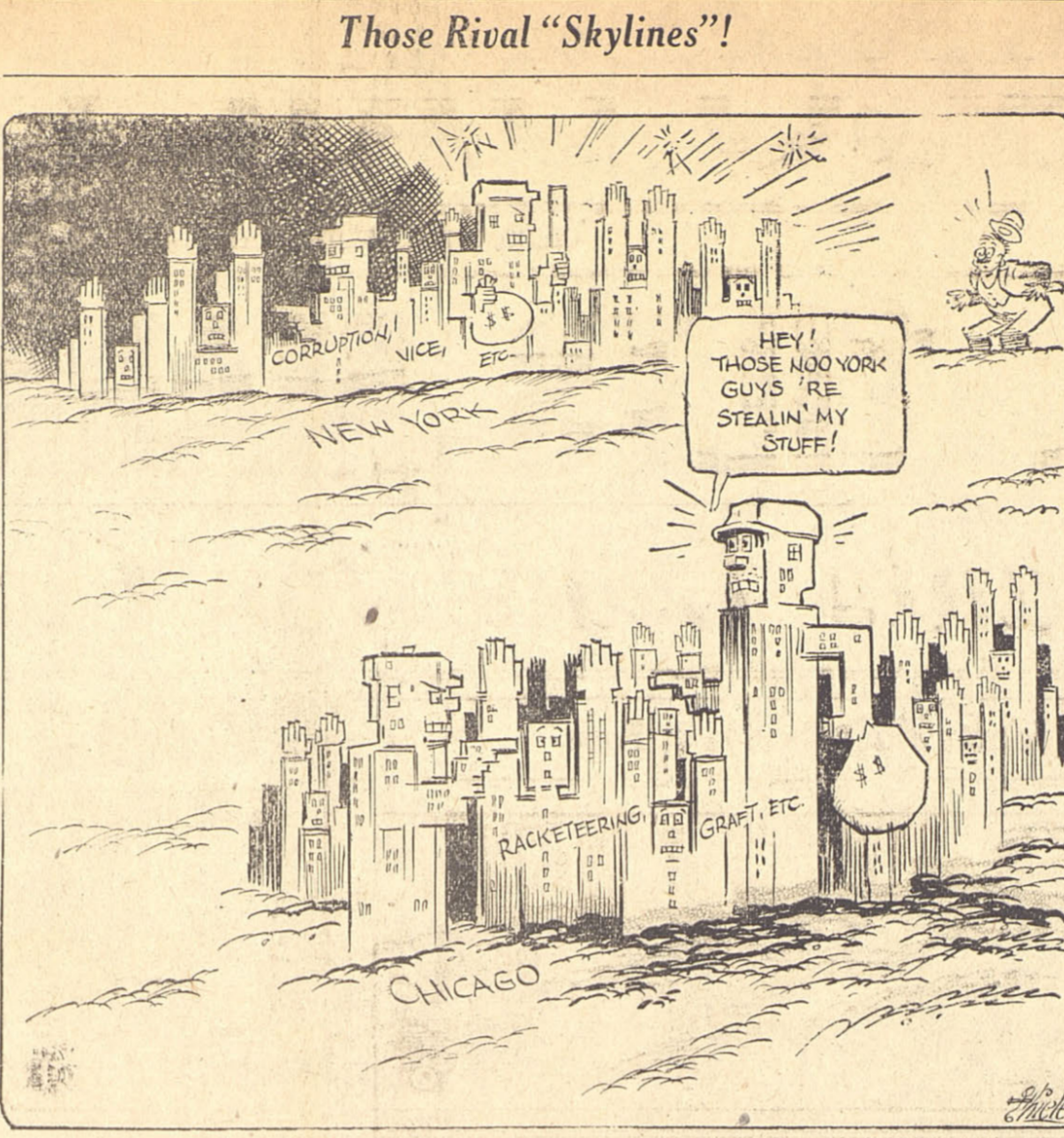
"All municipal financing should be placed under the control of one body to enable small communities or poor counties to arrive at the same principle benefits in getting value received for securities as large cities or counties" advises A. C. H. Ebeling in a letter directed to the Hon. Ross Sterling, governor. "The marketing of municipal bonds of the state of Texas should be arranged in form of subscriptions by the investing public as it would prevent unscrupulous brokers heavily discounting issues in times of depression which undoubtedly would result in a deficiency of the municipality sooner or later", reads the Ebeling communication. "Part of the proceeds of a municipal issue should be deposited or a guarantee fund to insure the investing public more strength and safety. This is suggested as a remedy against losses and delays which now exist. In view of the various court decisions of recent date in regard to issues of municipal bonds of this state, which are more or less confusing to the investing public and which in my mind will undermine the credits of the state I attempt to substitute for your careful consideration the following: The banks should either direct or through licensed brokers purchase and sell all municipal securities. All dealers in securities should be compelled to report sales daily to establish a true market and to prevent the taking of advantage of persons innocent of true value. Affairs of a defined municipality should be taken over by the state similarly to laws existing for defunct banks. Salaries of officials to be discontinued from date of closing of affairs. All public officers should have a living wage and should be placed under bond to execute their duties under the laws. Failures to perform duties should make it mandatory for the governor to immediately remove derelicts from offices."

Gov. Sterling is a successful business man a financier as well as a publisher; a farmer and ranchman as well as a rail builder and he tackled the job of governor when the office carried a thousand additional responsibilities and made life interesting for one thoroughly saturated with the wine of economic philosophy.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE  
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

In commenting on the barbers of his city, the editor of the Pinang, Straits Settlements, Gazette & Chronicle, says:  
"We would not readily belittle the services rendered us by that very necessary adjunct to civilization, the barber. But for the ministrations of this artist we might even now parade the streets of George Town with flowing locks and beards uncurbed (except in wrath, on oc-



casions). But we do begrudge the toll levied upon our pockets by the local tenebrous artist, and when it comes to thirty cents for a shave and sixty or seventy cents for a haircut, we are tempted to think, without hav-

ing our bluff called, that perhaps it would be better to go unshaven and unshorn than to submit to the imposition.

"It may be remembered that in England, except in the West End of

London and in the most fashionable streets of provincial cities, superfluous locks are removed at a trifling cost of sixpence or ninepence, while a humble shave costs no more than threepence or four-

pendence. We speak from experience with the sound of the scissors snipping and the razor's flop-flop on the strap still in our ears and that is why we are moved to protest at the double charge that is imposed in this country.

"Having regard to the wages paid to the assistants and to other factors, we cannot see how the high charge can possibly be justified. On the contrary, from the contract prices offered for the barber's services over a month, we are more than ever convinced that the prices charged the casual customer are indefensible.

"Whether local protest and irritation have yet consolidated or not we do not know, but we have observed upon several of our acquaintances of late a suspicious aspect faintly reminiscent of the moustaches of departed glory, though whether this be the result of a mistake or of grim necessity, we cannot say."

### Magic Formula for One Farmer

AUSTIN, March 26.—Here's a magic formula—"a garden, a cow, a hen and a sow."

Not a formula for riches, but a formula for economic independence, according to one man who follows it.

Ben F. Chapman, who commutes between his Bell county farm and his job as chief clerk in the state department of agriculture, learned the lesson of farm diversification early in his farming career—quite as much by accident as by design. He was a thorough cotton farmer when he became interested in hogs. To raise hogs he had to have corn. So he rotated his cotton with corn, and made the discovery that by rotating he could make as much cotton in three years as he previously made in four.

Root rot caused him to extend the diversification to include other grains—wheat, oats and barley—as rotation crops, and rather than sell the grain outright, he entered the dairying business. But cows demanded hay, so he planted sudan grass pastures. The weeds got bad;

he bought sheep to keep them down. So the diversified farm grew. A barn was built to store the corn, and half paid for itself in one year when the value of the stored corn jumped from 50 cents to a dollar a bushel. Chickens were logically added.

Chapman has lived on the Bell county farm for eight years, and estimates that during that time his family hasn't purchased more than \$50 worth of canned groceries. Mrs. Chapman cans around 300 cans each year with a pressure cooker.

Comanche—Fort Worth and Rio Grand railway on recent date put into operation motor car service between this place and Brownwood.

Crowell—State highway commission lets contract to J. L. & E. A. Vilbig of Dallas, for completing pavement across Poard county, for bid of \$142,795.

Commercial motor vehicles pay, in license fees and gasoline tax, \$900,000 annually to Texas, according to Woody Callan, president of Central Forwarding Co., of Waco.

Spearman—This city to have new \$73,000 courthouse building.

## POLITICAL

City Election, Tuesday, April 7

### For Mayor:

J. R. BURNETT  
J. T. BERRY

### For City Commissioners:

H. S. STUBBLEFIELD  
JOE CLEMENTS,  
E. P. CRAWFORD  
J. T. ELLIOTT

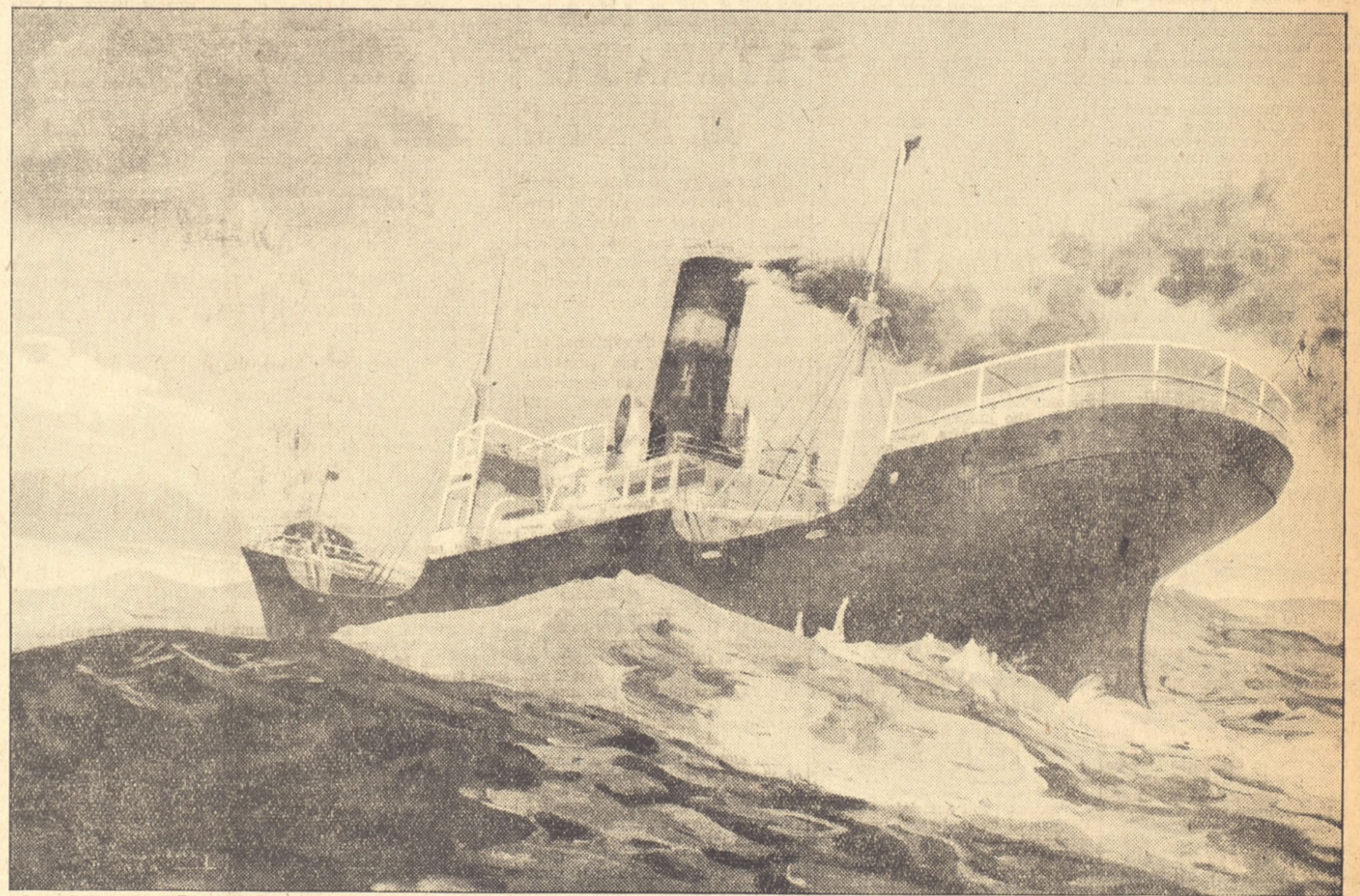
## W. P. LEE, M. D.

### General Medicine

Emphasizing Obstetrics and Diseases of Women.

# "I've shipped on a South Sea Tramp"

—says Chesterfield



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### TWO GAMES SCHEDULED FOR FROG TEAM

FORT WORTH, March 26. — Coach Dutch Meyer's Horned Frog nine has two games scheduled this week. Friday the team goes to Ennis to take on the Ennis Railroad Crew in the second game of the season for the Frogs, and Saturday the Purple will meet the Ft. Worth Cats in their annual contest.

Meyer has announced that Chappell will probably get the call at the mound against the Railroaders, and Atkins would try to stop the slugging of the Cats Saturday. Both men have showed a world of stuff in practice, but Chappell has had better control than Atkins. Townsend and Dietzel have been showing up well, and in case either Chappell or Atkins fail to deliver, they will be relieved by these two capable reserves.

The catching will be divided between Jay Williams and Hubert Dennis. Williams is playing his third year at this position, and Dennis is out for the first time. Dennis will probably be used as a utility man also.

John Hirstine will hold down first base and Howard Carrell will be at second with Snow at short and Johnny Clark at third. In the outfield Capt. Hal Wright will be in left field, J. W. Hinton at center and Otis Stell in right.

Wright, Carrell, Hirstine, Clark and Hinton have been polling the ball around the lot better than the rest, with Vance Woolwine, a second baseman, close behind them.

### Letters From Our Readers

Cisco Daily News, Cisco, Texas. Dear Editor:

Noticing some articles relative to our public schools recently published in the News, I am moved to write you the following: The future of our country depends upon the training and the leadership developed in our children. Their proper education should be the chief concern of our present generation, but unfortunately this appears not to be the case, especially as evidenced by the light vote cast in our school elections. We owe it to ourselves, our children and our country to take more interest in our children's education. Men, high in educational circles, have charged that our present high school educational program is about to topple through the sheer force of its own inefficiency as a builder of character. At the annual meeting of the National Educational association in the east last summer, with thousands of teachers attending, this topic was given more time than any other subject discussed. It is said that too much stress has been placed upon grades, credits, affiliations, etc., while those essential things that go to build character have been neglected. The fact that our children are making creditable passing grades does not mean that they will be assets instead of liabilities to society. An education (if we can use the word in this sense) sounder is a serious menace to our social life. If our schools turn out many of this class instead of dependable men and women, it would seem there is something wrong with our school system. "School houses are the fortresses of a Republic," if this be true, care must be exercised as to how these fortresses are armed and manned. The patrons of our schools cannot afford to leave the activities of the schools in the hands of the teachers alone, and the progressive teacher does not want to be left unaided. More interest should be manifested in our Parent-Teachers association and in the selection of our school boards. At present a belated but creditable effort is being put forth to establish rural high schools throughout the state of Texas, which will

give the country boy and girl a better opportunity to get a high school education. An education, where properly supervised, that will prepare them for the duties of citizenship in either rural or urban atmosphere. It will fit them for leadership in re-habilitating our decadent agriculture, as evidenced by the many, so called, worn-out farms that have been either abandoned or are being operated at a loss in Eastland county today. The Almighty never meant for men to desert their homes upon the farms. It is not in keeping with His will. If we "come back" we must rally at the school houses—those "Forts of our Republic," and there revise the training of those who are to follow us, so they may not make the errors that we have made, but correcting these errors, rise to new heights undreamed of by us today.

W. B. STARR, Highland Springs Farm.

Corpus Christi — Federal post office department considering plans for construction of \$185,000 post office building here.

Cruver—Work on installation of water and gas system nearing completion.

Goldthwaite — Texas - Louisiana Power Co. held meeting in this city recently.

Mullin—\$8,000 bond issue approved for reconditioning old school building.

### PHANTOM GOLD MINE LURE TO PROSPECTORS

By GEORGE D. CRISSEY United Press Staff Correspondent PHOENIX, Ariz., March 26.—South and east of here in the rugged fastness of Superstition Mountains there is a gold mine which has been "found" several times but still remains "lost."

The name of it is the "Lost Dutchman." For more than half a century this mine, whether real or mythical, has claimed the attention of prospectors and desert rats. Interspersed now with phases of Pima Indian superstition, the story has become one of the most colorful of the mining legends.

The legends, however, has a foundation of truth. Back in the years when Arizona was a young territory an aged Dutchman would come from the Superstition range with gold laden bags. Efforts to follow him back into the hills were futile.

Always carrying food, the Dutchman was in the habit of making several trips each year. Finally he disappeared and then search started in earnest.

A majority of the prospectors

were handicapped by lack of knowledge of that mountain region. Indian guides were not available as Pima will not go into Superstition range, fearing that a God of Evil might prevent his return.

Through the years the hope of finding the mine has faded. Men have died while in quest of it. Others, discouraged, have been forced to give up because of age and ill health.

About once a decade warning interest would be revived by rumors of a find.

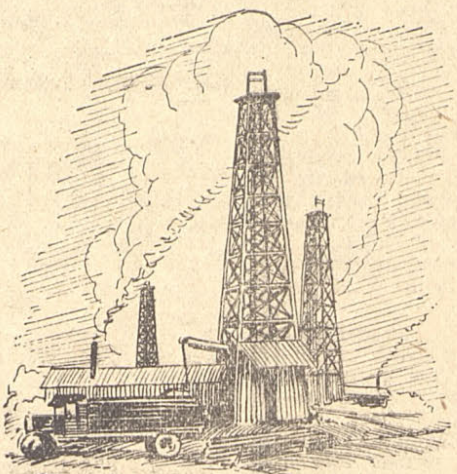
RESEARCH FUND GROWS BINGLEY, Yorkshire, England, March 26. — The income of the local golf greenkeeping research

station has reached \$14,991.50. The contribution include English Golf Union, \$6,159.50, the Scottish Union \$2,473.50, the Irish Union \$1,382.25 and the Welsh Union \$509.25. The station experiments with different kinds of grasses and soil and care of golf courses. News want ads brings results.

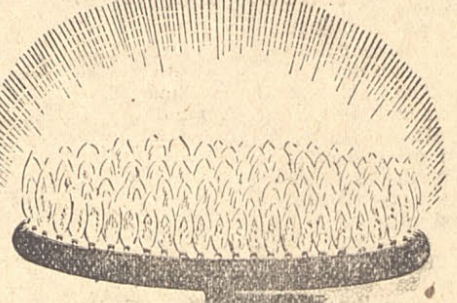
FARM GROWING SMALLER? NEWINGTON, Conn., March 26. — Somehow or other the old farm doesn't look as big as it used to so James Smith, 82, is going to hire a surveyor. Whether it's the New England weather, or a misplaced boundary fence, he doesn't know, but he's sure "it's shrinking."

SNUBS MIDGET GOLF GLASGOW, March 26. — Midget golf has faded here, but the "Fairway" course establishments are doing a good business. They seem to possess more of the element of permanency and are a good approximation to the real thing. Lowering the prices from 12 cents to six cents has helped business.

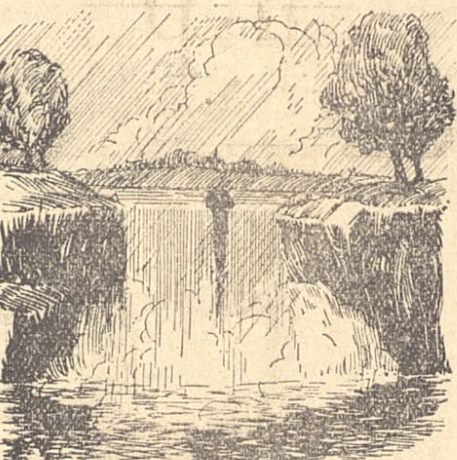
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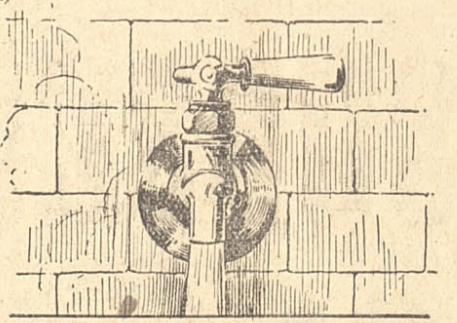
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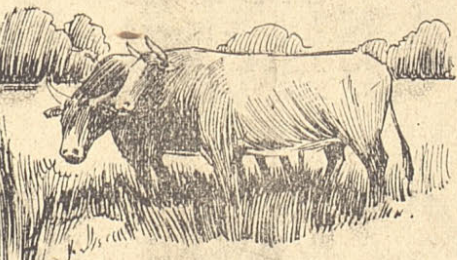
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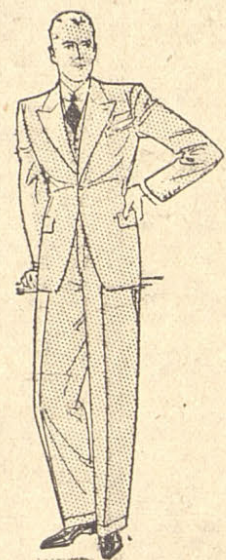
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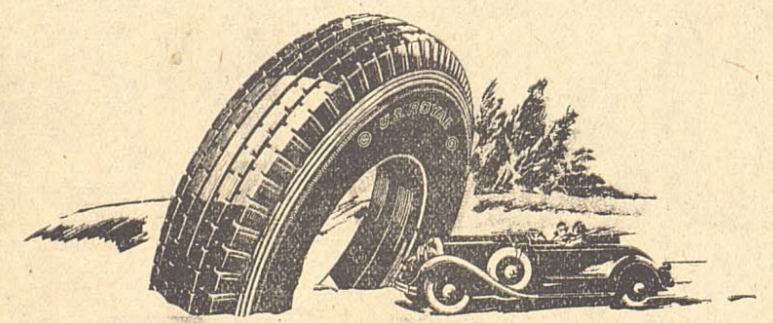
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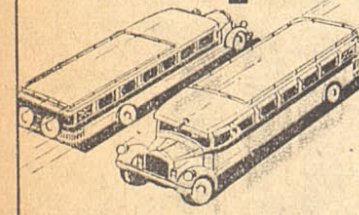
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per cent. Acreage sowed has been greatly increased over former years, and yield per acre should be substantially higher.

Cotton and other crops have not as yet been planted, although this work is going forward throughout the territory served by the company at the present time.

General business conditions have experienced a slight improvement, according to reports from throughout the properties, and it is expected that the next sixty to ninety days will produce increasing volume for wholesale, retail and jobbing houses throughout the territory.

The report points out that considerable unemployment, lack of collateral for negotiating loans, and the poor condition of oil markets are the principal deterrents to improved conditions at the present time.

The West Texas Utilities company makes a property-wide survey of general agricultural, ranching and business conditions every thirty days. Covering a section some 45,000 square miles in area, this survey gives a composite picture of the estimated conditions in the territory served by the company.

Small grain, planted during the late fall and winter of 1930 and into the first months of 1931 have put a splendid "season" in the ground and with the slight spring and summer precipitation, all crops will have ample moisture for successful and profitable maturation.

That's just the reason that its sales in good drug stores all over America are enormous—that's why Dean Drug Co. is selling dozens of bottles every week.

AVIATION IS HAPPY OVER '31 OUTLOOK

By SWANEE TAYLOR (Transport Pilot) NEW YORK, March 26.—All branches of the Aeronautical Industry are viewing business prospects this year in a quietly optimistic spirit.

Aviation has doffed the rose-colored goggles that went with the boom days, and is back in the flying business. But we do foresee a definite increase in the use of the airplane, and that means more business for all of us.

Manufacturers, as a group, are most hopeful. With the coming of the economical, light airplane they anticipate a great increase in what is known as "private" flying...

In the field of passenger and mail transportation there exists considerable hopefulness. The attitude of air lines operators is aptly expressed by Miss Amelia Earhart...

There is little doubt that the public does travel by air when transport operators provide convenient schedules, reliable service and fairly low tariffs.

Flying schools and airports progressed somewhat even during the depression in 1930. There are fewer schools, but those in existence did show profit.

While airport development has gone forward to the point where

By February more than \$20,000,000 for construction had already been allotted at different points. There can be no doubt that the 1,655 airports in operation at the close of last year, will be increased by more than 500 new fields this year.

But happiest of all are our aeronautical engineers and designers. Quite more they are given a free hand to forge ahead with the development of aircraft and engines.

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W. T. U. AREA SEES '31 WITH OPTIMISM

ABILENE, March 26.—The forty-eight west Texas and panhandle counties served by the West Texas Utilities company look forward into 1931 with optimism, according to a survey made available from the offices of the company here yesterday.

Abundant rainfall throughout the late fall and winter of 1930 and into the first months of 1931 have put a splendid "season" in the ground and with the slight spring and summer precipitation, all crops will have ample moisture for successful and profitable maturation.

Small grain, planted during the late fall of 1930, is up and gives every indication of an unusually large crop. It has been estimated that the 1931 grain production of West Texas will be increased over normal by approximately thirty

per cent. Acreage sowed has been greatly increased over former years, and yield per acre should be substantially higher.

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WHO'S WHO AND WHAT'S WHAT IN AND AROUND PUTNAM

As Told to Miss Thelma Everett

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony and Mrs. Jewel Ghoslen were Cisco visitors Saturday. Mrs. W. E. Pruet returned Monday from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Alabama and Georgia. Truett Little, student in Howard Payne college, Brownwood, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Little, through the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Camp and son, Jedd, of the Dotian community, attended the Primitive Baptist meeting here Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Morton of Parks Camp spent the weekend in Putnam attending the Methodist Revival. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hushes and children spent the weekend in Roby the guests of Mr. Hushes' parents. Mrs. W. M. Weed and sons, Lewis and Earnest Weed, of the Dan Horn community spent Wednesday in Putnam the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude King and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mercer and children were visitors in Abilene Sunday. J. S. Yeager made a business trip to Abilene Monday. Mrs. Wiley Clinton and Miss Frances McIntosh spent the week-end in Brownwood as the guests of Miss McIntosh's parents. Little W. C. Simmons, who has been absent from school several months on account of pneumonia is back again. Also Sidney Turner is back after several months absence on account of flu. Shields Heyser and Mrs. Emma Hicks of Wichita Falls visited in the home of their mother, Mrs. John Heyser, a few days last week. They also visited relatives in Abilene, and returned home Friday. Mrs. Robert Young and children of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hamlin Saturday. Mrs. Hamlin accompanied them home for a few days visit. Mrs. Wes Wazley and her grandmother, Mrs. Robins, and Miss Wagley from the Hart community attended church at the Church of Christ Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Baker and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cook and family visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butler visited his mother, Mrs. Butler Sunday. Misses Lillian Cook and Gladys Patrick spent the weekend in Brownwood. Mrs. Tucker and daughter, Miss Lucy Tucker were Baird visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and daughter, Evadene, of the Colony community visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Everett Sunday. Misses Opal Heslep, Gertrude Maddox, and Clarence Armstrong were Sunday afternoon visitors in Cisco. L. M. Weed of Big Spring, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Claude King and family Wednesday. Mr. Fred Bosworth returned Friday from a visit with her parents in Springtown. Lewis Cook returned home Sunday after a two weeks absence. Rev. Yeager of the Dothan community preached at the Primitive Baptist church Saturday and Sunday. Mesdames C. R. Nordyke, Jack Gresham, and Jesse Hudson and daughter, Betty Lou were Cisco visitors Monday morning. The Sacred Harp singing at the Primitive Baptist church Sunday afternoon was a great success and several visiting singers were present from Rising Star, Cisco, Albany and Abilene. Every one report a most enjoyable afternoon. Mrs. F. L. Armstrong and children have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farrel of Grapevine. The Little Theatre of Putnam met Monday evening in regular session. After a short business meeting, they rehearsed the play, "Let's Get Married", which will be presented Friday evening, April 3rd, at the Old Theatre building. Mesdames C. C. Russell and E. P. Whitaker were Abilene visitors Thursday. Albert Clements of the Farmers State bank spent the weekend in Stanton. Miss Lois Reese, a teacher in the Putnam school, visited in Abilene Friday and Saturday. Miss Maud Martin of Ft. Worth

attended church in Putnam Friday night. Miss Nell Armstrong, Doc Clements, and Lit Allen Gray visited Miss Martha Brock in Abilene Sunday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Thompson of Cisco attended church here Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and daughter Miss Bertha Buchanan were Cisco visitors Saturday morning. Mesdames Jesse Overton and Clarence Nordyke were Cisco visitors Saturday afternoon. Mrs. O. W. Hampton and daughter, Miss Dorothy Hampton, and J. D. Yandley of Cisco, were Putnam visitors Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. George Buchanan have returned to Putnam after an absence of several months. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Cottonwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Coffey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson and children of Baird were visiting relatives in Putnam Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Teague and children of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Lynn Williams and family Sunday. Mrs. J. P. Wingo and son, John Payton of Abilene attended church in Putnam Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen of Breckenridge spent Sunday in Putnam. Misses Bertha Buchanan, Thelma Everett, and Neal Moore were Cisco visitors Sunday afternoon. Revs. Garret and Richards preached at the Primitive Baptist church on Wednesday night of last week. Mesdames F. P. Shackelford, W. H. Norred, Gus Brandon, and J. N. Williams were Cisco visitors Wednesday. Mrs. Hale and daughter, Mrs. Edmondson visited relatives in Cisco Tuesday. Mrs. Hubert Buchanan and son, Douglas Lamoinc, and Mrs. Bob Williams and daughter, Bobbie Jean Sandlin visited relatives in Putnam on Monday of last week. Misses Opal Heslep, Nell and Frances Armstrong and Dorothy Hampton and Clarence Armstrong were Fort Worth and Arlington visitors Thursday and Friday. Mrs. Henry Bailey and children of Cross Cut and Mrs. A. W. Warren of Hart community were Putnam visitors Thursday afternoon. Harry Sandlin and sister, Miss Yella Sandlin were Cisco and Eastland visitors Thursday. Mesdames Nelson Bailey, Lula Dixon, L. B. Moore, and Jim Pierce spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Fisher of the Scott ranch. Mrs. Collins and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan and daughter, Miss Bertha Buchanan were Baird visitors Friday afternoon. Miss Dorothy Hampton of Cisco spent Wednesday night with Miss Nell Armstrong. Oscar Harwell was a Putnam visitor Sunday. Mesdames R. L. Clinton, E. C. Waddell, and Miss Ora Clinton were Cisco visitors Thursday. Mesdames Mary Thomasson and Joe Shackelford of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Shackelford Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Overton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nordyke and sons Doyl and Don, were Cottonwood visitors Sunday afternoon, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Nordyke and family. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hayes from Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook the first part of the week. Rev. Don Morris of A. C. C. Abilene preached two wonderful sermons at the Church of Christ Sunday, to a large appreciative audience. His subject at the eleven o'clock hour was, "The Church is Judged By the World", at the evening hour, "The Love of Christ Constrains Us". Rev. Morris is a wonderful teacher and speaker, and will deliver a Lenten message the first Sunday in April. Everybody is invited. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and little son, Reed of Cross Plains visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey Saturday night. The Little Theatre of Putnam will present "Let's Get Married" Friday evening April 3rd, at the old theatre building. Everybody come. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey's children gave them a "Surprise Dinner" at their home in North Putnam on March 15 the occasion being Mr. Ramsey's 63rd birthday. All kinds of nice eats and ice cream were enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isenhour and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lunsford and family, of Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis and daughter, of Colony, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco, and son, of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Eubank and daughter, Mary Lou, and Mr. and Mrs. Getzer, and Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and daughter, Mary Alice, and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey. The Women's Study club met Monday, March 23, in home of Mrs. B. F. Brittain with Mrs. L. B. Williams as hostess. After reports following the order of the day, the chairman of program committee submitted further explanations of subject selected for next year's work. It was voted to rescind the motion adopting this subject in order to reconsider a subject for next year's study. The meeting was then turned over to the leader of the day's program, Mrs. L. B. Williams. As this was parliamentary drill day, the club members were given a very helpful informative drill by our efficient parliamentarian, Mrs. J. N. Williams. A piano duet by Mesdames, E. C. Waddell and R. L. Clinton was well rendered and enjoyed very much by the club. The meeting adjourned to meet

have gotten all of their household goods moved to their new home in Lubbock. We wish them much success in their new home, though we miss them very much. We are very glad for Mr. and Mrs. Glacioso to move into our community. We hope they will be contented in their new home. Miss Bernice Tennison is ill this week we hope she will soon be able to go back to school. Miss Alyce Hazel spent Saturday night with Miss Lois Harper of Cisco. Mrs. Hart visited Mrs. Evans Tuesday. Mrs. Joe Voshalike visited her grandmother, Mrs. Balderer, Tuesday. Mrs. T. L. Owen spent Monday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Hazel. Mr. and Mrs. Palfrey of Cisco visited in this community Sunday. BEDFORD Rev. O. T. Hunt preached Sunday morning. Those that were not present missed something worth while. He will preach again the third Sunday in April. Mrs. George White and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Homer White, visited Mrs. E. D. Archer and Mrs. Matthews Monday afternoon. Mrs. Ornel Queen is spending this week on the plains with her parents. Herbert and Clarence Lewis and Wade Dulin attended the very interesting Pleasant Hill community last Wednesday night. Rev. Morton will preach at Bedford Sunday afternoon. Everybody come and bring some one with you. Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Fambrough were visiting in this community Thursday. Mrs. E. D. Archer and family spent the weekend in Doran, Texas with her daughter, Mrs. John Hibbert. Everybody come to Bedford next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. We are going to organize a Sunday school. Mrs. Elma Rice and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith. Mrs. Sallie Owen visited her parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. John Hazel at Idalou. Miss Daisy Evans, who was unable to attend school last week on account of illness is back in school now. Miss Lillian Smith teacher of the Bedford school had as her guests Mrs. J. C. Nicholas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Matthews, Sunday. UNION HILL Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gage were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Gage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duke. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wright were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Armstrong. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haviner visited Mr. and Mrs. George Scott Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Revis Tennison and his mother visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tennison Sunday. Mrs. T. D. Little, Mrs. Mona Jackson and Mrs. Jack Lacy visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Webb Wednesday. Mrs. Emma Hargrove visited her daughter, Mrs. Eva Vestal Monday. SABANNO Rev. S. P. Collins filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He delivered a splendid sermon. Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Huntington of Cross Plains were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Huntington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barron. Mr. and Mrs. Green spent the week end with Miss Edith Coppinger. Several from here attended the funeral of Jack Wood who was buried at Cisco Saturday. Mr. Wood formerly lived here, but at the time of his death he was living in Austin with his daughter. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones. Mrs. G. W. Hicks spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Howard Hicks. Miss Lorena Erwin of Cisco, Mrs. Laura McCoy and two sons, Howard and Otis of Breckenridge, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Erwin. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Webb were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King. Mrs. Moody Laminek was the Sunday afternoon guest of Mrs. G. W. Hicks. Miss Louise and Annette Erwin were the Sunday guests of Miss Mary Edna King. PUEBLO Everybody come to Cottonwood next Friday night and see the play "The Little Clothopper". There will be no admission charges. Rev. L. A. Thompson filled his regular appointments here Sunday morning and night. Miss Mary Cleveland and Ha Lee Farmer were the Sunday guests of Misses Mabel and Bertha Suggs of Cisco. Miss Cletta Huestis was the Sunday guest of Miss Ella Mae Gambin of Cisco. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland and family spent Sunday in Albany visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Yeager and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Author Yeager of Putnam. Emnis Tullos of Cisco spent Saturday night with Henry Pence. Mr. and Mrs. Jess McClain and daughter, Omega of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pange and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lamb of Cisco were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pence. Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Yeager were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McPadden. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hallmark and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Yeager. Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jackson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry

church at Nimrod Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien were guests in the J. W. Allen home Saturday night. J. W. Allen, Jack Cozart, Mrs. Lillie Perdue, Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien attended the funeral of Mr. Sandal at Cook Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Perdue and Dall Perdue and family attended church at Atwell Saturday and Sunday. J. W. Allen, D. B. Perdue and D. B. Perdue Jr., were in Eastland Monday on school business. Miss Carrie Belle Perdue spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Perdue. DAN HORN Rev. Baldman of Sabanno preached a fine sermon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Harris Friday night. A large crowd attended. Marshall Weld of Big Spring spent Tuesday here with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Weed. The farmers are very busy planting. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hull spent the weekend at Albany with Mrs. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clemmer. Miss Mary Bob Snoddy was the Wednesday night guest of Miss Lou Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. Benham Hull gave a party Saturday night which was well attended. Lewis Weld and George Moore spent Sunday with Robert Douglas. M. D. Speegle had business at Abilene this week. Mrs. Sam Hull and Mrs. Carrie Hull and son, George B., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tat Horn. Roy Lasater and Link Cozart of Nimrod attended the party here Saturday night. PISGAH The Rev. G. W. Wright filled his appointment at the church Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Melba Ruth Kyles of Colony was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Charlie Ben Parks. Mrs. Gene Runnels of Scranton spent Monday with her father, B. F. Speegles. Little Robert Lee Tonne is on the sick list. The entertainment given at the home of G. L. Bally was enjoyed by everyone. Robert Hagerman and family of Romney was the Sunday guests of Ed Tonnies. B. C. Speegles visited Mrs. Speegles at Carbad recently. He was accompanied to Brownwood by Mrs. Roy Speegles and son Wayne of Scranton who visited relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Snoddy of Scranton attended church here Sunday afternoon. Misses Lila Mae O'Brien and Bernice Bradshaw spent Tuesday night with Charlie Ben Parks. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark visited Oscar Schafer and sister, Mrs.

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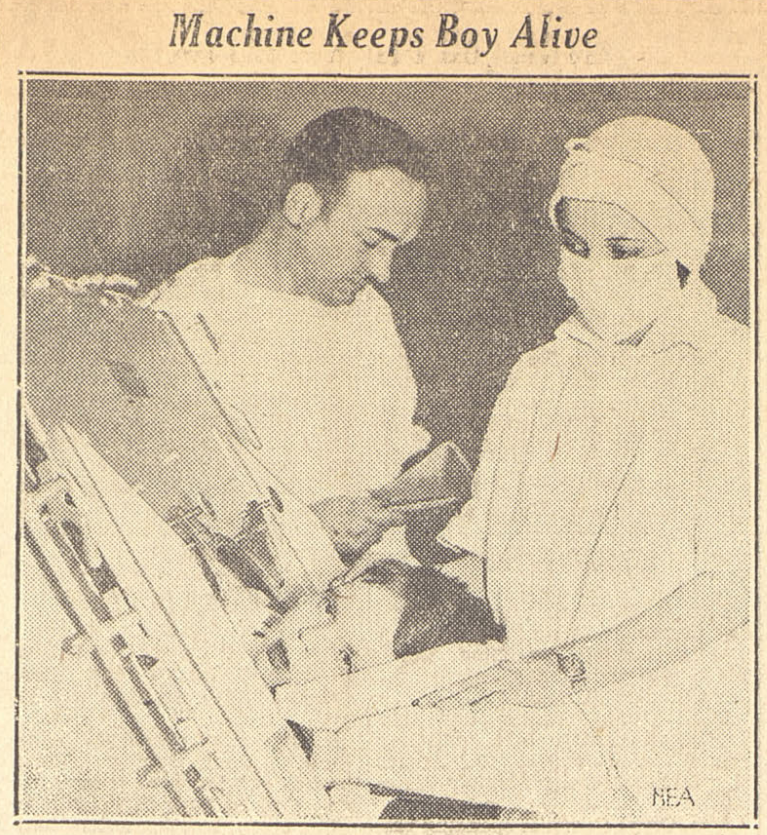


MAD MARRIAGE

I'll going to try," Gypsy said. "You'll do it. You two ought to get along all right. By the way, Jim, Wheeler called. He says that he's set for next Tuesday.

ing to ask about this marriage. What they'll want to know—and what I want to find out myself—is why did Jim break off with Marcia Loring?

she said, "he didn't." The little fellow might have been four years old. The red knitted suit enveloped him completely. He had blue eyes and a bit of brown hair showing beneath the edge of the red cap.



Machine Keeps Boy Alive Charles Caughey, 7, was convalescing from scarlet fever when diphtheria attacked him so he was rushed to St. Francis hospital at Evanston, Ill., and placed in a mechanical respirator, or "mechanical lung," which kept him alive.

Will Become Secretary of Telephone Co. Editor Cisco Daily News: "Colonel H. D. McBride, for fourteen years secretary of the general employees' benefit committee of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, and widely known for civic work in St. Louis will become secretary of the Telephone company.

Third Character Drawn Into Trial CHICAGO, March 26. — A mysterious third character was drawn into the trial of Leo V. Brothers on charges of murdering Alfred J. Lingle today through the testimony of Otto Svoboda, Bohemian chef, who claims to have been at the scene of the crime.

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Little Novels of Old Louisiana Mrs. Wharton, of all our novelists the most acutely aware of the fact that we have a social history...

These four stories of New Orleans are a special kind of tribute from the house of Appleton to the spirit of the hour. Specifically, the purpose is to repeat for other cities the success that attended the publication...

Old New Orleans, by Frances Tinker and Edward Laroque Tinker. D. Appleton and company, New York. Four volumes, boxed, \$5.

Gems of Earth, Water, Air, and Fire Wind-In-The-Grass, Bee-in-the-Briar, The Meadow her mother, the moth her sire...

Strife (The Seventies) takes us to the heart of the New Orleans citizenry during the darkest and tensest months of the carpet-bag regime. Naturally, the personal drama, which involves four people...

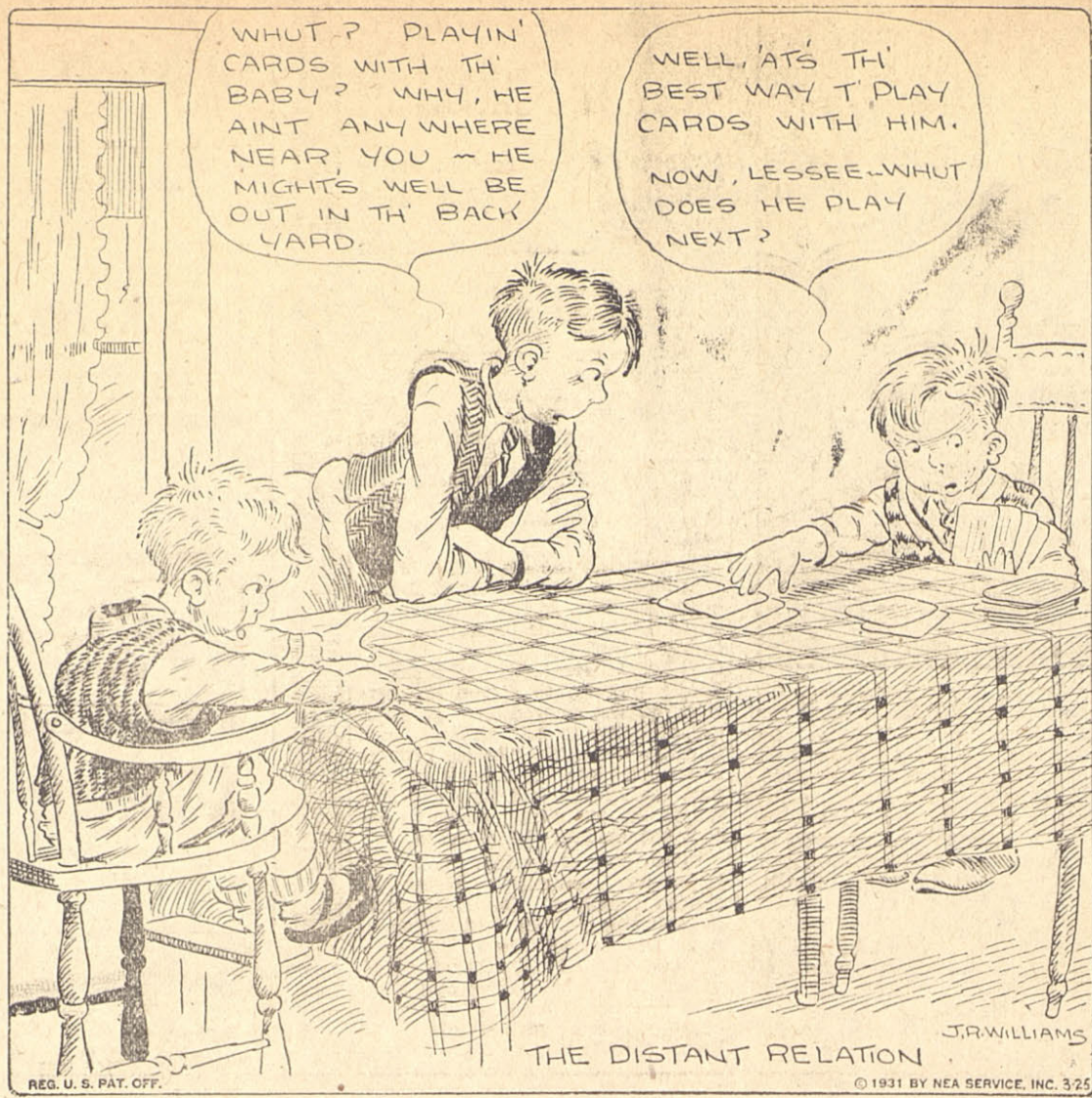
Aunt Emma is easily seen to be favored by her authors, but Sophronie of Windows Only surely excels her in both artless humor and imagination...

The general reader will prefer Madi Gras Masks (The Nineties) because it depicts New Orleans as the capital of gaiety during that decade in which the carnival spirit reigned supreme...

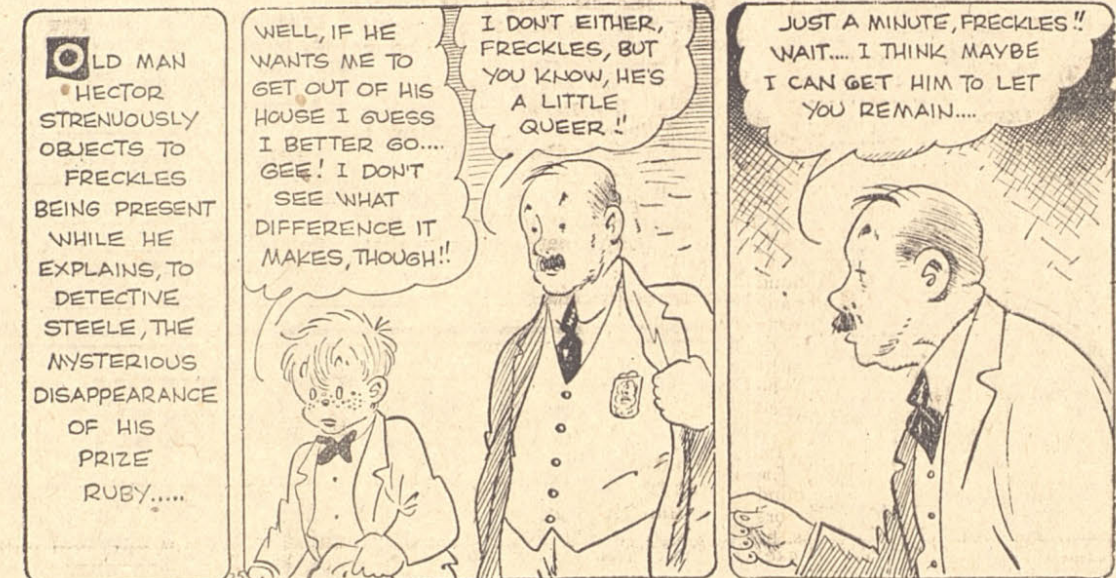
Wind in The Grass, by Christy MacKaye. Harper & Brothers, New York \$2.

TALLEST BOY IN ENGLAND CROYDON, Eng., March 26.—England's tallest schoolboy is Henry Hayden, 17, who is six feet, eight inches in height.

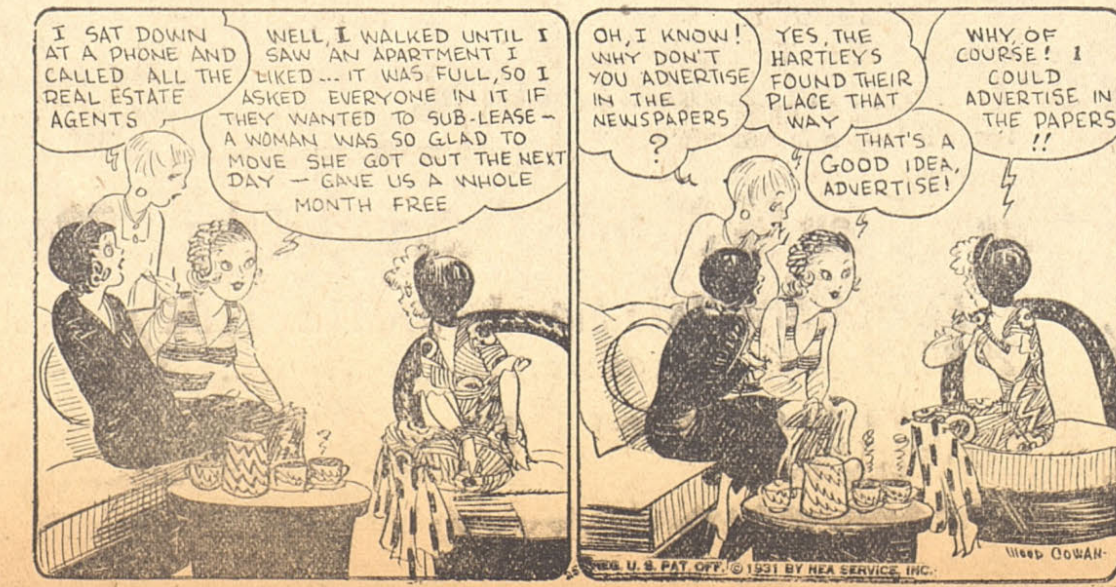
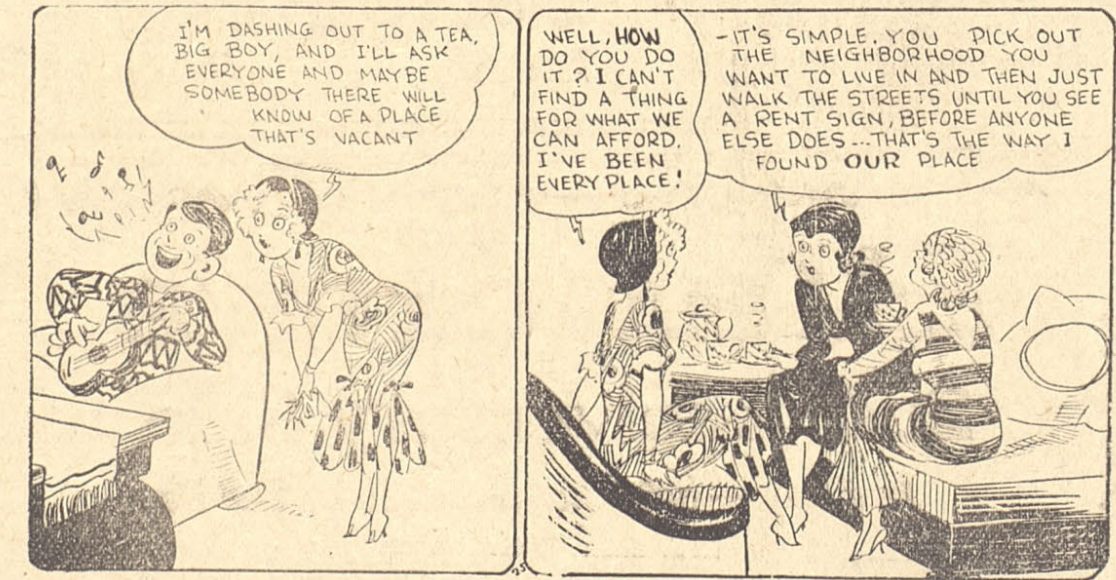
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TRAASURY DEPARTMENT - Office of the Secretary, Washington, D. C., March 6, 1931. Proposals are hereby solicited, to be opened in the Office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., at 9 o'clock, a. m., on April 10, for the sale of land...

NOTICE OF ELECTION Notice is hereby given that general election will be held in the City of Cisco on the 7th day of April 1931 for the purpose of electing a mayor and two city commissioners.

MEASURE FOR ONE VARIETY FARMER AID

AUSTIN, March 26.—Enactment of the one-variety cotton bill, modified after California laws, would put farmers in Texas on the easier road to higher prices, in the opinion of J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture.

McDonald pointed out that in ginning the speed of operations may be increased or decreased. Some staples, he said, gin best at low speed; others at high speed.

THE new, million dollar, Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground. It is modern, fire proof and complete in every detail.

KILLED SHAKING CABLE FORTLAND, Ore., March 26.—Stephen Kramer, 17, saw that an arc light near his home was not burning. He climbed the pole and saved the suspending cable a shake thinking the light would go on.

RUmania TAKES CENSUS BUCHAREST, March 26.—The first official census since the war, just completed shows a total population for "Greater Rumania" of 17,820,000.

Odem—"Star" moved into new home and installed new equipment.

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LOST-FOUND LOST - Nose glasses with black rims and gold chain; reward. Return to Cisco Daily News.

Special Notices EPILEPTICS - Will tell you how I was cured from dreadful madness. Nothing to sell. Write P. G. Volpert, Dept. 4-22, Box 117, Little Rock, Ark.

Seeds, Plants and Seeds FOR SALE - Strong tomato and vegetable plants. Mrs. Bob Winston, 913 West 10th street.

Statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by Act of Congress of Aug. 24, 1912, of Cisco American and Roundup, published weekly, Thursdays, at Cisco, Texas, for April 1, 1931.

Grand Prairie - Texas Electric Service Co announces reduced light schedule for this city.

Dallas-U. S. Loan office opened here

Tram Schedule RAILROAD TIME TABLE New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m. March 15th.

T. & P. West Bound. No. 7 1:45 a. m. No. 3 12:55 p. m. No. 1 "Sunshine Special" 5:05 p. m.

C. & N. E. Leaves Cisco 4:15 a. m. Arrive Breckenridge 6:00 a. m. Arrives Throckmorton 9:00 a. 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.

Business Directory Insurance J. M. WILLIAMSON & CO. General Insurance City Hall Bldg. Tel. 111

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

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

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

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

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CALENDAR

Friday
The 20th Century club will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the clubhouse. Mrs. H. I. Stock will be hostess. The Country club will have a picnic supper Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the clubhouse.
Miss Pauline Pryor and Miss Olga Pickens have returned to Fort Stockton after a short visit with friends in Cisco.
A. L. Mayhew and Charles Mayhew were business visitors in Carbon yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer are spending today in Abilene.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. DeRossette of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. DeRossette, last

John D. Becomes Airman---Almost



daughter, Mrs. L. A. White, yesterday.

Mrs. Molly Murray and son, L. V. of Cottonwood visited her brother, J. A. Jensen the first of the week.
A. L. Adams of Lufkin spent last night with his brother, L. R. Adams en route home from a trip to New Mexico.
J. A. Karkalits of Fort Worth was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Karkalits and Mrs. Frank Walker Tuesday.

Would Mr. Rockefeller go up in the plane? Mr. Rockefeller hesitated. No not today, he guessed. But the elderly oil magnate (center) did give Capt. J. Lerroll Boye (left) eight shiny new dimes as a reward for his offer to take him aloft in the record-breaking monoplane Columbia at Daytona Beach, Fla., the other day. Mrs. John L. Dick (right) of Toronto, Ont., was a member of Rockefeller's party which made a special trip to Daytona to see the famous craft, now being groomed for an assault on the world's non-fueled endurance record. This picture shows them inspecting the plane.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

Table listing closing prices for various New York stocks, including Am. Fwr. & Light, Am. Tel. & Tel., Anaconda, etc.

Eagle Pass — Recently acquired Sullivan tract being converted into first-class airport.
Taft—Carload of carrots shipped from this town on recent date for St. Louis.
El Paso—40,000,000-gallon reservoir planned for this city with cost \$210,000.
Houston — Preliminary work in progress on new \$7,000,000 passenger station at this city.

MORE LIES ARE TOLD AT ALTAR SAYS PREACHER

"There are more lies told at the church altar than any other place on earth," Rev. H. D. Tucker told his audience last night at the revival meeting at the First Methodist church.

A large crowd heard the message from the subject, "The Sin in Cisco That is Never Mentioned." Grady G. Morton lead a song service before the sermon and presented a solo, "Cast Your Bread Upon the Waters." Mr. Tucker announced that he would speak tonight at 7:45 from the subject, "Sowing and Reaping." Prayer meeting for adults at 7:15 and young people's meeting led by Mr. Morton at the same hour.

Announcing the sin that is never mentioned as the breaking of church vows, the Rev. Mr. Tucker said in part: "People come before the altar of the church and take a vow unto God and go right out and break it. People promise to attend the services of the church and go right out planning to go visiting next Sunday," he said. "People promise when they join the church to support the church and they can find money for everything on earth except the church," he declared.

"The thing about this sin is that it is never committed except by church members. Outsiders never commit this sin," he said. "There is not enough of reckless giving in the church today," Mr. Tucker declared. "The widow in the Bible and Mary who anointed Jesus are immortal because of their reckless giving. A lot of church people are very prudent and exercise a lot of self control when it comes to supporting the church," he said.

"A lot of people promise God a lot of things when they are sick or when in a storm and forget their promises as soon as the danger is past," the speaker said.

In closing his message Mr. Tucker urged his hearers to make this revival meeting a time of paying their vows unto God.

The subject Friday evening will be "Old Time Religion." This has been designated as First Baptist church night in the revival.

Borger — Huber Petroleum Co. purchased six-inch pipeline to Amarillo to deliver natural gas to that city.

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AGE ADMISSION

FRIDAY NIGHT Your age will be the price of Admission

SATURDAY In 1916

D. W. Griffith brought to the screen a picture that you will always remember for its epic sweep, beauty and grandeur. It was "Intolerance"

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week. B. Bennett of Fort Worth was also a guest.

Mrs. W. M. Joyner of Aransas Pass is visiting Mrs. O. C. Lomax and Mrs. E. Hart.

Mrs. L. A. White had as her guests yesterday her sister, Mrs. S. G. Oliver, and Mrs. E. Waldrof of Abilene.

Mrs. W. F. Elliott visited relatives in Anson Wednesday.

T. D. Carroll of Uvalde is in Cisco on business. Mr. Carroll lived in Cisco a number of years, but now lives on his ranch near the winter garden district of southwest Texas.

Mrs. Frank Logan and Mrs. Bob Mitchell of Coleman and Mesdames J. W. Mancill, Grace Bettis, and J. H. Brice returned yesterday from a visit in Dallas.

Miss Lillian Joyner of Aransas Pass is visiting Mrs. Pete Barnes.

Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Cunningham of Marietta, Ohio, are spending a few days at the Laguna hotel while visiting friends in Cisco.

A. W. Green of San Antonio is spending the weekend with his son, A. C. Green.

Mrs. H. R. Garrett left today for Dallas to attend the games of the Randolph Kittens.

Misses Nona and Emma Dean Mayhew were visitors in Eastland yesterday.

Miss Lucille Pierce is spending today in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Townsend of Moran were visitors here yesterday.

Rev. J. M. Howard and son of Canyon City were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Manley Branch of Haskell visited friends in Cisco yesterday.

Miss Nina Watts of Randolph college is visiting in Fort Worth.

Miss Doris Powell is leaving today for a short visit in Abilene.

Mrs. A. C. Green, Mrs. S. E. Hittson, and Mrs. P. R. Warwick spent yesterday in Abilene. They were joined by Mrs. Bill Royer of Midland.

Miss Jean Shackelford is leaving today for a short visit in Abilene.

Miss Ruby Russell is spending a few days in Fort Worth.

L. A. Barnes of St. Louis, Mo., was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Bob Althausan and Mrs. R. Cross of Ranger visited in Cisco Wednesday.

A. L. Keedy of Fort Worth was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Nomia Barron of Randolph college is spending the weekend in Graham.

Miss Dora Taylor of Wichita Falls visited friends in Cisco yesterday.

Misses Faye Kennedy and Jimmie Yarbrough were visitors in Dublin last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gilbert of Carbon were the guests of their

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Blanche's 2nd Anniversary Sale Last Day --- Saturday, March 28 --- Last Day Silk Dresses . . . . \$4.92 Wash Frocks . . . \$1.82 Sizes 14 to 48. New . . . Smart. HATS . . . . \$2.92 HOSE . . . . \$1.00 Large Selection . . Any Size. Sheer Chiffon . . Spring Shades. CHILDREN'S Anklets, 5 pair for \$1.00 Costume Jewelry . . 92c EXTRA SPECIAL: Saturday 9 to 11 a. m., Only 25 Silk Dresses . . . each . . . . \$2.22 Free Valuable Gift with each purchase up to 9 a. m., while they last. Free One Pair Silk Hose with each \$10.00 Purchase.

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