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CISCO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1938

ONE STAR VAN PARMER TO BE ACIDIZED

reasury Seeks Alternatives for Defeated Surtax

Through the
Editor's
Spectacles

By GEORGE

travels much sees better than he has at home. Thus, tends to that effect, goes to the truth of it is constant.

to be significant to note that those who come from other places, invariably the community as a living. These visitors, in experiences elsewhere, position to compare directly.

come nice words from Hazen Redmond of the Rev. and Mrs. Lambert who have come from Houston to the First Christian

Redmond:

travelling some 15,000 miles in the United States since Jan. 1, 1937, I arrived in Friday afternoon.

been with very dear friends, Rev. and Mrs. Lambert of the First church here and also Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McKissick who are old friends of my mother.

an ideal town to make me in. It is clean and has climate and its people friendly."

people appreciate those words. Cisco people who are tired of the same old got to take off and visit for comparisons that are with the superintendents of their home

reminds me of the habit of a fellow, not in Cisco, whenever he became home, subscribed to the of a town to which he should like to go and a couple of months. At that time he was cured, and that town as well as its problems, went back to his job and of life with satisfaction.

quarters for

rene Church
ted Here

on the headquarters of the Church of the Nazarene in Cisco was an this week following pur-

a permanent residence

district superintendent at Ninth street,

J. Walter Hall, district

has already moved into their home. He and

have three children at

of whom is now away at college.

other families are due to

here in connection with

headquarters here,

was chosen as the head-

site over Ichita Falls,

For, Waco and Denton.

Mrs. David Tyndall and

Mrs. Lonnie Scheckley,

ding today in De Leon.

Weather

Texas: Fair tonight and Friday in the northwest.

Texas: Fair tonight and

Warmer in the south and

northeast.

Approval.

HOUSE REVOLT IS SURPRISE TO LEADERS

Morgenthau Declines
Comment; Wants
Revenues Made Up

WASHINGTON, March 10 (AP)—Secretary Morgenthau announced today that the treasury was preparing alternate revenue-raising proposals to fill the \$41,000,000 gap in the new tax bill left by the defeat in the house of the special surtax tax on closely held corporations.

Morgenthau declined comment on yesterday's house action except to say the administration wanted any revenue losses in the bill made up.

The house revolt which slashed the surtax from the tax bill had these immediate results:

It sidetracked the revenue bill temporarily, perhaps for several days.

Chairman Doughton (D-N.C.) on the ways and means committee

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Funeral Service Is Held for Mrs. Nora Hale

Mrs. Nora Hale, wife of T. J. Hale, died at Carbon Tuesday and was buried yesterday. At her death she was 52 years and 11 months of age.

Four of seven children survive her. Three daughters died in infancy. The surviving children are Mrs. M. L. Wooley of Death Valley, Calif., and Leonard, Emmett and Marvin Hale, all of Carbon.

Three grand children also survive as well as three brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Hale was born Miss Nora Bell Barron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Barron, on April 8, 1885, in Carroll county, Georgia. She came to Texas in 1899 and was married to Mr. Hale on November 2, 1902.

She was converted and joined the Missionary Baptist church at Bear Springs when she was about 18 years of age. At the time of her death she was a consistent member of the church at Mangum.

Pall bearers for the services yesterday were Jim Liles, R. L. Smith, Roy Tucker, Robert Tucker, Ike Patterson of Cisco, the Rev. P. W. Walker and the Rev. Cartilage of Eastland as speakers.

Thurman Cole is transacting business in Rising Star today.

Committee for 4 th of July Appointed

The committee for the Fourth of July celebration at Lake Cisco to be sponsored by the Cisco chamber of commerce in cooperation with the Lake Cisco Amusement company this summer was appointed today by President S. H. Nance of the chamber.

It consists of B. A. Butler, chairman, and E. P. Crawford, J. D. Lauderdale, Charles Sandler and L. L. Thornton.

Tentative plans, as discussed by the board of directors at the time the celebration was ordered, call for a three-day program. The committee was directed to formulate a tentative program and present this to the chamber for final approval.

On Plane Lost in California



UTILITY HEAD CHARGED WITH 'CONSPIRACY'

Ickes Accused Willkie
of Trying to Hold
Up TVA Project

WASHINGTON, March 10 (AP)—Secretary Ickes made public a letter today in which he charged Wendell Willkie, president of Commonwealth and Southern, with asking the Public Works administration to "conspire" with him to hold up the \$150,000,000 WPA-municipal power project in the Tennessee valley.

Ickes letter, addressed to Mayor Watkins Overton, Memphis, was in reply to a telegram from the mayor asking whether the WPA would recommend delay in the construction of the electric distribution systems.

Meanwhile, Senator Bridges, New Hampshire republican, denounced the TVA in a senate address yesterday in which he characterized David Lilienthal, a director, as its "Der Fuehrer," charged that an "authoritarian state" had come into being and demanded a congressional investigation.

Fred Moses, TVA field manager, he denounced as a brownshirt "Meese" and a "Hitler in short pants." He should be called to account before a senate committee for utterances attributed to him, the senator said.

He shouted that Dr. A. E. Morgan, chairman of TVA, now engaged in a dispute with Lilienthal and Hargrave Morgan, the vice-chairman, was "being liquidated."

Meanwhile the three principals in the dispute which has disrupted the internal functions of the authority, and produced a volume of charges of bad faith and contention.

REDS TO PRESENT
Radio Program Friday

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Young Musicians Play for Rotary; Indian Talks

The Cisco Rotary club today enjoyed one of its most interesting programs when M. H. Applewhite presented five Cisco girls in a violin quartet, accompanied by the piano, for three numbers, followed by a brief address by Chief Red Fox, full blood Indian of Corpus Christi who appeared in the traditional and colorful Indian costume.

The four violinists were Misses Gloria Graham, Patty Jean Boyd, Rose Ann Woods and Emily Jo Boyd and the pianist was Miss Betty Slicker.

The novelty and excellence of the numbers they presented commanded the hearty appreciation of the club.

Chief Red Fox sketched briefly the history of the American Indians under government protection and described the loyalty and interest of the Indian in American citizenship belatedly granted him.

Prior to the program, the committee charged with the conduct of the campaign to elect President Bob Cluck Club governor of the 127th convention, reported that the responses received from various clubs relative to presenting President Cluck for the governorship were sufficiently encouraging to prompt formal announcement, and demanded that every club member respond willingly to calls for co-operation when made.

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Can An Airplane Sink a Battleship? Yes, Says Army; No, Replies Navy

By DEVON FRANCIS
AP Aviation Editor

If an airplane can sink a battleship, defense of America's coastlines would appear to be a simple matter. If it can't a lot of energy is being wasted on that argument.

Both Make Good Cases

While the navy's battle wagons is being evaluated by the Army again, conduct their annual manuever in the fleet, a tidy plan for sinking an invading fleet in its tracks.

Air bombers, as a new "first line of defense," would wing far

to sea to engage the fleet. At best, the invader's warships would be sunk or disabled; at worst, they would be put at a disadvantage.

The Air Corps makes a good case for itself.

But so do champions of the warship, insisting that the navy still is the nation's first line of defense.

Little has been added to available knowledge in the Battleship vs. Aircraft argument by the Ethiopian, Spanish or Sino-Japanese wars. No modern bombing plane has been tested against a modern warship.

Partisans of the airplane say Italy won the first air war in history without firing a shot — by threatening to sink the British fleet in the Mediterranean if the Suez canal were closed during the Ethiopian excursion. But the facts are not public.

Still a deep secret among mil-

tary men were the results of the "bombing" of the battleship Utah by army planes last year, several hundred miles off San Francisco's Golden Gate. They were impressive. Dropped from an average of 12,000 feet, "water bombs" peppered the deck and the water near the vessel.

The army argued that the direct hits with real bombs would have sunk or crippled the Utah; that near-hits would have opened her seams.

The answer to the plane's accuracy was a new, secret, bombing

It is all theory, of course, and the rebuttal of the navy adds up to an equally logical conclusion that for offense, the airplane is as effective as a gun on an elephant's hide.

Battleship Protection

Modern battleships, they point out, are armored plated above the water line and that halves or "blatters" below it absorb the shock of explosions.

Even the value of torpedoes against modern men-of-war is questioned. At Jutland the warship Marlborough was torpedoed, but not disabled.

The Spanish insurgent battleship Espana was sunk by a chance hit down a funnel. The gunboat Panay, sunk in China, was meagerly equipped for combat.

Alone among high navy officials, Admiral William D. Leahy, chief of naval operations, has conceded publicly that an airplane might be able to sink a battleship.

Let's enter a hypothetical war.

An enemy is approaching our shores. A warning has been sounded.

The Carrier's Brood

Ashore are the Air Corp's heavy bombing planes, the largest capable of flying 1,500 miles, unloading several thousand pounds of "eggs" and returning without refueling.

Co-operating with the defense fleet are the navy's slower, heavily armed patrol bombers. On cruisers and battleships of each fleet are nests of scouting and observation planes, and on aircraft carriers are several hundred combat observation, and light bombing machines.

The usefulness of the carriers

House Revolt... (CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

rushed away to notify President Roosevelt of the 180 to 124 teller vote by which the house knocked out the surtax and to discuss its implications.

Emergency Session

Democratic committee members met in an emergency session to try to figure out some way of making up the estimated \$30,000,000 to \$45,000,000 in revenue which the

broods can be discounted beyond 300 miles from their base. Exceptionally vulnerable to attack, the carriers will remain far behind the zone of battle.

With the enemy still a thousand miles out, a dozen Air Corps bombers take off to meet him.

But, the navy interposes, how is the army going to find him? Well, runs the answer, the Utah was found in a search of 90,000 square miles of ocean; to find a whole fleet would be easy.

All right, says the navy. The enemy has been spotted, but the enemy also has spotted the army, and a swarm of fighting planes is rising from every ship.

A "curtain" of anti-aircraft shells is being thrown athwart the bombers' line of flight.

A New Idea

Not so fast, says the army: (1) Enemy observation units are off on missions and the surprise is complete; (2) Only a few enemy combat planes are in the air, and the rest are being launched too slowly to worry about; (3) The carriers, looming like the broadside of a barn, can be dispatched quickly; (4) Anti-aircraft fire is innocuous at 10,000 to 12,000 feet.

Very well, retorts the navy with deadly finality, but the airplanes can't sink the battleships; and as for "harrassing" the enemy, submarines and torpedo boats can do a better job.

The Air Corps recently pulled a new idea out of its sleeve. How about laying down a blanket of deadly gas, it asks, and let the elaborate ventilating systems of enemy ships suck in the fumes?

The navy, which can give as well as take, will have an answer to that one soon.

so-called "IB" tax on closely-held firms would have yielded.

Republicans suggested the bill had been laid aside to give administration forces an opportunity to whip balky democrats into line and try to reinstate the "IB" levy on a roll call vote.

But Doughton said that while he probably would have to demand such a vote, he had little hope that the tax would be restored.

The vote against the levy split democratic ranks wide open and took party leaders by surprise.

The moon's mass is estimated to

be about one-80th that of the earth.

They had predicted retention of the tax on a close ballot.

Veterans said they could recall no instance within recent years of a tax bill being taken from the floor after it had progressed almost to the point of a final vote.

Doughton had told the house

elimination of "IB" might lead to a presidential veto of the entire bill.

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Utility Head...

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)

suit was to demonstrate that the Norris bill investigating the agency had received support. Debate expressions of approval by numerous influential demerit leaders including the majority leader Barkley (D-Ky.)

The eldest son of the late France was known as Lapham.

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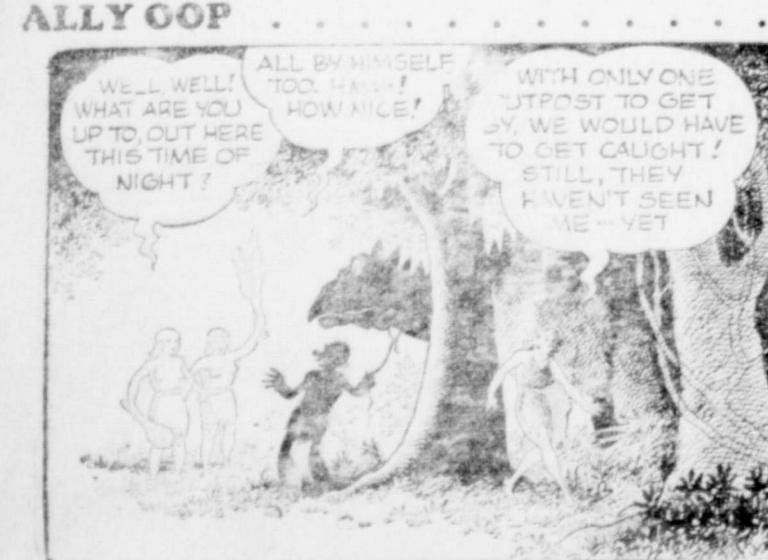
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**ney Host to
her Schools
Tournament**

Romney school was host to a number of schools in an all-day tourney. Lunch and candy were at the local school. The contests aroused considerable interest. Cups were given for winners in girls' ball and in boys' and girls' Cisco girls won in soft ball. Girls won in soft ball, too, in the finals 21 to 3. Boys took first in the contest Romney 10 to 2. In the ball the cup awarded to the team who entered the final in Okra. Winners in the competition were Upton, Rising Star, Rutledge, Rising Star, Starr, Romney, third. In the Subjett, Cisco, first; Rising Star, second; Allan, third. In fifty yard dash, Cisco won first; Upton, Star, second; Tipton, third. In hundred yard dash, Cisco also took first; Sunning Star, second; Tipton, third. The faculty, pupils, parents of the Romney schools had a very successful invitational.

**Under the
Porchouse Roof**

**JURY-FIRST
COURT**

George L. Davenport, Presiding. Crockett Woods, Lone Star, was favored in suit from Judge Davenport, found that the plaintiff sought damages of \$620 for straying of his cattle land by alleged negligence of the company, entitled to recovery. Davenport was remanded in a case brought by G. W. Thompson, finding that Thompson's jury's findings, was held to recover. Thompson sought damages from the state, claiming that some of his land was ruined by salt water. Land of the defendant, Walker, was granted a name, R. R. Walker and Bernice Jeffs, who was found guilty when tried upon a charge of larceny and given a sentence in the penitentiary. The heavy sentence, defendant was found to have committed two burglaries previously, thus invoking him under the habitual criminal statute. Joe G. Williams and the Railways Express had another damage suit during the week in which it was loser. The court ruled the plaintiffs, after the trial, had special issues, had

LAND FOR LEASE

Nina and Jesse Penn own the only land, 160 acres, that is not under lease in the new oil field northwest of Cisco. There are good producing wells adjoining the property. A 3,000 barrel well, the Brooks just to the north; a big well just south, a 2,500 barrel well—and other good wells near-by. We have been offered good prices for a commercial lease on this land, but as yet, we have not closed a deal with any one. Any one wishing to bid on this inside of 20 days from the time this ad appears may do so, but must come prepared to close a lease as we will not give an option to any one. The first one with the money on the barrel head gets it if the price is satisfactory with us all. We all know that this land is as good a location as there is in Texas or any other place.

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al Coffee, 1 lb.	21c		
s, pound	13c		
Pork, No. 1, lb.	15c		

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ROUNDUP TIME IN TEXAS



Fay Kirkwood, left, Bob Cain and Ted Lucas, cowboy and cowgirls who will ride the pilot car when the Roundup Club and other civic groups of Fort Worth travel over Texas on five invitation tours for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 11 to 20.

ward et al. partition.

THE EIGHTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT COURT

(Judge B. W. Patterson, Presiding)

On the grand jury panel for this week at the beginning of the court's term were the following: John Tibbles of Ranger, G. S. Bruce of Desdemona, W. A. Tunell of Pioneer, Lowery Horton of Rising Star, W. P. Small, Jr., of Rising Star, Frank Crowell of Eastland, L. J. Lambert of Eastland, W. A. Tate of Carbon, Lee Doekery of Ranger, George Atkins of Cisco, K. H. Pittard of Cisco, J. D. Pittman of Scranton, O. D. Brogdon of Gorman, Frank Dean of Gorman, F. D. Ford of Ranger, W. R. Laird of Okra.

New reporter in the tribunal was Mrs. Marie Gustafson of Eastland, formerly of Cisco. She succeeds Herbert Reed, resigned, and whose future plans have not been announced.

Given a divorce by the court was Pearl Squiggle from Angelo, W. Squiggle.

Cases filed: Jarecki Manufacturing company vs. F. H. Toombs and J. L. Epple, to revive judgment; L. A. Warren vs. J. A. Hoover et al, suit on note, and J. H. Reynolds vs. J. M. Perdue, suit on note.

DEPARTMENT OF COUNTY CLERK

Observers noted that February marriage licenses numbered one more than the previous year. A

total of 22 were issued for the month.

Property of M. V. Whatley of Romney, S. L. Craighead, five miles south of Carbon; J. F. Reynolds, three years ago, was fixed at no less than \$4,010 in an appraisement filed in school; C. C. Harris, five miles south of Eastland; O. L. Duckett, farm, three miles west of Eastland; George P. Fee farm, eight miles south of Cisco, and J. W. Duke, one mile south of Sahanna.

Approximately 125 4-H club girls and boys of the county, accompanied by extension officials and traveling in private cars and buses, are expected to attend 4-H club day at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show March 14 at Fort Worth, it was announced.

Organization of a girls 4-H club at Bullock has been completed with Helen Dempsey chosen president; Billie Jean Bush, vice president; Dorothy Hatton, secretary-treasurer; Eunice Squyres, garden demonstrator, and Miss Bush wardrobe demonstrator.

Meetings were held Monday through Wednesday this week in rural communities for the explanation of the new farming program and the 1938 cotton referendum Saturday community committees headed by agents from Barnhart and Cook.

Early last week agents and agriculturists heard experts from Colgate Station discuss the program. There were representatives from counties in this section at the meeting at which W. I. Glass, district 7 farm agent, presided.

Premiums totaling \$53.50 are to be given Saturday of this week at the Ranger 4-H Club Livestock show.

Terracing was done last week on

the following farms by Agent Cook; O. J. Weiser, one mile east

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Organization of a girls 4-H club at Bullock has been completed with Helen Dempsey chosen president; Billie Jean Bush, vice president; Dorothy Hatton, secretary-treasurer; Eunice Squyres, garden demonstrator, and Miss Bush wardrobe demonstrator.

The chamber of commerce at Eastland continued work on securing a cotton gin.

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Per capita tea consumption is of roasted coffee. Tea, however, the United States amounts to makes about five times as many seventeenths of a pound per year cups of liquid as the same amount compared with about 11 pounds of coffee.

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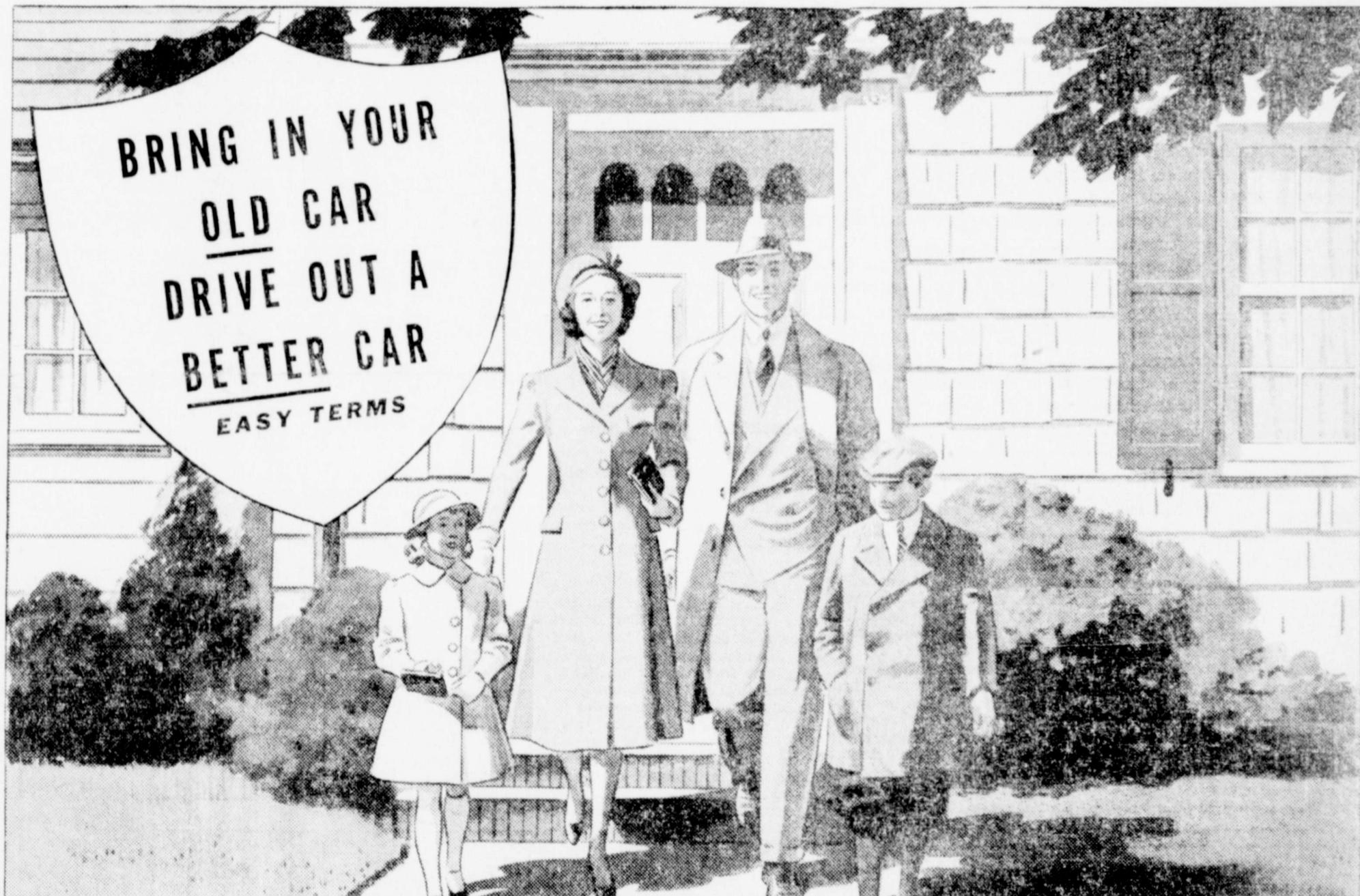
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

In God's word will I rejoice; in the Lord's word will I comfort me—Ps. xvi. 10.

Up the east another day
Shall chase the bitter dawn away;
What though our eyes with tears be wet,
The sunrise never failed us yet.
—CELIA THAXTER.

A great sorrow does not always contain the ruin of a great joy. . . . The joys of religion are understood only by those who partake of them.—Madame Swetchine.

Controversy Over Islands

THE United States and Great Britain have come into diplomatic conflict over the control of a couple of small islands in the Pacific. These islands have assumed major importance to America in view of the development of trans-Pacific air lines. They have significance to Britain as naval bases. But their value to America and America's right to them seem more pronounced for the reason that it is this nation which has taken the lead and made the most progress in aerial and naval expansion in the Pacific. The controversy probably will be settled amicably through some form of cooperative use of the tiny islands, but it certainly would not be compatible with American rights and in-

terests in the Pacific for this nation to yield to the lesser claim of the British empire in this instance.

Fine Prospects

WHEAT and other grain crop prospects in the Cisco trade territory never were more promising than they now appear. Heavy snow falls in November and February and the excellent rains of last December provided sufficient moisture to give winter plantings a splendid start. The amount of acreage planted to this character of crops appears to have been increased, probably by the encouragement of a fair market last year and the good yields obtained.

COTTON long ago ceased to be a major agricultural resource in Eastland country. The boll weevil many years ago dealt cotton culture here a serious blow while the small plots of tilled land available to its production make it too costly to produce for the low prices now being paid. The trend has gone toward livestock, grain and fruit for which the country is admirably suited. The conditions of these crops this spring point to increased farming prosperity here during 1938.

An Excellent Distribution Point

SEVERAL years ago Cisco was regarded as headquarters for much shallow oil development in this section of the state. Numerous companies and individuals active in "grass roots" production make their offices here because from Cisco the greater portion of the area under development could be more conveniently reached. The opening of the great east Texas pool and the decline in the market prices for oil resulted in a general stalemate hereabouts so that only desultory drilling took place in this area. Recent new discoveries in deep oil and the prospect for resumption of activity in numerous old fields, both deep and shallow, suggests the fact that Cisco is still strategically located with respect to a vast amount of potential and actual development. With three railroads and excellent highways reaching into every district in which activity of consequence is taking place, Cisco provides an opportunity for swift and convenient distribution which should attract supply houses and other institutions serving the oil industry. Here is a field for commercial expansion that should engage the serious efforts of those who want to see Cisco grow.

pledges to a movement they privately considered ridiculous. All at once they began snaking those laughs out of their sleeves, hoping no one had heard them.

Plan Mail

Mail bags began to spit out the type of letters they had found so hard to answer in 1936 when the Townsend movement was at its peak. In that year the House had investigated the Townsend organization with most members of the investigating committee privately hoping to blast it into political oblivion. Dr. Townsend himself was called to the stand and the contempt action grew out of his refusal to answer the flood of questions prepared for him.

The present flow of mail is most evident in the old time strongholds, California and Oregon. Whether it is purely a sentimental outpouring could only be guessed at by California and Oregon people questioned here.

It was recalled that a goodly portion of the California delegation had depended in part on Townsend endorsement for election in 1936 and one authoritative source said the resurgence was such that those who depended upon the Townsend support then would have to deal with it again next fall.

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Effect Predicted

One Californian said the Townsend clubs never had dissolved but had evolved into social clubs for elderly lower-middle-class folk eager for weekly Thursday-night supper meetings where they could sing and chat of the hoped-for shower of \$200 checks. Thus they were ready to voice their feelings when Dr. Townsend began his jail march.

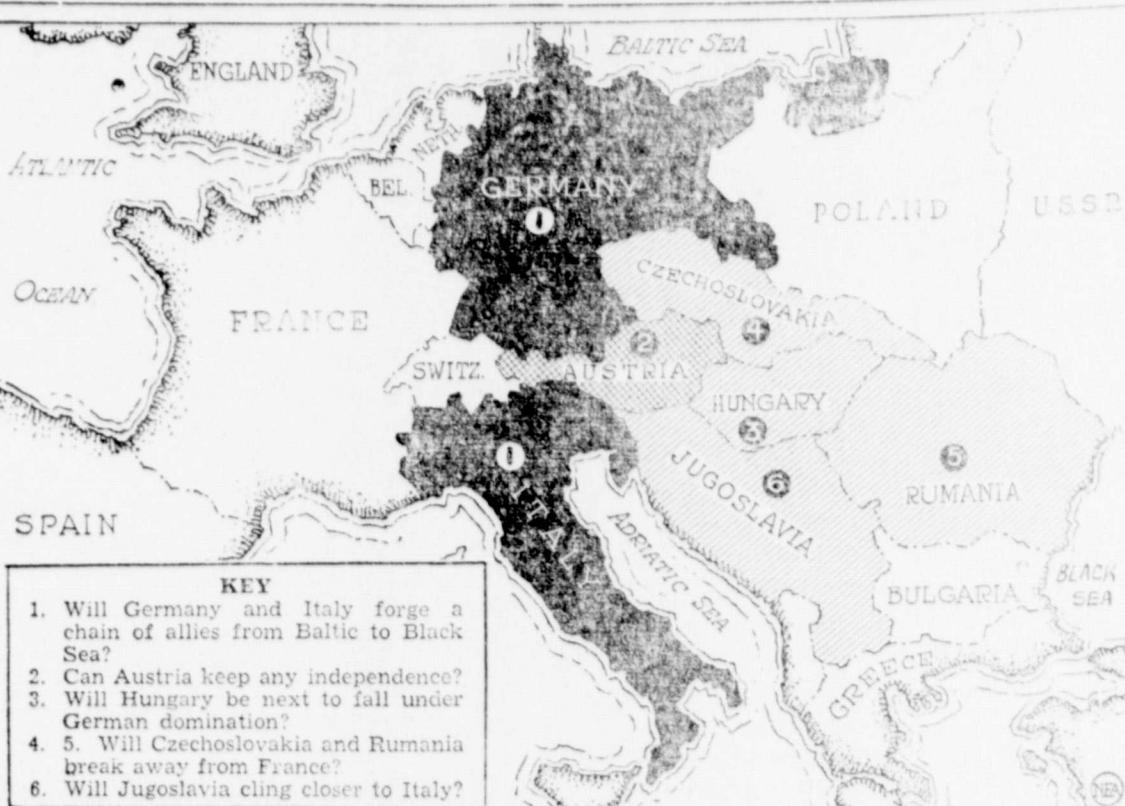
That the Townsend organization expected something like this to develop was indicated in a comment of a national representative at Roseburg at the time of Townsend's announcement.

"Dr. Townsend feels," the official said, "that he can do the pension movement more good by going to jail for 30 days and keeping his typewriter busy."

A new process has been developed in Germany for keeping fish fresh for a longer time. As soon as possible after landing, the cleaned fish are soaked in a highly diluted solution of 30 per cent hydrogen peroxide and immediately thereafter packed in ice in the shipping containers.

CONTRARY to fanciful tales of snakes that blurt like deer, or purr like kittens, no species is known that can utter more than the commonly known hissing sound. Of course, many can rattle their tail rattles, and some species can make a swishing sound with their scales.

Central Europe -- The Great Question Mark



Questions which the entire world seeks to answer are represented in the map above, depicting the European uncertainties which have followed in the wake of Nazi Chancellor Hitler's domination of Austria.

Just as before the World War, when the Kaiser planned his "Drang nach Osten" or drive to the eastward, Germany and Italy now envisage a chain of alliances which would cut a Fascist-sympathetic swath from the Baltic to the Black Sea, embracing Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Yugoslavia.

As shown in shaded portions of the map above, success of the Italo-German plan would result in a bloc more powerful even than the Central Powers of the World War era.

Austria, already under German domination, is only a pitiful remnant of the pre-1914 Austro-Hungarian Empire, shown in shaded portions of the map at right, which included all of what is now Czechoslovakia and parts of Rumania, Poland, Yugoslavia, and Italy.

resolving this situation, and his method is really not resolution but severance. But it has its logic.

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**Carbon Girl
Wells Queen**
Mrs. W. A. Carey of Mineral Wells.
Miss Carey attended high school in Carbon during her sophomore year. Since returning to Mineral Wells she has visited often in the home of Miss Faye Stone. Last summer Miss Carey and Miss Stone often were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Pae of Cisco. Miss Carey defeated junior, sophomore

more and freshman rivals for carnival queen. Miss Stone will be guest of Miss Carey during coronation week. The operetta, "Rose of the Danube," will be presented before the queen and her court. Miss Carey was selected "Miss Personality" the year she attended high school in Carbon.

Cotton Vote Will Be Held Next Saturday

Cotton growers of Eastland county Saturday will vote in the 1938 cotton referendum to determine whether agricultural officials of the nation should set marketing quotas for the crop. County Agent Elmo V. Cook announced Tuesday.

Voting places will be at Ranger in the agent's office, at Ranger at the chamber of commerce, at Cisco in the chamber of commerce, at Gorman at the Progress office, at Carbon in the trading company store and at Rising Star in the Higginbotham store between 9 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Eligible to vote are landlords, cash tenants, owner operators, one-fourth tenants and one-half tenants who had an interest in a cotton crop in 1937.

The county agricultural committee, composed of R. R. Bradshaw of Scranton, J. D. Guy of Carbon and E. E. Blackwell of Alameda, will canvass the returns and declare the result at 9 o'clock Monday morning at Eastland.

Judges for the election will include T. E. Castleberry, J. F. Moseley, Ray Norris, Eastland; Ella Cooper, J. S. Hatton, R. H. Hodges, Ranger; H. H. Harrelson, Joe Donaway, Cisco; L. A. Bennett, Gorman; H. W. Gilbert, Ed Allison, H. Lovell, Carbon; and A. L. McDonald, O. D. Carver and A. H. Morris, Rising Star.

It has been explained that cotton farmers of the nation must abide by the outcome of the voting in all states which must be by a margin of at least two to one. The ballot form will be "Do you favor cotton-marketing quotas for the 1938 crop?"

Cotton marketing quotas, if in effect, will mean, U. S. Department of Agriculture officials have said to producers.

(If a person plants within his acreage allotment) "1. You will be eligible to receive agricultural-conservation payments. 2. You will be eligible to receive cotton-price adjustment payments on 1937 cotton. 3. You will be eligible for a loan on all cotton you produce in 1938. 4. You and other cooperating producers will be protected in your efforts to adjust supplies."

(If a person should overplant his allotment) "1. You would not receive any agricultural-conservation payments. 2. You would not receive any cotton-price-adjustment payments on 1937 cotton. 3.

Where Torrent Tore Up Street in Burbank



A little thing like a concrete street meant nothing to the torrents that rampaged through the Los Angeles area after four days' downpour. This picture, taken in the suburb of Burbank, shows pavement washed out by the fury of the flood. Note the shack and car overturned at the side of the street. This was just a small part of the tremendous damage wrought by the floods that inundated 30,000 square miles of southern California and ravaged more than 100 towns.

You would not be eligible on your acreage allotment. (Loans on excess cotton would be at 60 per cent of the rate to cooperators). 4. You would have to pay a penalty of about \$10 a bale on cotton marketed in excess of your quota."

1000 Tons Available

Approximately 1,000 tons of bait material, left over from the 1937 campaign, are stored in the state and are available for immediate use. The federal government will furnish part of the remaining 13,000 tons, and the rest will be provided by the communities participating in the campaign.

Federal entomologists are experimenting to find a capable substitute for sawdust for use in localities where it is not available in quantity. Bran and sodium arsenite can do the job even without sawdust, if necessary, they said.

A number of federal employees, one to each county where damage is expected, probably will be available to assist county agricultural agents in the control work.

The Texas Grasshopper Control Committee includes J. M. Del Curto, state department of agriculture entomologist; and the following Texas A & M staff members: Extension Director H. H. Williamson, Extension Entomologist R. R. Reppert, Dr. F. L. Thomas, state entomologist; and Dr. S. W. Bilsing, head of the entomology department in the school of agriculture.

Williamson is committee chairman and Reppert is state grasshopper control leader. Dr. W. E. Dove and Fred D. Butcher, federal field workers in the grasshopper campaign, met with the committee when it made its plans for the attack.

Entomologists have found a combination of sawdust, mill-run bran or "red dog" flour, and sodium arsenite will kill the hoppers almost as effectively as more costly mixtures. The bran and sodium arsenite, when mixed with water, form a dough and coat the sawdust. Mr. Grasshopper likes to nibble the dough-covered flakes, but when he does he eats enough of the arsenite compound to kill him.

Zero Hour

"Zero hour" for the attack, the control committee has decided, will be about April 15 when the first hoppers begin to emerge. By attacking quickly, the workers hope to thin out the first generation of hoppers considerably before they have time to multiply and organize for a march on the croplands.

Grasshopper control work directed by the committee in 1937, it is estimated, saved farmers \$6,000,000 and produced \$10 in results for each dollar spent. An index of the damage that otherwise might have been done by the hoppers last year, control workers said, is found in the fact that sections which did not cooperate in the 1937 campaign suffered approximately \$3,000,000 in crop loss. The loss, they added, was borne to a large extent by seven counties.

Entomologists who made hopper egg-counts during the fall and winter, estimated hoppers left over from the 1937 infestation laid enough eggs in 77 counties in Texas to warrant assumption of the in-

NOTICE OF ELECTION

A Resolution Ordering a General Municipal Election to Be Held April 5th, 1938, for the Purpose of Electing Three City Commissioners.

BE IT RESOLVED that a general municipal election be held between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a. m. and 7:00 o'clock p. m., on April 5th, 1938, at the City Hall in the City of Cisco in Eastland County, Texas, to be participated in by the qualified voters of said city, for the purpose of electing three City Commissioners.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Secretary give proper notice of such election by publication of a true copy of this resolution in the Cisco Daily Press, for twenty consecutive days, the date of the first publication being not less than twenty full days prior to the date of such election.

I, Lonnie Shockley, Secretary of the City of Cisco, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the City Commission at its regular meeting on February 22, 1938, as the same appears upon the minutes of said Commission.

Dated this the 4th day of March, A. D. 1938.

LONNIE SHOCKLEY,
Secretary City of Cisco.

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warned the railroads that much corporate and financial housecleaning lies between them and sound operations. Commissioner Miller called for consolidation of all railroads into a single system.

While conceding laws and conditions virtually force a partial increase in rates, the commission was not wholly optimistic about effect of the rates. Commissioner Atchison predicted the increase would hamper business recovery, and the majority opinion emphasized that higher rates might be offset somewhat by decreasing traffic volume.

Commissioner Eastman, the administration's former coordinator of railroads, estimated, however, that the increase would amount to \$270,000,000 per year and would be adequate to compensate the carriers for increased wages and other costs and also for the failure of past increases to meet expectations.

The commission said the railroads could apply the new rates on ten days' notice, but must have them in effect by July 1.

Sons of the prehistoric Indian houses in Petrified Forest National Monument, Arizona, were built of petrified wood instead of ordinary stone. One of these, known as Agate House, has been partly restored.

Gold production in the Union of South Africa during the last year amounted to 11,749,600 ounces, a new record.

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2 lbs. meat 2 tablespoons Flour 2 cups Water
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skillet. Add Gebhardt Chili Powder and
water. Simmer and tender. Add flour to thicken gravy
Leave this

**Railroads Given
270 Million Hike
in Freight Rates**

WASHINGTON, March 10 (AP)—

The interstate commerce commission granted a \$270,000,000 annual increase in freight rates Tuesday night to save the railroads from threatened insolvencies and possibly to stimulate industries which sell railroad equipment.

Railroad men, who had pleaded for a flat 15 per cent increase amounting to about \$470,000,000, were frankly disappointed, however.

President Roosevelt, who had been waiting for the rate decision before searching for a permanent solution to chronic ills of the railroads, immediately summoned a group of congressional, I. C. C., railroad and labor leaders to meet next week to discuss the next step.

The I. C. C. gave the railroads a 5 per cent increase on farm and forest products and 10 per cent on virtually everything else that moves by rail. These increases, however, are inclusive of raises granted on steel, coke and many other "heavy" commodities last fall. Therefore, on some of the rates raised in the autumn there will be little or no additional increase.

Warned Railroads

Several of the commissioners

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8 lb. Carton Jewel, 79c; 4 lb.	40c
48 lb. Kimball's Best Flour	\$1.55
48 lb. Bewley's Best Flour	\$1.65
48 lb. Our Special Flour	\$1.35

Medium Can HOMINY	No. 2 Can TOMATOES
No. 1 Can TOMATOES	No. 2 Can SPINACH
JELLO, Any Flavor	No. 2 Can GREEN BEANS
No. 1 Can CORN	No. 2 Can KRAUT
	No. 2 Can HOMINY
	2 Cans
5c	15c

2 lb. Pkg. Bakers Cocoa	19c
1 lb. Pkg. COCONUT	19c
No. 2½ Can California SPINACH	25c
No. 2 Can Texas Grapefruit Juice	25c
No. 2 Can Sweet Potatoes	25c

PRODUCE SPECIALS
California ORANGES
Large Winesap APPLES
Sunkist LEMONS
BANANAS
Texas GRAPEFRUIT
Green Heads CABBAGE
CARROTS
LETTUCE
Large Steak CELERY

doz. 15c
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2 lbs. 5c

SPUDS	10 lbs. 15c
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MARKE SPECIALS

PICNIC HAMS, half or whole	lb. 17c
CHEESE, Wisconsin Cream	lb. 20c
Cerro Sliced BACON	lb. 23c
BOLOGNA, Sliced	lb. 12c
T-Bone, Loin or Round Steak	lb. 25c
Fresh Country Style Sausage	lb. 10c
Boneless Cured Ham, sliced	lb. 28c
Fresh Baltimore OYSTERS	pt. 28c
Milk Fed Fryers, Dressed,	each 68c

News of Cisco Trade Territory Told by Correspondents

DESDEMONA

Clayton Williams left Wednesday afternoon for San Angelo, taking in his trailer three of R. A. Brown's registered Herefords to enter them in the stock show. Steve Rags went with Mr. Williams and remained to take care of the cattle until the show was over. Mr. Brown drove down there Sunday in order to be there on Monday, the day of the judging.

G. S. Bruce went to Eastland Monday to serve on the grand jury. John Hammond of Comanche came up to have charge of the Sanitary Market and Grocery during Mr. Bruce's stay at Eastland.

Mrs. Charles Lee and Mrs. Dick Cutting drove up to Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parks, Mrs. Travis Hilliard and baby, Phil, drove over to Gorman on business Monday morning.

Mrs. Marion Williams and children of Freer, visited a number of friends here Monday. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. B. Patterson and her sister, Miss Betty Patterson, of Ranger. Mrs. Williams stated that her brother-in-law, Max Williams, was moving from Freer to Eastland where he will work in a machine shop. She also said that her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. P. Williams, was still suffering from injuries received in an auto crash some weeks ago. Mrs. Williams' many friends were delighted to see her.

Sunday afternoon a large crowd of singers from Eastland, Gorman, De Leon, Stephenville and other places gathered at the Church of God and had a very enjoyable District Singing convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Stephenville, visited her mother, Mrs. J. R. Buchan, and his mother, Mrs. Sallie Hartman Sunday.

Mrs. Betty Vestal went to Cisco Saturday to visit her aunt, Mrs. D. K. Scott for a week or more.

Leonard Pearson, of De Leon, visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Miss Novis Lindley of Jake Hammon, was the guest of Miss Jessie May Winkle and Miss Anita Crawley Sunday.

Rev. O. D. McDonald drove over to Gorman Monday afternoon to meet his sister, Mrs. J. W. Hatley, of Lampasas, who came to visit him and Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover made a business trip to De Leon Saturday.

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church for the regular business meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs.

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To reduce our surplus we are offering attractive prices now. 40,000 trees must be sold. List of bargains include trees of peach, apple, plum, pear, persimmon, apricot, walnut and pecan. Also roses and evergreens. Drive to Wolfe's Nursery today.

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Preston Sparks, after which the members responded to roll call with answers to questions on the Book of Ecclesiastes. Reports of officers were given and under the item of new business, a motion was made and carried that the society should begin to work to get money for the kitchen of the parsonage. It was voted that a new supply of Betty Brites should be ordered as the society has been selling them for nearly three years. The secretary, Mrs. S. E. Snodgrass, read a letter from Mrs. Edwin Sneed, of Dublin, who is district corresponding secretary, telling that the first zone meeting will be held at De Leon on Wednesday, March 23. The bulletin of Missionary News was presented by Mrs. Charles Lee. As the Mission study will begin next Monday, the World Outlook program that usually comes on the second Monday, was given at this meeting with Mrs. O. D. McDonald as leader. Songs used in the program were "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "The Way of the Cross Leads Home." The leaflet, "Christian Women Build Their Own Communities," was given by Mrs. W. C. Bedford, Mrs. Charles Lee and Mrs. G. S. Bruce. Mrs. W. H. Whitworth gave assignments for the first lesson in the new study book. Miss Mollie O'Rear, local treasurer, reported there was almost enough money on hand to pay the Baby Life membership fee of \$3.00.

A large crowd of young people went to Victor Saturday night to an outdoor party where a big bonfire furnished light for the games.

Mrs. Dewey Browning, of Cisco, spent the week-end here with her mother-in-law, Mrs. S. E. Browning and family.

D. P. Key and R. H. Abel drove down to Dublin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sparkman were in Fort Worth one day this week.

Charles Lee drove over to Gorman on business Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher of Cisco spent Friday here with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cutting. A few hours after they had gotten home a deep test being drilled by Gallagher & Lawson as an offset to the Hack No. 1 Van Farmer came in and shot a stream of oil 50 feet higher than the derrick and it flowed like that for 20 minutes before being brought under control. The many friends of Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Lawson congratulate them on their successful drilling and hope they may be equally successful in the drilling of the deep test here, the Gallagher & Lawson No. 1 Mrs. Bonnie Terry.

On Sunday the second quarterly conference for the Desdemona Methodist church and the rural churches connected with it, was held at Victor. Rev. J. B. Curry, presiding elder of Cisco district, preached at 11 o'clock and in the afternoon presided over the conference. At noon a splendid dinner was served, Rev. O. D. McDonald, pastor of the Desdemona church also preaches at Victor and Salem. Those from Desdemona who attended the meeting were Rev. and Mrs. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Sparks, Mrs. Charles Lee, Miss Delia Wall and Whit Richards.

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DAN HORN

Rev. Ottis Brown will fill his regular appointment here Sunday, March 13. Singing Sunday afternoon, 2 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

O. Strickland and family of Graham were guests of his brother, W. A. Strickland, and family Sunday.

Misses Margarete and Bonzila Maxwell spent Monday night with their great grandmother, Mrs. Betty Alvey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle visited Mrs. Speegle's mother, Mrs. W. M. Weed, Sunday evening.

The singing in the W. A. Strickland home Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Livingston of Midland spent the week-end with Mr. Livingston's parents.

J. W. Speegle, Jena Jay Strickland and Mrs. W. M. Ervin are ill at this writing.

Mrs. A. J. Maxwell spent Friday with Mrs. J. G. Stuterville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cavanaugh attended the funeral of Roy Boline at Cisco Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Preston of Cisco were guests of Mrs. Preston's mother, Mrs. Bausheir, and Mr. Baushier Sunday.

The vocational agriculture teacher, Mr. Bush, of Scranton, was running terrace lines on Lester Horn's farm Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Horn of Ibex inspected their farm Saturday afternoon. They visited Mr. Horn's sister, Mrs. Carrie Hull and also were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Horn Saturday night.

Miss Viola Brown of Cisco was a dinner guest of Miss Donnie Mae Brooks Sunday.

A. W. Brooks, Lester Horn and J. G. Stuterville attended the farm program at Scranton Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Donaway of Union spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Speegle.

Don't forget to come to Dan Horn to sing Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, March 13. We want to make this one of the best singing classes in the county.

Mrs. Warren Jessup visited Mrs. A. W. Brooks Tuesday afternoon.

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COOK

Rev. Hubert Christian of the East Baptist church of Cisco will preach at the Baptist church here Saturday night.

Mrs. O. P. Wheeler was the Sunday dinner guest of her sister, Mrs. Sara Gardner.

Mrs. Eva Ramsey of Kermet spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Townsend, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Kent were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vera Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Curtis entertained the young folks Saturday night.

Several from this community attended singing at Sabano Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alta Drennon of Abilene spent the week-end with Mrs. Drennon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hunt. Mrs. Hunt accompanied them home where she will visit for a few days.

Misses Alma, Elanche, and Ena May Walker were the Sunday dinner guests of Miss Annie Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams of Cisco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Townsend Sunday afternoon.

B. F. Sandel and grandson of Kermet, Texas, spent the week-end in this community.

Misses Mattie and Hattie Weise were the Sunday dinner guests of Miss Rosa Lee and Nola Alice Richter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Weltie and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hagaman of Cisco.

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Mrs. Roy Townsend and family were shopping in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Simpson and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Duncan.

Mrs. Pearl Chambless and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Carson of the Crocker community Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wilson, children of Cisco are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Phil Tomlin.

Me and Mrs. George Brown and son, Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harrelson and daughter, Doris Jean and Melba Ray, and Mrs. Harrelson visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Westerman of Rising Star Sunday.

Jack Cozart and D. L. Allen visited Grandma Hall, who is very ill Saturday night at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud McBeth of Cisco spent the week-end in the A. N. McBeth home.

Mrs. Durbin, who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. L. McFarland, has returned to her home at Olton, Texas.

Lee Boland of Scranton was here Tuesday taking the school census.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Cahane of Cisco were out Monday afternoon on business.

Mrs. A. E. Harrelson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harrelson and daughters and Junie Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Alton Westerman and family at Rising Star Sunday.

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Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Stansell's sister Mrs. Finley, at Cisco Friday.

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When Derek's note came that morning, Constance stood for a moment, holding it in caressing fingers.

outraged heart-beat, however, she said in a voice which she managed to keep level and quietly amused:

"Perhaps because no one who knows me well enough would be guilty of such an impertinence."

"My dear girl," he said shortly, "don't talk nonsense. It's no impertinence to hate seeing beauty out."

He moved abruptly away; but half way to the door he turned to call softly over his shoulder with one of his sudden flashing smiles, "And I'm not talking about the scarf, either."

Constance spent her idle moments that morning devising silky, devastating phrases with which to stay him if he dared to come back. But when she looked up from her work that afternoon to find him smiling down at her, she smiled back in spite of herself. His hands were hidden behind him.

"Which one will you take?" he challenged her.

Constance said again in spite of herself—"The right."

"Right it is!" he cried, and held before her a shimmering scarf of a deep vibrant blue, "Trade!"

When he saw her startled face, he cried swiftly, his eyes holding hers with boyish pleading, "Please! It isn't every day you can make a canvas perfect with one touch of the brush."

"I'll wear it," Constance said wickedly, "if you'll wear the green one."

With a shrug he removed his tie, and when she handed him the green scarf, he put it about his neck and knotted it into a rakish bow. As she fastened the blue scarf at her throat, he watched her with dreamy satisfaction.

"I shall paint you," he declared, "in exactly that shade of blue."

AND he did paint her so-poised against a shadowy background like a vibrant blue flame, with blue shadows in the raven of her hair. He called the portrait simply Lady in Blue. It was the picture that had won him first place at the

(To Be Continued)

in their home because of the "flu" at this writing.

Mrs. E. L. Hazlewood and children, Miss Emojare and J. M.

accompained by other debators and declaimers from Cisco, attended the Abilene speech tournament at Abilene Saturday.

REEDMAN SPENT SUNDAY IN THE DONAWAY HOME.

R. N. Hazlewood and Mrs. Stella and son, Bobbie, of community were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reedman and children.

YEAGER SPENT LAST RELATIVES NEAR SU-

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B. J. Campbell were Saturday afternoons.

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Junior Homemakers
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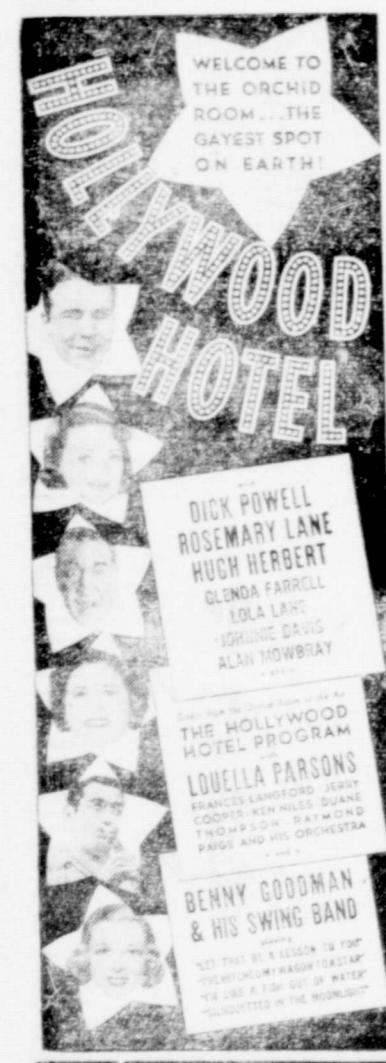
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Miss Haynie Double E Club Hostess

The Double E club, popular high school club, met in the home of Jessie Lee Haynie Wednesday evening for a party honoring Ruth McKissick, who is leaving soon to make her home in Kerrville. Each member invited one guest. Many interesting games were enjoyed.

Refreshments were served to Ruth McKissick, Emojane Hazelwood, Wynema Bond, Betty Je Hick, Mary Frances Stansbury, Alice Spencer, Nanelle Bible and Tom Jones. J. Howard Tableman, J. L. Stafford, Odell Harrison, Raymond McBride, Tom Morrison, Spurgeon Parks, Theo Wilkinson and the hostess, Jessie Lee Haynie.

St. Patrick Theme
for Humble Club

A St. Patrick's color scheme and lovely spring cut flowers formed a very attractive decorative theme when the Humble Club had its meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. R. Henderson. In the games, Mrs. I. J. Henderson won high score and Mrs. W. Wallace second high.

A salad plate was served to Mmes. Edward Lee, C. B. Shaw, J. J. White, Rex Carruthers, H. F. McGowen, J. J. Henson, W. W. Wallace, W. C. McDaniel, W. J. Armstrong, J. R. Hanrahan, A. J. Henson, N. C. Hogue, and the hostess, Mrs. Henderson.

Mrs. Bearman 1929
Club Hostess

Mrs. J. A. Bearman was hostess to the 1929 Contract Bridge club when it met in her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. T. F. O'Brien won high score.

Refreshments were served to the following members and their guests: Mmes. T. F. O'Brien, R. L. Ponson, K. H. Pittard, Alex Spears, George P. Fee, A. D. Anderson, L. S. Wrightsman, Monty Hayner and the hostess, Mrs. Bearman.

Baptist W.M.S. Circle
2 With Mrs. Chumney

Circle Two of the Baptist W.M.S. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. T. H. Chumney as hostess. Roll call responses were favorite verses of Scripture. Mrs. O. W. Kean was appointed personal service chairman to fill vacancy left by resignation of Mrs. Ira Robinson. Mrs. J. J. Butts taught the Bible lesson from the book of John, and meeting was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Kean. Refreshments were served to Mmes. L. G. Ball, Nix, J. J. Butts, Roy Farley, Leon McPherson, Kean, A. D. Estes, Arch Bint, Don McEachern, W. D. Hazel and the hostess.

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