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Body of R. Lee Poe Rests Amid Scenes Of His First Home

The body of R. Lee Poe, pioneer citizen and prominent resident of Cisco, was buried Thursday in the Pleasant Hill cemetery, in the community where he first settled when coming to Eastland county from his native state of Arkansas with his three brothers, and he is the second of this quartet to pass away within the past year, Mr. I. N. Poe being the first to pass on, who died last summer in Eastland, having reached the ripe old age of 81 years.

Lee Poe, as he was affectionately known by a large circle of friends, passed away at a local sanitarium on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, due to an attack of peritonitis, from which he had suffered for the past two weeks.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist church here at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon, conducted by his former pastor, Rev. P. D. O'Brien, of Colorado, Texas, who was assisted by the local pastor, Rev. E. S. James, and Rev. Elwin Skiles, pastor of the Pleasant Hill church. The funeral address was most impressive, which was more than a mere funeral oration, rather a personal tribute to a friend for a fallen comrade. The rites at the Cisco church having been concluded, the body was conveyed to Pleasant Hill church, where he worshipped before his removal to Cisco, where he came as a young man, and where, perhaps, he spent his happiest days. So it was in the Pleasant Hill cemetery that loving friends consigned his mortal remains to the grave, while hundreds of old friends and former neighbors gathered to pay their last tribute to the memory of one who had contributed much to the welfare of the people of that community.

The simple service here and at Pleasant Hill were marked by the reading of a short sketch of the life of this useful citizen.

He was born in Columbia county, Arkansas, Oct. 15, 1869, and came to Texas with his bride, who was Miss Lillie Hines, and three brothers and their families, about 1891, locating in DeLeon, but soon after moved to the Pleasant Hill community just southeast of Cisco, where he resided till his removal to Cisco. Only two of the quartet of sterling pioneers now survive, Capt. C. B. Poe, of Carbon and W. J. Poe, of Cisco. Besides these and his widow, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. L. W. Tucker, and two grandchildren, of the Pleasant Hill community, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Park, of Stamps, Ark.

At the time of his passing he was president of the First National Bank, and the Cisco chamber of commerce, and was a director of the municipal chamber practically ever since it became a municipal institution.

His has always been an active life. Before his coming to Cisco, and while living in the Pleasant Hill community, he took an active interest in the community affairs of his neighbors, and was especially interested in advanced agricultural methods. Since his removal to Cisco he has been a leading spirit in all civic affairs of the city, as well as keeping in touch with all matters that pertained to the welfare of the county.

His place will be hard to fill, as he was always on the side of right, as he saw it, and was a friend to all.

Converted in his early manhood, he united with the Baptist church in his native state at the age of 18, and has been a consistent Christian life till the Master called him to his reward from a bed of pain and suffering. The illness that caused his death was preceded by two years of indisposition that seemed to defy the skill of the best practitioners of the land, as he was treated at Temple and in California, where he sought the best medical skill.

Verily, Cisco drops a tear on the bier of R. Lee Poe. Peace to his ashes

Mrs. C. H. Fee accompanied her granddaughter, Miss Betty Fee Spears, on her return to Phoenix, Arizona, where the young lady is studying at the University of Arizona. Mrs. Fee will spend a portion of the winter in Arizona.

M-F Chain Papers Get Blanton To Intercede With P. O. Department

It comes to the Citizen from what we deem as reliable sources that the Marsh-Fentress chain newspaper owners solicited the good offices of Congressman Thomas L. Blanton to intercede with the federal postoffice department at Washington to keep the department from inflicting the penalties provided for making false affidavits as to the circulation of the Marsh-Fentress newspapers in the 17th congressional district. This report states that the department agreed to lay off for the time being, not promising final immunity, however, anent the "3,102" affidavit.

Since the Citizen's exposure of this palpably false affidavit the "general" has shown unusual activity. The circulation has increased (?) alarmingly. So much that some of the alleged subscribers have been receiving large bundles of the string daily to be used (probably for wrapping purposes) as it is hardly possible that any individual would care to read more than one copy of any one issue. Then, too at least one of the carriers has taken out several times as many papers as he delivered, for it came to my knowledge that after delivering his route he threw the remainder in his father's car. This was brought out when a friend of this carrier's father asked him to wait until he got his string daily, before the two left for their homes. The father told him to look in his car and get one, as his son had thrown a number in the machine. The friend stated there appeared to be about 100 copies of the string daily in the car.

Others have told the Citizen that it was not an unusual thing to see stacks of them near the ball park during the football season, weighted down with a rock.

Then, from other sources it was learned that many names had been placed on the subscription books since the Citizen plugged the chain daily's unripe melon. Adding these will enable the management to show up those "3,102" paid in advance subscribers should a postal inspector drop in and call for a peep at the books.

But adding these spurious names will hardly cure the sworn statement that the string daily had "an average daily circulation for six months previous to Oct. 1933, of '3,102' paid in advance subscribers." If the string daily didn't have them then, the sworn statement was not a fact, and to put them on later, in order to substantiate their authenticity would require another "sworn statement." So, unless the employees of the string papers have acquired the habit of making reckless affidavits, it is a waste of white paper to print large numbers that are thrown away and not circulated. Yet, we have been informed that the manager secured one advertising contract by making an affidavit that the local daily had "over 3,000 circulation." If this is true it is a violation of the penal laws of Texas, also the federal postal laws.

An employer who would suborn an employe to commit a felony is an undesirable citizen, and his business unworthy of the patronage of the public.

COOPER CAFE MOVED INTO THE MORRIS SIMON BUILDING JANUARY ONE

Robert Kirschner, proprietor of the Cooper cafe, has moved that popular food establishment from the Olson building, next to the Home Furniture Co., to the Morris Simon building, just three doors south of the former location, which will be the home of the Cooper cafe in the future.

The Welfare association, which formerly maintained headquarters in the Simon building, has moved to the J. W. Gray building, 703 Avenue D, where the association will dispense charity to the needy as long as supplies are available. But, according to J. T. Elliott, the association's chairman, these supplies are getting low,

Lotief's Amendment Would Have Provided Ample Relief Funds

Declaring himself unalterably opposed to an extra session of the legislature at this time, Cecil A. Lotief, florial representative from the 107th district, says he is not willing to draw \$10 per day when the people are hungry.

In opposing this extravagance Lotief runs true to form, and says if the legislature could not pass the laws the governor wanted in the past sessions, he sees little hope to expect any better service at an extraordinary session that will cost the taxpayers \$150,000. Then, too, had the "retainers" not killed his amendment to senate bill No. 46, there would have been funds to take care of the emergency relief. His letter, setting forth his opposition to the extra session follows:

Cross Plains, Texas, Jan. 4, 1934
Cisco Citizen:

There seems to be a great deal of talk and rumor over the state favoring a special called session of the legislature. It is in this connection that this letter comes to you.

I, as a member of the 43rd legislature, desire to say that I am unalterably opposed to any called session at this time, because of the following reasons: First, we have had one called session already which cost the taxpayers of Texas something like \$150,000, and was of no importance, save to issue relief bonds in the amount of \$5,500,000. At this time these bonds were issued under what is known as senate bill number 46, I offered an amendment to said bill that would have taxed natural gas leaving this state in the amount of 1-2 cent per thousand cubic feet. This bill would have allowed each producer an exemption of 300,000,000 cubic feet for each three months, thereby not hindering the small gas producer of this state. Section eleven of my amendment to senate bill No. 46 (which will be found on pages 485 and 486 of the House Journal of first called session) provided as follows:

"All monies collected from this bill shall be used to pay the bond and interest as voted for relief purposes and the balance of the money, if any, shall be deposited in the treasury of the state to the credit of the general fund."

At that time Mrs. Sara T. Hughes, lady member from Dallas county, raised the point of order on my amendment stating that the said amendment was not germane to the bill and the speaker of the house sustained her point of order. I wish now to say, had the speaker ruled differently and my amendment had become a law, we would have fed every hungry man, woman and child in this state and still have left in the general fund a credit of something like \$1,000,000. It is needless to say that there would have been no necessity for another called session at this time.

Secondly, I am opposed to another called session because the big interests of this state are trying to fasten what is known as a "sales tax" upon the burdened backs of the poor people of Texas. I, for one, am opposed to it because there is not anyone in this state working for this legislation except those who are connected with big interests. It appears to me that they are trying to shift the taxation load from themselves to the shoulders of the laboring man in blue denims and overalls. Also, I do not believe that the "sales tax" could be properly enforced without making tax collectors out of every small merchant, who already has every duty for which he has the time.

Third, I am opposed to another called session because if in two sessions the legislature (43rd) could not enact

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and requests are made for additional donations. Since the CWA work hiatus, pending the sale of state bonds, the association has increased demands which hardly can be met unless more supplies are available.

First National Bank Deposits Insured Up To Amount of \$2,500

January 1 the First National Bank of Cisco became a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation, and now the patrons of that bank have this additional safeguard thrown around their funds that they have saved up for that eventful old age that will surely come some day. This corporation insures all bank deposits up to the amount of \$2,500. In accepting the application of the First National to membership the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation passed a neat compliment to the bank and its officers, as the bank was taken in as a member on its report as of Oct. 6, and without the usual examination required of most banking houses.

While the majority of the depositors of the First National never loses any sleep on account of being uneasy about their funds held by the bank, yet so jealous ever has been the officers to throw every safeguard around the funds they hold in trust for their patrons, that it was decided to become a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance corporation, a step none believe was necessary, for perhaps there is not in the state of Texas a banking house where depositors are any safer than in Cisco's First National, nor a financial institution whose officers regard their obligations to their depositors more sacredly.

Appropriate solos were sung during the services by Mrs. Olin Pierce.

The bank, under Cashier Spears and his co-officers, has ever held their first duty was to their depositors, and every precaution has been taken to that end, hence, the decision to align the bank with the Deposit Insurance corporation.

The certificate showing the bank's membership in the Insurance corporation is displayed near the window of Jewel Poe, assistant cashier, and is a notice to every one who has money in the First National that, in addition to the fidelity of the officers to their patrons, this extra-safeguard has been taken, a step none of their patrons believed necessary, so firm is their faith in the integrity, honesty and business judgment of Alex Spears and his force of workers.

WALTON'S SIXTEENTH ANNUAL BABY CONTEST

The sixteenth annual baby contest of the Walton studio began Thursday, and will continue through Jan. 17. Mothers are advised to enter their babies early, as it is proposed to make this contest short and snappy. Mrs. Walton will be in charge, and offers the best service this famous studio has ever given. In addition to the usual features of the Walton contest, there will be awarded a grand prize of \$20, which is an added incentive to have your baby entered in this show.

For the past fifteen years the Walton baby contests have been annual features eagerly awaited by fond mothers as an opportunity to show to the world that their's is the finest baby in Texas, a state famed for its wonderful youngsters.

Read the announcement of the contest in this issue of the Citizen, then doll up the little fellow and bring it in.

Walton's studio has a number of baby pictures, taken in previous contests, which she is offering to the parents at greatly reduced prices. If your baby's picture is among the collection you can get a bargain.

Friends and relatives of the family here to attend the Mary Ellen Noell obsequies included Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hartgrove and Mrs. Cora M. Hartgrove, of Paint Rock; Mesdames S. A. and Gussie Hartgrove, of San Angelo; Mrs. P. B. Kelly, of Abilene; Mrs. A. L. Fields, of Gainesville; Mrs. C. A. Martin, Mrs. Seelye, Mrs. Chance and Mrs. Agnes Doyle, of Eastland, and Mrs. Hoyt Agnew, of Ranger.

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Body of Mary Ellen Rests Beneath Bank Of Rarest Flowers

The body of Mary Ellen Noell rests today beneath a bank of rarest flowers, mute emblems of hope, love and truth, tributes of loving friends, while her sweet soul has taken its flight on celestial wings to that realm above where pain and suffering is unknown. Loving hands tenderly laid the frail little body to rest in the lonely grave, following the religious services held at the chapel of the Green Funeral Home Wednesday morning, which was filled to capacity by sorrowing relatives and friends who came to pay their last tribute to this sweet girl, plucked in the morning of life just budding into womanhood, when life promised much to one of her tender years.

The services at the chapel were conducted by Mrs. C. A. Martin, member of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Eastland, who offered divine consolation to the bereaved relatives by reading the 23rd Psalm, and continued the impressive service with selections from the Bible and the Christian Science text book, Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, founder of the Church in which this sweet young woman was reared from childhood.

The dark messenger came and released the body of Mary Ellen from pain and suffering as the clock struck the hour of four Tuesday morning, while the heavenly angels wafter her pure white soul to the God who gave it, to be transplanted in His garden of immortals to await His judgment for her final abode in that house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens, prepared for His saints.

A native of Cisco, Mary Ellen was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Noell, and was a sister of Miss Marjery and Edgar Noell, Jr.; the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Noell. She was born December 8, 1914, attended Cisco public schools, graduating from the high school in the class of 1932. After finishing the high school she attended Randolph college one term till forced to withdraw on account of the state of her health, since which time she had declined rapidly, as the ravages of a pulmonary trouble had wasted her body to a state of emaciation. Her illness dated back for more than a year, during which her suffering was intense, but which she bore with Christian fortitude and patience, never complaining but maintained a cheerful disposition almost to the end. But there is no sorrow where she is now, nor disease or death, for me thinks the glory of God shines around about her.

The pall bearers were George Robert Winston, Bevington Reed, Mac Statham, Marion Bruce, John Peter Huey, Francis Bruce.

Burial was in Oakwood cemetery, with the Green Funeral Home in charge.

Holiday guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Graham included Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Griswold, of Roswell, N. M.; Mesdames Biggs, Harris, Clark and Dyees, of Albany; Miss Wilda Drago, of Eastland, and Miss Beall, of San Angelo.

Old friends here of Boston Campbell, former Cisco man but now located at Hobbs, N. M. where he is guager for the Humble Company, will regret to hear that he was recently bereaved by the death of his mother, who passed away in Boston, Mass., Christmas day, according to the Hobbs News,

Miss Lela Jaco, of Fort Worth, and companion, Mr. Frank Brock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shepard this week. Miss Jaco is a sister of Mrs. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hunt, of Lake Cisco, had as their holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosen, of St. Louis. Mrs. Rosen is a niece of Mrs. Hunt.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And Elijah said unto her, Fear not; . . . but make me thereof a little cake first, and bring it unto me, and after make for thee and thy son. And she went and did according to the saying of Elijah; and she, and he, and her house, did eat many days. And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the oil fail. . . .—I Kings 17:13,15,16.

*How wise Elijah was at Zarephath!
No self assertion made him cast aside
The widow's meagre store of humble
food--
He let her see it shared and multi-
plied.*

—Ethel Wasgatt Dennis.

"Our wants are one thing, our needs another. Love keeps a wise and tender watch above the latter, and for that reason may deny the former."

HOOVER'S WAITING POLICY

Ex-President Hoover advises the G. O. P. to hold its fire against the Democratic administration until enough errors have accumulated. But the next presidential campaign is less than three years away.—Exchange.

Yes, the election is near three years distant, and in the three years the Democrats will have time to rectify any errors that may have occurred from the many patriotic experiments Roosevelt has inaugurated to correct the Hoover waiting policy that made tramps of millions and bankrupts of other tens of thousands. While Hoover was pursuing his policy of waiting, and tramps and beggars were accumulating, his millionaire friends were accumulating additional millions. That is the nature of the accumulation that has already occurred under the Hoover administration. It seems that Hoover should be content with his accumulated riches wrung from Mexican peons and Chinese slaves, and withdraw himself from public notice. The more he says, the more his own errors will become apparent. In fact the Democrats have a complete defense in warding off any attacks from the enemy by simply calling the public's attention to the multifarious errors of the Hoover administration.

EVERYBODY READS THE CISCO CITIZEN

We have numerous evidences of the thorough manner in which the Cisco Citizen is read, even by those who are not subscribers. If they are not on our list they borrow it. But they all read it. One gentleman said Wednesday, as he paid his subscription: "I have read every issue of the paper since it has been under the present management, but only subscribed for the paper a few weeks ago, as I did not feel able to pay for it. I have read many editorials in the Citizen, either one of which was worth a dollar." Another man, who was present when this statement was made,

said, "I, too, have read every issue, but have not felt able to subscribe." So, it seems that it is the Citizen that must have those "3,102" readers that the string paper was talking about.

But we are digressing slightly. We want to tell some of the evidence that comes to us that the Citizen is the most intensely read paper in this section. Last week we referred to the comely Misses Ethel and Lorene Hicks, who had returned home from visiting a brother at Eunice, N. M., as the "bonny daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Hicks." But the intelligent compositor used an "e" instead of the second "n" making the story read "boney" instead of "bonny." Of course every man in town, and some of the women and children, caught it, though it eluded the proof-reader's eye, and the first to razz the editor was one of our good friends, though not a regular subscriber. But his calling our attention to the mistake was just another proof that everybody reads the Citizen, and still we don't claim to have "3,102" regular subscribers. Of course we regret the error slipped through, but feel that all who know these charming young ladies could see, at a glance that it was a typographical error, for in truth they are the antithesis of "boney," all will admit, unless the readers were not familiar with the word "bonny." But most people know that "bonny," when used as a descriptive adjective of a female, is but a shorter word for feminine pulchritude and fitly descriptive of these two popular ladies. This is our apology for the blunder of the compositor, and the proofreader, which, while a regrettable error, yet is proof positive that they all read the Citizen.

CLEARING OLD CASES FROM DOCKET OF 88th COURT PATTERSON AIM

Clearing old cases from the docket of the 88th district court is evidently the aim of B. W. Patterson, presiding judge. The following cases have been sentenced to the judicial morgue during the present term unless evidence of resuscitation is shown by the litigants interested.

J. R. Stubblefield, vs. J. S. Burkhead; T. E. Gilbert, et al vs. J. E. Ward et al; M. N. Connally vs. Cul C. Moorman; Beulah Beasley et vir vs. Herman F. Baker et al; Cisco Hotel Co. vs. S. H. Moore et al; Marvin Rountree vs. Glenn Moates; Pickering Lumber Co. vs. W. E. Brashier et al; Ella Kennedy vs. Farm & Home Savings association; Mrs. J. W. Adams et al vs. Magnolia Petroleum Co.; Grover C. Jennings et al vs. Frank Bush et al; Parkersburg Rig & Reel Co. vs. W. A. Cunningham; J. D. Shaw vs. Mrs. Lee Bivins; Mrs. A. E. Whitson, a feme sole, vs. D. W. Boone; Mrs. L. F. Bridges et vir vs. U. O. Calso Co. et al; J. W. Mings et al vs. J. B. Davenport, administrator; Anselmon Costella et ux vs. Pablo Mendoza.

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Woodmen Install New Officers And Partake A Fried Oyster Feast

Installation ceremonies were held at the Woodmen hall Tuesday night when the installing officer of the local Camp inducted the officers-elect into their respective stations. The ceremonies were preceded by a feast of fried oysters, which was highly enjoyed by those present, and no one ever knew a "chopper" to be absent when a feast of fried oysters constituted the bill of fare to be served.

The installing officer was W. C. Clements, who officiated when the following officers were installed for the ensuing term: R. D. Midgley, consul commander; T. H. Purvis, advisor lieutenant; J. E. Proctor, banker; F. E. Shepard, financial secretary and clerk; E. L. Wisdom, escort; C. J. Stephens, watchman; R. D. Jones, auditor, two-year term; E. C. McClelland, auditor, three-year term.

G. R. Page was the novice who was introduced into the mysteries of Woodcraft. L. A. Martin, a former consul commander, now living at Abilene, and Mr. Loving who accompanied him, were visitors.

Contracts Now Ready For Signing Reduced Acreage For 1935-1935

Cotton acreage reduction contracts for the years 1934-'35 will be ready for signing within the next few days according to a statement made public by J. C. Patterson, county agent. There will be local committees to assist producers in making out their contracts just as with the 1933 plow-up campaign. Letters will be sent producers announcing the plan and probably listing dates where meetings will be held to explain details of the new contracts.

This new reduction is deemed necessary, due to the fact that there is still an enormous surplus of cotton on hand, and unless the proposed acreage cut is made, we will again face a prospect of 4 to 5 cent cotton. Had there been no plow-up in 1933 we would have had on hand approximately 29 millions of bales of cotton. Cotton producers readily concede that this would have been the price range had no cotton been destroyed in 1933.

Secretary Wallace expresses abounding faith in the wisdom of cotton producers to see that the burden of acreage reduction is on their own shoulders, and with them rests the responsibility for success or failure of the new reduction plan. If the growers want less acreage, and consequent higher prices, they will execute the new contracts. If they want 4 to 5 cent cotton this fall they will plant all the cotton they can and expect others to reduce.

New contracts call for a 40 percent reduction, under the five year average for the farm, which the contract covers. The average lint yield for the years in which cotton was grown must be 100 pounds lint per acre for contract to be acceptable. Payments are to be 3 and 1-2 cents per pound for the average per acre lint yield on the "rented" acres. Contracted land is actually rented to the government. Also a parity payment of not less than \$2 per bele on average production of rented acres will be paid.

Landlords execute the contracts and are to be joined by tenants where the tenants are to receive a portion of the payments. Rental payments will be paid half as soon as possible after the contract has been accepted, and half in the fall, with the parity payment made in December.

Mrs. G. H. Chambers' Arm Broken by Fall

Mrs. G. H. Chambers aged Cisco lady, is suffering with a broken arm sustained when she fell at her home, 701 E. 6th st. Monday night. Going to the kitchen before retiring she slipped, and evidently fell so as to caused her hand to bend back, which resulted in breaking both bones of her forearm just above the wrist. The injured limb was set by a surgeon, and she is resting as easy as could be expected, though it will be some time before she is fully recovered, owing to advanced age.

H. B. Lloyd has returned to Hobbs, N. M. where he is telegraph operator for the Humble Company, after spending holidays with his mother, Mrs. Minnie L. Lloyd, East 6th st.

WALTON'S

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL

BABY CONTEST

IS NOW ON--CLOSES JANUARY 17

\$20 Grand Prize

ENTER YOUR BABY NOW

Nine other prizes. Enter your baby today as there will be a limit of 100 babies. Ages from one month to seven years. Contest lasts for two weeks ONLY. You will have to hurry if you want your baby to win.

SPECIAL — One 8x10 \$1.50; Three 4x6 \$2.50

Walton's Studio

CISCO, TEXAS

When your heels wear down, and your soles get thin, Delay no longer. Bring them right in.

WE ALSO HAVE A NICE LINE OF GOOD USED

SUITS AND TROUSERS

FOR SALE OR TRADE. WHAT HAVE YOU?

Cisco Shoe Hospital

Nu Shoe Shop

708 Avenue E

412 Avenue D

COURTNEY AND MOSLEY

Civil Cases Set For Trial In 88th Court During Jan. Term

The following civil cases have been set for trial in the 88th district court during the January term.

Jan. 5—Union Central Life Insurance Co. vs. R. J. Gregg et al.

Jan. 8—Cisco Banking Co. vs. Higgingbotham-McCord Co.; Cisco Banking Co. vs. L. B. Morrison, garnishee; Eastland County Lumber Co. vs. J. E. Bills, et al; Cisco Banking Co. vs. J. E. McCord Jr.; Cisco Banking Co. vs. Winie McCord garnishee; Cisco Banking Co. vs. L. Waterbury Jr.; W. H. Morris Lumber Co. vs. B. H. Lancaster; Cisco Banking Co. vs. H. C. Reiner, garnishee; Farm & Home Savings & Loan association.

Jan. 10—Lone Star Gas Co. vs. J. A. Kendall.

Jan. 11—Miley E. Williams vs. Citizens State Bank, Ranger, et al; Waco Casing Crew vs. Advance Oil Co., et al.

Jan. 13—Barnice Lee vs. Earl S. Lee.

Jan. 15—Hugh Jennings et al, vs. Sovereign Camp W. O. W.; Oil Well Supply Co. vs. Joe Gabler, et al.

Jan. 16—Elizabeth Cunningham et ux, vs. Chas. Genoway et al; J. M. Cate vs. Office Gasoline Production Co. et al.

Jan. 22—Mrs. Effie L. Mayhew et al vs. Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb; King Royalty Co. et al, vs. Jno. M. Gholson; H. B. Paulette et ux. vs. W. M. Isenhower Jr., guardian.

Jan. 29—Eastland County Lumber Co. vs. Belva Oil Co.; Union Credit Corporation vs. Cisco Athletic Association et al; Jack Tindall vs. Bessie Tindall Crawford; In re: Guardianship, Carrie E. Tipton; L. H. Flewellen vs. Howard R. Gholson.

Feb. 5—Mrs. Leon Thompson vs. Mrs. Florence McJunkin; R. J. Norman vs. Merchants Fast Motor Lines; Lewis Kenny Adeaholt vs. Aetna Life Insurance Co.

Feb. 6—Miley E. Williams vs. Aetna Life Insurance Co.

Feb. 19—Fort Worth National Bank

vs. Mrs. Beulah B. Connellee et al.

School Calls Pupils Back To Their Books

The Christmas vacations is over, and the local schools and higher institutions of learning have called Cisco pupils and students back to their books. Those attending the various universities and colleges of the state have ended their play-time and resumed their studies in the state institutions. Among those omitted last week as spending their holiday vacations at home, and who have returned to their studies were Miss Jourdain Armstrong, to T. W. C. Fort Worth, who was accompanied by Miss Ivonne Schoalts, who has been her vacation guest; Miss Martha Graves, also to the T. W. C.

Opens Albany Studio

O. R. Walton has established a photo studio in Albany. The Walton studio in Cisco, will be in charge of Mrs. Walton, who is an experienced photographer. With the coming of Mr. Walton to Albany the Shaekelford county seat can boast one of the best photographers in Texas, whose work we anticipate, will be appreciated by the people of that city.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN W. TYNDALL, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary of the will and upon the estate of John W. Tyndall, deceased were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 24th day of November, 1933, by the County Court of Eastland county. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are Cisco, Eastland county, Texas.

This 25th day of November, 1933.
REBECCA N. TYNDALL,
Executrix of the Estate of John W. Tyndall, deceased.

◆ VELZOR DOES THE WORK ◆
OFA COMBINATION MACHINE
One Method of Wrapping; One Type of Heater; One Type of Curler
WAVE BEGINS AT THE SCALP
AND ALL ENDS ARE GROQUONOLE ENDS
THE NEW HAIR DRYER
DRYS WET HAIR PERFECTLY IN ELEVEN MINUTES
NU-WAY BEAUTY SHOP

**Katy Demonstrates
The Efficiency Of
Weekly Newspapers**

Every newspaper advertising salesman is familiar with the expression that "advertising in newspapers does not pay." Arguments are unnecessary, of course, to explode this fallacy. Precepts are in abundance, and one only has to cite them. In this case just read the big ad. of the Katy road in this issue. This railway system has just concluded one of the largest advertising campaigns ever inaugurated by any railroad system. It embraced every newspaper published in towns and cities on its lines—not only the larger dailies, but every little country weekly—all were included in the campaign.

This advertising was conceived by the president and chairman of the board of directors, Mr. W. H. Cahill, and was inspired by the need of funds to meet its currently maturing obligations. Six months ago the Katy was approaching a crisis, and in its extremity adopted this appeal direct to the patriotism of the people of the Southwest, with the result that its cherished southwestern independence has been preserved, and all maturing obligations will be met from revenues directly traceable to this advertising campaign.

Yet, we are told that advertising does not pay. When it pays a big railway system to advertise in a weekly newspaper, it more surely will return a profit to private business establishments, dependent upon local patronage, to use the columns of the Citizen. It is not a matter of experiment. The Katy has demonstrated the efficacy of advertising by the expenditure of many thousands of dollars that has made it unnecessary for the railway to appeal to the government for funds to meet its obligations, and preserve its independence.

**Got Bale To Acre
From Terraced Land**

SPUR.—"I have ginned 36 bales of cotton from my 75-acre field and expect to gin 39 more bales, a bale to the acre," declares E. C. Roberson, Dickens county farmer living in the McAdoo community. He gives credit for the high average to G. J. Lane, county agent, who got him to terrace the farm and outlined the planting and cultivation system. Mr. Roberson planted after a good rain May 1st and the terraces held the moisture from that and every other rain of the season.

**Waldo Harris Named
Edwards' Successor
Magnolia Station 48**

Waldo Harris, with Willis Alsop and Harry Donica as assistants, has been named successor to Rigdon Edwards as manager of Magnolia service station No. 48, at Avenue D and West Third street. Mr. Edwards' relinquishment of this station, of which he has been manager for the past two years, was due to his promotion as district sales manager of a new district carved out of Fort Worth district. His headquarters will be Mineral Wells where he moved his family this week, as the change became effective Jan 1. His departure from Cisco will be universally regretted, as from the day he arrived he became in reality a citizen of Cisco, espousing every local movement that sponsored any progressive project for the city, and threw himself wholeheartedly into every civic enterprise.

But we congratulate him on his promotion to the place of sales manager for this new district, which embraces the towns of Cisco, Ranger, Eastland, Strawn, Cantey, Breckenridge, Mineral Wells, Weatherford, Venus, Burleson and Cieburne.

His successor, Mr. Waldo Harris, is a well known Cisco man, who will take care of the business of the station along the same efficient lines as that which made Edwards' stewardship so much successful. He has chosen two bright, energetic and capable assistants.

Frank Reed Promoted

Their many friends will regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed, Cisco residents for the past 14 years, have left Cisco to make their home in Fort Worth. Mrs. Reed departed for Ft. Worth in advance of Mr. Reed who left early this week, as soon as relieved by his successor as joint car inspector for the Texas & Pacific and Katy railways. Their removal is a promotion for Mr. Reed, for he has recently been appointed car foreman of the Lancaster yards, of the Texas & Pacific railroad at Fort Worth. He is succeeded here by Bill Wade.

Country produce is legal tender for your subscription to the Citizen

**Rabbit Club Planning
For Spring Exhibition**

The date for the club's spring exhibit has been set for March 1, at Cisco. John A. Garrett will be manager of the exhibit, and L. V. Simmonds, secretary, who will list all entries and supply all information regarding the show. Several silver cups and a cash prize will be awarded.

J. W. Tibbells, of Ranger, is president of the club, and John A. Garrett, of Cisco, is secretary.

W. A. McCall, who came home for the holidays Dec. 20, returned to Nocona early last week to resume his position near there where he is operating a filling station.

Miss Inez Strickland, who is employed with the Garner-Alvis department store at Brownwood, spent Xmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Reford Comer and little daughter, of Longview, were Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. Mrs. Oscar Comer.

Miss Jimmie Yarbrough has returned to McCamey after her Christmas visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waterbury, of Tyler, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. White, during the Christmas season.

Misses Addie and Mary Fee, of Houston and Breckenridge, respectively were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Fee.

Mr. and Mrs. Yancey McCrea's holiday guests included Mrs. W. B. Ferrell, Mrs. H. Shelton and son, of Roby; Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Anderson, of Abilene, and their brother, Victor McCrea, of Austin, forming a pleasant house party.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Graham took Christmas dinner with home folk at McGregor.

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How's your butter? We can use a batch in payment for your subscription to the Citizen.

SMALL WANT ADS

Small want ads will be run in this column at the rate of 1 cent per word, each insertion. Cash must accompany the order.

TO TRADE—About 75 head of Jersey cows and heifers for Hereford or other beef cattle, all good milk strain. Eight or ten good milk cows, others, heifers, will make good milkers. J. F. Alsop, Dairy, Phone 14W. tf

WANTED TO BUY—All your old cars to wreck. Pay best cash prices for JUNK METAL in any quantity, any time. State Junk & Metal Co., 911 Ave. D. ts-p

TO TRADE—Span of brood mares, want to trade for mules. See T. L. Lassater, Route 2, Nimrod.

APEX FOR GOOD PRINTIGN

Everybody is Pleased....

With those PERFECT SHINES you get at the Nu-Way Barber Shop. Not a Dissatisfied Customer

PATRICK SIRLS

**SLAUGHTER & WATTERS
FARMS, RANCHES AND
CITY PROPERTIES.... FOR SALE OR TRADE**

701 AVENUE D CISCO, TEXAS

Lynch law in America has claimed 3,753 victims since 1889 with only 67 convictions, according to Professor James H. Chadborn of the university of North Carolina.

**FINE WATCH
REPAIRING**

DAMAGED OR BROKEN
Jewelry Restored

AND MADE LIKE NEW
COMPLETE STOCK OF

JEWELRY, WATCHES, CLOCKS

Musical Instruments, Sheet Music

JENSEN, THE JEWELER

BETTER LOOK

After that cut-off before the cold weather sets in. Have

E. L. WISDOM

To check over your plumbing and save a big repair bill.

Phone 687 Shop 709 W. 3rd

SUBSCRIPTION CLEAN-UP

RENEW YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE

«Cisco Citizen»

\$1.00 pays all back dues and in advance to Jan. 1, 1935

We have quite a number of subscribers who are in arrears for their subscription to the Cisco Citizen, due to the stringency of money, so we have decided to give our subscribers an opportunity to

Wipe the Slate Clean

AND START THE NEW YEAR FREE OF ALL PAST DUE ACCOUNTS
ONE DOLLAR DOES IT

Come in and pay one dollar in cash and you will get a clear receipt for all past dues, and have your Citizen paid up to Jan. 1, 1935

No matter if you owe one year or two years, or nothing, pay one dollar and you will have your subscription paid up for one year in advance, and will not be due another dime till Jan. 1935.

BEST OFFER EVER MADE

You want the Citizen, for it is published in your interest. It is the only locally-owned newspaper in Cisco, and is working for the interest of Cisco people, Cisco institutions and the farmers in the Cisco trade territory. The Citizen wants to see every business man, every farmer and every industry in the Cisco country prosper, and will continue to work for the up-building of this section.

The Citizen is not owned and controlled by foreign capital, is independent and fearless in its advocacy of those principles we believe to be right, and will not hesitate to expose graft or petty larceny in office, or denounce those officials who betray the trust reposed in them by the voters. If you are getting the Citizen now, whether it has been sent you by some one else, or you have ordered it personally, and still want it, just bring us.

1 DOLLAR AND READ IT ANOTHER YEAR

Over 30 Years Specializing in One Thing—

THE CARE OF THE EYES

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**DR. W. I. GHORMLEY
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“Live and Let Live” Prices

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CISCO, TEXAS

LOANS

IF YOU WISH TO REDUCE YOUR AUTOMOBILE PAYMENTS
—LET US—

REFINANCE YOUR CARS

SEE US.... FOR ALL KINDS OF LOANS

Southern States Finance Corporation

GUDE HOTEL BLDG.

PHONE 153

CISCO, TEXAS

**Brad Poe Is The First
To Declare Intentions**

Brad Poe is first to declare his intentions to become a candidate. Two weeks ago Poe stated that it was then his intentions to make the race for sheriff. Most of the members of the Citizen family know Poe, both as a man and officer, and they know him to be O. K. but we shall not introduce him yet. He might change his mind.

But it seems that others have the political bee in their chapeau, for we learn from the Ranger News that our old friend, T. C. Williams, has also declared his intentions to become a candidate. The News says:

"T. C. Williams of Cisco, was in Ranger Thursday afternoon and called at our office. While here Mr. Williams stated that he was making the race for county school superintendent and that a formal announcement of his candidacy would be made in this paper within the next few days.

"He stated that he intends to start an active campaign soon after January 1."

Advertise in the Citizen.

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THE PERFECT FOOD

... FOR CHILDREN

We are proud of our Dairy. Visit our plant and see for yourself why Alsop's milk and cream are noted for purity. It's the nearest perfect food for growing children. Our superior Grade-A-Milk is delivered twice a day to your home and can be had at all first class food stores.

... ALSUP'S DAIRY ...

PHONE 14W FOR GRADE A

JOHN STROTHER

THE OLD RELIABLE.

HATTER & TAILOR

Has returned to Cisco and is located in the

M. L. NOTGRASS SHOE SHOP

OPPOSITE GARNER'S

HATS, Cleaned and Blocked . . . \$1.00

All Kinds Alterations

Satisfaction Guaranteed

CLARENCE KNIGHT PASSED AWAY AT ABILENE THURSDAY

Mr. Mitt Williams, manager of the J. C. Penney company store here, and Mrs. Williams, were called to Abilene Wednesday to attend the funeral services of Mr. Clarence D. Knight, who passed away Tuesday night. Mr. Williams and Mr. Knight were brothers-in-law.

Mr. Knight lived in Eastland for many years, where he and L. D. Ladd operated a commercial printing plant. Later he was a member of the sales force of the Intertype company, selling this make of typesetting machines, and was well known to the printing fraternity all over West Texas. His death was due to an attack of the heart.

He is survived by his widow and one son, all of Abilene, where they have made their home for the past two years.

Concerning the death of Mr. Knight the Eastland Telegram of Wednesday has the following:

C. D. (Clarence) Knight died at 7:30 o'clock this morning at his home in Abilene, according to information received by friends here. Funeral services will be conducted from the Church of Christ in Eastland Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. H. H. Haley, pastor of the Church of Christ in Abilene, will conduct the services. Burial will be in the Eastland cemetery.

Mr. Knight, according to information received, was ill Tuesday and called a physician. He retired last night feeling better and arose early this morning feeling good. He died suddenly.

Williams and Wife Hurt

While en route to Abilene Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Williams were painfully injured when their car overturned on the slippery highway between Clyde and Abilene, when Mr. Williams lost control of his machine after a tire blow-out.

Mrs. Williams was taken to an Abilene sanitarium for treatment for severe laceration of her face and head, and Mr. Williams was taken to a hotel after having received emergency treatment for cuts and bruises.

Surprise Dinner To Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lamb

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lamb, of the Pleasant Hill community, Christmas eve, surprising them with a big holiday dinner, of choices edibles, each bringing a supply to add to the delicious repast.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb have been residents of the Pleasant Hill community for 19 years, and this dining was the occasion of the gathering of the members of the family in a joyous reunion. This estimable couple have three children at home—Troy, Pearl and Mildred. Besides these and their parents who were present, were Mr. Lamb's three daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright and son, J. W., of Olden; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Taylor and daughters, Bessie, Maye, Faye, and a son, Andy, of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Eddleman and sons, Bille Warren and Robert Wesley, of Moran. Others attending were two young gentlemen, Mr. Carroll Smith, of Cisco, and Mr. Buz Daniels, of Eastland.

A son, Dewey Lamb, of Dallas, and a daughter, Mrs. R. H. Horner, of Westbrook, were unable to join the family circle.

No surprise dinner, or family reunion, could have been happier, or passed so quickly, as that which was held in this home on the day before Christmas.

Poor Laying Hens Are Canned By This Woman

Rule.—The sale of eggs is not the only source of poultry revenue on B. Walter's farm in Haskell county. The poor layers are canned and sold by Miss Nora Walters, home industries demonstrator, working with Jonnie Reed, home demonstration agent. Hens last year that would have sold for 6 cents per pound or 21 cents a piece brought 75 cents apiece sold in cans.

Getting her inspiration from a West Texas meat show in 1932 where her canned chicken was judged a good product, Miss Walters went in for canned, boned and ground chicken for the market. Since June she has put up 67 hens into 131 cans which sold for \$43.73.

Advertise in the Citizen.

Lotief's Amendment Would Have Provided Ample Relief Funds

(Continued From Page 1) laws as desired by the governor, I do not believe that they would do it in another session.

Being a supporter of economy and honesty in government I do not desire to draw \$10 a day for a special session when there are hungry men and women to be fed. Therefore, please count me one state representative vitally opposed to another called session.

Very truly yours,
CECIL A. LOTIEF,
State Representative, 107th Floterial District, Cross Plains, Texas.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH SERVICES

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Eastland, authorized branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass., holds services every Sabbath morning at 11 and each Wednesday night at 8. Testimonies on Christian Science healing may be given at the Wednesday evening meeting. Sunday school convenes at 9:45 a. m. All of these services are held in the Church edifice at the corner of Lamar and Plumer street.

"God" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January, 7.

The Golden Text is: "O Lord of host, God of Israel, . . . thou art the God, even thou alone, of all the kingdoms of the earth; thou hast made heaven and earth."—Isaiah 37:16.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning."—James 1:17.

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God fashions all things, after His own likeness. Life is reflected in existence, Truth in truthfulness, God in goodness, which impart their own peace and permanence."—page 516.

Mrs. Jim Grisham Hurt

Mrs. J. S. Grisham of Tyler is in a serious condition from the effects of a car accident which occurred Dec. 18, as Mrs. Grisham and Mrs. Earl B. Mayfield, were being driven from Tyler to Dallas.

The car turned over twice. Mrs. Mayfield had a rib broken and Mrs. Grisham, suffered an injury to her head.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ward have recently returned from El Paso where they visited their son, Guy, and family. On their return they stopped over to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson at Snyder.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Kelly this week is Mrs. M. Gist, of Odessa, mother of Mrs. Kelly.

WANTED TO SWAP—1 sealer, seals No. 1 and 2 cans; used one season, in good shape. Will trade for hens.—Mrs. L. A. Parks, Rt. 1, Nimrod.

Moves To Happy

Our esteemed fellow citizen, J. C. Holt, of the Nimrod community, has removed to Happy, Texas, where he will make his home with a son. Mr. Holt, we thought, was permanently located in Nimrod, but as he is advancing to that age in which he has the erroneous idea that a man must slow up a bit, he has decided to accept the proposition of this son to move to Happy. "Taint no use, Holt. It can't be did. We oldtimers must continue to carry on. Despite the fact you are now in Happy, I'm telling you the easy life will not make you happy. So while we have loned this sterling citizen and farmer to his son for a spell, he'll come back. They all do.

But in moving from the Cisco country he is not severing his affiliation with the large Citizen family, for his home paper will be a regular weekly visitor in his new home.

Judge Barker has Left Cisco

Judge J. D. Barker, one of the leading members of the Eastland county bar, loaded out his library and office furniture last Monday, which he shipped to Sweetwater, following the same day by auto, where he has already established law offices in the Levy building in that city, and will pursue the general practice in the courts of Nolan and adjoining counties. The best wishes of a host of friends here attend him in his new home, as we all wish for him the largest measure of success.

Political Announcements

The following announcements are made subject to the 1934 Primaries of the Democratic party:

RATES:
(Cash in Advance)

City	-----	\$ 5.00
Justice Precinct	-----	7.50
Com. Precinct	-----	10.00
County	-----	12.50
Dist. and Legislative	-----	10.00
Congressional	-----	10.00

Candidates will be allowed a reasonable space for a statement at the time announcement is made, or not later than the following week. If more space is used it will be charged for at regular line rates.

Names of successful candidates will be carried through to general election. No refunds will be made on account of withdrawal from race.

To Our Friends and Customers

We wish to thank you for the patronage you have given us in the years gone by, and assure you that we appreciate it. As the New Year starts in let us hope that all of us will be a little happier and a bit more prosperous than we have been in the last few years, and, really, we believe we will.

The printing industry has had its troubles the same as other businesses, but we have tried not to squawk, believing that conditions would get better. This has already started to happen.

To those who have made it possible for us to stay in business, we thank you—may destiny extend to you a velvet hand.

Apex Printing Co.

Est. Apr. 3, 1917. J. Q. Clark

Nu Way Barber Shop

Is the place where you get a perfect Shoe Shine. If its leather we can fancy colors. Come to the Nu Way Barber Shop before you get a shine if shine and clean it. We also dye all you want the best service.

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will be a happy year if you eat at

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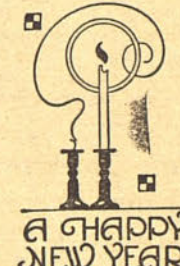
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1934

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All Kinds of Beer
Budweiser and Jax Beer on Tap
We will be closed on Sunday.
Mayhew Bros.
West Broadway.


May 1934 Bring You Happiness and Prosperity

The Old Year has been ushered out . . . the New Year has been bowed in. And with 1934 has come a new spirit—a spirit alive with courage and energy, and illuminated by a brighter aspect down the track to Recovery.

And there is reason to look into 1934 with strength renewed and hopes heightened. Such obvious factors as freer spending, rising prices and more activity in the marts of commerce indicate that there is a real and tangible basis for better feeling.

In keeping with the spirit of the season, we "resolve" for 1934 to continue our same high quality of service . . . we pledge ourselves to continue to work for the greatest good of this vast "Land of Opportunity" . . . and we wish for you a happier and more remunerative year. "HAPPY NEW YEAR."



Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule . . . and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

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