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Dr. Keel Exhonorated By Captured Bandits of Robbing N. G. Armory

Dr. L. G. Keel, arrested on two occasions some time ago, and placed in jail, first for about two hours, as he was waiting to hear a report from a committee that was waiting on the county CWA officials, and second, on a charge of robbery of the National Guard armory at Ranger, and incarcerated in the Eastland county jail for a week or ten days, has been exhonorated by the capture of two of the bandit gang.

Raymond Hamilton, notorious Texas bandit, who was captured at Howe, Texas, on Wednesday, April 25, admitted the robbing of the armory on March 19, of automatic pistols and machine guns. James T. Mullen, ex-convict, pleaded guilty in Dallas, before the United States commissioner to possessing a .45 calibre automatic pistol, the property of the United States, alleged to have been stolen from the National Guard armory at Ranger.

None of the stolen property was ever found on Dr. Keel, or either of his alleged accomplices in the armory robbery. But Keel was placed in jail and kept there until finally making bond, to await the action of the grand jury. This jury was in session while Keel was in jail, yet no indictment was returned, and he was liberated on bond. Our own W. B. Starr, than whom there is no more honorable man in the confines of Texas, had the guts to make the bond for Keel, with himself as one of the sureties.

While the charge was pending against Keel the Eastland county units of the string newspapers played the case up most prominently, and have published the arrest and detention of both Mullen and Hamilton, but neither have seen fit to apologize for the damaging evidence they published implicating Keel and associates in this crime. Simple justice would demand as much. No man is guilty before the law till so pronounced by legal proceedings, and he is due the publication of the above facts, and as prominently as that given against him.

Even while this damaging evidence was being published against Keel and his alleged accomplices, those who knew him discredited the evidence as published. In fact it was so palpably preposterous that it is hard to think that even a Texas Ranger would consider it. The case as made out by those carrying on the investigation, according to the string papers' account of the proceedings, gave Keel as the leader of an incipient rebellion against the government; that "he planned the armory robbery at a meeting of his followers held out in a pasture; that he gave special instructions to those delegated to rob the armory to wear gloves in order not to leave their finger-prints."

Dr. Keel is organizer of a band of workers whose objective is to better their working and living conditions, of which there are five or six hundred in the county. Wonder what idiot would have so little judgment as to think that Dr. Keel could hope to overthrow the United States government with this handful of friends, equipped with the arms of one company of National Guards? I have met Dr. Keel once or twice. He appeared to me to be a man of better than average intelligence. Had he been guilty of such an act I would say that I was no judge of men, for I would know that his mentality was very low, and his judgment away below par.

CHARLEY MAYHEW RECOVERS HIS FORD; STOLEN 18 MONTHS

The Model A Ford coupe, stolen from Charley Mayhew 18 months ago, was recovered at Lubbock, he was informed Tuesday. He left here Tuesday afternoon to claim his property. On his return he stated he found the car in very good shape. We told that two school teachers had owned the machine. One traded it in on another car and the dealer sold it to the other teacher.

JACK PIPPEN RECOVERING FROM COLLISION INJURIES

Jack Phippen, who was one of the victims of the three-car collision that occurred on Bankhead highway, about four miles west of Cisco recently, was in Cisco Tuesday, and said he was recovering from injuries received. Mr. Phippen was driving alone in his car when a wild driver attempted to pass a car just ahead of him, but seeing the Phippen car attempted to swing back ahead of the other machine, but instead side-swiped the other Ford, which threw the wild car right in front of the Phippen machine. All three cars were badly wrecked, and one of the two girls in the wild car was rather painfully cut about the face. The other girl, who was driving, and her boy friend was not injured. The car which they attempted to pass was occupied by a man, his wife and two small children. Neither were seriously hurt, Mr. Phippen said, but the Ford in which they were riding, was turned completely over.

Mr. Phippen received no external hurts, but seems to have received painful internal chest injuries and his shoulder was injured.

CASES CALLED FOR TRIAL IN 91st DISTRICT COURT

County Court—Dave E. Carter vs. W. E. Ramsey, suit on note and foreclosure.

Cases Filed in 91st District Court

Jose Gallegos vs. Rosa Gallegos, divorce; J. R. Ervine vs. Hall Walker, et al, suit, foreclosure of vendor's lien. 88th District Court—Alice L. Dailery vs. W. G. Powers, suit on note; John Shertzer vs. T. A. Graves, collect debt; in re liquidation Texas State Bank, sell Chevrolet coupe.

County Treasurer Mrs. May Harrison, who is also a candidate for reelection, was over from Eastland on Wednesday, and was a pleasant caller at the Citizen office. Mrs. Harrison formerly lived in Cisco, and will be remembered by many of the older residents as Miss May Graves.

MODERN CAR BRINGS BIG IMPROVEMENTS IN NEW TIRE

Firestone engineers and chemists anticipated the greatly increased speed and power of the car of today and were diligent in the search for compounds and designs which would meet these new demands. The company has recently brought out the new High Speed tire for 1934 with its 50 per cent increased non-skid mileage, according to Edward Lee, local Firestone dealer.

"The new High Speed is the greatest tire that Firestone has ever built," Mr. Lee said. "Its improvements include flatter tread, wider tread, deeper non-skid, greater thickness, and more and tougher rubber. This new development is made possible by the Firestone patented process of gum-dipping, by which the high stretch cords are soaked and coated with rubber, giving greater strength, safety, and blowout protection.

"Firestone engineers pioneered and developed the first balloon tire in 1923. Their constant search for new developments has enabled them to pioneer the improvements to meet the demands of the high powered cars of today. With their quick starting and stopping these cars would grind away the treads far more rapidly than did cars of the past, if it were not for the startling Firestone discoveries. The new improvements have proven their worth over millions of miles on the Firestone test fleet, running day and night over concrete, mud and stone, twelve months in the year.

"Compounds, designs, strength and blowout protection have been subjected to further gruelling tests at the Indianapolis 500-mile race, where Firestone tires have been on the winning cars for fourteen consecutive years.

"Motorists who trade in their tires now will obtain the longest non-skid mileage in history for their money," Mr. Lee concluded.

Mrs. J. W. Jensen, accompanied by Miss Florence Jensen, were guests of friends in Ranger Monday.

Officials of Katy Road Make Stop In Cisco On Saturday

With only a few minutes notice to arrange a reception committee to meet the new chairman of the board of directors of the Katy road, Matthew Stanley Sloan, and party of about 50 other officials and associates, J. C. King, local station agent, finally rounded up a bunch of representative citizens, with cars, to escort the party to places of interest about the city. King was first notified that the party would only be here a few minutes. As they left Albany he received a message that plans had been changed, and they would make a longer stop, and get a bunch down to the station. It was a big assignment to the corpulent station agent, but he is a man who takes his duty seriously, and never lays down on the job. So, a few minutes after arrival of the special about 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon King had the committee on hand, and the visitors were loaded into cars and wheeled out to Lake Cisco and other points of interests, where Mr. Sloan saw the best we had, and met the best bunch of boosters Cisco can boast of. King knows 'em, and he saw to it that there were no knockers in the party.

At the conclusion of about an hour and 30 minutes here the party again boarded the special and were on their way south. It is needless to say that King was not allowed to remain at his post of duty, for Mr. Sloan insisted that he accompany the party as far as Waco, despite King's insistence on looking after the business of his road at his Cisco station.

Returning home Monday morning, Mr. King reported a wonderful trip and a jolly time with the party. When he dropped into the Citizen office on his return home, he was bubbling over with enthusiasm for the new chairman, whom he said was a worthy successor to Mr. M. H. Cahill, former chairman, whom Mr. Sloan succeeds.

There were only a few who knew of the intended visit of Mr. Sloan and party, so when the big locomotive crossed East Sixth street crossing and cut loose from the long train of de luxe coaches, much curiosity was manifested as to the identity of the train; "from whence it came, and what was its intentions." But they were not long in doubt, for it soon became known that the newly-elected chairman of the Katy was in town. He created a most favorable impression upon those with whom he came in contact, and while he was non-committal as to his policies and intentions, it is believed his will be a plan of general progressiveness, along the similar lines as that practiced by his predecessor.

ATTENDING PENNEY MEETING

Mitt Williams, manager of the local J. C. Penney Co. store, is attending the meeting of the Penney store executives in Fort Worth this week. Mr. Williams will select new spring and summer merchandise for the Cisco store while on this trip.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

L. R. Guest and Miss Inez Jones, Rising Star; Willie Speaker and Miss Willie Mae Clover, Eastland.

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Hartness Says No Fun In Feeling Hijacker's Six Gun Tickling Ribs

"There is no fun in feeling the muzzle of a hijacker's gun tickling your ribs," said George Hartness, local manager of the Merchants' Fast Motor Lines, after he returned home Monday night from Fort Worth, following his experience of being a hijacker's victim. "I was simply so scared I thought I would never see my family again." (Those are not his exact words, but what he said I can't print in a moral family paper like the Citizen.)

But from what the Citizen quotes him as saying, you must conclude that George was one scared hombre. You know that Cisco is getting in the Big Town class. Two hijackings in less than a month. Each time one of our hard-working citizens was relieved of his roll.

"No, this is no funny story," Hartness thinks, "and you wouldn't think so either had you been in my place last Monday morning. I had left home about the time the bank opened, intending to make a trip to other sections of the state, but my plan was to go by the bank and deposit the money and checks I had except enough for my expense while on the trip. When near the Burton-Lingo lumber yard a stranger to me waved me down and requested that I go out to the Blue and White tourist camp and pick up some luggage and take it to Fort Worth. I drove by the bank, but seeing no one in the lobby concluded I would go out and get the luggage and return and make the deposit. When we reached the tourist camp I felt a hard substance stick in my side, and heard a voice say 'drive on and keep in the road.'" Nearing Eastland he relieved me of my money, \$344.20, \$55 of which was my personal funds. The remainder was cash and checks belonging to the company, also my watch and pistol was taken. My kidnaper forced me to drive at top speed till we reached Lake Worth, when I was forced to leave the car and the party drove off and left me without transportation or a dime in cash.

"I walked about three miles when I was picked up and carried into Fort Worth, and one of the employes of the company took me to Weatherford, from which place I came home on the bus, arriving about midnight." He was notified Tuesday that the car was found abandoned in Fort Worth the same night. "The man was calm while talking to me through the car window, and I had no reason to suspicion anything unusual, as we have just such requests every few days. But he had evidently planned to take me for a ride before I had time to deposit the Saturday's receipts, as he was waiting along the route I usually go to the bank, and right near the city hall," Hartness said.

SOUTHERN STATES FINANCE CORPORATION IN NEW HOME

After occupying the room in the west front of the Gude hotel practically since its organization, the Southern States Finance corporation moved Monday evening to the building formerly occupied by the chamber of commerce, and later by Gabbert & Scarborough. T. Hunter Foley is manager of the Southern States, who is well known to practically everybody in this section, especially those whom he has assisted with loans in time of need. While he has more convenient and commodious quarters in his new home Mr. Foley had to vacate the Gude as the factory to manufacture self cooling seats is now being installed in the Gude and will require all the building.

PRESIDENT SIGNS NEW HOME LOAN BANK BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 28.—The home loan bank bill providing federal guaranty of \$2,000,000,000 in bonds as to principal and interest has been signed by President Roosevelt.

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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Hear the voice of my supplication, when I cry unto thee, . . . Blessed be the Lord, because he hath heard the voice of my supplication.—Psalms 28:2;6.

*O let me be aware of all thou art,
And ponder it within my secret heart.
Make me know thy Truth, and understand,
The full dimensions of the heavenly land;
So shall my senses arise from all distress,
Praising the affluence of thy loveliness.*

—Maxwell Armfield.

Life is a splendid gift. There is nothing small in it. For the greatest things grow by God's law out of the smallest. But to live your life, you must discipline it. You must not fritter it away in "fair purpose, erring act, inconstant will;" but must make your thoughts, your words, your acts, all work to the same end, and that end is not self, but God. That is what we call character.—Florence Nightengale.

CITIZEN'S PROPHECY TRUE

That the Citizen is gaining some reputation as a forecaster is being verified by developments terminating just as the Citizen predicted. In an editorial the Home Paper predicted some time ago that "President Roosevelt was taking desperate chances in his assumption of the role of dictator to the Democrats by taking over both the executive and legislative branches of the government; that the Democrats have never bowed to the demands of a boss; that the Democrats had rebelled against Cleveland and Wilson when the executive assumed more authority than was his constitutional right, and the congress would tire of playing a rubber stamp to the president." This was in substance the Citizen's statement. And the Citizen later predicted that "The pay of the executive men and adjusted compensation would likely be the vehicle in which congress would ride over the president's veto. We all know the results, which happened just as the Citizen predicted. Twice has congress refused to sustain the president in his vetoes, which is not an usual thing in party politics, especially with one so popular as Franklin D. Roosevelt, and certainly was accentuated when it is recalled that no president in the history of the nation was ever given more power than that given Roosevelt by the national congress.

Now, the Citizen is making another prediction of a time when the president will be in opposition of the majority party, of which he is the head. Another crisis is just in the offing, unless the president makes more concessions to the silver advocates than is now apparent. The country is going to DEMAND a more liberal policy than the president now seems to favor. This prophecy requires no flight of the imagination, but is based upon our knowledge of the sentiments of the American people. The people are going to demand the recognition of silver as a monetary metal, and as congressmen hold their office by virtue of the people, they will naturally heed the will of the people, (once aroused) rather than the dictates of the president. Congress

has delegated to the executive authority to institute most any kind of measure he might elect looking to the rehabilitation of silver, but he prefers to wait till the international conference on silver functions. Congress delegates power to the president to inflate the currency of treasury certificates, but as yet he has not acted, but is still borrowing money from Wall street in prosecuting the most gigantic spending orgy ever put on by any American administration. Paying the veterans the adjusted compensation in treasury certificates would have proven a popular vehicle for inflation. But Mr. Roosevelt has fought the adjusted compensation on the ground of ECONOMY, Ye gods! What a word. The idea of talking economy when the government is literally sowing the country down with money to relieve a people which funds are absorbed in its administration, leaving the people still hungry and begging on our streets. Mr. Roosevelt is authority for the statement that the government has ample security upon which the administration could issue eleven billions of "green-backs without inflation," as it is understood. Yet, the government is still paying interest to our financial lords. The people are long-suffering, but there is a limit, and as the Citizen warned Mr. Roosevelt before congress repudiated his vetoes, "the wise executive keeps his ear to the ground" and does not defy vox populi.

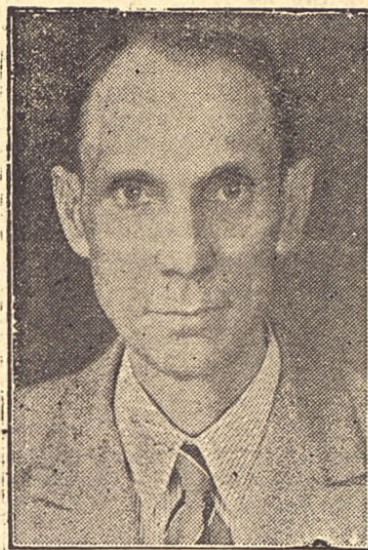
Another warning the Citizen issued a few months ago, when congress was formulating the statute for the regulation of the sale of alcoholic beverages. Then we warned the country that the price of spiritous, vinous and malt liquors must be cheap enough to make the bootleggers business unprofitable, otherwise the repeal of the 18th amendment would fail in its objective. But congress seemed to have been sold to the idea of raising revenue, and have killed the goose that laid the repeal egg. Legal liquors are too high, and bootleg booze venders can still undersell the legitimate article. This has resulted in a falling off of the sale of legal liquors and the consequent disappointment in the revenue receipts. This is seen in face of the increased penalties, prescribing that both the seller and buyer of one pint or more may be prosecuted for a felony. Yet, the Citizen has heard of no prosecution under this harsh statute, and it is doubtful if there ever will be. Joseph Choate, Jr., director of the federal alcohol administration, says he "deplores the rapid increase in drinking, the large amount of illicit distilling, the alarming growth of bootlegging liquors, and the relatively poor revenues for the government, and a highly organized criminal industry growing rich on the production and sale of liquor."

Among other remedies suggested Mr. Choate "are the cheapening of the legal product through reduction of taxes and import duties, less regulative control over sales and the arousing of public opinion."

According to Mr. Choate another prediction of the Citizen is now being verified. The real objective

of the repeal of the 18th amendment has been defeated by the greed of the government for revenues.

The bootlegger will thrive as long as he can sell the illicit goods below the price of the legal product and make a profit. Drinkers will continue to buy the cheaper article (especially in dry communities), as long as the profit justifies officers will continue to shut their eyes and not see the sales that are being committed openly in practically every community in the nation.



JAMES L. McNEES

Pledging himself to oppose monopolistic control of the Railroad Commission, James L. McNees, prominent Dallas attorney, has announced his candidacy for the place on the Commission to become vacant at the end of this year.

He pointed out that Texas receives income from oil produced in this State which is given to the school fund, and said he would discourage the importation of oil produced abroad which does not yield school revenue.

He emphasized that the Railroad Commission has become the most powerful agency of government in Texas, vested with wide powers for regulation of railroads, buses, trucks and the oil industry, and that the efficiency of its members should be of interest to the voter.

SKILLED WORKER MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER TO MODERN INDUSTRY

DETROIT, May 5.—(Special)—Modern industry with its almost human machines and quantity production methods, needs the true craftsman more than ever before.

This is the opinion of W. A. Fisher, president of the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild, expressed in a message to members of the organization that appears in the first issue of the official magazine, "The Guildsman."

"The opinion has been expressed all too freely in recent years that the machine age is eliminating the need for the skilled worker," Mr. Fisher declares. "This is not true. Craftsmanship is of more importance today than it was when all things were produced by hand. Without it, progress is impossible.

"The man who can show manual dexterity and the ability to apply technical knowledge intelligently can go far in our modern industrial system, for he has a combination that is urgently needed."

NIMROD COUPLE MARRIED RECENTLY; WED AT PUTNAM

The Putnam News tells of J. S. Yeager, Putnam justice, officiating at his first marriage ceremony April 19, when he performed the ceremony that united in marriage a popular Nimrod couple. According to accounts the justice was more embarrassed than either the bride or the groom, and almost forgot his lines in pronouncing the words that united the pair. But he did finally pull himself together and finished the ceremony, omitting only the justice's privilege of kissing the bride. Some of the witnesses feared he would kiss the groom instead, as he did have an affectionate expression when looking at the groom after the performance, but he was probably anticipating a nice fee rather than osculations.

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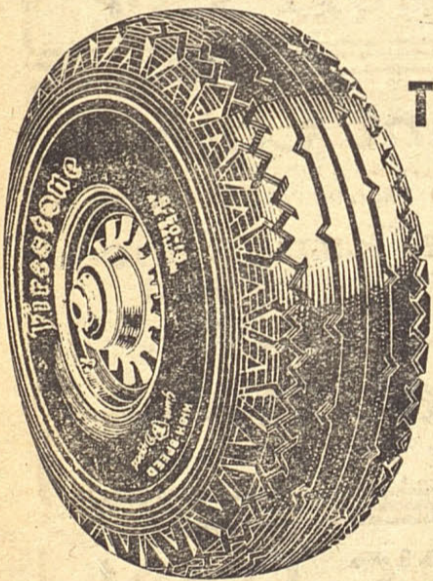


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County Statistics As Compiled Especially For Home Newspaper

By Henry A. Schaefer
NIMROD, May 4.—Eastland county is known as the "Egg Basket of Texas," and is located almost in the geographical center of the state. It has an annual rainfall of thirty inches, an altitude of 1,500 feet, and an area of 925 square miles. It has three cities, Cisco, Eastland and Ranger, located on the Broadway of America highway, which traverses the continent from coast to coast. It has 22 miles of brick, 109 miles of asphalt and 100 miles of gravel highways. It ranks tenth in population and thirteenth in assessed values.

At the State Fair in Dallas, in 1929, Eastland county was awarded third

place for agriculture booth, in 1930, second place, and in 1931 first place. In 1932 Eastland county was awarded second place for lambs at the Fat Stock show in Fort Worth. There are thirty-seven oil refineries in the county, turning out more than 8,000,000 gallons of gasoline a month, with many other industries that are akin to the gas and oil industries.

The county is teeming with agriculture production, such as cotton, grain, feedstuff, pecans, vegetables and fruits. Also dairying, sheep, goat, swine and poultry raising. Eastland county has a marketing association, which takes care of the surplus eggs, livestock and farm products. The soil runs from a sandy loam to a heavy chocolate clay, and the land is mostly rolling.

It has an ample water supply, Lake Cisco probably being the largest lake

in Central or West Texas. It is 133 feet deep, has a storage capacity of about 15,000,000 gallons and a shoreline of 35 miles. The dam is built of concrete at a cost of \$1,400,000. On top of the dam is a concrete drive, a link of state highway 23, between Cisco and Moran. Behind the dam is a bathing pool. The lake site also has a large state fish hatchery and a municipal zoo.

Eastland county has seven affiliated high schools, several colleges and churches of many denominations.

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Joe Bailey Claims Connally Recanted For F. D. R. Gesture

By W. H. Kittrell, Jr.
DALLAS, May 5.—Congressman Joseph Weldon Bailey Jr., has forwarded his \$100 entrance fee to the secretary of the state Democratic executive committee, thus formally announcing his candidacy for the position of United States senator in the July primaries. Congressman Bailey aspires to the high post held for many years by his late and distinguished father.

The definite filing of Congressman Bailey's candidacy comes in the nature of an answer to the challenge offered him by political opponents who secured an indication on the part of President Roosevelt to the effect that the federal administration favors Senator Connally, whom Mr. Bailey will oppose at the polls this summer. Congressman Bailey returned to Washington Saturday evening but will come back to Texas in two weeks and devote himself to a vigorous speaking campaign which will carry him into virtually every county in Texas.

"Connally was promised a presidential gesture showing preference as the price for his vote switching on the independent offices bill," Mr. Bailey says. "The junior senator voted on the independent offices bill when it was before the senate and the night before the president's veto was to be voted upon stated in public that he would vote to override the veto."

"The next day, in the senate cloak room, he was cornered by John Garner, Jesse Jones and Silliman Evans, who is Amon G. Carter's right hand man. This clique exerted enough pressure on him to make him vote against the bill, which he had previously supported, when the veto message came up for consideration. As a reward he was granted the presidential benediction publicly, at the behest of this clique."

"I am opposed to any little group of men up in Washington attempting to dictate to the sovereign voters of Texas as to what we should do or who we should elect in our own state. The president's gesture toward Senator Connally makes no difference to my allegiance to the president or to my party and its platform. However, nothing will deter me from at all times serving the people of Texas as I think they wish to be served."

"I voted for the independent offices bill on its merits. I thought the bill was just and equitable and deserved my support. I voted for it when it passed the house and when it came back with a veto I still continued to vote for it in accordance with my convictions. Senator Connally first vot-

DOMINION OVER OTHER CREATURES GIVEN MAN

By Henry A. Schaefer
NIMROD, May 5.—Men are divided into five races—Ethiopian, Mongolian, Caucasian, Indian and Eskimo. Man is the only being to whom another life in another world is promised.

He is the only being that can live in comfort anywhere on the globe. There is no climate in which he can not live. Clothed in a breech clout, he peoples the jungles of the equator, and, wrapped in furs, he thrives in the Arctic Circles. Trees, shrubs and plants have their zones of habitation, beyond the borders of which they droop and die; fruits and flowers thrive only in regions adapted to their culture; saltwater fish perish on land, or when transferred to fresh water, and fresh-water fish stifle in salty seas; fur-bearing animals flourish among icebergs and shed their coats if taken to the tropics. Man alone is able to adapt himself to heat or cold, the jungles, the deserts, or the regions of perpetual snow.

To man alone is given dominion over the fowls of the air, the fish of the sea and all creeping beings on the land, but he was not given control over the air in which the birds sail, the water in which the fish swim nor the land on which the creeping things live. Through his modern achievements, he can seek out the wonderful secrets of the sky, sink to the depths of the ocean and travel to all parts of the globe. Man is master of the world and can bring about results that are unbelievable. In time of peace, man is the most accommodating and sympathetic being on earth, but in time of strife and envy he is very much the opposite.

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ed for the bill and then voted against it. At least he was wrong one time. I can say that I was consistent.

"This independent offices bill, which I supported all the way down the line, and which Connally quit in midstream, restored part of the pay cuts to government employees. It also restored to veterans disabled by service in the World war their compensation ranging from \$10 a month to \$100 a month, the maximum for those who are totally and permanently disabled. It also increased the compensation allowed needy disabled veterans of the Spanish-American war."

Mr. Bailey stated that he would inaugurate a vigorous campaign immediately upon his return.

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

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

- For County Commissioner, Prec. No. 4: ARCH BINT (Re-Election, 2nd Term)
- L. H. QUALLS
- For County Judge: W. D. R. OWEN
- CLYDE L. GARRETT (For Re-Election)
- For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election)
- For Co. Superintendent of Education: T. C. WILLIAMS
- For Constable, Prec. No. 6: ROY BALLARD
- For County Treasurer: JOHN WHITE (Mrs.) MAY HARRISON

First Church of Christ, Scientist

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 meetings. 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.

"Everlasting Punishment" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 6.

The Golden Text is: "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" (Genesis 19:25).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength" and the kingdom of our God, and power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night" (Revelation 12:10).

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: "The destruction of sin is the divine method of pardon. Divine Life destroys death, Truth destroys error, and Love destroys hate. Being destroyed, sin needs no other form of forgiveness. Does not God's pardon, destroying any one sin, prophesy and involve the final destruction of all sin?" (page 339).

CHASTAIN TO OPEN CAMPAIGN AT STEPHENVILLE SATURDAY

The Citizen has been informed, from an unverified source, that the Hon. Oscar Chastain will open his campaign for congressman from the 17 district at Stephenville tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

FIRESTONE DEALERS MEET

Edward Lee, A. V. Clark and probably other Firestone tire dealers, are planning to attend the big dealers' meeting of that company which will be held at Abilene April 9. Representatives from the home office, and other prominent Firestone officials, are expected to be in attendance.

GRAND JURY MET MONDAY

The grand jury of the 88th court convened Monday in recess session to further probe infractions of the criminal laws of the state in Eastland county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, of Abilene, were Sunday guests of Misses Lucille and Florence Jensen at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jensen, on West Second street.

Mrs. Martin A. Parmer, of Amherst, is visiting in the home of her father-in-law, Mr. W. L. Parmer, west of Cisco. She and Mr. Parmer were visitors in Cisco Thursday.

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WILL ST. JOHN WILL LOOK AFTER HUGHES' INTERESTS

Will St. John, long time friend of Maury Hughes, candidate for governor, has been chosen by that gentleman to manage his campaign in West Texas. The Hughes headquarters will be maintained in the hotel Worth, in Fort Worth. Mr. St. John says he will not go to the Panther City permanently for about two weeks, but will work in the West Texas counties.

Will H. Kittrell is managing the campaign for Joe Bailey, which gives two of the political managers of state candidates to Cisco people.

BROTHER'S DEATH CALLS MRS. NOELL TO ABILENE

Mrs. N. W. Noell was called to Abilene Sunday by the illness and death of her aged brother, Samuel N. House, who passed away at his home in that city early Monday. He was a native of Georgia and was 83 years of age at the time of his passing. He resided in Cisco at one time.

OIL DEVELOPMENT IN SIPE SPRINGS AREA EXPECTED

Harry Schaefer and R. A. Conkling, both of Oklahoma City, were in Cisco Tuesday en route to Sipe Springs where they are blocking up acreage for drilling purposes. In the event they can secure the desired leases they expect to do considerable developing for oil and gas, the Citizen was told.

SEASON FOR GAME FISH OPEN IN CISCO WATERS

The season to enjoy the sport of catching game fish in Cisco waters is now open and some nice fish have been taken from Lake Bernie and Lake Cisco. May 1, first day of the open season, the fish were biting fine, according to the anglers.

Sterling Drumwright, who was recently operated upon for appendicitis, has fully recovered and is again upon the streets, and back in school.

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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.

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