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Revival Meeting at First M. E. Church

A revival meeting is now in progress at the First Methodist Church here, conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. D. Tucker, and the singing is led by Grady C. Morton, a good singer and leader. The meeting was started last Sunday and will continue through Easter Sunday, April 5. Services are held daily at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Good attendance and interest are being shown in the meeting. The public is invited.

D. A. R. MEETS WITH MRS. LEE OWEN MONDAY

"Texas Industries," was the subject discussed at D. A. R. meeting Monday, Mrs. John Elkins and Mrs. Lee Owen being hostesses at the home of Mrs. Owen. Mrs. Alex Spears was leader. "Manufacture of Carbon Black in Texas," was given by Mrs. Homer Slicker. "The nation depends upon Texas for its Potash," by Mrs. J. A. Bearman. "Texas Oyster Shell an Industrial Jewel," by Mrs. F. D. Pierce. "Post Cotton Mills as an Example of West Texas Industrial Progress," by Mrs. T. C. Williams, and "Art as a business investment," by Mrs. C. R. West.

The hostess served ice cream with angel food cake to Mesdames F. E. Harrell, C. R. West, Alex Spears, J. A. Bearman, T. C. Williams, F. D. Pierce, and Homer Slicker.

BAPTIST Y. W. A. HAS REGULAR MEET WED.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church held its regular meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Margie Lee Russel on fifth street, Miss Skidmore was leader of the program, and the lesson was, "Missionary Work Among Negroes." Miss Mary Beth Langston was made reporter of the society.

Angel food cake and punch were served to Misses Clark, Mona Skidmore, Catherine, Farquhar, Lucille Hicks, Dalia Surles, Mary Beth Langston, Louise Karkalits Wilma Mason, Willie Frank Walker, Margie Lee Russel, and Mrs. P. L. Ulom, supervisor of work.

WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB MEETS AT CLUB HOUSE

The regular session of the Wednesday Study Club was held at the club house with fourteen members present. Mrs. W. K. Esgen, president, was in charge of the meeting, Mrs. E. B. Clamphitt being leader of the program.

The club is continuing the study of operas, and the study of "Aida" was begun in this meeting. "Principal Characters in Aida" was a paper prepared by Mrs. R. N. Cluck, and read by Mrs. Paul Woods. The setting, Mrs. E. S. Wilkerson; The Story, Act I, Miss Esther Hale; Musical Selections, Act I, Mrs. Leon Maner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson left today for Ft. Worth to attend the National Convention of the Modern Order of Praetorians which meets there tomorrow.

Mesdames Geo. McClung, R. L. Tucker, S. G. Blount, Burl Daniels, L. A. Martin and E. C. McClelland visited the County Farm Thursday, carrying fruit to its inmates. A short devotional service was held. These ladies composed the committee from W. M. U. of the First Baptist church for this purpose.

MOTHERS CLUB MEETS AT CLUB HOUSE THURSDAY

The Mothers Club met Thursday morning at the Club House, Mrs. G. M. Simpson presiding. Mrs. Homer Slicker was leader, and the subject was, "Principles of Art in Education of Childhood." "Idea and Practice of Arts by Children in Homes and Schools" was discussed by Mrs. Slicker. "Music and Poetry as Part of Best Education for all Arts," Mrs. P. R. Warwick. "How to Teach Kindergarten at Home," Mrs. M. L. McGannon. "Mothers and Kindergarten," Mrs. Chas. Sandler.

The Club voted to cooperate with Delphians in quilt show to be held in the near future. Ten members were present.

MRS. R. C. FAIN HOSTESS TO WHILE-AWAY BRIDGE

A very pretty Easter party was given by Mrs. R. C. Fain Wednesday, when she was hostess to the While-Away Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. E. O. Elliott on Ninth street. The Easter colors were used in bridge accessories and refreshments.

High score prize went to Mrs. L. C. Moore, and cut to Mrs. Hugh White.

A dainty salad course was served to Mesdames Hugh White, Guy Austin, E. L. Walker, A. B. McGuire, H. H. Lamb, L. C. Moore, Jack Pippen, R. B. Gustafson, Fannie Pulley, Grace Pulley, H. B. Hackleman and E. O. Elliott.

LITTLE-TO-DO BRIDGE AT SURLS HOME TUESDAY

A very enjoyable affair was the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Surles when the Little-to-Do Bridge Club met at their home 1404 Ave. N Tuesday evening. The Easter theme was very cleverly featured in decorations, tallies and score pads. Mrs. Guy Austin won high score for ladies, and Mr. Austin high for men. Leonard Surles made low score.

Refreshments of chicken salad, cake and hot chocolate were served to those present.

EASTER PARTY FOR THE MODERNISTIC BRIDGE CLUB

Another very pretty Easter party was one given by Mrs. R. L. Jeffries at her home on Ave. F to members of the Modernistic Bridge Club. Easter note prevailed throughout the rooms and the bridge accessories. At the close of the games Mrs. Lloyd Surles was awarded high score prize, Mrs. Wallace Brittain second high, and Mrs. Ross Cotton low. Fruit, punch and cake were served those present.

W. M. U. CIRCLE 7 MEETS WITH MRS. S. G. BLOUNT

Circle 7 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. S. G. Blount on eleventh street Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Poe, president of the W. M. U., was a circle visitor, and presided at the business meeting. After a song by the members, Mrs. Clifton offered prayer. In absence of teacher, Miss Cora Harris, Mrs. Geo. McClung taught the lesson. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. Poe.

The hostess served an attractive salad plate to the following members: Mesdames Geo. McClung, Clifton, S. B. Parks, R. L. Parker, Burl Daniels, E. J. Poe, L. A. Martin, L. D. Blount, Geneva Payte, and E. C. McClelland. The circle's next stop will be with Mrs. DeSteiger.

"A Bunch of Radicals"

A short review of what the Tax Payers Committee has done, and why they did it, might be of interest to the good, honest citizens of Cisco, who want a good progressive city, but who have been made to believe by those having some special privilege which they do not want to give up, that "All this noise is just a few radicals fussin'"

When George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Ben Franklin and other patriots who led us to independence and liberty, opposed the kings and lords in their high handed way of running things for their own benefit and not for the good of the people, the kings and lords called them "radicals and rebels."

When Christ taught that we should do unto others as we would that they should do unto us; told the rich man to sell what he had and give to the poor; and drove the money changers out of the temple, he was called a radical, and "the powers that were" had him crucified. They didn't care a rap for his religion, but his teaching interfered with their business.

When the people suddenly learned that our city was about five million dollars in debt, and had a mass meeting and called upon the City Commission to have the books audited by auditors endorsed by the two banks so that they could see what had been done with all the money, they were called "radicals."

When we criticized making the people on unpaved streets pay for the paving on streets in front of others when they should pay for their own paving, we were called "radicals."

When we object to paying the Laguna Hotel \$150 a month for a room for the Chamber of Commerce, when they have a good place at the City Hall that could be used if they put the private insurance company out; and when we object to tax valuation on this \$300,000.00 hotel being cut down to \$60,000, when the rest of us must pay on full value, we suspect our defamers would call us "radicals."

When the city was being sued on a lot of void bonds, and the mayor was trying to put us in the hands of a receiver, and the city attorneys had filed an answer admitting that all the bonds were good and valid debts against the city, and we employed lawyers to file an answer and object to the receiver, and judgment on the void bonds, we got the suit held up six months, and then still longer; if we had not done this judgment would have been rendered on the city's admission; but for doing this we suppose the mayor and the lawyers for the bondholders think we are "a bunch of radicals."

You remember nearly two years ago when the mayor was trying to get the people of Cisco to vote for four amendments to the city charter giving the Commission authority to issue bonds, sell the water works, and do most anything? Well, we learned that the Commission had mortgaged our water

works, sewer system 'everythin' but because of some legal hitch it didn't go through. We were afraid that these amendments might make that mortgage valid, and we would lose all we had for the sum of \$500,000.00, and we would still owe \$5,000,000, and have no water works nor sewer system. The Cisco Daily had big head lines about it, telling us what a good thing it would be, and some of our "business men" were strong for it. The Taxpayers' Committee started a fight on these amendments. The people began to think and talk. Soon the mayor saw the writing on the wall, and called off the election.

We learned in the early part of last year that the City Commission had made a contract with the bondholders to sell and transfer our lakes, water system, sewer system, and all for a part of the outstanding bonds, leaving outstanding more bonds than we could possibly pay, so we set about to induce some new men to run for Commissioners in the last April election. We induced three of our citizens to run on a taxpayers' ticket for Commissioners. The mayor called us "Radicals" and said "those birds can't do anything." We didn't care what he called us, but our ticket beat his three candidates more than two to one.

We could not get correct information from the city hall about our bonded debt, so we got certified copies from Austin, and spent several hundred dollars of our own money trying to learn the facts about the condition of our city's affairs, so we could decide what was best to do. If we had not done it, how could we have known? Do you think those who brand us "radicals" would have enlightened you? Do you think a newspaper owned by non-residents whose interests do not seem to be your interests, which would try to induce you to do things which we think would ruin our town--do you think it would enlighten you?

When we heard that the city books had been audited, we tried to see a copy of the audit to learn more about our condition. One of our committee was told that the commission had but one copy, and that must be kept at the city hall. One of our committee sent to the auditors and offered to buy another copy for inspection and study. They informed him they had furnished the mayor with six copies. But we bought a copy anyway as the mayor held to his "only copy."

In the copy procured from the auditors we read the following paragraph:

"All records relative to your bonded indebtedness were wholly inadequate. As a result of our verifying all bond issues through the State Comptroller's office, we ascertained \$1,215,000.00 of bonds outstanding which were not recorded at any place upon your financial records."

Now the "only copy" at the city hall did not have the pages in it with that statement on it. One of our committee got the use of that copy at the city hall with understanding that it must be returned soon. On investigation it was found that two pages of the audit had been torn out, possibly so that in case some "radical" saw it, he would not find out about the \$1,215,000.00 bonds issued, but not accounted for on the books at the

C. of C. Plans a Buy-at-Home Drive

Preparations for starting a "buy-at-home" campaign were begun at a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening. Committees were appointed to map out the campaign and report back at an early date, and it is expected to launch the drive immediately.

Discussion was made of making a proposition to the federal government for the location here of a substation of the big San Marcos fish hatchery. Charles B. Grater, superintendent of the federal fish hatchery at San Marcos, and in charge of the federal hatchery projects in this state, was a visitor in Cisco Saturday, and made very favorable comments regarding such a proposition. If established here, Mr. Grater stated that 150 acres of land would be needed for it, and would involve quite heavy expenditures by the government on the proposition. A committee was appointed to look further into this matter.

Secretary Spencer requested that a representative be sent with him to a Red Cross meeting at Abilene Thursday.

All Cisco Voters Please Take Notice

All voters please take notice that those conducting the city election here on April 7, state that a CITY poll tax receipt will be required before anyone may cast a ballot--although the Attorney General rules otherwise. All voters who are otherwise qualified who present themselves to vote, and are refused because of having no CITY poll tax receipt are requested to report to J. R. Burnett's law office and leave name and address.

The Quick Service Shoe Shop was entered Saturday night or early Sunday morning by thieves who got away with approximately \$40 dollars worth of shoes and other merchandise. Entrance was made through a rear window. Mr. M. L. Notgrass, proprietor of the shop states that this is the second time this year that this building has been broken into. The leather shop in the rear of the store, and operated by R. S. Elliott, was not bothered.

It is said what is everybody's business is nobody's business. We have waited ten years for someone to take the lead in trying to run our city affairs in a business like way, in a progressive but sane manner, but it has grown worse and worse.

The "Citizen's Committee" tried many good men before getting three which we thought filled the bill, but we finally induced three good men to run for mayor and commissioners, respectively. We expected political opposition. We expected other good men, ignorant of their being used as "cat's paws" would be led into the race. But people, let's perform a surgical operation, cut out the trouble, and start all over again. We have worked faithfully on this. Sometimes it was disagreeable, and if we fail this time, we turn the job over to you.

Your Humble Servant,
The Taxpayers Committee

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The Cisco Citizen is an independent Democratic newspaper, supporting what it believes to be right, and opposing what it believes to be wrong. Regardless of party politics, publishing the news fairly and impartially at all times.

STREET CORNER "GRIPING" WON'T "GET IT," IT TAKES ACTION

There are two methods for a people to take when they are being subjected to abusive measures. One is to stand around on the street corner and gripe about it, and let it go at that, and the other is to get together and actually do something to remedy the situation.

The town of Eastland, our neighbor on the east, chose the latter method last week when they got together and issued the ultimatum on the matter of exorbitant gas rates. A meeting was called at the courthouse, and the building was packed to the doors, to consider the question in hand. It seems that Eastland like many other places has had gas bills which they deemed too high for some time. Not long ago some of the citizens got a state man to visit the town and look over the meters there. His findings were said to be a matter for more dissatisfaction, and the citizens decided it was about time to get something done about it. Public meetings were called, and some very interesting and spicy discussion resulted. A very smooth and plausible(?) explanation of the high gas bills was offered by representatives of the gas company, and others.

A certain quill pusher of a certain newspaper organization which furnishes Eastland a daily, (a member, by the way, of the same organization which owns a Cisco publication, and many other points in their "chain") was among those present, and in that smooth soothing voice of his undertook to explain---and did explain to his own satisfaction---why the Eastland daily would not carry an article concerning the dissatisfaction over the high gas bills, saying the article referred to which was requested published was libelous in nature. But it seems that there happened to be among those present a few lawyers who were somewhat conversant with libelous laws and familiar with the article referred to. One

of these had a few remarks to make, and he asked if among all the lawyers present---and Eastland has several---if there was one who would admit that he considered the article in question libelous. Silence of the proverbial tomb ensued---in which the said newspaper man joined heartily. Oh, mystery of mysteries, in what unknown depths of thy realms may be found the real reason why the Eastland publication would not publish that article? Before the meeting adjourned there were nominated three men for City Commissioners who are known to be in accord with the movement to bring about relief in cheaper gas rates for Eastland, and at last reports their campaign was progressing with the vim of a West Texas storm. The voting on these comes up on the same day which we choose our two city commissioners and a mayor. We aren't weather forecasters, but the conditions in the elements around Eastland look very favorable for a decided change in the barometer of gas bills there.

As stated in the beginning, there are two methods a people may follow when they get enough of conditions which they consider oppressive. One is to stand on the corner and "ache,"---and in this old town one can start down the street and he won't pass many corners before he hears this method carried on in full force about "high gas bills." And the other method is to do something about it.

THE OFFICE CAT SEZ:



"Cause ime a ThOmas Kat, i don't mean to be kaTTY - but ive alluz noticeD that U kaint alluz sUmtimes tell eNything about a Kat's idee of principles by hiz meOw. But U get him in a scrap with suM them dIrty alley kATs and U can get hiZ number rite away, Yesiree!"

The Town That Used to Be - BY OLDTIMER -

There was a happy little town,
 Somewhere back in the years;
 A cyclone came and blew it down
 Wrought havoc, pain and tears.
 We cleared her debris all away,
 And built her up at last;
 We hoped to see the blessed day
 To overcome the past.
 Our little town began to grow,
 We thought, "My, how grand,
 We'll make a city soon we know,
 Then how we'll expand!
 "We'll build the largest concrete dam
 The world has ever known;

We'll view the people in a jam
 Come moving to our town.
 We'll build a hotel great, high,
 And give them cheap tax rate,
 With larger cities we will vie
 All over the Lone Star State.
 We'll furnish money to maintain
 Dance hall, and city zoo,
 And bathing pool, and everything
 - Chamber of Commerce too.
 We'll issue bonds to pay our bills,
 No matter how they grow,
 For greenbacks grow all o'er
 these hills
 To pay the bonds, you know.
 We've got the business in our
 hands,
 We'll run it as we please,
 They'll move and sway at our com-
 mand,
 Like waves upon the seas.
 We'll use our brains and gas and
 gall,
 For in shrewdness we excel,
 Our conscience's swiveled up so
 small,
 We'll leave it in its cell.
 Our city books we will not show,
 We've got the master brains;
 We'll tell them all they need to
 know,
 We hold the ruling reins.
 We'll raise the taxes year by year,
 To make our city grow -
 And if the money disappears
 We'll issue bonds you know.
 Great factory plants and cotton
 mills
 Will want to come our way,
 We'll find a way to meet the bills,
 We'll make the taxes pay.

And when our salaries get too
 small,
 When taxes do respond,
 We'll split the cash among us all,
 - For debts we'll issue bonds.
 Our fathers in those good old
 days,
 When conscience was at stake,
 Then proved their love in many
 ways.
 They'd rather give than take.

But we are in a different age,
 We have to scheme to live,
 Conditions in a different stage,
 We'd rather take than give.
 You can tell the world we've done
 our best,
 The rules you understand,
 Be sure you always "do the rest."
 And "do 'em while you can."
 The papers all will spread our
 fame,
 About our dam and lake,
 And new the higher courts pro-
 claim
 Our bonds are only fake.
 Around a table in a ring
 Somewhere in worlds beyond,
 We'll sign our names to every-
 thing
 That looks like city bonds.

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P. L. Ullom and family visited in Temple Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wallace are visiting in Austin this week.

Let The Citizen figure with you on that Job Printing.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waterbury visited in Dallas Wednesday.

Mrs. J. C. Dyer was here from Pueblo Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. Shelton now of Ft. Worth, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives in Cisco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shelton and daughter, Miss Edlyn and Mrs. Annie Stiener of Ft. Worth are visitors in Cisco this week.

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Lettuce, Nice Head,	-	5c
Eggs, Fresh Yard Eggs, 2 Dozen for	-	25c
Sugar, 10 lb. Cloth Bag,	-	53c
Syrup, Pure Cane, One-Half Gallon,	33c,	One Gal. 63c
Coffee, Maxwell House,	1 lb., 30c.	3 lbs., 89c
Toilet Paper, Scott's Tissue, 1000 Sheet Rolls, 3 for	-	25c
Salmon, Tall Cans,	-	10c
Matches, 6 Boxes,	-	13c
Peas, Early June, No. 1 Cans, 3 for	-	25c
Beans, Cut Green Beans, No. 2 Cans, at	-	11c
Corn, No. 2 Standard,	-	10c
Peaches, Rosedale Table Peaches, Large Can for	-	18c
Sliced Bacon, that good kind, rind off, lb.	-	27c
Beef Roast, Plate Rib, lb., 12c. Flesh, lb.,	-	17c
Hamburger Meat, per lb.	-	15c
Butter, Fresh No. 1 Creamery, lb.	-	32c
Cheese, Longhorn Cream, lb.	-	23c
Salt Jowls, Fine for Boiling, per lb.	-	12c

Announcements

Subject to the City Election to be held in Cisco April 7:

For Mayor:
J. R. BURNETT
J. T. BERRY

For City Commissioners:
(Two to be elected.)
JOE CLEMENTS
H. S. STUBBLEFIELD
J. T. ELLIOTT
E. P. CRAWFORD

H. C. Wippert returned Sunday from a trip to Chicago.

H. A. Bible was over from Longview to spend the weekend with his family.

Mrs. H. D. Shoemaker and Mrs. C. M. Nichols were visitors in the county capitol Wednesday.

Elite Beauty Shop

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Sam Key, Prop.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Westerfeldt are in Temple this week where Mr. Westerfeldt is under treatment in a hospital.

Judge and Mrs. D. K. Scott were called to Dallas Wednesday by a message stating that their son-in-law, Sam Hines, was in a very serious condition there with pneumonia. Later news received here the same day stated that Mr. Hines' illness had proved fatal.

The Citizen does Job Printing.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Douglas, Arizona, were in Cisco Monday for a short time visiting friends. They were enroute to various points in Ohio for a visit of a few weeks with relatives there. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are the parents of Ed Smith who at one time made his home here and was manager of the M System store.

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10 lbs. Sugar	53c
8 lbs. Vegetole Compound	95c
2 lbs. Pure Pork Sausage,	2 c
Veal Loaf Meat, pork added, lb,	15c
Stew Meat, lb.	14c
Round, Sirloin, T-Bone, lb.	25c
Roast. any cut from fore quarter,	17c
Silced Bacon, without rind,	22c
Longhorn Full Cream Cheese,	22c

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H. A. Bible and family visit-
ed in Leuders Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCanlies
and son, Phil, visited relatives
in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Butler are
moving this week to the John-
son home on Seventh street.

Mrs. Fleet Shepard of Stam-
ford is spending the week with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T.
Riddle.

Something Different

If you are looking for "Something Different," for
A Nice Birthday Gift
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And You'll Find the Prices

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---Let's get better acquainted!

12th St. M. E. Church, Sunday 29th

Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:45, G. M. Meglasson, Superintendent. Come and be with us in our Sunday school.

The eleven o'clock hour Sunday morning will be given to the Laymen of the church Brother McGlamery of Eastland, County school superintendent, and district Lay leader will speak. Come and hear the duties and obligations of a Layman to the church discussed from the standpoint of a Layman.

Quarterly conference Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. We desire not only a full attendance of officials but of the membership of the church as well; let's have a good crowd at our quarterly conference.

At the evening hour Sunday the first service of our Pre-Easter Revival will be held. Services will be held each evening during the week next week we invite all christians from our section of the city to attend these services. Members of the 12th Methodist church are urged to make their arrangements to be present at all of the same.

Services will begin each evening with a song service at 7:45, Preaching at 8:15 Sunday evening, Subject: "The Kind of Revival We Need." Some of the subjects to be discussed by the pastor during the week will be: Old Time Religion, Thinking on our Ways and Its Results, Learning to Pray, Some Things Prayer Does, and other kindred subjects.

Announcements will appear later when these subjects will be discussed.

O. A. MORTON, Pastor

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J. R. Burnett,

(My commission expires June 1, 1931.)

Mrs. M. H. McCanlies is visiting her brother, Silas Black, in Loraine this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wrightsman left Wednesday for Houston, Texas, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo D. Fee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gandy and daughter, Miss Margeret, spent Tuesday in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland.

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