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MORSE ELECTED SPEAKER OF TEXAS HOUSE

Through the Editor's **Spectacles**

By GEORGE

46th legislature opensession at Austin toin an atmosphere rged with uncertainty. A governor of the most rthodox kind elected in most unorthodox manwill take office next . A great many people watching the situation mingled emotions. A "outs" are happy and eful, a lot of "ins" are ibled with trepidations, a great many more ordipeople are looking to in this week and next not a little uneasiness. election of W. Lee iel by such an overning popular mandate platform of pensions political purge has been rpreted to mean several

ome observers take it to in that the half a milvoters who elected him it the state to double or le the amount of pens and the number of se receiving them. They urd it as a command for state to go deeply into social security business, g the New Deal.

hus we have reports of ending bills to greatly inise the amount of pens and finding the taxes r: to impose a wage and r law on the state and to omplish a variety of "re-

great majority of e who voted for W. Lee Ill Moaniel in the summer paign didn't want any hang thing. As a matter of

what they wanted was legislation, which means politicians. They demrated in the overwhelmmanner in which they ted the flour merchant they were eager for ebody who was not mixup in politics, a BUSI-3S MAN, if you please, un the state government, professionals out ustice and fair dealing at

he greatest blow that the ole who elected W. Lee ived was the news that professional politicians taken him under, from to tail fins. But their rmination to change the se of things at Austin not diminished. They awaiting another oppority and when it comes it ust going to be too bad some of these boys and s who persist in trying to smart the public.

hose legislators who atpt to pass a lot of soed social security legisla-, such as a state wages hour law, and to estabmore bureaucracy at tin are doing nothing e certain than cooking political hurricane that coing to smite them hind fore. The current legisure of this state can go

m in history as one of the atest, if not the greatest Lowry field, Denver. t the state has ever had it will scrupulously carout the mandate that half

NTINUED ON PAGE FOUR) | fic accidents.

Faces Happiest Year



Five months ago a can of boiling tar exploded on Lola Mae Smith, 12, in her Marion, Ark., home burning her legs to the bone, searing her face almost away, turning her

Three Dead in

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan

hree dead in the wake of a

rea in the north-central section

of the state and left dozens of mo-

orists stranded in their cars Sun-

Fears that some travelers migh

ill be marooned were dissipated

when state police and highway

ighways and reported everyone

Gov. John E. Miles said 14

talled cars located by an aeria

urvey of U.S. Highway 285 had

een found to have been aban

oned two days ago when rain

ade the unpaved route danger

The frozen body of Felician

Duran, 40, a sheep herder, wa

found in a snow bank near En-

ino. One man died in an air-

lane crash and a third in an au-

omobile accident, as the 24-hour

orm left snow ranging from nine

nches to two feet deep over a

State police said some of the

escued motorists were suffering

rom frozen hands and feet, but

State police and highway crew

vere dispatched by the governor

unday night into the teeth of the

torm to carry hot coffee, gaso

ne and food to motorists, and t

By night Monday, a warm su

and state highway forces had

opened all routes except U. S. 285

etween Lamy and Encino, U. S

Arizona line and Magdalena, and

On the New Mexico-Colorado

rushed body of Lieut. Wallace E

Nau was found in the wreckage

of his plane, where he had crashed

in the storm last night on the rim

Undersheriff Byrch Telford of

Raton, N. M., and Colorado and

New Mexico deputies posted a

guard over the wreckage pending

rrival of army authorities from

A highway fatality was John

Conners, 46, Hannibal, Mo., who

vas killed in a collision near Max-

well. There were numerous traf-

line south of Trinchera, Colo., the

60 through mountains between the

patrol the highways.

260 around Silver City.

ock of Johnson mesa.

one was in a serious condition.

rews broke through all blocked

New Mexico

Snowstorm

lay night.

usly slippery.

hands into claws. After five months of ceaseless agony while doctors grafted skin from her back, she is recovering without a scar. Above,

Initial Auction Draws Big Crowd

In spite of heavy rains Sunday which impeded traffic on cour y roads and reduced the amount of stock offered for sale, the initia uction of the Cisco Livestock exchange here yesterday drew a crowd r beyond expectations and resulted in the sale of all the stock of

efered. Several truckloads o stock were prevented from arriving because of the mud, exchange officials were told.

John Trigg and John Jones frankly elated over the success of county, 16 miles north of Cisco the sale and said they were con- was shot with 10 quarts of nitro fident the event-to be held each this morning in the Lake sand Monday-would develop into one Results of the shot could not be of the major trade events in this determined until the hole is clean-

0 (A).-New Mexico counted Bidding was spirited and all stock sold brought high prices. Buyers were here from Albany Moran, Putnam, Rising Star, Bangs and even from Sweetwater and Fort Worth.

Martin C. Tiemeier, auctioneer

cellent auction barn and pens at drilling into the pay. 18th street and D avenue for the conduct of the sales. Auctioning with 113 feet of gravel, and the begins at 1 o'clock each Monday must be cleaned out before the

Bible Study Course at East Cisco Church

A Bible study course began las night at the East Cisco Baptist church to last through Friday with classes each evening at 6:45. The first meeting drew a large attendance, the pastor, the Rev. Hubert Christian, said.

Three classes are being taught, ne for adults, with the Rev. H. D. Blair teaching; another for seniors, with the Rev. Mr. Christian teach ing, and a third for junior, with Mrs. Christian teaching.

The Rev. Judson Prince, pasto of the First Baptist church, wil conduct the devotional tonight

Increased Cotton Benefits Asked

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP)-A powerful farm group, the cotton growers, asked congress Monday to increase farm benefit payments to \$1,500,000,000.

Grower representatives, who have been holding conferences with agricultural adjustment administration officials, estimated a billion dollars would be neededin addition to the \$500,000,000 already earmarked for benefit payments - to guarantee farmers "parity income" from their crops.

"Party income" payments to coton growers alone would require between \$200,000,000 and \$300,-000,000 additional, they said.

(A "parity price" for farm pro-

RODEO PLANS **ARE MADE BY** JAYCEE GROUP

To Be Held in Connection With Livestock Show Feb. 24-25

The Cisco junior chamber of commerce, meeting in regular monthly session at a dinner at the Laguna hotel roof garden last night, advanced plans for a rodeo which the Jaycees will organize in connection with the Eastland County Livestock show here on February 24 and 25. Under the plans as outlined the FFA boys and 4-H club boys will supply the ock for the rodeo, and proceeds vill be used to finance their exbits in the Fat Stock show at

Thirty-two were present, in-luding three guests, Mr. Sauls of the Community Natural Gas company, L. E. Hall of the Radford Grocery company, and Sutton Crofts, Cisco cattleman.

E. L. Jackson of the West Texas Utilities company, directed a program of "brain teasers."

Andrews No. 2 Shot; Showing as **Better Than One**

owners of the exchange, were drews, in southwestern Stephen be somewhat better than the Andrews No. 1 producer which open ed the Lake horizon in the area and has been consistently good for 80 or more barrels daily.

The Andrews No. 2 is bottomed at 3,670 feet after penetrating six feet of saturated sand, an exfor the sale, pronounced it a de- tremely hard formation in that direction. Oil rose 1,250 feet i The exchange has built an ex- the six-inch hole in 12 hours after

> The small shot was tamped well's production can be known Oil tests extremely high-46.6 98, or about 44.2 corrected

85-Year-Old Pioneer Resident Succumbs

Death of J. M. Lawrence, 85. esident of the Baker commun north of Cisco since 1890, occurre at his home Monday evening. Mr. Lawrence, the father

Mrs. Ira Lamb and an uncle Hubbard Lawrence, was a nativof Georgia. He was extremely active for his years and quite re cently visited in Cisco. Funeral arrangements have not

Mrs. Roosevelt to Be

been learned.

in Abilene March 10 ABILENE, Jan. 10. - Mrs

Franklin D. Roosevelt, America's first lady, is coming to Abilene and west Texas, on March 10. Date for her lecture, "A Day a the White House," to be given in Hardin-Simmons universit auditorium, has been set. He address here is an H-SU artist ourse attraction.

Mrs. Roosevelt's many humani tarian activities have made her one of the nation's busiest peronalities. One of her major un ture tour, proceeds from which go to designated charities, and it is on her approaching spring tour mar school building. that she will visit Hardin-Sim-

standing one in civic annals, and with the child and his relation plans to observe it appropriately ship to the school. Mrs. Ora Kirkwill be launched soon. Mrs. land will have charge of the studucts is that which agriculture de- Roosevelt's visit will be the first dent program and the president, to be paid Abilene by the wife of Mrs. Glenn Huddleston, will pre-(CONTINUED ON PAGE FOUR) | a president in office.

Wreckage Wrought by Sunday's Storm





Above is shown what once was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jenkins on the E. N. Strickland dairy farm. Sunday's tornado wrecked the house and five occupants escaped miraculously. They were Mrs. E. N. Strickland,

Mrs. Jenkins. Kenneth Manuel and Mr. Manuel's two children, Linford, 11, and Gwen, 8. Mrs. Strickland was the worst injured, suffering painful general body bruises. Mr. Manuel suffered two broken ribs and Mrs. Jenkins

a leg injury. Below Linford Manuel is shown with "Billy," shepherd dog which ran to Mrs. Jenkins in the kitchen of the house when the storm struck and remained with her throughout .- Photos by Osborn, Cisco, Texas.

Victims of Sunday Storm Are Reported Doing Well

Cisco-Carbon Game to Be Played at 7:30 Tonight

The conference basketball game between the Cisco Loboes and the Carbon high school quint will be Cisco high school gymnasium instead of 7 o'clock as reported yes-

The game has an important ship race and it is expected to be Mr. and Mrs. Manuel, Linford, 11, Kokomo road. M. R. Bentley, exone of the hardest fought of the and Gwen, 8, were in the home of tension season. Carbon, defeated only Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins when it was Dutch Hohn, extension specialis once, by Ranger, in the conference race, is rated as the leading con- N. Strickland dairy farm, two tender with Cisco for the county cage crown,

Rev. Patterson to Be P-TA Speaker

The Rev. Joseph I. Patterson pastor of the First Methodist church, will be the principal speaker for the Grammar School Parent-Teacher association at the dertakings is her semi-annual lec- regular meeting of that association at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday. The meeting will be held at the gram- other property.

"Radio," the subject to be used by the minister, will be a part of The occasion is to be an out- the theme for the year which deals

Eight Persons Caught in Tornado at One County-Wide

Victims of Sunday's storm south of Cisco were reported to be doing well today.

Mrs. E. N. Strickland, while sufplayed at 7:30 this evening at the tory condition. Kenneth Manuel, east of Carbon beginning at 9 a. Bill Jenkins, who sustained agent. The school will begin on bruises.

These three and two children of miles east of Carbon on the new destroyed by the storm on the E. on soil and water conservation miles south of Cisco.

Mr. Strickland, Mr. Jenkins and T. L. Cooper, Jr., caught between blown about by the wind but not injured beyond minor bruises.

The storm started a crazy path our miles south of Cisco, doing considerable damage to farm property on a course roughly paralleling Highway 23 to the Ed Duncan farm where it turned northeastward to strike the Strickland farm, the R. Q. Lee farm and

It occurred a few minutes beore noon in a violent rainstorm

Weather

Texas-Fair Tuesday and Wednesday. Mild temperature. Moderate variable winds on the coast.

Terracing School Will Be Held

fering from extremely painful ery Eastland county farmer will whose administration will was also improving as was Mrs. cording to Elmo V. Cook, county the old Ed Middleton farm, four agricultural engineer C. G. Caudle, Cisco, Charles Bell. Ranger, C. L. Wilson, Rising Star W. B. Cowan, Scranton, and J. F. Hassell, Pioneer, and Assistant County Agent Sam Rosenberg will all assist Cook in holding the school.

When the school starts at 9 m. Bentley will explain the use of the farm level in running terrace lines and all agricultural workers present will assist in teaching everyone present how to handle the terracing level.

This will be followed by an in spection tour of newly constructed terraces and other terraces being built with county road machinery arm tractors, and farm teams. At noon everyone will spread lunch together. Arrangements will be made for coffee for those pres

After lunch Bentley, Hohn and (CONTINUED ON PAGE FOUR) | missed without prejudice.

WEAVER MOORE WILL PRESIDE OVER SENATE

Both Houston Men; Both Named by Acclamation Today

AUSTIN, Jan. 10 (A).-Emnett Morse of Houston today was elected speaker of the louse as the 46th Texas legisature opened its session toof Houston, was elected presi-

Sec'y of State Edward Clark sened the house of representasession while Lieut.-Gov Walter Woodul rapped the senate

nd complete confidence in the egislature's ability to meet any

Nebody Alarmed

Nobody was alarmed but everyents, a motto which was the Golden Rule and campaign dehands for throwing out the "proadministration and paying pensions of \$30 a month to all over 65 years of age.

There seemed ot be widespread would liberalize the pension law, erhaps eliminating consideration f support by children in deternining need, but few legislators aid they thought the liberalizaion would extend to provision of universal pensions.

An exception was Rep. Ross Hardin of Prairie Hill, advocate f pensions to all over 65. Harin, who has a brother in the sente with similar views, said he rould ask O'Daniel to submit the ubject of old age assistance to the legislature as an emergency natter, thereby making immediate onsideration possible.

Appropriations The first 30 days of a general

ession have been set aside by the onstitution for considering emergency matters and introducing bills. Governor James V. Allred bruises, was reported in satisfac- be invited will be held four miles tinue one more week, has indicated he might submit appropriasuffering from two broken ribs, m., Wednesday, January 18, ac- tions, always a tedious, controversial problem, as emergencies,

In his campaign O'Daniel said ome of the cost of a more liberal pension program could come from conomies in government. Many omy platforms and there is strong sentiment for slashing government

Presidents of state colleges, neeting in Austin, urged the legisators to follow the recommendaions of the board of control and ncrease appropriations to their nstitutions an average of about 0 per cent.

PLEADS GUILTY

EASTLAND, Jan. 10 (Spc.)onah White of Desdemona pleaded guilty Monday morning in 88th district court to a charge of drivng intoxicated and received a one-year suspended sentence.

CASE DISMISSED

EASTLAND, Jan. 10 (Suc.)-Case of City of Eastland vs. Mrs. May Harrison has been dismissed by 91st disrtict court on motion of the plaintiff. The case was dis-

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message to lessened government expendi- is that reduced federal expenditures must strations. nurses in going to echo down through the en- begin. like charity, at home. And no con-

pointed out the dilemma. Economy of the trict can congratulate himself on the application demonstration Coolidge type, saving pencil-ends and writ- plause that leaped so lightly to his hands at one size for the swite ing on both sides of the paper, won't do. the early session. Budgets of today's kind would never feel a

and the republican side of the chamber indi- dog roam. How does that go again "A dog's erage dairy de rated by its applause that it approves, there best friend is his maxi-

must be real and drastic reductions in major government activities. The president indicasted that present activities and functions of government must be reduced as much as one theird if real budget-balancing is to be achiev

THE applicating republicans, whole not a imajority, are conneded to occupy a position of power in regard to what shall be out It will be inderesting to more their choices.

Farm and? Quate a hot of new republic can congressmen were elected by farm votes. Will the Corn Belt Liberty League be able to assuage the burning drought that might Supergraendent follow cessation of the "pentle rain of

> Rowers and harbors? Tradutional mache of the pork-barrel. Will economy-seeking as no congressment be brave enough to concede that even the items from the home build wick of Goose creek is unmedessary?

Flood control? Every canceled project any person will be gladky means men out of work.

Highways." People live along every route crossed off the improvement list. Peo-

And to veterant' Will these congressmen prove braver than the ones who passed the pre-payment of the bonus over Roose-

Social security? Will republican conme grace of God, we have had our conversion it gressmen elected by Townsend votes be like-

WPA" Heavily under fire as a political adjunct, criticised as a worale-shattering dole and a public waste, the tide of profest against any possible reduction is already rising especially in labor and radical papers.

VET the only way to reduce is to reduce. The applause of opposition members may yet echo in their own ears as they face the deadly realities of the carrying out of way to organize boys 4-H clubs policies which the electorate appears to ap- Romney and Carb THE spontaneous appliance which greeted prove in so many sections in the last election. Among the reference in President Roosevelt's The hardest thing for congressmen to realize planning gressman who is unwilling to see a reductived calf demonstrations The president himself immediately tion of federal funds spent in his home dis-other trop demonstrate

R. E. McGuirre of Pasadena, Calif., went is 100 buby chicks or 15 pullen. If government expenses are to be cut, to jail rather than pay a fine for letting his from

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of oil and gas: Buda Butler trustee, deed of trust, BOLC to demonstration. Some of the members as a class or who have not enrolled in demonstration. Some of the members assistant countries and the members assistant countries between Jandeeds; H. Brashears, et ux to L. deed: L. C. Hail to Mrs. M. E. demodstrations.

Brashear, warranty deed: T. L. There was a discussion on the of any of the organized 4-H clobs. 1990. Many very worthwhile

in December 1, 1909, and must annually by the Wilson company not have been enrolled in a col- and any 4-H club member work-He says the offensive mission of ege, or school giving courses be- ing under the supervision of the thips are concerned, is not to at-10 the fall term of 1819. Prizes in one or more mest animal livetempt to sink them but rather "to" this content are awarded for the stock clubs is eligible to compete

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About Our Friends

knowed as thumbung a rude on the

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse By Thompson 8









By Ham In

Heres a Lot of Congressman



Indiana's Republican Representative George lieves he's the tallest member of the 76th Congress and stretched He measures

6 feet, 5 inches.

ur, to R. A. Middleton, sonign eiot of sell and gair, Mrs. Frank

Butler to J. D. Lauderdale, trun- Sam E. Bosenberg, assistant feeding demonstrations are being compensation claims are handled. Following is a list of instructive, deed of trust Eastland lives the deed trust Eastland lives the dee A. M. Hearn to F. D. Wright, member decided to have three more who have not been in 8-H; that more than a million benefit

Brashear, warrantly deed: 7 L.

Jay et ux, to C. L. Childers, warrantly deed. Kirby Torpedo company to public: affidavit of assumed name; C. J. Kleiner to City
of Cixon, warrantly deed. Frank
Kirk et ux, to Union Central Life
Insurance company, trustee's Roman Research Resear all, warranty deed: C. L. McAlister to T. L. Jay, release of vendor's

Tate, release of deed of trust, vallas Scarborough, et al., to N. P. Tate, et al., release of deed of ust C R Smith vs. Sidney Hoard abstract of judgment, T M. Scown, et ux, to John Scown marranty deed: State of Texas to James Prenton Morris, funeral director's license; Carl P. Springunty deed: Union Central Life Inbrance company to Mrs. D. M. must bent Union Central Life In-

orance company to R. F. Shaw. ppointment of substitute trustee. W. C. Whatley to public, affidavit of homestead; A. C. Williams to Claude Strickland, power of atotrney and appointment of substitute trustee; Ben F. Weekes, et ux. to HOLC, deed of trust.

The real significance of the November elections becomes apparent with news that a man in New York was fined for leaving an elephant out in the rain all night.

Orangeburg county, South Carolina—in the cotton belt shipped \$218,850 worth of hogs in 1938, a substantial increase over the preceding year.

News From County 4-H Clubs

Blues Engs 4-H Chilb

company, trustee's Homer Kirk, Horace Hallmark, The national 4-H club farm ac- Bud Commell, 14-year-old non

target is small; free to maneuver/sison of the extension service mal demonstration in Eastland at high speed. Heavy smoke-the rules of eligibility are that the county in 1938, according to Sam screens preclude effective bombing! H club member must not have E. Rosenberg, assistant county.

injure them so severely that their est kept farm records, which in the contest, speed and maneuverability, as









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CHAPTER II

SERIAL STORY

JANET DWIGHT, heroine. She

was engaged to handsome young

LANCE BARSTOW, hero. Lance

had great dreams for the future

Still deliberately avoiding Janduction in 1937 was \$361,515,000, et's troubled eyes, Cynthia turned to Mrs. Cantrell.

"Sorry to have passed you and Jan up for lunch, Grams," she "I met a friend at Ziegler's while I was checking up on the flowers for the bridesmaid's party. He staked me to food at the Iroquois Club.

Still concerned with her own bewilderment, Janet asked absenty, "Who was it, Cyn?" Cynthia hesitated on almost imperceptible instant before she

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Suddenly, she couldn't tell why, she left that something was

partner of the firm of Hallowell says he'sand Benton for which Lance

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"Why, Cynthia," Janet cried, "I Aunt Mary had opened didn't know you even knew him! as if to speak, closed them tight-Timothy Benton was junior And you really oughtn't. Lance ly, and said,

> She broke off, uncertain how to go on under Cynthia's level

with, he's years older than you." im didn't seem to find him

with him, he has to be amusing." she's right. "What does Barney McKnight

Janet had followed her exit with hurt, bewildered eyes. There she turned to her aunt. "You're glad for me, anyhow

Cynthia chal- hardly understanding why she

"Well," Janet said, "to begin there's anything I've learned if the he's years older than you." make their own decisions and liv

But aren't you forgetting, my Janet thought, That's what she's dear?" Cynthia drawled. "I'm not thinking now-that Cynthia has to is wife. If he wants me to play live her own life. And I suppose

Aloud she said to her cousin, hink about your running around who had gone to the window and with Mr. Benton? I mean -" stood, apparently absorbed in the Janet stopped, wishing she had not spectacle of the avenue below.

A knock sounded at Janet's Janet glanced toward Aunt door, and Margy, the maid, peered black hair-and a general air of

old lady went placidly on with reporter of Miss Cynthia's. He her stitching, only the straight wants to knowline of her mouth offering any in- | But already a rangy, dark young man had stepped inside the (CONTINUED ON PAGE FOUR)

married on a sports reporter's sal- note in Cynthia's slow, drawling phone you I'd be dropping in,

Mary for moral support, but the inside to say, "It's that newspaper knowing that the world was his

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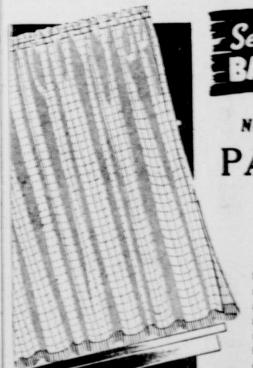


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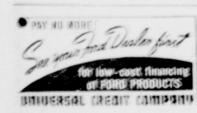


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