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LEVITT MOVE TO BAR BLACK WAITS

The Cisco Daily Press is the only home-owned and operated newspaper in Cisco, the official paper of the city, with guaranteed circulation built on service to its community, and a program dedicated to the building of Cisco in material and in spirit so that all may prosper and be happy in the best little city in Texas.

Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE

City has found another liberal expression in her house craze. Latest unique of its products exhibited in Cisco Sunday device designed and ed by a man crippled legs paused at a local station. It consisted of red wheel chair with a trailer house hooked ar.

Little house on wheels tipped with about every ce possible to put on wheel chair was pow-n a small gasoline mo-was of itself more an interest perhaps than er little trailer home it For economy in trans- speed and some of the for safety embodied regular automobile, it e hard to beat the de-

one manners is the sub- interesting article in issue of the Readers In a friendly manner it finger of accusation at in which most of us use phone, and particularly s we say over it.

Telephone operator is held model of courtesy and st master in the use of ver that turneth away The manner in which ator responded to the stions of a customer is rly amusing. It doubt- fliated his tempestuous y right sudden.

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Americans in Fighting Are in Peril

GHAI, Oct. 4 (AP)—Im- pread of the Sino-Jana- to the Shangtung prov- y imperilled 80 Ameri- lians at Chefoo, Shang-

he military authorities he United States destroy- ron to evacuate the har- use they might blow up twater. and navy department of- Washington said they had told of the warning.

Funeral for Ed Howe Held Tuesday

ISON, Kan., Oct. 4 (AP)— services for Ed Howe, 3 yesterday in his sleep, held here today.

Imports Restricted War Move

O, Oct. 4 (AP)—In a des- nove for economic self- y in the war with Chi- anese trade commission eered that the importa- more than three hundred ties must be prohibited ed to the minimum.

Baird Students in Outing at Lake

Sophomore and freshmen students of Baird high school enjoyed a picnic and skating party at Lake Cisco Saturday evening.

Weather

Texas: Cooler in the pan- tonight and in the north- Tuesday. Texas: Cooler in the north- today.

On Contest Committee



Robert L. Maddox, Cisco Lobo bandmaster who has been elected to membership on the contest committee of the west Texas band leaders association.

Lobo Bandmaster On West Texas Contest Committee

Robert L. Maddox, band director of the Cisco Lobo band, yesterday was elected to the committee on contest will be held at the select- West Texas band leaders held at Big Spring for the purpose of selecting the 1938 band contest city. The four making up this committee included H. A. Anderson, chairman, of San Angelo, Russell Scheaeder of Sweetwater, James E. King of Coleman, and R. L. Maddox.

It was decided at the meeting to accept the invitation of San Angelo as the contest city for the Texas schools band and orchestra concerts for the year 1938. The contest will be held at the select- ed site on the 28, 29 and 30 of April. Those cities whose invita- tions were received for the con- test city were Abilene, Sweet- water, Lubbock, Cisco, Big Spring and Brownwood. A rule was adopted at the meeting requiring all entrants who wished to partic- ipate in the band contest to have entered the marching con- test. For this reason we must have a good marching band this year as well as one that can play. Mr. Maddox said.

The growing interest in the band is shown by this year's fine enrollment and the schools interest is manifested by the fact that ten new band uniforms have just been recently ordered and are due to arrive in time to be used Friday in the dedication ceremonies of the new Lobo stadium. With the addition of these uniforms the band will be able to put over 60 uniformed members on the field, said Mr. Maddox.

Just as a passing comment, the band reporter mentioned that the band turned out 73 strong for the Stephenville game last week, making the Cisco band one of the largest in the district and one of the largest ever to be turned out by the Cisco high school.

Mr. Maddox announced this afternoon that he expected to take the band to Abilene tomorrow for a contest in marching drills, but it was not yet certain that they would go. He expected to know by late this afternoon whether or not the band will make the trip.

Miss Olga McCoy who visited Mrs. Edward Mancill Sunday, has returned to her home in Fort Worth.

CONSTRUCTION COMP'NY SUPT. ARRIVES HERE

Work on Overpass Due to Begin About October 15

Albert A. Hanson, superintendent of construction for the Jensen Construction company of Austin, contractors on the new overpass at Eighth street and Katy railroad, arrived Sunday to take charge of the project for his company.

Work orders are expected momentarily from the Texas Highway department at Austin, Mr. Hanson said, while materials and equipment are on the way.

Actual construction is due to get under way about the middle of the month and a period of six or seven months, depending upon weather conditions, is estimated to be required for completion of the structure.

About 50 men will be employed, Mr. Hanson estimated. A staff of highway department engineers has been on the ground for several weeks making surveys and doing other work preliminary to the beginning of construction.

The Jensen Construction company secured contract on the job with a bid of approximately \$110,000.

Floor Prepared for Biggest Dance of Season Tuesday

The dance floor of the Lake Cisco Amusement company's big pavilion was being sanded and waxed today in preparation for the swarms of dancers expected to crowd into the Lake Cisco amusement center tomorrow evening to dance to the strains of Jackie Coogan's Hollywood Hit Parade orchestra.

Three men have been employed to supervise the parking of cars so that order may be maintained and the greatest number of vehicles parked conveniently. Coogan, celebrated child motion picture star, will bring to Lake Cisco what is declared the greatest attraction that the amusement company has ever offered. In the roster of cinema luminaries who will be here for the four-hour dance and a 45-minute floor show, are Lila Lee, former wife of Charles Chaplin who discovered Coogan and introduced to the screen as the juvenile hit of "The Kid," and Princess Luana, featured dancer in Bing Crosby's Wakiki Wedding; Don Eddy and Lilian Tours, dancing team of "The Kid," and Princess Luana, featured dancer in Bing Crosby's Wakiki Wedding; Don Eddy and Lilian Tours, dancing team of "The Kid," and Princess Luana, featured dancer in Bing Crosby's Wakiki Wedding.

The orchestra is the same which has played for many years at the Trocadero club, movie resort of Hollywood. Houston, Dallas and Austin are the only other cities in Texas able to secure this attraction.

The dance begins at 10 o'clock Tuesday evening. J. T. Berry, manager of the amusement company, advised Cisco people who wish to attend, to secure tickets immediately as orders from out of town are piling up at a rate which threatens to exceed the capacity of the floor.

NIGHT CLUB EYES CONVENT WARSAW, Poland, Oct. 4 (AP)—Proposed transformation of an old convent here into a modern night club has brought frowns from the city fathers. Authorities protest the convent is too valuable historically to be rebuilt.

Miss Olga McCoy who visited Mrs. Edward Mancill Sunday, has returned to her home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Chumney and children have returned from a week-end visit in Dallas.

Black's Road to the Supreme Court

AP Feature Service Writer This man Black . . . is 51 years old, a teetotaler, a Baptist, Shriner, Odd Fellow and Knight of Pythias.

Washington book-store owners know him as an habitual browser, a man with an eye for good editions of the classics, chiefly English, which he loves to collect.

He was born on a farm in Clay county, Alabama, in 1886. His full name is Hugo Lafayette Black. His story, until the storm broke over his appointment to the supreme court, follows the traditional patterns of the American success story.

Fought Corporations He picked cotton, worked behind the counter in his father's general store, attended the local grade school. When other boys were playing ball or starting out on fishing trips, he stayed behind to sit in the courthouse at Ashland. The talk of lawyers fascinated him, and it was at this period that he decided to study law.

Left an orphan, he worked his way through the University of Alabama to a law degree in 1906. Five feet nine, with a keen look to his face, he returned to Ashland and hung out his shingle. A few months later fire destroyed his office—books, records and all.

He set out for Birmingham with \$10 in his pocket. Again he started a law practice. Soon he had the reputation of being an anti-corporation lawyer, a man who championed the underdog in legal suits. He also represented some labor unions, which made up financially for the cases he took on for nothing.

Beat Underwood Machine In 1921 he married Josephine Foster of Birmingham. They have three children, Hugo Lafayette, now 16, Sterling Foster, 13, and Martha Josephine, 4.

Birmingham underwent a clean-up movement in 1915; Black ran for city solicitor, a post like that of district attorney. He was elected. Again, on a reform ticket, he campaigned for city judge.

He was on the bench when the United States entered the World

war. Black resigned to enlist, served overseas, came back a captain of field artillery, resumed his law practice.

In 1926 the retirement of Oscar W. Underwood as United States senator proved the turning point in Black's career. He had to buck the powerful Underwood machine arrayed against him, and was given little chance to win. John H. Bankhead, his leading opponent for the democrat nomination—tantamount to election—termed him "just another damage suit lawyer." Black won, making effective use of Bankhead's remarks. In this campaign, observers agree, he had the endorsement of the Ku Klux Klan.

Favored Power Project In the senate, Black remained for a time an obscure figure in inconspicuous garb, a spare, thin man who said little and that little without rhetorical flourishes. When he got his stride, his speeches on the floor of the senate were characterized by a businesslike approach to the problem. He was caustic, however, when other senators made the welkin ring with their bombast. Once, when a distinguished colleague had finished his oration, Black got up.

"There is just one thing I'd like to know," he said. "Is the senator for or against the bill?"

Black soon achieved a reputation for his learning and his wit. He also was considered radical.

While Hoover was president, Black proposed an investigation of ocean mail subsidies. His resolution was defeated. Under Roosevelt, his resolution passed, after being amended to include air-mail subsidies. He became chairman of the committee. In June, 1930, while Hoover was still president, Black attacked the administration for not disposing of the Muscle Shoals problem, charging the government was losing \$4,000,000 a year by inaction.

Wants 'Policed' Capitalism A loyal democrat, the same year he broke with his colleague, Tom Heflin, for bolting the party in



1928, when Al Smith was the standard bearer.

Outspoken in his criticism, he laid down a barrage against the Hawley-Smoot tariff act and the Hoover administration itself, and in 1931 challenged the accuracy of former President Coolidge who had declared there was a "superfluity" of nitrates and that Muscle Shoals wasn't necessary.

He believes in government ownership of power projects, and in

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PAPERS WILL BE SUBMITTED BY PLAINTIFF

Court Action Upon Motion Expected on Monday

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4 (AP)—The Supreme Court deferred action today on the motion by Albert Levitt designed to compel Justice Hugo Black to show the cause why he should be permitted to sit on the tribunal.

Whether the court will grant or deny the motion will probably be announced next Monday. It could take action any time.

Levitt arose and said that he had submitted the motion asking permission to file a petition challenging the Black appointment.

"You may submit papers," Chief Justice Hughes said.

Black, whose appointment aroused a controversy over whether he had been or was connected with the Klan, entered the room with other members just after noon.

He did not take oath and was sworn in privately after the senate confirmation in August.

Foes of Mixed Drinks Sale Win Victory

AUSTIN, Oct. 4 (AP)—Foes of the legal sale of mixed hard liquor drinks scored a major victory in the house today. The house returned to committee a bill to permit such sales in counties desiring them.

An effort to kill the motion to recommit failed 60 to 60.

The proposal to investigate the state old age assistance administration failed by a large majority after a sharp debate in the house.

Gustafson, Starling Chapel Speakers

O. Gustafson and A. S. Starling spoke this morning at the high school chapel period on the subject, "Fire Prevention." Gustafson, city fire marshal, gave pointers on how we might prevent fires and named a long list of "don'ts." A. D. Starling, local furniture man then gave a talk along the same lines and included in his speech a discussion of the fire insurance business. This week being fire prevention week, a campaign is being carried on by all the schools to educate the children to the importance of preventive measures.

The rest of the program was given over to the Cisco Lobo football mentors who presented their views on Cisco's chances in the game with the Big Spring Steers Friday.

Two Slightly Hurt When Car Is Hit

Two persons escaped with slight injuries last night as two cars collided on the Cisco-Rising Star highway about six miles south of town. A Pontiac coupe driven by Archie Mund, brother-in-law of Mrs. C. J. Pross of Cisco, was hit as it was parked at the side of the highway, damaging both cars badly. The other car was a Ford V-8. Its occupants were not identified.

Mrs. Bennie Mund and Mrs. C. J. Pross were in the coupe at the time of the accident. Archie Mund had been attempting to repair his car which had stalled. Mr. Mund and Mrs. Pross were taken to the hospital where Mr. Mund was treated for slight lacerations about the head and Mrs. Pross for a few minor cuts. It was feared that Mrs. Pross might have sustained a broken rib but this had not been determined.

Clyde Thompson Wounded in Attempted Break From Prison

DEDICATION IS PLANNED

Garrett to Be Stadium Opening Speaker

Cong. Clyde L. Garrett, provided he is not prevented from doing so by the hearing at Abilene in the suit of former Cong. Thos. L. Blanton against him for alleged libel in the campaign in which Garrett defeated Blanton, will be the principal speaker in a brief ceremony dedicating the new Lo-

AN APPROPRIATE ACT In view of the fact that the new Lobo football stadium has been built at considerable expense and sacrifice by the Cisco school board, it would be a most appropriate act on the part of Cisco merchants if they would close their places of business at least for the short dedicatory program at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, preceding the Cisco-Big Spring game, Supt. of Schools R. N. Cluck suggested today.

The stadium is a project of which the schools are proud and the community should be proud, Mr. Cluck said. He urged that business men consider closing for the program, if they cannot close for the duration of the game, as a gesture of community interest and cooperation.

bo stadium Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The program arranged by the school board and officials today

Two Other Convicts Shot to Death; Third May Die

Clyde Thompson, convicted of murder charges in connection with the deaths of Clyde and Lucian Shook near Leary in 1928, was wounded slightly in an attempted break from Eastham prison farm at Huntsville yesterday in which two convicts were shot to death and another was probably fatally wounded.

The break occurred when 27 inmates of the prison farm attempted to escape. A guard on top of the quarters of the prisoners picked off three of the four as the group dashed from the building and another guard slipped around the building and felled another. The remainder of the group rushed back into the building where they were quelled.

Two Killed The two convicts killed were Austin Avers who was serving a sentence for participating in the death house escape of 1934 of the late Raymond Hamilton, Joe Parker and others, and Roy Thornton, husband of the late Bonnie Parker, notorious associate of Clyde Barrow, with whom she was shot to death by officers. Forest Gibson, one-eyed slayer serving a 60-year term for killing a prison guard in a break from Retrieve prison farm last June, was wounded so critically he was expected to die.

Thompson was shot in the shoulder.

Fashioned Key The 27 prisoners, segregated because they are considered incorrigible and the most dangerous of Texas' 6,000 odd convicts, fashioned a "home-made" key in some

FD HINTS OF NEW SESSION

Crop Control Legislation Needed, Says

GRANDFORKS, N. D., Oct. 4 (AP)—In an address strongly hinting at a special session of congress, President Roosevelt asserted today that surplus crop control legislation "ought to be passed at the earliest possible moment."

Mentioning the supreme court for the first time on his western trip, he disagreed with its majority ruling invalidating the AAA form of production control.

He said he felt certain that congress will heed the wish of most of the farmers in enacting control legislation. He said because legislation was not passed last session it was too late for it to "have any bearing on winter wheat which is now in the ground."

Father of Mrs. Lee Heltzel Succumbs

Funeral services for S. W. Sutherland, 75, father of Mrs. Lee Heltzel of Cisco, will be held from the family residence at Albany this afternoon at 3 o'clock with interment in Albany cemetery. The Albany Methodist minister will officiate.

Mr. Sutherland died at his home at 12:30 Sunday morning.

He was born September 6, 1862. His wife and seven children survive.

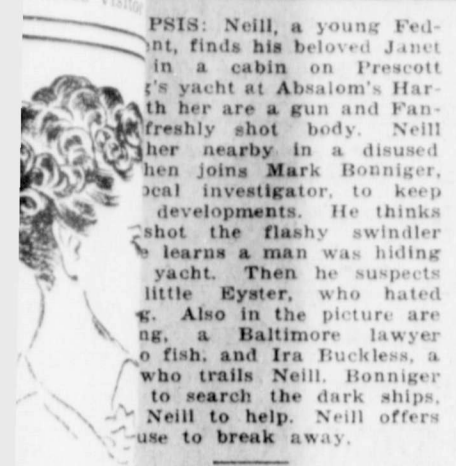
A. Angus spent Sunday in Ranger with his daughter.

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The dark ships

HULBERT FOOTNER



PSIS: Neill, a young Federal agent, finds his beloved Janet in a cabin on Frowcott's yacht at Absalom's Harbor. Her body is fresh and she is freshly shot. Neill is nearby in a doused boat. Then he suspects the little Eyster, who hated Neill. Also in the picture are a Baltimore lawyer, a fish, and Ira Buckless, a who trails Neill. Bonniger to search the dark ships. Neill to help. Neill offers use to break away.

Chapter 29
We Are Trapped!
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The Alarm Goes Up

All was still. Alongside ran the smooth steel hull of the Columbia with a row of dark port-holes. Her promenade was some 10 feet higher. There were 11 men stationed about the decks of the vessels but Neill had the advantage of knowing where each was placed. At the moment he was safe under cover of the promenade, but he would have to expose himself when he leaped over to the Columbia, and again from the Columbia to the Abraham Lincoln.

Aft of where he crouched, he could see a faint radiance issuing from the windows opening on deck. It came and went. This would be the searching party inside the ship. He crept to a ladder and ascended to the upper promenade. He was now on a level with the Columbia's promenade. Between four and five feet separated rail from rail. He took off his boots and hung them around his neck.

He made the first leap in safety and ran noiselessly aft along the promenade of the Columbia and around her stern. A roof overhead shielded him from the observation of the watcher on the after bridge. The promenade deck on the Abraham Lincoln alongside was on the same level.

As Neill made his second leap a surprised voice from above rang out: "Hey! What's that? Halt!" and the light of a flash struck down between the vessels.

The flash didn't pick him up. He ran forward on the promenade like a deer. (The Lincoln was pointing upstream). To get around the bow, he had to expose himself to the watcher above, but this man had been drawn aft by the cry of alarm and Neill was not seen.

The men on the different ships were shouting back and forth to each other, and Neill could hear running feet converging on the Lincoln. He worked with feverish haste. First to count windows on the promenade; 12 from the bow. There was plenty of rope. He unrolled a coil and tied it in a slip knot to a stanchion opposite the twelfth window, letting both ends hang overboard.

He lowered himself over the rail. His calculations were right; he came down opposite the open window of the veranda outside Janet's suite. Swinging his legs inside, he caught hold of the top of the frame and dropped to the deck. The suite was dark, but he was aware of Janet's presence. He heard her catch her breath in mortal fear, and snatch up the gun.

"Jen!" he whispered. "It's me, Neill!"

A shuddering breath escaped her and the gun dropped to the floor. Neill jerked the rope, bringing it free above, and let the whole thing fall in the river. The tide would carry it away. He caught Janet in his arms and held her close.

"There's Always a Way"

"Oh, N-Neill!" she stammered, trying to laugh. "I thought they had me! . . . I thought they had me!"

"It's all right, Honey."
"Why did you come that way?"
"I had no choice. They are searching the ships."
"Searching the ships!"
He laughed to reassure her. I'm

REG'LAR FELLERS



one of the searching party!"
"Oh, Neill!"
"It's all right; We'll fool them yet!"

She clung to him silently. After a moment she murmured, speaking with difficulty: "No! . . . You must go back to them, Neill!"
"What!"
"When I am found you must make out that you never saw me before."

He laughed, rubbing his cheek in her hair. "Don't be foolish!"
"I mean it, Neill! There is no need for you to be drawn into it. You can help me more if you are free and unsuspected."

"I'm not going to leave you. We're in this together!"
"But Neill . . .!"
"Listen! Let's see if we can't dope out what they're up to."

He drew her out on the veranda and they stood listening at the open window. In the intense stillness, voices came drifting down from the boat deck. They distinguished Bonniger's voice.
"You say you saw somebody aboard this vessel?"

"I saw something, Mr. Bonniger. A shadow, like, flitting across from rail to rail. When I turned my light that way, it was gone."
"Somebody else said: 'I heard a splash.'"
"We'll search this vessel," said Bonniger.

"If he was on deck he couldn't get down below," put in Bickel.
"There is always a way, Captain. I have already found one unlocked door, yonder. It leads into the engine room."

"There was a silence while Bickel presumably examined the door. 'Well, I'll be darned!' he said. 'I'll rope this up right now. If he went down here he can't get out again.'"
"Forsythe," said Bonniger. "go

back to the Montmorenci and bring over the rest of the search party. You men who are posted on deck, go back to your stations and keep a sharp lookout."

The voices moved away out of hearing.
"We are trapped!" murmured Janet.

"As Bonniger says, 'there is always a way,' said Neill with more confidence than he felt.
"Let us go down the rope lad-

der and swim for it."
"Useless, Honey. The ladder would be found and we wouldn't get far."

"Then let us give ourselves up and be done with it. What's the use of prolonging the agony?"
"No!"

"Have you any plan?"
"Wait! I'm not going to give up until I am forced to. . . Quick! We've got to clean up this cabin. We must leave it looking exactly

as we found it."
He snapped on the flashlight and laid it on the floor. He closed the windows on the veranda and the French windows, and they set about gathering up everything they had brought into the suite: ropes, bucket, spare clothes. The remains of the food and water were put in the bread box. It made a considerable load to divide between them.

When they were ready, Neill unbolted all the doors giving on the corridor as they had been when they came. They stole out, carrying their belongings.
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Janet and Neill play hide and seek with the searchers, tomorrow.
Maine sells about 35,000 fishing licenses annually to persons from other states.

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Breck Jurist Is Speaker for Veterans Meet

Judge Frank S. Roberts of Breckenridge was the principal speaker at the picnic held by the Spanish-American war veterans at Lake Cisco Sunday. Short talks were made by other members. Those present were Commander J. B. Heister and Mrs. Heister, Mrs. W. T. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ringold, Carl Christian and daughter, Dorothy, Miss Marsha Williamson, Lillian Ruth Carter, Floyd Ragon, Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Vermillion and family, Miss Mary Louise Robertson, James Robertson, Olden; Commander C. M. Herring and Mrs. Herring, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richard, Mrs. W. T. Dougherty, Miss Allie Dougherty, Mrs. W. E. Hibburn, Mrs. Bertie Coon, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Armstrong and family, Mr. and Mrs. Karl K. White, Eastland; Gena and Margie Aira, Mings; Judge Frank S. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Molbrook, Raymond Walton, O. R. Walton, Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hubert, Moran; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Tatum, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Paul Yardley, Miss Lucile Bacon, Cisco.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher have returned from Deademona where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Lula Rushing held Sunday.

Miss Gracie Lee Hanks of Midland was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Delmar Johnson, and Mr. Johnson Sunday.

Miss Elsie Pulley has returned to Stephenville to school after a week-end visit at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Henderson have returned to their home in Roscoe after a week-end visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson have returned from a visit in San Angelo with Miss Jean Alexander.

Miss Mackie Boswell has returned from a visit in DeLeon with relatives.

Misses Mary Frances and Kathleen Keough returned this morning to Fort Worth to school.

R. W. Mancill and Zed Kilborn left this morning on a business trip to Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cooper spent Sunday in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Moldave and daughter, Evelyn, of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Starr Sunday.

Mmes. Harvey Roberts and Harvey Penick have returned to their homes in Austin after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee.

Mrs. H. L. Mobley, Sr., has returned to her home in Austin.

Mrs. R. C. Ayres of Dallas daughter of Mrs. Lillie Baugh, is the guest of her mother.

Mrs. W. L. Harrell left Sunday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Berry, in San Angelo.

Mrs. T. A. Graves and daughter, Miss De Alva, have returned from a week's visit in South Bend.

Clyde Thompson--

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manner as yet undetermined and slipped out of their quarters in the south wing of the prison 40 miles from Huntsville.

Thornton and Gibson sneaked up behind Theo Williams, guard assigned to the building, and overpowered him. Armed with his pistol, they stole down a hall about 2 feet and jammed the gun into the ribs of Guard W. A. Waller.

They then released their fellows and all dashed outside. J. M. Thomas, stationed atop the wing, saw Thornton first and killed him instantly with a burst from his rifle. He then killed Avers, and shot Gibson three times.

Another guard who had heard the shooting slipped around the other side of the building and shot Thompson.

Frightened—The others raced back into the building and meekly surrendered.

Prison System Manager O. J. S. Ellington, informed immediately at Huntsville, said the guards "had the situation well under control. All convicts at the farm, including the 23 left of the breakers, and 381 in another section, who did not participate, are back in the cells under heavy guards.

The 381 other convicts were in their dining room eating dinner at the time of the shootings and saw the attempt. They were safely behind bars, however, and created no disturbance.

Ellington said he would make a thorough investigation to determine how the prisoners fashioned their key.

Thornton was serving 50 years for burglary and robbery from Dallas and Ellis counties.

Avers was serving 99 years for various offenses from Dallas, Tarrant and Walker counties. He previously had escaped from Oklahoma and Texas penitentiaries and was called by police the man who smuggled guns into the penitentiary for the murderous Hamilton death house break.

Officers said he drove the automobile in which Hamilton, later executed for killing a guard in the escape, fled to freedom and a long period of crime.

Gibson broke the Retrieve Farm

CLASSIFIED SECTION

Cisco Daily Press and Rural Edition

Every Day Except Saturday. All classified advertising received before 2:30 p. m. will appear in the evening Press of that date unless otherwise ordered. Classified advertisements to appear in the Sunday morning edition will be received until 8 p. m. Saturday.

FOR RENT—5-room house, new inside finish, \$15.00, 704 East 23rd street. tf

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 207 Ave. 1. tf

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WANTED names, men under 26 who are willing to work for \$75 a month while training to become aviators or ground mechanics. One year's training given by U. S. Air Corps. Costs absolutely nothing. Flying Intelligence Service, Box 522, Milwaukee, Wis.

FOR RENT—Small farm, close to town, 1101 West 7th street. Mrs. Fred Rutledge. 52-3tc

with Luke Trammell after killing Felix Smith, a guard, late last June. They were caught two weeks later as they slept on a muddy byroad three miles south of Thornton. Trammell was executed for the killing and Gibson received 60 years.

Thompson was given death in 1928 for killing two brothers, but Governor Ross Sterling commuted his sentence to life imprisonment. Later he slew another convict as a fellow inmate held the victim.

Mrs. H. E. Barnett and daughter, Irene, of Roswell, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hittson. The Barnetts formerly lived here.

VISIT HERE SUNDAY
Judge Geo. L. Davenport and Mrs. Davenport, Judge B. W. Patterson and Mrs. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Karkalits of Eastland visited Mrs. J. W. Mancill and Mrs. Edward Mancill Sunday afternoon.

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