

CISCO DAILY NEWS

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

CISCO, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1931.

FOUR PAGES TODAY

NUMBER 186.

PACIFIC FLIERS REPORTED SAFE

Senate Adopts Amendment to Cut Acreage to Fourth

DISCUSSIONS ARE RESUMED IN THE HOUSE

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—The Texas senate today adopted the amendment of Sen. Archie Parr, of Veneta, restricting cotton planting next year to a fourth of this year's cultivated land. The vote was 15 to 10.

The senate action strikes from the minimum-Woodward—Small bill the 32 and one-third per cent restriction clause and substitutes 25 per cent leaving the amended restriction bill and the Long no-cotton plan paired in the senate battle.

Shortly before noon, the house resumed discussion of cotton bills. Seven members have filed their names with the speaker asking that they be heard before a vote. Only one had spoken when the house recessed at noon.

In an impassioned speech in the case today, Sen. P. J. Holbrook, of Galveston, declared the farmers' union is striking at the very heart of democratic government "If you destroy the liberties and privileges of 6,000,000 people, then adopt a Long-bill as the people desire."

Father's Refusal to Lend Money Fatal

CARLTON, Tex., Sept. 16.—Removal of J. P. McCarty, 57, father of the children, to lend his eldest son money with which to buy a farm, was blamed today for his slaying yesterday at the Sunshine community three miles south of here.

Paul McCarty, 33, the eldest son, was in the Hamilton county jail charged with murder.

CHURCH PLANS DISCUSSION OF LABOR TROUBLE

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 16.—Economic questions promise to play a prominent part in the session of the general convention of the Episcopal church, which will open here today.

A practical program will be submitted to the delegates of the church.

A group of churchmen is demanding that the convention take definite action in regard to the unemployment problem and in the establishment of a definite plan whereby the church as a whole will stand behind the policy of social justice for all kinds of conditions of men.

Headed by the Rev. C. Rankin Jones, acting secretary of the National Social Service department, the course on the church and industry will be presented at the National Training Institute, which will be held in the parish house of St. James' Cathedral and at which Bishop Miller, Jr., will speak on the church and the economic movement.

The industrial questions are no matter to the Episcopal church as far back as 1887, when they organized the Church Industrial Association for the Advancement of the Interests of Labor.

Bishop Porter of New York became known as the "People's Bishop" and himself acted as mediator in several strikes, holding the scales in his house.

Last year the Industrial Fellowship was organized by the Episcopal church and includes in its membership men who are actively connected with industry as employees or employers.

There will be a mass meeting here at the Church and Industry on Sept. 17.

BLACKSMITH KILLED

BROWNWOOD, Sept. 16.—John Gist, 50, local blacksmith, was fatally injured last night when he was struck in front of an automobile by Mack Woodruff. Gist died at a hospital and police today said the accident was unavoidable.

BROUGHT BACK

Sheriff's deputies Steele Hill and Woods went to Brownwood yesterday to return Mr. and Mrs. Lester Davis to Eastland county after indictments by the 91st grand jury.

IN LONG ISLAND YACHT MYSTERY



RANDOLPH TO OFFER DIVIDED TUITION COSTS

Because the depression has affected so many people who desire to attend Randolph, the college authorities have decided to allow the tuition charges to be handled in divided payments. It has been the custom to require tuition and fees to be paid in advance for the entire semester. This is the universal practice in colleges and is regarded as the most satisfactory method of handling these charges, but to make it easier for students to attend this year, it has been decided to allow the years charge to be divided into six payments, one each six weeks. A few cents to cover carrying charges will be added to each payment when the dividend payment plan is used. Since students are not accepted for less than a semester, secured notes will be asked for the two deferred payments each semester, and will be due on maturity even if the student withdraws from school.

The total charge for tuition and all necessary fees is \$104 for the year, or \$52 each semester when paid in advance for the semester. Under the divided payment plan the student pays \$18.00 and signs two secured notes for \$18, due in six weeks and twelve weeks respectively. When the student takes a science or other extra work, the laboratory fee, which is \$5 each semester, or the special charge for extra work is added to the first payment.

Boarding students may pay by the month. Four weeks is called a month in school circles. The total cost for board, room, tuition and all necessary fees is \$284 for the year, or \$142 each semester. Under the divided payment plan, the student pays \$25 on enrolling and signs secured notes for \$32 each, one maturing every four weeks. Extra charges such as laboratory fees will be added to the first payment.

This plan should be helpful to many students and should result in many attending Randolph who could not do so under the old plan. The tuition rate at Randolph is less than any college in this section, and is only about half what many of the larger colleges and universities charge. It was said.

WILL ACCEPT FARM PRODUCE

It was announced today that Randolph college would accept farm produce from the rural students in the Cisco trade territory in payment of board and tuition charges. Many farmers are short on money, but have more farm products than they will need. Since the college dining hall and individual members of the faculty will have need of many items raised on the farm, the articles can prove a benefit to the student and not be a loss to the college. Up to a reasonable amount, depending on the amount offered, such things as chickens, eggs, turkeys, hogs, beef cattle, milk cows, canned goods, sweet potatoes, vegetables, wheat, corn and even feed stuff will be accepted at market prices the same as cash in payment of board and tuition.

100 ATTEND LIONS GROUP MEET HERE

Approximately 100 Lions, including their guests, attended the group meeting of District No. 21 held at the Cisco county club last evening at 7:30.

With Lion H. D. Tucker ably manipulating the toastmaster's gavel each of the six clubs represented, save Cross Plains, presented its share of an excellent program following the banquet. Cross Plains entertainers became ill en route to the meeting and that club's portion of the program was not presented.

A feature of the program was the address of Lion District Gov. Horace Coadley, of Eastland.

Following the banquet and entertainment the officers of the clubs went into business session when Eastland was chosen as the site for the next group meeting. The date will be set sometime within the first two weeks of December.

Cisco, Brockridge, Eastland, Ranger, Strawn and Cross Plains were the clubs represented.

Cisco's entertainment consisted of tap dancing by Miss Margie Linder, a vocal number by Mrs. Glendon Drake and selections by Marx's colored orchestra.

Brockridge's presentation was singing and tap dancing by Miss Ima Morris, Miss Phyllis Miller, Mrs. F. P. Bell and Miss Iola Bowden.

Strawn presented Miss Mary Bell Copper in a dancing number accompanied by Mrs. J. E. Stuart.

Miss Adamson was presented by the Ranger club in vocal numbers, accompanied by Miss Henderson.

Miss Eda Lindsey and Miss Margaret Hart were presented in a violin duet by the Eastland club.

The meal for the evening was prepared by a committee consisting of W. K. Johnston, L. P. Kuykendall and Barton Phillipott.

Cramer Airplane Is Picked Up

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A wrecked seaplane picked up in the North Sea today by a British steam trawler, was that of Parker Cramer, former Dallas flier, experimenting for a possible air route between the United States and Europe.

Identification was made by the manufacturer's number on the plane.

Cramer and his Canadian radio operator Oliver Paquette left Detroit unheralded early in August and flew to Greenland before the world knew of their adventurous project. They flew by easy stages and reached the Shetland Islands August 9. They took off the next day and were never heard from again.

Body of Murdered Yachtsman Found

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The condition of the body corroborated in some details the story of Mrs. Cloo Collins, who has clung for five days to her hysterical account of how men boarded their yacht Penguin, trussed her husband and threw him overboard.

Wagon and Team Found Deserted

A wagon and team of horses from grey in color, deserted on east Sixth street in the outskirts of the city, was found this morning by Police-man Craddock. The team had become involved in a wire fence.

He released the animals and placed them in a pasture to await the owner. The wagon contained cotton seed, freshly ginned.

OIL WORKER KILLED

Longview, Sept. 16.—Curtis Smith, 22, oil field worker, from Coushatta, La., was killed almost instantly last night when struck by a pair of tongs on a rig near here.

SUBMISSION OF TAX TOPIC IS REFUSED

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Gov. Ross Sterling today declined to yield to the request of the Texas legislature that he let them revise state appropriations and taxes.

Instead, the state's automatic tax board will meet this afternoon to compute the tax rate necessary for existing appropriations. Another special session may be called later if taxes prove inadequate.

The governor said the tax rate will not be raised.

The peddler's tax levied by the regular session will be repealed if the senate follows today's action by the house. The repeal bill was passed in the house by a vote of 69 to 51. The law now is subject to litigation before the federal court at San Antonio.

Four Convictions In 88th Court

EASTLAND, Sept. 16.—County Attorney Joe H. Jones and his assistants Gray Owen and W. B. Collier, have been busy this week trying cases in Judge Elzo Beene's 88th district court. Their efforts resulted in four convictions.

Floyd Burton was found guilty by the jury of a charge of violating the state liquor laws and was given two years in the penitentiary.

J. B. Woods on a plea of guilty was given two years suspended sentence by the jury.

L. B. Blocker entered a plea of guilty before Judge Beene to liquor law violation and was given a three year suspended sentence.

Henry Harcher (colored) entered a plea of guilty before the court to a liquor law violation charge and was given three years suspended sentence.

CISCO PEOPLE ENTERTAIN AT COUNTY FARM

A group of Cisco people, members of the First Baptist Church Circle No. 1, headed by Mrs. Kate Richardson of that city, visited the county home, four miles south of Eastland Sunday and presented a program for the inmates of the home. They also brought various kinds of fruits for those in the home and gave them literature to read.

The program was opened by a prayer by Mrs. Richardson.

Mrs. Clifton read and commented on John 14.

A number of songs were rendered by the group and the program was closed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison.

Superintendent Pafford at the County Home asked the paper to express his appreciation and that of the inmates of the county home to the Cisco women for their thoughtfulness.

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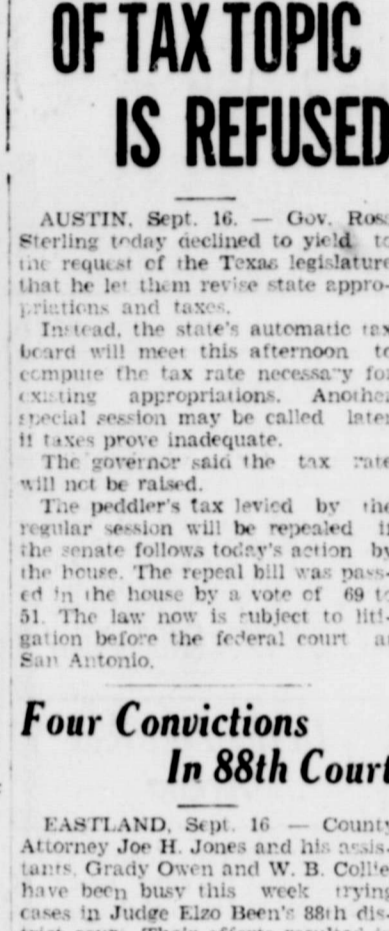
Mack Kimbrough made bold in justice court here yesterday afternoon on a charge of possession of beer for purposes of sale after Sheriff Virge Foster, Constable R. L. Wilson and members of the sheriff's department had conducted a raid in which 300 bottles of beer were confiscated.

Amphibian Crashes; Two of Crew Killed

PANAMA CITY, Sept. 16.—A United States naval amphibian en route to Belize with medical supplies, crashed at David, Panama, today. Two of the crew were killed and two injured.

The dead were Chief Pilot J. L. Jenkins and A. A. Miller, machinist.

Capitol's Stone Steps Wear Out



Worn out by the tread of sightseers, politicians and other visitors during the past 60 years, the stone steps on the west front of the national capitol at Washington, D. C., are being replaced and here you see a crew of men at work brick work supporting steps against the capitol terraces is also being rebuilt.

EQUIPMENT TO TOP HIGHWAY REACHES HERE

Equipment for laying the asphalt topping on the section of highway No. 23 north from Cisco to the Shackelford county line, arrived in Cisco today and is being unloaded. The Jago Construction company of Denton, has the contract on the road.

Spreading the crushed rock for top has been in progress for the past month, and completion of the road is now in sight.

BRITAIN IS DUMBOUNDED BY MUTINY

LONDON, Sept. 18.—Mutiny in the British navy over a cut in pay was met by the government today with an offer to consider the claims of the men.

The great Atlantic fleet, helpless off Scotland, after refusal of the men to work, has been ordered to proceed to home ports at once, Sir Austen Chamberlain, first lord of the admiralty, announced in the house of commons.

Labor members met the announcement with cheers and taunts of weakness against the government. The pay cuts had been ordered as part of the general economy program.

Standing in the mutiny, an event which has dumounded the nation and is unprecedented in British history, was the fact that no disloyalty to the crown was shown. All reports spoke of the men singing "God Save the King" and cheering the sovereign. They just would not work.

BANK ROBBER

AVERY, Tex., Sept. 16.—Three unmasked men held up the First National bank here at noon today and escaped with \$1,400.

NEW KIND OF RECORD

BOONVILLE, Miss., Sept. 16.—Franklin county believes the fact there is but one foreign born citizen living within its boundaries is a record of some kind or another. He is James Roberts, 68, a Scotchman, who has lived in the south more than half his life.

MESSAGE TO FIANCEE IS INTERCEPTED



SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 16.—Long given up as lost in the silent north Pacific, Don Moyie and Cecil Allen, Tokio to Seattle fliers, made known their presence on an isolated island in Bering sea today.

The fliers had not been heard from in more than a week. Their plane had not been seen since an hour after the take-off from Japan on their projected non-stop flight.

The tales were meager but a radio message addressed to Moyie's fiancée, which was intercepted, said the fliers were safe.

The message did not name the island or its location but the coast guard ordered its Bering sea patrol to investigate and attempt to get more information.

The brief radio message was picked up from the Russian Buriat which subsequently could not be reached. The message said: "Landed on uninhabited island. Okay. Be in Seattle September 22. Have Frank put publicity man on job. Love, Don."

The message was addressed to Moyie's fiancée, Miss Frances Bresson. The "Frank" was taken to be her brother. Authorities believe the ship called at the island or saw the fliers distress signals and sent a landing party ashore.

DOCTORS ARE ENTERTAINED AT BARBECUE

Dr. J. H. Caton was host to the Eastland County Medical society, Tuesday evening, with a chevon barbecue, at his ranch, three miles north of Eastland.

The Abilene Society of Radiographers were guests at the barbecue, later holding a business meeting with Mrs. Fred D. Maxey in Dr. Caton's office.

This was the monthly meeting of the medical society and doctors were present from Dallas, Fort Worth, Mineral Wells, Ranger, Cisco, Rising Star, Carbon Gorman, and Eastland.

Those present for the enjoyable occasion were Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Carter, Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Townsend, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Townsend, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Tanner, Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. F. T. Isbell, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Van de Venter, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Chaney, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnston, Marvin Davis, Wright Ligon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Maxey, Harris and Elizabeth Isbell, Misses Nell Caton, Pauline Waldball, Ruth Bagley, and Clyde Chaney, Parker, Jack and Julia Brown, Jane, Virginia and Bobby Ferguson and Boyd Tanner all from Eastland, Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Logston, Mr. and Mrs. Haslam and Dr. W. L. Jackson, of Ranger, Drs. C. H. Hale, D. Ball, E. L. Graham, and Dr. and Mrs. Seale and son of Cisco, Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Payne, Dr. M. L. Stubblefield of Gorman, Dr. T. L. Jackson of Carbon, Dr. C. E. Peterson, who is with the State Health Department of Austin, Drs. S. R. Parks, George M. Carlisle, J. H. McCracken, J. H. McCracken, Jr., of Dallas, Drs. Charles W. Harris, Will S. Horn of Fort Worth, Dr. J. H. McCracken, Sr., of Mineral Wells, Mmes. Jessie McKenzie, Hilda Whitte, Dora Smith, Eloise Odum and Misses Birdie Morris, Catherine Ramsey, Erin Yantis, Inez Gardner and Miss Boyd all of Abilene, and host Dr. J. H. Caton and wife.

REDUCTIONS IN SCHOOL FEES MADE

Fees in the high school have been revised downward, it was announced by Supt. R. N. Cluck today.

The following reductions were made, he said:

Physics lab fee from \$2.50 to \$1.50 per year.

Physiology fee from \$1 to 50 cents per year.

Typing fee from \$2.25 to \$1.50 per semester.

Other fees are small and would not bear cuts.

In all probability, Mr. Cluck said, the school may be able to reduce the fees still further during the last semester.

These reductions are in line with the announced policy of the school to reduce its per capita cost to the lowest possible figure, he pointed out. Care is exercised not to reduce so low, however, that interference with efficiency will result.

Hutton Threatened With Second Suit

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 16.—A second breach of promise suit was threatened today against David "What-a-Baritone" Hutton soloist, as he continued northward with his bride, Almee Semple McPherson, noted evangelist.

The threat came from Mrs. Roland Neece, Long Beach, who said she was considering such action against Hutton because as late as three months ago he promised marriage to her.

WEATHER

West Texas.—Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

East Texas.—Generally fair and continued warm tonight and Thursday except somewhat unsettled near coast.

Four Die as Plane Falls Into Bay

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Four persons were killed when a northbound plane fell in San Francisco bay while circling for an emergency landing.

Oil and gasoline splattered on the surface of the water and caught fire, engulfing the wreckage of the plane.

Trapped in the cabin, the pilot and three passengers are believed to have died instantly.

They were Kirk Heere of the Seattle Star, F. I. Sheahan and W. H. Bissel, both of San Francisco and Ray Bourdeaux.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

AN OLD MAN'S TESTIMONY.—I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.—2 Timothy 4: 7.

PRISON REFORM NEEDED.

Those interested in the suppression of crime and the reformation of the criminal would do well to turn their activities to prison conditions, rather than to the perennial campaigns in behalf of more restricted laws.

According to the Wickersham Commission, "The present prison system is antiquated and inefficient. It does not reform the criminal. It fails to protect society. There is reason to believe that it contributes to the increase of crime by hardening the prisoner. We are convinced that a new type of penal institution must be developed, one that is new in spirit, in method and in objective."

During the last twenty years or so we have been busy passing more laws to break. Penitentiaries are packed to overflowing, yet we have done almost nothing to help their inmates become good members of society when released.

American prison conditions, in short, present a fertile field for real social reform—reform that will do permanent good, without restricting or abrogating the rights of law-abiding citizens.

FIRE LOSS STILL HIGH.

During the first half of 1931 the total estimated fire loss was \$242,568,267, as compared with \$242,299,771 for the same period last year.

The increase is so small as to be almost negligible. But 1930 was a year of high losses, and we are continuing to hold the total to an excessive figure. Carelessness and thoughtlessness, coupled with arson, are still combatting the fine work of those organizations, public and private, which are laboring to instruct the people in the fundamentals of fire prevention.

We have not yet learned, as a people, that it is better to prevent a fire than to extinguish one. We may have the best fire department in the world—but every fire, no matter how slight, results in some waste. We may point out that there are few great conflagrations any more—but a few comparatively small fires can cause a waste of millions, not only in property damage, but in loss of business, employment and higher taxes for other property.

If the last six months of 1931 are like the first six, we will again approach the \$500,000,000 mark in destruction by fire. The fire records of past years are a series of black marks against our much vaunted American efficiency.

GAS TAX REVENUE INCREASES WITHOUT RAISING RATE.

Taxes, when they reach a certain limit, often fail of their purpose. Instead of producing more revenue, they produce less.

This is proving true of gasoline and automobile taxes. When levies grow too high the public simply does less driving.

In contrast to this are the states of Missouri and New Hampshire where income from the gas tax has increased without raising the rate. Missouri, where the tax is fixed by law at two cents a gallon for a decade, had the largest May collections since the levy was first imposed, in 1925, and its tax income for the first five months was nearly \$250,000 greater than for the same period in 1930.

Gasoline tax collections have increased so noticeably in New Hampshire that the Nashua Telegram has suggested that the next session of the legislature might seriously consider reducing the tax.

It may be that states benefit more from a reasonable tax than from an excessive one which causes automobile owners of modest means to leave their cars home.

PROBATION FOR RECKLESS DRIVERS.

A probation system for supervision over drivers whose licenses are restored after having been revoked is now being established in Connecticut.

Under the proposed system, a personal guarantee will have to be given, before a license is returned, that the offender will not repeat his offense. Each individual case will be thoroughly considered and the license will only be returned when officials are satisfied that circumstances warrant it. The driver will then be followed up, and reported upon so that if he again manifests reckless or negligent tendencies his license may be again taken back.

It is said that the main flaw in the plan is the difficulty of enforcement. But the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles believes that it can be done satisfactorily. He says, "The safety of the public demands that new and more seriously applied methods of direction be used, and more severe standards of fitness on the highways be adopted. . . . Safety can only be attained through better selection, thereafter supplemented with a corresponding system whereby persons can be checked and whereby those persons who by dint of appearance, education or other means have succeeded in acquiring operator's license where there really exists some defect in temperament, physique or adaptability can be detected and removed."

Other states will watch the Connecticut experiment. And if it is successful, there will probably be strong public demand for it elsewhere.

A Straw That Tells Which Way the Wind Is Blowing!



OTHER OPINIONS

HERBERT AND CALVIN.

Some critics of President Hoover claim he isn't doing anything to mitigate the depressed condition of things. Here is what one of his secretaries said he did one day last week:

Breakfast—Reads latest information on progress of wheat deal with China. Goes to office and makes inquiry about possibility of renewing negotiations with Germany over sale of wheat and cotton.

Luncheon—Discusses possible need for intervention in Cuba. Receives new appeal to call extra session. Discusses latest attack on prohibition enforcement methods.

Evening—Spends spare hours going over plans for the disarmament conference at Geneva next February.

Bed—Reads himself to sleep over chapter in "The Washington Merry-Go-Round," criticizing him as doing nothing for leadership.

No wonder the insistent calls made on a certain gentleman at Northampton, Massachusetts falls on deaf ears. Mr. Coolidge is wise. He could likely be elected should he become a candidate for the slogan of "Coolidge Prosperity" would be very alluring to the harassed voters. But Calvin Coolidge knows prosperity is something more than

a slogan. A man who has hit the bull's eye everytime and won everything in sight is not generally anxious to take the risk of another shot. And while Herbert Hoover is growing gray and hollow-eyed Calvin Coolidge is throwing flies to lure the trout in New England streams. It's pretty sure Calvin will not "choose to run."—Marshall News.

In the Political Arena

By THE POLITICAL ANALYST

Here's what the \$7000 salary of each of the 33 judges of civil appeals courts means in terms of commodities at present prices, as told by Rep. T. H. McGregor of Austin before the house, when resolutions were adopted demanding a cut of all state, county and local salaries and the fees of local officers:

- Seven thousand dollars equals:
 - 50 bales of cotton.
 - 1000 bushels of wheat.
 - 1000 bushels of corn.
 - 50 fine yearlings.
 - 100 hogs.
 - 1000 bushels of oats.
 - 100 goats.
 - 20 milk cows.
 - 1 \$1,000 automobile.
 - \$100 in cash.
- The house started out to call for reduction of the educational and departmental salaries. Its speakers asserted these were too high—"Why not the district judges at \$5000 and supreme court at \$8,000," somebody asked.
- "All right," Rep. W. T. Savage rejoined, "why don't you include the salaries and fees of local officers? Many local officers get three times as much as these state officers you are talking about."
- So they put the salaries and fees of every public official in Texas under scrutiny. The legislature can't change the salaries of constitutional

officers, but there are only a handful of these.

The same legislature the same day had called on Gov. Sterling to submit either general revenue and taxation, or else the adoption of an income tax. Salary reduction also was included in this. This resolution got a vote of 84 to 18, showing the strength of the movement to avert increases in the state's property tax until the legislature acts.

Estimates of the possible reduction in state salaries on the scale proposed by Rep. McGregor—10 per cent on salaries under \$2500, 15 per cent on salaries of \$2500 to \$5000 and 20 per cent on salaries over \$5000, were from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 a year for the state's saving.

But the savings on a similar ratio of county and district officers were guessed all the way from \$3,500,000 to \$7,000,000 a year. This showed that the leaks of wasteful public expenditures were not so much in the state treasury as in the 252 county and the innumerable district and local spending agencies.

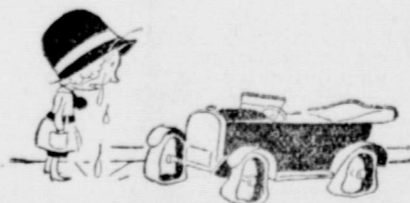
The temper of the legislature, as shown in these demands, make it a good year to begin the work of consolidating departments, bureaus and agencies of government, and more particularly to wiping out the unnecessary and exorbitantly expensive local agencies and offices that are not needed.

The legislature should not do anything to cripple any needed agency of government. But where it can top off inspectors, deputies, supernumerary officers and employees, it is taking just that much more of the intolerable burden of taxes off what people are left.

And it should consider this other economic advantage too—the quantity of productive labor it will put back into private activity by jarring the pensioners loose from the public payroll.

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TEXAS TOPICS

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, Sept. 16.—Texas citrus fruit growers will have the help of the U. S. department of agriculture in devising ways to use culls and by-products, through establishment of a federal citrus laboratory at Westlaco according to notice received by state officials. The new laboratory will be built on the state citrus fruit experiment station lands. Money for its construction and operation was voted by the preceding session of congress.

The location was made by Dr. F. C. Black, E. M. Chace and Director A. B. Conner of the Texas A. & M. experiment station work.

A Fort Worth lawmaker, Rep. Frank Patterson, Jr., made the successful fight to keep the Texas Bar association from importing Georgia marble to build a monument on the capitol grounds. . . . The public mention of his commendable fight caused Fort Worth officials to think about the splendid quality of Texas granite and Texas building stone in Central Texas. . . . Now Fort Worth, in building a new city hall, will come to Williamson or Travis county for its building stone, probably as a result of Mr. Patterson's fight for Texas products.

The legislature has voted to save the last herd of Texas buffalo from extinction by allowing the game department to acquire the animals reasonably, when the people of Texas give a much greater sum in finishing the land free on which the will remain under state protection. . . . Now the state will investigate the wisdom of begging the United States government to send some tame buffalo out of some national park, under resolutions adopted the house. Kilgore — Plans announced 4,000 barrel refinery.

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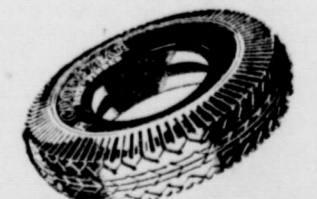
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GUilty LIPS

LAURA LOU BROOKMAN Author of "MAD MARRIAGE"
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BEGIN HERE TODAY
Pretty Norma Kent, 20-year-old secretary in a law office, marries Mark Travers, son of F. M. Travers, millionaire real estate dealer, after the father has sworn to cut her off without a penny if the marriage takes place. Mark and Norma have known each other only a few weeks.
The story opens in Marlboro, middle western metropolis. Christine Saunders, Norma's roommate, and Bradley Hart, Chris' employer, are witnesses at the wedding. Before this Norma has repeatedly refused to marry Bob Farrell, a young lawyer of whom she is fond. Price, a debutante who has long loved to marry Mark. As their hands dwindle the young couple goes to a furnished apartment. He is unsuccessful until Christine helps him get a job as salesman in Bradley Hart's advertising company. This lasts only a week, because Mark fails to make any sales.

Again Mark hunts work. The situation begins to grow serious. He secures employment as a messenger in a department store. Mark comes home Saturday of his first week and when Norma sees him announces, "I've got a surprise!"

HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XXIV
"Can I look now?" Norma demanded. Her two hands were clasped tightly over her eyes and she was smiling. "Oh, I can't wait! Do me look now!" she begged.

"Just a minute there! Keep those eyes closed until I say 'Ready'—hold your hands out!"
Something bulky, something made of paper was placed in the girl's arms. A box, she was certain. Yes, a big box though it wasn't in the least heavy.

"Mark, what on earth have you got here?"
"Did I say 'ready'? Keep those eyes shut! Lord, but you're a hard one to manage. Now wait a minute there, I guess you can look, ready?"

Norma opened her eyes. She looked at them. "Why, Mark Travers—flowers! Oh, it must be flowers—gorgeous ones! I've never seen such a big box. Why, Mark?"

"Fully four feet long was the inner gray box in the girl's arms. The crest on the cover she recognized as the symbol of the most exclusive flower shop in Marlboro. Impulsively Norma slipped the box back. Green transparent wrappings inside. Deep scarlet shone through them.

"Oh, how beautiful!"
She had drawn away the wrappings. A dozen roses, velvet petalled, of that magnificent shade that blends flame with crimson, were revealed. Their leaves sparkled with dewy moisture. They were magnificent, patrician blossoms. Their fragrance bathed the girl in a soft, spicy sweetness.

"They're—they're beautiful!" Norma said again. Almost such sweetness seemed a secret thing.
"Glad you like them. Do you by any chance recall what day this is?"

"What day? Why—oh, Mark, I didn't think I could forget?"
"Well, then, don't I get at least one little stinky kiss for remembering? It isn't every husband who's so hot about bringing his little flowers on their wedding anniversary. Two months ago tonight, kid. Two months ago tonight we made that little trip to Woodbury. It doesn't seem like two months ago. Well, honey, don't I get that kiss?"

He had been talking without noticing the change which had come over the girl's face. Suddenly instead of coming nearer Norma backed away.

"Mark," she cried in a startled voice. "The flowers—you didn't—oh, you didn't take the money you got from the store to buy flowers?"

"Horror, shrewd conviction, anxiety colored the girl's face. And she said the words she knew with terrible assurance they were true. Roses—beautiful, utterly useless roses instead of the rent money!"

"Oh, Mark, how could you do that? How could you?" Norma exclaimed. Spots on angry color showed in the girl's cheeks.
"Well, say—" Mark too stepped backward, measuring Norma with a glance. "So this is the thanks I get? Bawl me out, why don't you? Say it so all the neighbors can hear you! I thought you'd like the damn flowers. Throw 'em out the window if you feel that way about it. Here—"

He caught up the silver box, would surely have hurled it to the street had he if Norma had not stopped him.
She clasped one end of the box. "You can't do that!" she declared. "Are you crazy? Oh, just when I thought everything was going to be all right this has to happen!"

"Let go of that!" Mark was breathing the paper container from her. "I'll get a lot of these flowers, tell you, you'd better let go!"
It was a warning. With superior strength he snatched the box from the girl. In doing so he twisted his wrist, hurting it.

Tears came into Norma's eyes.

sulk like a spoiled child. It's two months we've been married and do you know in that time we've spent nearly \$2000? There was the \$1,400 you had when we started to Blue Springs and the \$500 you borrowed to come back. Two thousand dollars wasted in two months and what have we to show for it? Nothing! I was beginning to hope for you, Mark. I was beginning to think when you got the job at Blossomdale's that at last you'd learned to settle down, take your medicine and amount to something. You seemed to be the man I thought I'd married—but it was all a mistake! A mistake for you, I guess, as well as for me!"

"It's pleasant to hear at last what you really think of me," Mark interrupted. "All this talk about 'being lousy' and 'things will be better'! That was honey, wasn't it? Anybody but a fat-head like myself would have known it. It's nice to find you can be frank when you want to be. Well, we've both had our little lesson—"

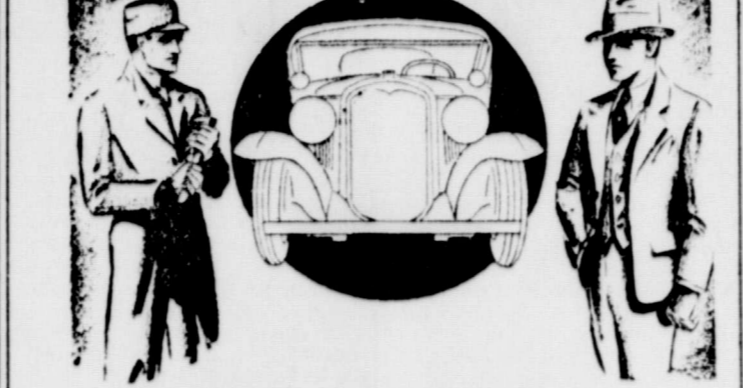
The girl stared at him. Something sharp and choking caught in her throat. He really meant it! Mark really meant what he said—wanted her to go away!

She put out a hand against a chair and squared her shoulders.
"Yes," she said, "We've—both had our lesson. I'm going now. You'll manage about the things here, won't you?"

"Sure, I'll manage."
The girl pulled down her hat and coat from the closet, jammed the hat on her head. Mark put out a hand to take the coat while she slipped her arms into it but the girl objected.

"No thanks," she said. "I can get into it myself."
"Just as you wish, of course."
How indifferent! How maddeningly, frigidly indifferent he was about the whole thing! Showing exactly how little he cared for her. Norma picked up her gloves and purse. "When I know where I'm

to be," she said evenly. "I'll send for my clothes. Well—goodby."
She opened the door and with—
out another glance backward darted into the hall.
(To Be Continued)



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RENTALS

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FURNISHED Duplex 307 West Broadway.

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FURNISHED apartment 306 West Eighth, Flat 404 West Third street.

FOR RENT—Duplex apartment, Phone 41.

NEW furnished apartment, 405 West 11th.

Houses for Rent 32

FOR RENT—5 room cottage, 207 Avenue L.

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FAIRM FOR RENT—Four and one-half miles from Cisco. See A. J. Olson.

Houses for Sale 38

FOR SALE—Equity in small home on west side, good location, half block of pavement, all taxes paid insurance paid one year in advance. If interested write Box T cars of Daily News, Cisco, Texas.

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Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

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

T. & P.	West Bound.	East Bound.
No. 7	1:45 a.m.	
No. 3	12:20 p.m.	
No. 1 "Sunshine Special"	4:57 p.m.	
No. 6	4:09 a.m.	
No. 16 "The Texan"	10:20 a.m.	
No. 4	4:57 p.m.	
C. & N. E.		
Leaves Cisco	5:00 a.m.	
Arrive Breckenridge	6:30 a.m.	
Arrive Throckmorton	9:30 a.m.	
Leaves Throckmorton	10:00 a.m.	
Arrives Breckenridge	11:50 a.m.	
Leaves Breckenridge	12:20 p.m.	
Arrive Cisco	1:50 p.m.	
SUNDAY		
Leave Cisco	5:00 a.m.	
Arrive Cisco	10:55 a.m.	
M. K. & T.		
North Bound.		
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South Bound.		
No. 36	8:40 a.m.	

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HEAVIEST FOURSOME

BRISTOL, Va., Sept. 16.—One of the heaviest 16-hole foursomes in the history of Bristol was played here recently when George, Dave and Harry Parrish, brothers, and Frank Goodpasture participated. George Parrish tipped the scales at 250 pounds; Harry, 230, and Dave, 205, while Goodpasture came through with 215 pounds. Dave and George Parrish won.

HARD WINTER

LOVELOCK, Nev., Sept. 16.—Local Indians, following in the footsteps of their forefathers, already have gone to hunt for pine nuts. The Indians claim that a heavy harvest is the Creator's method for protecting his children during the long winter. They predict a hard winter this year.

Museum Gets Mastodon Bones

CANYON, Sept. 16.—The fossil of a giant mastodon that once roamed the western plains perhaps 35,000 years ago, paleontologists estimate, and which was discovered in a gravel pit near Amarillo recently, has been placed in the museum rooms of the Panhandle-Plains Historical society at the West Texas State Teachers college here.

This fossil was added to the already large collection of the society which will be placed in the new museum building on the college campus in Canyon. Work on the building is expected to begin this fall. The recent session of the legislature voted \$25,000 for the museum, to be matched with \$25,000 of private funds, for the construction of a \$50,000 building. Almost \$20,000 of the outside funds have been pledged and a portion of the amount collected.

When completed this will be the first state museum to be erected in Texas. It will house the large collection of relics, records, historical information, Indian collections, mounted animals and bones of prehistoric animals. Much of the collection concerns historical data of the early life of pioneers on the plains of Texas. Donations to the society are being received from all sections of the state and some from out of state.

Miami—State Highway No. 33 and U. S. No. 69 leading east out of town, closed by construction company is in progress preparatory to paving road through county.

Houston—Plans will soon be ready for \$1,250,000 city-county hospital.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.

A RADIO FROM BOB MURRAY TO THE SHADYSIDE AIRPORT ENDED ABRUPTLY IN THE MIDDLE OF A MESSAGE.... SENSING TROUBLE ANOTHER PLANE TAKES OFF TO LOCATE BOB, WHO WAS TRYING TO FIND RILEY AND THE BOYS.



Business Directory

Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, H. S. DRUMWRIGHT; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

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

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

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P.; L. D. WILSON, secretary.

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



HELLO! WHAT'S THIS? RILEYS SHIP!! HOT DOG!! I KNEW I'D FIND HIM... AND RIGHT RIGHT SIDE UP TOO!! HOORAY!

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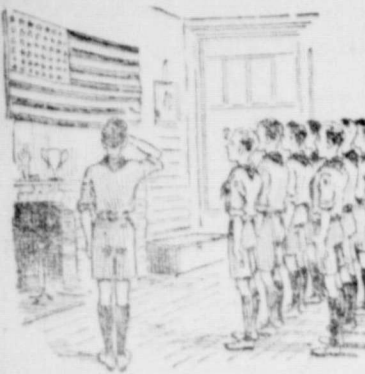
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Keeping Up With the Boy Scouts



Test Passing Troop No. 17 are getting ready for the next round of honor. They report that 19 of their number passed various tests last week.

Court of Honor A court of honor will be held in Eastland the second week of October. Many scouts have their applications ready and waiting for additional awards.

Take Hike Here comes a report from Lester Clark of Troop No. 18 stating that their troop went on an over night camp. Now we would like to know how you cooked your eggs, bacon, etc.

A Good Turn The office is informed that two scouts acted as guides for the Eastland County Medical society last Tuesday evening by showing the course of their march to reach Dr. Caten's ranch where they were to have a barbecue.

Lone Scouts If you are a boy wanting to join the scouts, let's hear from you.

BIG DAM CHATTER

Coach Jetteries sent the pack through its first session of practice under the lights at Chesley field last night in preparation for the season's opening contest with the

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Sunday and Monday MARIE DRESSLER and POLLY MORAN in POLITICS

Gorman eleven Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Last year's Lobo team claimed to find little difference between playing in natural daylight and in artificial light.

The word "glare" was inadvisedly used, but rather than retrace our typewriter keys and replace it with a more accurate term we prefer to explain away the significance. There is no glare. The light is clear and revealing.

Strange as it may appear both teams Friday evening will be strangers to Cisco. Out of all local fans that small coterie of the elect who have pushed past Coaches Jenkins and Hill's rigid censorship will have any idea of what the 1931 edition of the Lobo pack will look like.

It is still a matter of unknown knowledge who will compose the first team. No doubt the coaches have certain definite ideas regarding what behind their eyes but they have not reached a point where they feel safe in expressing them.

There is a great deal of difference between workouts and actual playing and the coaches are no doubt withholding judgment until they are equipped with evidence from under fire. What Gorman will bring here Friday evening for the initial contest is a matter of speculation, but for the past several seasons they have brought the same team. It is to be expected, therefore, that the team will be a combination of old and new.

Bull Snakes Are House Pets

TONOPAH Nev. Sept. 16.—City dwellers are hanging on strings from the bestial paths and find their way into the more remote sections of the Nevada desert, as amazed, when calling at some old desert rat's cabin, to find a bull snake curled up on the doorstep or lazily catching insects and playing around the front yard.

Practically every one of these old desert rats keep a bull snake for a pet. Old Tex Watson, the lone resident of the once booming mining camp of Golden Arrow, Nev. keeps two of these odd pets. They are big fellows.

"That one over there," said Tex pointing, "sleeps under my bed every night, docile as a lamb." Noticing a slight shudder from his visitor, Tex laughed.

Why they're perfectly harmless," he said. They keep the place clear of bugs and insects and, best of all, they keep the rattlers' asses away.

"A rattlesnake is as scared of a bull snake as a person. In a battle between a bull snake and a rattler, the bull will always win. A bull snake is not affected by a rattler's bite. He wriggles himself around a rattler and squeezes the life out of him."

Benham - Modern looms being installed in Cotton Mills.

About Cisco Today

Society Editor, Miss Marjorie Noell—Phone 80.

CALENDAR Thursday The First Industrial Arts club will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. B. Miss Agnes Bearman and Mrs. Frances Mayes of San Antonio left yesterday for Austin where they will reenter Texas university.

B. S. Huey and E. E. Jones are spending today in Woodson. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard and family spent Sunday in Stamford.

Mrs. Della Shook and son have returned to their home in Waco after a visit with relatives here. A. L. Mayhew and W. H. Mayhew have returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lowery of Albany were in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill McDonald of Eastland were in Cisco last evening.

Miss Mary Jane Butts and Mrs. Arthur Cunningham are spending a few days in Carlisbad. D. D. Lewis attended the Baptist Workers' conference in Mettriam yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnett spent the weekend in Waco and Temple. Miss Sally Jane Mitchell of Coleman is visiting Mrs. Frank Logan.

Harold J. Clark of Dallas was a visitor in Cisco today. Allen Boone left yesterday for Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartness were visitors in Weatherford Sunday. Louis Daiches of Breckenridge was in the city last evening.

Mrs. Jessar Daniels and Mrs. J. R. Burnett spent yesterday afternoon in Putnam. Tom Foley left Sunday for Galveston to enter school.

Mrs. B. F. Jones and Mrs. J. Poe were visitors in Eastland Monday. Rev. M. Collins of Ranger was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. L. B. Campbell has returned from a visit in New Orleans. Bert Karkalis was a visitor in Abilene Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Shoekley and son, Leonidas, are leaving today for a visit in Hamilton. Miss Mona Pritchard of Eastland was a visitor in Cisco Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Brown accompanied their daughter, Miss Ova to Fort Worth yesterday, where she will enter T. W. C. Bayard McMahon, who received a broken arm Saturday, is reported to be doing well.

Eugene Ford is attending a General Electric convention in Abilene this evening. Pete Coates of Hope, Arkansas is spending a few days in Cisco.

Misses Blanche and Dutch Van Horn have returned from a visit in Denton. ALTAR SOCIETY MEETS WITH MRS. KELLY

Mrs. G. B. Kelly was hostess to the Altar Society Tuesday afternoon at her home on West Fifth street. Rev. M. Collins led the devotional. A short business meeting was held at the close of which the hostess served refreshments of ice cream and cake to Mesdames W. F. Keough, J. J. Collins, M. J. Heald, L. B. Campbell, J. A. McGinnis, F. W. Murphy, Karaboom, and Rev. M. Collins.

MRS. CRAWFORD HOSTESS AT CIRCLE MEETING Fourteen members attended the meeting of Circle 1 of the Presbyterian auxiliary yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. P. Crawford on West Sixth street. In the general routine, the business was properly dispensed with and the lesson study from the book of James was taught by Miss Anna Johnson. During the afternoon, the hostess served light refreshments to those present.

CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. WALKER Circle 3 of the Presbyterian auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. W. T. Walker on West Ninth street yesterday afternoon. After a short business period, Mrs. A. J. Olson led the devotional, and the Bible study from James, first chapter, was given by Mrs. P. R. Warwick.

The hostess served a light lunch during the social hour to the following members and guests: Mesdames A. J. Olson, E. LeVoux, J. W. LaMunyon, W. P. Lee, C. O. Pass, P. R. Warwick and E. E. Jamison.

CITY FEDERATION HAS INITIAL MEETING The City Federation met Monday afternoon at the clubhouse, at which time Mrs. P. P. Shepard, who has been president for the past two years, relinquished her office to Mrs. G. B. Kelly. The presidents of the different clubs represented gave outlines of the years work and Mrs. Kelly gave a normal report of the committees who will function for the next two years. Mrs. Olson made a comprehensive report of the treasury, and requested that a committee

be appointed to audit her books. An announcement was made of the County Federation meeting next Saturday at Eastland at 2:30, at which time a new president will be elected.

An outstanding feature of the afternoon was a solo by Mrs. Lee Clark, who sang "My Love Wears Golden Poppies in Her Hair" acrobatically at the piano by Mrs. S. E. Hinton. Mrs. Clark also played a piano solo, "Dance of the Spirits." The women of the federation gave Mrs. Clark a warm welcome. Mrs. R. Q. Lee speaking on the future of Randolph and welcoming Mrs. Clark to our midst.

A great amount of enthusiasm was displayed at this first meeting, and Mrs. Kelly seemed very enthusiastic about the amount of work which will probably be accomplished. There were about 25 or 30 in attendance.

WEST WARD P. T. A. HAS MEETING A growing interest in P. T. A. work was displayed Monday by the large attendance at the meeting of the West Ward P. T. A. Mrs. Homer Slicker presided at the meeting. Howard Goss, principal of West Ward, was elected treasurer. The regular meeting of the month was changed from Monday to Friday at 2:30. Mrs. P. R. Warwick was appointed general chairman of a committee for arranging a benefit bridge and forty-two tournament to be given soon. The president requested that the parents of children of pre-school age who were given medical examinations in the summer, return the slips given them to Miss Dym Baccus, Sup't. R. N. Clark gave a few remarks, stressing the need of more co-operation between the parents and the teachers. The parents are urged to center with him at any time. He spoke of the great need of libraries for the ward schools, and offered suggestions for setting money for this purpose. There were about fifty people in attendance.

MRS. PARKS ENTERTAINS CIRCLE 7 Mrs. S. B. Parks entertained Circle 7 of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church at her home on West Thirtieth street Tuesday afternoon. Much of the time was spent in discussion of business issues brought up at former meetings, and plans were made for taking the examination on the study book recently finished.

Refreshments were served to the guests by Mrs. E. C. McClelland, L. A. Martin, F. E. Shepard, Misses Cora Harris and Pearl Bryant. CARD OF THANKS We wish to express to our relatives and friends our appreciation for their kindness to us at the death of our baby.

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DOWLING IS TRUE TO CODE IN PICTURES

Success as a movie star came to Eddie Dowling with the release, about two years ago, of his very first picture—"The Rainbow Man." According to preview critics he doubles the measure of that success in "Honeymoon Lane," his second picture, which comes to the Palace theater on tomorrow.

Dowling is a firm believer in the theory that the charm that goes into theatrical or film presentations is the most effective method of keeping audiences in a racy glow of happiness.

"Honeymoon Lane" played a long run to thousands of people in New York and then played to thousands more or four. The picture contains all the essentially charming ingredients of the original hit, with those ingredients revamped for the technique of the films.

Dowling is seen as an employee in a high-class summer resort gambling establishment. He falls in love with June Collyer, niece of Noah Beery, who is proprietor of the place. Beery tries to break up the romance by firing Dowling. The enthusiastic youth then goes to the hotel operated by motherly Mary Carr—and becomes her manager.

Mother Carr's place is operated all "above board" and there is for entertainment nothing more delicious than her own gorgeous cherry pies. Through Eddie's zeal, the hotel be-

GERMANS VISIT FRENCH GRAVES OF WAR DEAD

PARIS, Sept. 16.—Just 17 years after their wartime invasion of this country, throngs of Germans are flocking to the Western Front of France. But their invasion this year is essentially a peaceful one, for they are coming to visit the graves of relatives who died during the great war and are buried in France.

German sources report that more than 100,000 German families are visiting graves in France and Belgium. Hereafter, small parties have made similar pilgrimages across the Rhine but an extension of the movement has been seriously handicapped by the uncareful condition in which the majority of the German graves had been left.

Dilapidated wooden crosses sticking up from clumps of weeds and straggling grass have now, by arrangements between the German government and the authorities of Great Britain, France and Belgium, been replaced by tablets at the head of each neatly trimmed grave. The same care has been extended to the German war cemeteries that has characterized the upkeep of the war graves of those who fell fighting for the allies.

With the German graves no longer in a state which made those visiting them blush with shame, more and more German families have been visiting these cemeteries.

Prayer Meeting To Be Resumed

Mid-week prayer meeting will be resumed tonight at the First Methodist church with the pastor, Rev. H. D. Tucker in charge of the service.

Next Wednesday night a series of talks by laymen on Bible characters will be given on each Wednesday evening. Next Wednesday evening, W. L. Boyd will discuss Abraham. Announcement will be made later of others to be on the program for the Wednesday evening meetings.

Mrs. W. B. Statham, choir director of the First Methodist church is asking that everyone who will assist in the choir be present this evening at 7:30.

Plans are being made for rally day next Sunday in all departments of the church. Promotion day will be the following Sunday.

SOCIETY FOR NEEDY MEMPHIS, Sept. 16.—A "Free Loan Aid Society" to benefit needy persons who are unable to hire lawyers to defend them, has been organized here by nine young attorneys. The society was formed when it was discovered that out of 4,000 cases heard in four magistrates' courts, only 40 acquittals, or dismissals, of charges were obtained.



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