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Kidnaper Phone Call Believed To Be Ruse

Through the Editor's Spectacles
By GEORGE

Mayor J. T. Berry and City Sec'y J. B. Cate Thursday envisioned acres of writer's cramp. (I can't resist the vulgar temptation to pun on "ache") The sentiment was a sobering aftermath to the elation that Tuesday's vote of confidence brought. After that vote the re-elected chief executive of the city of Cisco was hopping about like a spring bird, smoking entire pouches of tobacco at a stuffing, and beaming happiness on all and sundry. Thursday he uttered a few unchristian grunts while he contemplated the biggest job of manual signature signing of recent record. The job was stacked within the iron doors of the vault of the city secretary's office—a silent but impressive reminder of the fact that the mayor, as well as you and I, white trash, is expected to earn his board and keep.

Mr. Cate likewise grunted, and with more reason than the mayor. His signature must be affixed exactly twice as many times as that of the mayor.

The impressive pile contains approximately 5,000 Cisco refunding bonds. Each of them in denominations from \$330 and \$165, is composed of three or four richly lithographed and printed sheets, including the interest coupons that are to be clipped semi-annually. They are term bonds—that is, the principal is not due until 40 years from date—and they are to be exchanged for the approximately \$6,000,000 outstanding Cisco bonds and past due interest. The total principal value of the refunding issue is slightly more than \$1,500,000.

Each bond must be signed by Mr. Berry as mayor; once by Mr. Cate as city secretary and once by him as city treasurer. Altogether, 15,000 signatures must be affixed to the bonds. So, if you see the midnight oil burning in the city hall you may surmise with impunity that the mayor and the city secretary-treasurer are earning their salaries.

This came in the mail: "Charlie Livingston, son of J. J. Livingston on Route 4, recently plowed up a voluntary sweet potato of the Porto Rico variety that weighed 10 pounds. The potato filled a two-gallon bucket heaping full."

STAMFORD CHIEF HERE

Police Chief George Flournoy, of Stamford, was here Thursday the guest of his brother, J. M. Flournoy, and Mrs. Flournoy. He was the winning candidate for re-election as police chief of his home town Tuesday, in a warmly contested election.

Patronize Those Who Help Cisco!

Food advertising will be found on Page Eight of this issue. The best grocery bargains being offered in Cisco this week will be found listed on that page. Turn to it, study the offerings of the merchants whose advertisements appear there, and patronize them. They are taking advantage of the best-read medium in Cisco, and they are at the same time helping to make possible a home-owned and home-controlled newspaper for your town. Help those that help Cisco, and our city will grow.

Mention the Citizen-Free Press when you buy. It's the newspaper with character and courage, owned by Cisco people and devoted to the growth and prosperity of its home community. It stands for something.

This is one of 1,300 copies of this paper distributed in the home. This does NOT mean rural circulation.

Randolph Day April 19 and 20

Randolph Day will be celebrated at Randolph college on April 19 and 20, Dean E. B. Isaacs announced this week.

The event, annually celebrated, begins Friday evening, April 19, with the senior play to be presented under the direction of Miss Theresa Weddington in the college auditorium.

Saturday morning at 10 o'clock the parade through the business district to the college grounds will start. A pretentious column of decorated cars is planned for this part of the program.

Barbecue

At the noon hour friends of the college, faculty members, students and former students will be entertained at a barbecue on the campus.

Following the barbecue a meeting will take place in the college auditorium where plans for the next year will be discussed.

Athletic events will occur during the afternoon, including a ball game between seniors and juniors. At 6 p. m. Saturday former students will be entertained at a banquet followed by a reception at the girls dormitory.

Dean Isaacs will be in charge of the barbecue. The parade will be directed by Prof. H. R. Garrett, who will also direct the athletic events.

Prof. W. F. Bruce will be in charge of arrangements for the home-coming while Mrs. Lee Clark, Miss Effie King and Miss Pope will have charge of entertainment and program features.

RANDOLPH PRINCESS AND PRINCE

Myrl Thornton will be Randolph college prince and Miss Ola Skiles, Randolph princess at the Dogwood Festival at the national convention of the Phi Theta Kappa convention meeting at Lon Morris college, Jacksonville, Texas, this week, it was announced by college authorities.

They were to arrive at Jacksonville for the festival Friday.

Evangelist Speaker For Rotary Meeting

Four elements for success were discussed in a 20-minute address to the Cisco Rotary club at noon Thursday by the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Colorado, Texas, Baptist minister now preaching a revival series at the First Baptist church. Vision, enthusiasm, determination and optimism were the elements.

The speaker used appropriate stories in an entertaining manner and the club loudly applauded his address.

He was presented by J. E. Spencer, program chairman for the day. Mr. Spencer also presented little Miss Riby Kent, west ward student, who explained what the children are taught with reference to fire prevention.

The club voted to send the incoming president, to be nominated next week and elected next month, as its delegate to the Midland conference of the 41st district.

Crop Loan Forms At C. of C. Here

Application forms for crop production loans have been received at the chamber of commerce here, it was announced this week by Sec'y J. E. Spencer who urged that farmers desiring to apply for these loans do so at once. He explained that the local committee may not be retained here for more than a week or ten days. First plans were not to locate a committee in Cisco but to require farmers in this area to go to Eastland. The chamber of commerce, however, protested that the arrangement would inconvenience the farmers and secured agreement of the crop production regional loan office to have applications taken here.

Neil Agnew and Clint C. Cary were here from the Dothan community Saturday.

It's Cherry Blossom Time Again



Capitol dome in distance

Looming up in stately grandeur in the distance, the dome of the capitol building towers in the background, a picturesque setting for the color and beauty of the famous Japanese cherry trees which are now in bloom at Washington. Mme. Saito, wife of the Japanese ambassador to United States, left, holds an bouquet of the fragrant blossoms.

No Personalities Are Involved, Women Assert

The following statement was issued Thursday afternoon by supporters of the three women candidates for places on the Cisco school board in the election Saturday. The women candidates are Mrs. N. A. Brown, Mrs. Sam Kimmell and Mrs. P. R. Warwick.

When the three women announced as candidates for trustees in the coming election, April 6th, they had no personal animosity against the three men who have also announced as candidates for re-election, after having served from 8 to 15 years. The women have the highest respect for these esteemed men. They appreciate everything the men have ever done, but there has been a growing dissatisfaction among the patrons and friends in regard to the administration of the school. The women have yearly expected a change, and when the change failed to come, they decided upon their own initiative to attempt to correct condition. The movement originated among the interested mothers and fathers and not among any club, organization, or teachers.

It is a known fact that any free discussion of the acts of the board has not been welcomed. There is a feeling among many patrons and friends of the school that a free discussion of the policies of the board has been resented.

Members

A. D. Starling, Mack Stevens, W. R. Huestis, Clyde Wilkins, Rex Page, Wiley Morgan, R. D. Jones and E. C. McClelland.

The competition took place during Friday of the three-day convention that began Thursday and continued through Saturday.

Delegate from Cisco camp who attended the full three days was W. C. Clements. Mrs. Lem Mayhew and Mrs. Wiley Morgan were delegates from the Cisco WOW circle.

Among other members of the lodge who attended from here were W. E. Dean, Bob Harper and Ab Cooper.

The next biennial convention will be held at Abilene.

School Boys to Play Donkey Game Mon.

Teams from the senior and junior classes of the high school will play a donkey baseball game at Chesley field Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, it was announced. Proceeds will be used to defray expenses of the homecoming senior-junior banquet. The admission charge will be small.

Mrs. Arlington McGinnis is the friend.

Berry And 2 Comm's Re-Elected

Cisco emerged from a spirited municipal election Tuesday that returned administration candidates to office by large majorities with a general air of good feeling and satisfaction with the results.

Both Mayor J. T. Berry and former Mayor J. M. Williamson, the victorious and defeated candidates respectively, issued statements in which they called for unanimous local cooperation upon the problems and opportunities that confront the city.

Mayor Berry, who was returned to the place of chief executive of Cisco for a third term, expressed his appreciation of the vote that was given him. He received 694 votes to 192 for his opponent.

W. J. Foxworth and H. A. Bible, commissioners seeking re-election, were returned to the commission by votes of 611 and 610 respectively. W. W. Wallace received 281 and L. F. Mendenhall 256 for the commission.

Grateful

"I want to express my appreciation to the people of Cisco for the overwhelming support they gave my administration at the polls Tuesday," said Mayor Berry. It was very gratifying. I hold no ill feeling toward anyone. During the next two years I shall endeavor to make everyone the best mayor that it is within my power to make.

"As soon as the \$4,800,000 relief bill is passed we are going to make every effort to take advantage of its opportunities to secure needed public improvements."

One of the first tasks confronting Mr. Berry after his re-election will be the signing of the approximately 5,000 refunding bonds through which the city will reduce an approximately \$6,000,000 debt to slightly more than \$1,500,000. These bonds are now stored in the vault at the city hall.

Boggs Well Is Due To Drill in Today

The Lone Star Gas company's Boggs No. 1 immediately north of Cisco and offsetting the Hickok Kleiner gas well, will be drilled in probably Friday, it was said. The well is in the Lake sand, and is bottomed at 3,396 feet where it had a show of gas. Good gas production was indicated.

Gallagher and Lawson are the drilling contractors.

RIG IS STARTED FOR BARDWELL

Rig for a well on the Bardwell tract, one and a half miles southeast of the recently completed Cleveland well, and six miles northwest of Cisco, was started Thursday by the Hickok Producing and Developing company.

The Cleveland well was completed two weeks ago for 3 1-2 million feet of gas after a shot in the Ranger lime.

B. of A. Motorcade to Reach Here April 8

The annual Broadway of American Highway association motorcade will reach Cisco at 2:10 p. m. April 8 for a ten-minute stop. The motorcade will leave San Diego, Cal., at 7:30 April 5. It will reach Nashville, Tenn., April 11 for the annual Broadway convention April 12 and 13.

Carlton Walker Is Killed in Collision

H. Carlton Walker, Breckenridge, nephew of the late Breck Walker, founder of the city of Breckenridge, and manager of the extensive Walker ranching interests, was killed when his car collided with a truck a mile west of Breckenridge Thursday morning. Mr. Walker was also a nephew of George and Pat Walker.

"I'm a Democrat," Says Williamson

J. M. Williamson, former mayor and unsuccessful candidate for re-election to that office after an interval of four years, greeted defeat in Tuesday's voting equably.

"So far as I am personally concerned," he said, "I'm glad of it, in a way. It would have been a tremendous task, taxing any man's energy and ability."

The former mayor said that he came through the campaign feeling good. "I have no bitterness."

"A person ought not to get out of tune with the spirit of the times. He shouldn't carry any rankle."

"I have no regrets for what I said or did in the campaign. I conducted it according to the light that I had upon the issues involved. I think that the matter is settled for the time being and I submit to the will of the majority. I wish the successful candidates well."

Mr. Williamson said he felt that the election ought to be forgotten now and all the forces of the community concentrated on the problems before the community and in doing what is best for the well being of Cisco.

He expressed his thanks for the support that was given him in the election.

First Carload of Cisco Product to Go North at Once

The first carload of self-cooling automobile seats, manufactured by the Self-Cooling Seat Corp. here will leave Cisco shortly for distribution through the more than 3,500 service stations of the Hickok Oil Corp. in Ohio and Illinois and other middlewestern states.

The car will carry 5,000 units of these new and popular automobile accessories to be sold to the motoring public in the north.

The seat, which utilizes the cooling principle of evaporation in a folding, portable arrangement of felted coils encased in a fabric envelope, is manufactured in Cisco, where the former Gude hotel has been converted into a factory. The factory, established last year, is expanding its equipment and operations and as its products gain wide markets is expected to develop into a large organization, releasing a considerable industrial payroll in Cisco. J. H. Reynolds, Cisco oil operator, is president of the company; Lawrence Keough is secretary-treasurer, and A. Sandhofer is plant superintendent.

The large Hickok order is the first of what is due to become a large distribution of the Cisco product to the motoring public of the United States.

The Gulf Refining company already has the service station franchise for the seats in Texas.

Baptist Revival to Be Finished Sunday

Large crowds, a deep interest and splendid sermons mark the course of the revival at the First Baptist church where the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, Colorado, Texas, is the revivalist.

The series will close with the services Sunday evening, concluding two weeks during which two sermons have been delivered each day.

The hour of the evening service has been changed to 8 o'clock, the Rev. E. S. James, pastor of the church, announced.

Waco Delegation to Be Here Wednesday

The Waco chamber of commerce, in a letter to Mayor J. T. Berry, Wednesday, advised that a representative group of Waco wholesalers, manufacturers, jobbers, educational institutions and professions would leave Waco Tuesday morning, April 9, by special train on a trip that will include Cisco, arriving here at 12:40 p. m. to remain until 1:25 p. m.

Taxi Driver Freed Here By Captor

H. A. Penrod, Mineral Wells, released near Cisco by a kidnaper-bandit who took his taxi late Wednesday night, told Mineral Wells police Thursday evening that his erstwhile captor called him over telephone from Cisco to say that he was taking the car back to Mineral Wells, so Cisco officers were informed.

Chief M. L. Purdue of the Cisco police, said he was confident the kidnaper was not in Cisco at the time of the call, but believed he was in Fort Worth or some other large center, and that the call was a ruse to throw Mineral Wells officers off guard.

Penrod, a taxi station operator, was released near Cisco Wednesday night by a man who forced him, at pistol point, to drive him from Mineral Wells to this city.

Forced From Car

Penrod was forced from the taxi about 11 p. m. a mile or so east of Cisco where the kidnaper-bandit robbed him of seven or eight dollars carried in his billfold. He walked to the Litchfield cafe where I. Nicholson picked him up and brought him to the city hall.

According to his account, Penrod was accosted at about 8 o'clock Wednesday evening by a man who seized a taxi for a trip two miles of Mineral Wells. Penrod only 30 days before he was released from the hospital after a major operation, did not drive, but regarded the trip of no consequence to the customer himself. The senger got into the rear seat, short distance out he felt in his back and was ordered to drive ahead.

Stopped at Station

He drove the man to Cisco and they passed through the city to the western edge, but found no suburban station, for which the bandit appeared looking, open and returned to the business district where the man ordered Penrod to drive into the East Texas Gas station at D avenue and Eighth. He cautioned the driver to keep both hands upon the top of the steering wheel, menacing him with a pistol concealed under folded arms at his back.

Worth Daniels, station attendant, noticed nothing unusual as he put five gallons of gas into the machine, and after the service the kidnaper paid the bill.

Robbed

Penrod then drove the man to the foot of the hill east of Cisco on the Bankhead highway, where Penrod was robbed of currency in his billfold. The billfold was returned. Three dollars in Penrod's watch pocket was overlooked.

Before he drove off, Penrod said, the kidnaper, a man of about 40, well dressed, weighing about 150 and of dark complexion, told him that if he did not report the incident to police he would telephone him from a ranchhouse 15 miles from Albany where the car could be found. Otherwise, Penrod quoted him as saying, the machine, a 1931 Chevrolet sedan, bearing license number 796-023, would be burned.

No trace of the bandit or car had been found Thursday evening, officers here said.

All the way from Mineral Wells, Penrod told officers, his gun-flourishing passenger kept talking about the "law," saying he would hate to meet up with them because either he or they would be "burnt down."

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Herrick Refrigerator ice box, practically new. Coil and cooling system. A sacrifice if sold at once. 811 West 5th.

FOR SALE—Good hay. See will Stroebel, Route 2, Box 147, Cisco. 47-31p

County Judge Is Hopeful House Bill 483 Passes

am more hopeful than ever House Bill 483 being enacted by the legislature," Commissioner Judge Clyde Garrett told a representative of the Citizen-Free Press recently. "If this bill passes it will be a saving to the taxpayers of about 60 per cent of the taxes, and will mean a great saving, as it will divert a portion of the gasoline tax to the general revenues of the state.

"Another measure which will mean much to the county is a maintenance colony at some location in the county," Judge Garrett said. "The commissioners court has already caused a survey of the situation to be made by a competent engineer, and his report is indicative that this colony can be secured. I would like to see that matter taken up by some community. I realize the difficulty would be in securing a sufficiently large body of land in one locality. Our engineer reports that four colonies have already been located in the state, and there is no reason why Eastland county should not locate a colony. A committee should be appointed, of which the county agent and rural supervisor should be members.

"Not only will this colony be of benefit to the county as a financial investment, but in saving the soil from erosion, which will be of inestimable benefit to the farm lands.

"It requires about 4,000 acres, as near in one body as possible, and Mr. Burkes, Littlefield Building at Austin, will be glad to supply any community with the necessary blanks and complete information. It should not be difficult to get the required acreage.

"This colony will have a community or working center, with cannery, blacksmith shop, and other necessary industries. My information is that each family will be furnished a cottage and about 40 acres of land, with the necessary teams and tools, which will be sold to these workers on long time. Another benefit will be the taking of these people off the relief rolls, which will be quite a saving in itself. Then the program will make home owners of all themselves of the bountiful government, and be self-sufficient. I will be glad to furnish information I have. But be better to write to Mr. direct and get the information first hand."

Gold Watch Chain as Salesman

Friends of Vernon Jobe will be pleased to learn of his success as salesman for Stark Bro's Nurseries, Louisiana, Mo., whom he represents in this county. Recently this company put on a great Sales Directors' contest among their salesmen and he took an active part. Because of his loyalty and the large amount of orders he wrote, Stark Bro's. presented him with a gold watch chain. He is quite proud of this evidence of appreciation Stark Bro's Nurseries have for him, and is to be complimented upon his success of a salesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Starr, of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers of Sweetwater are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Maner.

INDIAN AMBUSH - - - - - By Jack Sords



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Under the Courthouse Roof

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk: Luna Wayne Jackson and Miss Ruby Lee Pierce, Eastland. Ben G. Busbee and Miss Simpel O. Crawford, Rising Star. Hubert Ables and Miss Denzel Rainey, Desdemona. Webb R. Johnson and Miss Emma Burks, Eastland. H. E. Bennett and Miss Lorelle Hendricks, Eastland. Joe Bowles and Miss Viola Millican, Eastland.

County Court Cases

The following cases have been filed in the county court: Ex Parte J. W. Hooks, application for beer license. H. S. Stein vs. W. W. Eddington, injunction. Elizabeth Foley vs. J. G. Perry, suit on note.

COMMISSIONERS COURT CLAIMS ALLOWED

J. F. Reynolds was allowed \$20 per month, as of March 1, to care for G. W. Ricks until further ordered by the court. County auditor and the county clerk were instructed to issue warrants in accordance with this order. Account of R. B. George Machinery Co. for \$1,662 for one road grader, was allowed and ordered paid, as per contract.

91ST DISTRICT COURT NEW CASES FILED

Fay Morris vs. G. L. Morris, divorce. In re, liquidation of the Texas State bank, application of E. C. Brand, banking commissioner, to sell lease to N. A. Moore; also to sell Ross Morehead's note;

also Herman A. Perry's note.

Judge Davenport is again absent from his bench by reason of having to submit to another surgical operation.

A judgment for plaintiff was awarded W. C. Schilling vs. Fort Howard Land Co. in plaintiff's action for debt.

88TH DISTRICT COURT JUDGMENTS AND ORDERS

In re, liquidation of the Texas State bank; application of E. C. Brand, banking commissioner, to sell overdraft of R. N. Grisham. Granted. Also to authority granted to sell certain property of Herman Howell.

Order for jury for the week of April 1 cancelled, and the same jury ordered for April 22.

Mandate of eleventh civil appeals court was filed confirming the case of the Strawn National bank vs. Wes Marchbanks, et al.

Suits Filed
First National bank of Gorman vs. Peoples National bank of Tyler, garnishee, garnishment. J. T. Horn vs. Magnolia Pipe Line Co., damages. First National bank of Gorman vs. J. A. Nowlin, suit to collect note.

Virgie Comer vs. Oscar Comer, transferred to 91st court.

Judge B. W. Patterson recessed the 88th court Monday to preside over one of the district courts at Dallas.

Ex Parte Lula Cox, to change her name, granted, who was authorized to take the name of Lula E. Roach, and to transact business under the name.

Katherine Badgley, divorce and custody of minor child. Transferred to 91st court.

On his plea of guilty in the 88th court Monday for forgery, Lawton Reynolds was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Judge Patterson.

Largest Ranch in World Partitioned

CORPUS CHRISTI. —No longer will the immense King ranch, extending in several South Texas counties, be known as the largest ranch in the world under fence. It was divided Tuesday among the heirs of the late Mrs. Henrietta M. King, according to her will. Mrs. King died March 31, 1925.

Established in 1853 by Capt. Richard King, the ranch has for many years been the largest in Texas, and perhaps in the world.

The Santa Gertrudis ranch home near Kingsville in Kleberg county, where visitors have been entertained from all over the world, goes to Mrs. Alice Gertrudis Kleberg, mother of Robert J. Kleberg Jr., who has managed the entire property for ten years Mrs. Kleberg also will receive all property not awarded to other heirs in Nueces, Kleberg and Jim Wells counties.

To Congressman Richard M. Kleberg of Corpus Christi, a brother of Robert J., was given the King home in Corpus Christi, where the congressman and his family live.

Descendants of Mrs. King's son, the late Richard King, will receive 6,000 acres of land in Hidalgo, Cameron, Brooks and Willacy counties, including the San Salvatore de Tuleand La Blanca grants and the Julian pastures. Heirs of Mrs. King's daughter, Mrs. H. M. Atwood of Chicago, will get remaining lands in Cameron, Willacy and Hidalgo counties known as the San Juan de Carricots grant and the big Barreta grant in Willacy.

Federal Judge T. M. Kennerly of Houston has under advisement

Another Severe Drouth Seen in Short Rainfall

As the dust storms subsided in the drouth-stricken plains of the west, official reports indicated that a repetition of last summer's severe drouth may be expected.

The United States department of agriculture, as reported in The Literary Digest, stated that "on the eastern slopes of the Rocky Mountains and in the western Great Plains area the drouth not only is unrelieved, but it has been intensified by lack of normal precipitation during the last six months. In most parts of this region the supply of moisture in the ground is less than it was last year at this time."

The weather map for December of 1934 and the first two months of 1935, said the department of agriculture, looks much like the map for the winter of 1933-34. Both winters were colder than normal in the Northeast and warmer than normal over all the rest of the country. It was this condition that ushered in the drouth of last summer, most widespread and disastrous experienced in the United States since weather records have been kept.

Drouth This Summer

Does it mean that there will be drouth again this summer? No scientific weather forecaster would venture a guess; there is no known method by which weather can be predicted with assurance more than thirty-six to forty-eight hours in advance. If anyone could invent a sure method of forecasting as far as six months ahead his fortune would be made. It would be one of the greatest contributions to science and the welfare of humanity of all time, said Dr. James H. Kimball, meteorologist of the U. S. Weather bureau.

Nevertheless, Dr. Kimball ventured, the drouth regions are in for an unusual and probably unhappy season. With the drouth so far unbroken, there is so little soil moisture that considerable quantities of rain would be necessary to restore anything like normal conditions. At the same time, if the moisture comes too fast, it will do more harm than good, for the present denuded condition of much of the area would permit the water to run off rapidly, causing destructive erosion.

Condition Not Permanent

Joseph B. Kincer, chief of the division of climate and crop weather of the U. S. weather bu-

reau, scouted the notion that the drouth has been caused by excessive cultivation of the affected areas, or that the dry spell indicates a radical and permanent change of climate in America.

Willis R. Gregg, chief of the weather bureau, dealt with the drouth thus, in a report to Secretary Wallace:

"There is nothing to indicate that the 1934 drouth constitutes a permanent change to desertlike conditions."

Retail Sales in February Increase

AUSTIN. — Reports for February from 90 representative retail establishments to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research indicated an increase in aggregate dollar sales of 2.1 per cent over January and 5.6 per cent over February last year, the bureau has announced. For the first two months of the year sales were 6.1 per cent greater than during the corresponding period last year. Cities showing gains above the average were: Austin, Beaumont, Dallas, San Antonio, and Temple. Of the different classes of stores, men's clothing stores made the best comparative showing, followed in order by women's specialty shops and large department stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph St. John of Abilene spent Monday in Cisco.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for every act of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and brother. May God bless each of you.

MRS. SALLIE KIDD, Wife.

Brothers—
A. S. KIDD and Family
A. J. KIDD and Family.
S. A. KIDD.

Sisters—
MRS. L. BURTON and Family.
MRS. D. K. RICHARDSON and Family.
MRS. J. M. TUBB and Family.

G. F. ADCOCK and Family.
J. A. ADCOCK and Family.
MRS. F. M. McELROY and Family (Foster Daughter).

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SPEED ARTIST - - - - - By Jack Sords



THORNTON LEE
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Car Was Driven	3082 MILES

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3---W. H. LaRoque

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ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell and Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—Ps. 103:1-5, 10:14; Is. 40:27-31; Matt. 6:24-34; Luke 11:2; John 3:3-6; 8:40-47; 14:1-31; Rom. 8:14-17; Heb. 12:5-11.



The beauty of the Christian religion lies in its teaching that God is a God of love who wants us to know him as our Father. Jesus taught that as God cares for birds and flowers in nature so he cares for us, his children.

Jesus taught men to put their trust in God for all bodily needs, and not to worry about such things. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you." He practiced prayer and taught us to pray.

To Nicodemus Jesus taught that to become God's children we must be born anew by the Spirit of God: "That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Ye must be born again."

Jesus taught his disciples that God was like himself: "He that hath seen me hath seen the Father." He claimed not only to teach men the way to God but that he was the way.

GOLDEN TEXT—Pa. 103:12

School Board Statement Asks Big Vote Saturday

The following statement was issued Tuesday by the Cisco school board, respecting the election of three trustees next Saturday to fill as many vacancies occurring upon the board with expiration of the terms of Dr. F. E. Clark, president; J. E. Spencer, secretary, and F. D. Wright:

We desire at this time to call to the attention of the patrons and voters of the Cisco independent school district for their sober consideration some pertinent facts in connection with the administration of the public schools of this community. We feel that they are entitled to know the problems and the aims confronting the administration of the system and the methods and policies that are being followed by the board in dealing with these problems and aims to the end that they may the more intelligently cast their votes in the trustee election next Saturday.

The business of the school board, as we see it, is three-fold:

Duties

- 1-The determination of a policy of school government and curricula that will achieve the most in educative results with the means at hand.
2-The selection of personnel that will best represent and administer the policies adopted.
3-Provision of adequate financing.

We appreciate that in carrying out these aims, the board, of itself and through its employed school officials and teachers, has made mistakes for which it merits criticism. We are concerned, however, that this criticism be just and fairly made, in a light of understanding of the conditions that affect the fault. In this connection, we wish to point out that it is often the case that some of the responsibility for the criticism devolves upon the patrons.

Can't Handle Details

Plainly enough, the members of the school board, who are business men involved with their own affairs and who receive no pay for the time they devote to the schools, cannot administer details. They cannot individually see that the toilets at the school building are kept clean, or administer the multifarious rules of the disciplinary system. It is their business to employ men and women of the proper qualifications who can devise and administer these regulations to the best interest of the school body as a whole, depending upon the reaction of the patrons and the results obtained to determine the wisdom of the choice. Let it be emphasized here that in the administration of a school system, it is necessary to consider effects and influences upon the whole. A rule or a policy may adversely affect one student or one family, but if that rule or policy is essential to the well-being of the whole, obviously the democratic ideal must govern. But in every case where injustice to an individual has been brought to the attention of the board, effort has been made to remedy the situation.

Proper Procedure

The accepted procedure for an aggrieved patron is first to make complaint to the school teacher and principal; failing in redress there, the next step is to appeal to the superintendent, and failing

there, the appeal should be carried to the board.

Now, if no formal appeal is made to the board, it is but natural that the board consider that satisfaction has been obtained and the matter cleared up. If the patrons of the Cisco school system who bring criticisms of administrative acts of the officials of the Cisco schools against the trustees, do not first give these trustees the benefit of their protests, they are being unfair.

We cannot recall any previous formal protest to the board of the conditions alleged in some of the criticisms brought to our attention at this time. At the same time, it is but fair to point out that a multitude of other minor matters and conditions similar to those with which members of the board are now blamed, have been considered and corrected by the board in the course of its authority over the school system.

Personnel

In the employment of personnel, the board has kept in mind the qualifications of the individuals for the peculiar duties to which they are chosen. We have laid down certain fundamental principles dealing with education, training and character and have endeavored, in so far as it is humanly possible to determine and in so far as the talent for the position is available, to secure men and women who could accomplish the most under the conditions that pertain in this community.

We have endeavored consistently to raise the personnel standard of the schools and in the strict application of certain standards we have no doubt incurred the displeasure of some who felt themselves to have been injured by the process. But in every case we have kept foremost in view the good of the pupil and the quality of the instruction and training provided for him, believing that this is the first will of the voters and the patrons. It is our belief that the administration of the schools should be above personalities and prejudices and on a high plane of ser-

vice to the future generations whose training is in the hands of the system over which we have been given supervision.

Criticisms

There have been criticisms and complaints against members of the faculties. In each case we have tried to discover the motives behind the complaint, to take into consideration personal grievances or dislikes and dissociate it from prejudices. If we were to act upon a whim, discharging or reappointing a teacher upon any pretext the schools would be in a constant flux.

There are also instances in which patrons have become angered or incensed because of disciplinary measures taken against their children. It is probable that this has inspired criticism.

In judging of the efficiency and the earnestness of the board's administration of the schools, however, the patrons should pass above personal matters and consider results. During the past several years the scholastic output of the schools has increased in quality. As an indication, the Cisco public schools are the only schools in the country to retain affiliation with the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges; scholastic population and enrollment is at approximate boom-peak; percentages of failures and withdrawals from schools have been materially reduced; the records of Cisco graduate at college and university are far above the average.

Finances

The financial responsibility devolving upon the board has been extremely serious during the past few years. The problem of providing funds to meet an \$80,000 annual expense of operating the schools and at the same time of paying interest and installments on a bonded debt of \$350,000 out of sharply curtailed revenues on declining valuations has taxed every resource. Valuations once totalling nearly \$10,000,000 have dropped to approximately \$3,500,000. To service the bond issue alone required practically every dollar of local revenue. These bonds are held by the state permanent school fund and under the law failure to pay the interest and principal charges will subject to a school to having its state apportionment funds withheld.

Yet under these trying conditions, conditions that forced

many other schools to sharply curtail terms, faculties and the quality of the work done in their systems, the Cisco schools have been brought through the most depressed financial period in history, with all current accounts paid, all teachers' salaries paid and the system in sound financial condition. It has been necessary to refund the outstanding bond issues to accomplish this.

Future Problems

But the present success of the board's efforts to bring the system safely through the critical financial period is subject to future conditions. Unless there is a considerable increase in revenues the financial difficulties of the future are certain to be just as taxing.

The three members of the board whose terms expire this year are men of varied and valuable experience in dealing with business, financial and legal problems, all of which are seriously involved in the present administration of the board.

It is a question for the voters of the district to decide whether these men are the more qualified to meet these serious problems or whether other candidates will more efficiently administer the affairs of the schools.

In the past the board has not been guided by a large vote of the citizens. In the failure of the citizens to give a representative vote, it has seen at least a passive pop-

ular approval of the administration.

Big Vote

It is a sincere wish of this board that every qualified voter will be so intensely interested in our schools, that he or she will go to the polls and vote April 6th.

We sincerely feel that the attack on the outgoing members is not so much of a personal nature as it is against the policies of the board. We have taken time from our respective businesses and professions and from our families to devote to the problems of our schools. We do not regret this but feel that unless the citizenship manifest enough interest in our school affairs to go to the polls, then such efforts as we have put forth will have been wasted.

You should carefully check the respective complaints made against the board's policies and also the personal motives prompting some of those who are making the fight against the present policies. We do not regret your disapproval of our policies, as we will know you will be prompted by proper motives, but we will regret it if you are not sufficiently interested in our problems to turn out and vote.

At the last school election a shamefully small vote was cast. If the citizenship does not manifest an interest then it will always be possible for a small element, probably prompted by per-

sonal motives to control our schools.

We feel that our school affairs are more important at all times than our city affairs. You should vote one way or another.

If you approve of the good work that has been done in planning, managing and maintaining the high standard in our schools, then vote for F. D. Wright, J. E. Spencer and Dr. F. E. Clark to return.

W. L. Parmer was one of the Saturday crowd in Cisco. "Grass is looking fine, cattle picking up, and we don't have to burn cactus for feed any longer," he said.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gorham have moved from 906 West Fourteenth street to Apartment 317 Laguna hotel.

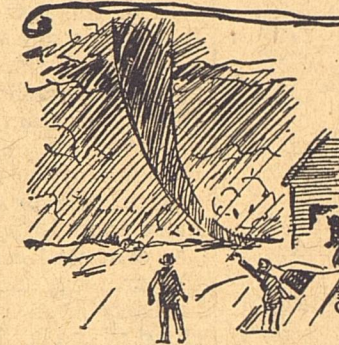
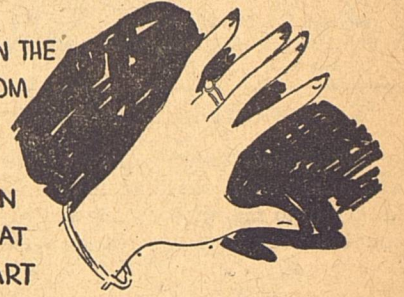
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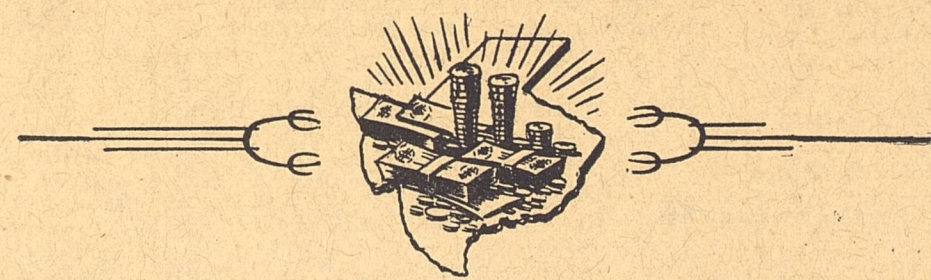
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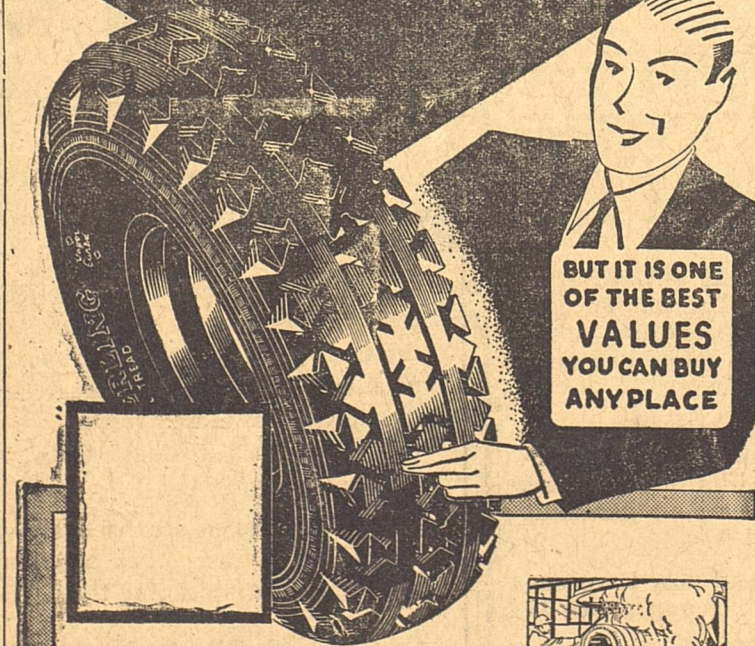
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

But my faithfulness and my mercy shall be with him; and in my name shall his horn be exalted. He shall cry unto me, thou art my father, and my God, and the rock of my salvation.—Ps. 89: 24, 26.

Lo! I am here and nigh,
Saith the Lord God!
Not seen with human eye,
But in the daily, hourly round
of common tasks is my way found.
I know not days or earthborn years
Of mortals bound—
With undimmed sense of endless life,
That knows no darkness, gloom, or strife,
My days appears.

—ELSIE A. KOEFOED.

"I have spent my strength for naught." That is a common expression. There are times in our life when we have all made it. Plans have miscarried. Tasks on which we have spent time and energy have come to nothing. Disappointment, however, may be a useful experience if it forces us to think out the reasons for it, and discover where and why we have failed. We may learn as much from our failures as from our successes.—James Reid, D. D.

THE election is over.

A MAYOR and two commissioners have been chosen by the qualified voters of the city of Cisco. This having been done it is the duty of every citizen and every civic institution to lay personal feelings and prejudices aside and cooperate to the end that there shall be a successful and profitable administration of the municipal affairs. The Citizen-Free Press pledges itself to a cooperative attitude, believing that it can best serve this community by frank attitudes with relation to municipal problems and positive statements on issues, it took a definite stand with regard to the contest. It argued for the return of the Berry administration to office. The voters of Cisco have so willed.

We do not think that those whose interests this paper appeared to oppose have any less respect for this paper for the position it took. On the contrary we know that they are sportsmen, who lose as they win and who are ready, once the people have spoken, to put down the political weapon and join hands with the rest of the citizens in a municipal effort that will accomplish results.

There are many great opportunities before this town. It is within the purview of these opportunities to make this community an outstanding city, in which are combined a great many of the more important elements of living.

A cooperative, determined community advance upon the obstacles that stand in the way of achieving these opportunities will accomplish the results desired.

Let us make 1935 one of the biggest years in the history of Cisco both in the point of results achieved and in the point of a re-awakened community spirit that will not book defeat.

THE settlement of Cisco's bonded debt question progressing to a satisfactory conclusion at this time, the next step in preparing the city for a more healthy economic condition appears to be an effort to clear up the delinquent tax situation. This is a situation that presents as many and varied angles and situations as human nature. It requires a studied and sympathetic treatment, with an eye to realities. It is directly analogous to bad accounts conditions in private business and just as influential upon the public affairs as these conditions influence private business. However, delinquent taxes cannot be treated as private accounts are treated for the simple reason that their accumulation is controlled by conditions, factors and responsibilities that differ in many respects from those that contribute to bad private credit conditions, and these distinctions must be taken into account in any program looking toward the clearing up of such tax arrears. Private accounts, for instance, are more directly controlled by the debtor responsibility, whereas delinquent taxes are more often chargeable to economic conditions over which the tax-payer has no control than to any reasoned intention to profit at the public expense. There are many

Clearing Away Old Taxes

instances, however, in which the motive is actually one of gaining through trades and adjustments, and in such cases the full price should be exacted. Treatment of such cases, as well as of the whole problem, demands common sense and a knowledge of human nature.

BUT the end that ought to be sought is a clearing away of the whole obstruction of delinquent taxes. These taxes, accumulated over a period of several years of depressed economic conditions, are right now a heavy burden upon the efforts of property values to rise. They represent a weight too much for property deals and transfers to carry. There is right now due against Cisco real estate a total delinquent tax of approximately \$350,000. This represents a sort of millstone that can never be lifted in its entirety, and which, while it remains tied about the civic neck, prevents buoyant real estate conditions. At the same time, the money that could be obtained to the city treasury out of this large sum remains frozen with the portion that can never be recovered from the property.

THERE are several instances in which the city could obtain practically a full payment of the debt. This was demonstrated in the recent response to the holiday upon penalty and interest on delinquent taxes allowed by state statute. The city of Cisco obtained during that period many thousands of dollars of old taxes. But where it is patent that a 100 per cent settlement cannot be obtained, the loss ought to be recognized and the percentage that can be recovered should be secured, the cloud removed from the property and the city given the benefit of the funds. Certain legal restrictions must be observed, of course, but it is easy to affect adjustments within the ability and willingness of the property holder to pay. If no more than 10 per cent is available, that ten per cent will certainly do both the city and the property holder more good in the city treasury than it will do wrapped up in a cloud of impossibility over the affected property.

ONCE this heavy obligation of past due taxes is removed, property values here will be measurably freed from a restraint that has operated against that liquid state so essential to sound economic conditions.

THE recent municipal campaign should and has stimulated some effective thought upon local aims and conditions. The influence of opposition is beneficial, and there are few defeated candidates who cannot claim that their presence accomplished some healthful results in the public welfare. The vote which the Cisco electorate gave the present administration was a heartening demonstration of confidence in the current direction of the municipal affairs. It is at the same time, however, a positive mandate that commands more sober reflection than it justifies elation.

THE Citizen-Free Press feels obligated to justify its stand in the recent campaign; and the elected officials should, and doubtlessly do, feel equally obligated to justify the confidence that has been so decisively reposed in them. It is a fortunate omen for the conduct of the program that the community now has under way that a public expression of such near unanimity has been obtained. At least those who have been elected cannot claim, in the event of a failure to accomplish results, that the public was not with them. They certainly must admit that they received enough encouragement from the voters and a sufficient indication of the popular will as to the direction the people want to go.

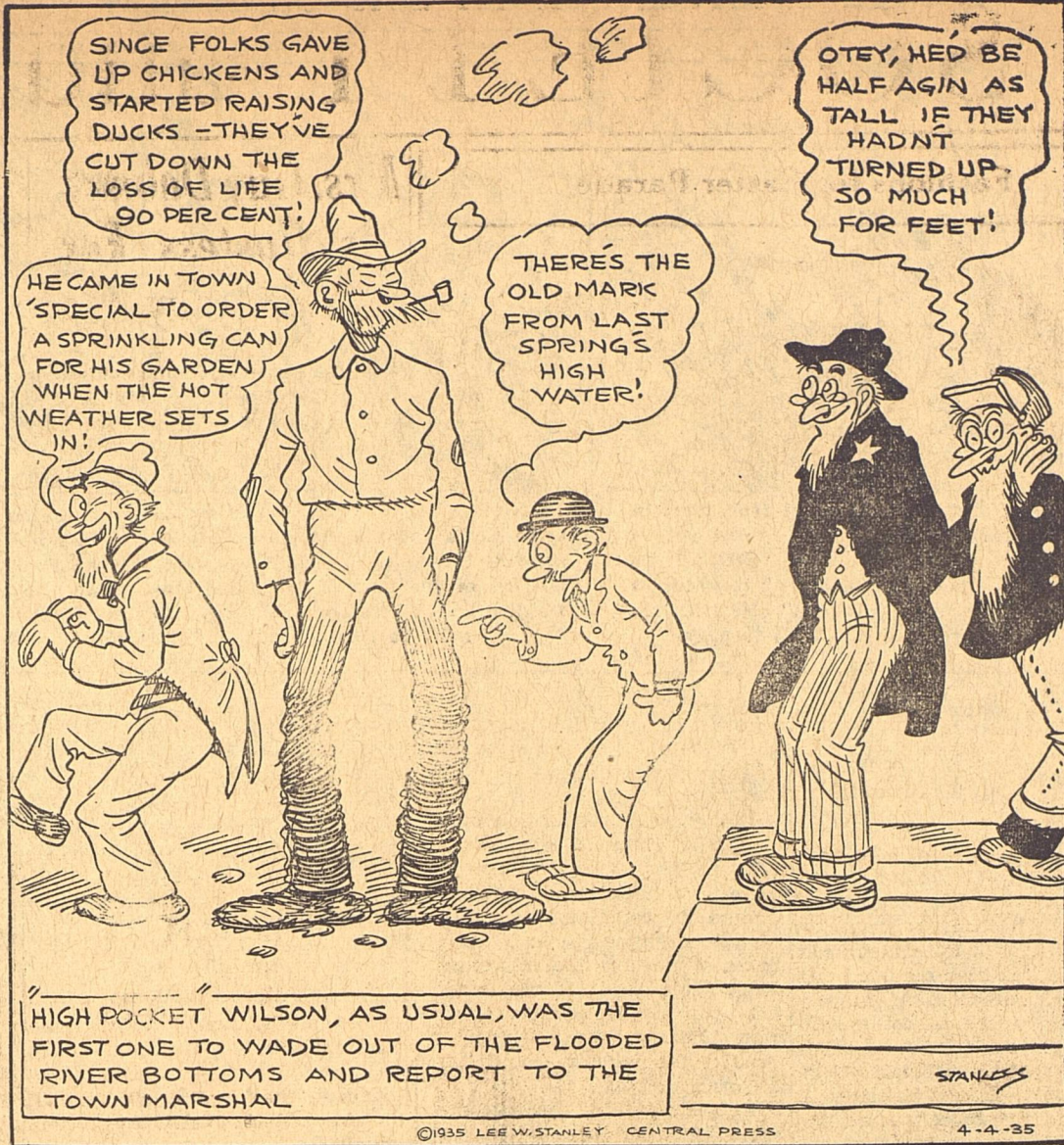
WE are confident that the spirit and intentions of the elected officials is in keeping with the vote. There is a great deal to be done this year and next. There are many opportunities for community growth and advancement that can be utilized. Some of these opportunities by local effort have already been crystallized into projects. Others are being employed in planning. Others are yet to be recognized. To take the best advantage of these opportunities, it is essential that cooperation be developed between the city administration and the various agencies devoted to community well-being and expansion. Now, when so effective an expression of the popular mind has promoted community harmony, paving the way for general action upon the problems confronting this city and section, it is a mighty good time to do some real getting together.

WILL ROGERS is having his share of trouble. Being a public figure, earning ones living by the response of the public, is not a bed of roses by any means. As long as Will humorously victimized senators, the democratic and republican party and other helpless minorities and unintangibles, for the amusement and edification of the masses he got along famously. But when he began to comment on issues, particularly Rooseveltian issues such as the president's campaign on holding companies, he got into warm water. Some of his public felt quite seriously about the things he took lightly. Will made a facetious remark once about holding companies that aptly epitomized what some folks think about this modern corporate device. It didn't exactly fit some other folk's ideas who had investments tied up in these institutions. They wrote him,

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some courteously, some caustically and some uncourteously, but all of them in a tone of aggrieved surprise. Will tried to be democratic in the reply he made, but the reader could detect that the response got under his cowboy skin, as if he couldn't understand why the free expression of his opinion should occasion such sudden displeasure. Lately a fellowtownsman in the shape of a pert little

movie queen, repays her bringing up with the remark that the town of Claremore, Okla., stinks. She incurs the great American frown on ingratitude or disloyalty and hastens to amend the blurt by claiming she meant the water, which she said had a smell. Now Will can't believe what he reads in the newspapers.

Women Candidates-- CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

ilities, and detailed expenditures. **Have More Time**

Since the men members of the board have so little time to give to the details of administration, the women having freer disposal of their time, would be able to take over more direct supervision of such details as sanitary conditions in the buildings, use and abuse of material equipment, and they would offer more stimulation for the higher spiritual and intellectual phase of school work. There have been pitably small

votes in the past due to the fact that there was never sufficient publicity as to the date of the elections. The patrons are fully as anxious for a representative vote Saturday as the board, as they realize an apathetic public is a hindrance to the advancement of a progressive school system.

Since the three men up for reelection have served from 8 to 15 years and have given their services unstintedly at the sacrifice of their private interests and home-life, it is only fair and just that they be relieved of this burden and that it be assumed by someone else.

Mrs. Charles Fleming has returned to her home in El Paso after a two week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Lillian Peoples, at Putnam.

Miss Laura Lu Waring returned Wednesday from Brownwood where her mother, Mrs. J. D. Waring, of Comanche, is a patient in a hospital.

Mrs. Ben Metcalf and Mrs. Clovis Beasley have returned from a visit in Stamford.

W. J. Armstrong and Charles Trammell spent Thursday in Coleman.

Mrs. F. D. Wright and Miss Agnes Bearman are visiting in Austin.

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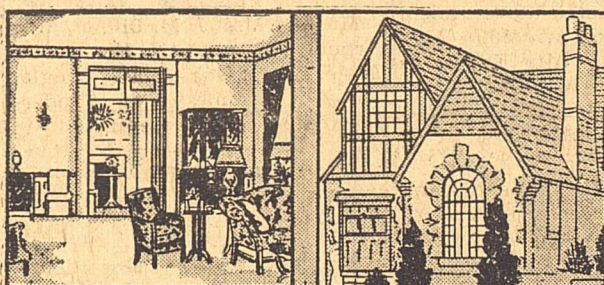
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Six File for County Trustees of Schools

Six candidates have filed for members of the county board of school trustees—two for trustees at large, and two each of the precincts of No. 1 and No. 4.

The western section of Eastland county are supporting Tom J. Poe for county trustee-at-large, and in doing so they believe they are supporting a real school man, one who will be alert to the best interest of education in the county as a whole. Poe is opposed for this place by Dr. Kuykendall, a Ranger man, whom not many know in this part of Eastland county. Mr. Poe has already served most satisfactory as a member of the county board.

Oscar Lyerly and Jim Beard, both of Eastland, have filed as candidates for trustee from Precinct No. 1.

Cisco Precinct No. 4 will have two candidates in the running. They are L. A. White, the incumbent, is being opposed by Mrs. J. R. Burnett, who, as Miss Ulala Howard, filled the office of county school superintendent for several terms.

Crime Costs More Than Education

The total cost of crime has been estimated as high as \$13,000,000 annually, or nearly three times the appropriation for the administration's work-relief bill. Potential criminals now in school number, it is estimated, more than the United States army.

By far the greater part of the huge annual crime bill is spent in the apprehension and trial of criminals, and in housing them in reformatories, jails, and prisons. By way of contrast, the estimated total income for all education from kindergarten through college, public and private, reporting to the United States office of education in 1931-'32, was \$3,083,808,785. As The Literary Digest points out, the penitentiary looms larger than the school.

Louise Trammell
Editor

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Literature of Italy Delphian Club Subject

"Italian Literature" was the subject of the lesson of the Delphian club at the meeting held Monday at the home of Mrs. J. E. Spencer, 510 West Eighth street. Mrs. Spencer was leader and Mrs. W. G. Powell directed the program. Mrs. Spencer's topic was "Modern Italian Literature." Mrs. S. E. Hittson spoke on "Ludovico Ariostic." Mrs. Powell gave a paper on "The Madness of Orlando." and Mrs. Eugene Langford's subject was "The Duel of Rogero and Bradamant." Members present were Mmes. W. G. Powell, Eugene Langford, S. E. Hittson, J. E. Spencer and A. J. Olson.

Council Meets at Church on Tuesday

The Women's Council of the First Christian church met Tuesday afternoon at the church. Mrs. J. F. Benedict presided and Mrs. G. W. Troxell led the devotional. A three-act play "A Japanese Wedding" was presented. Tea was served by the members of the cast dressed in Japanese costumes. Those taking parts in the play were Mrs. H. H. Davis, Mrs. R. V. Logan, Mrs. C. C. Greenhaw, Mrs. H. L. Dyer, Mrs. W. J. Armstrong, Mrs. C. B. Powell, and Misses Dell Frances Miller and Jourdine Armstrong. Mrs. Lonnie Shockley sang a solo entitled "A Japanese Maiden" and the program closed with musical numbers by Miss Betty Mae Davis and Mrs. Troy Powell.

DAN HORN

Farmers are all very busy, but rain would be appreciated.

Several of the Dan Horn people attended the all day singing at Cisco Sunday.

J. D., M. D. and J. W. Speegle, Warren Jessup and J. G. Stuteville had business in Eastland Monday.

S. E. Waters and family of Big Lake are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Waters, here.

Mrs. Len Farris of Cisco and Miss Henderson of Eastland visited in the J. G. Stuteville home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. U. Horn and daughter, Miss Ora May spent Monday night at Cisco.

R. C. Speegle and family of Otham visited his father, J. D. Speegle, here Sunday.

Woodroe Nix had the misfortune of cutting his knee with an ax while cutting wood Monday.

Walter King spent Thursday night with Blyn Stewart at Scranton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boyd of Friendship were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Douglas, Sunday.

Ernest Weed, Dick Avery, Misses Kora and Myrtle Nix spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hull.

Robert Douglas, wife and son, Clyde Younger, spent Sunday night in the Will Erwin home.

Mrs. W. L. Nix and daughter, Merle, visited Mrs. Sam Bisbee Thursday.

Miss Chloe Speegle was shopping in Cisco Monday.

Henry Pittman of Scranton had business in Dan Horn Sunday morning.

Mrs. C. U. Horn and daughter, Miss Ora May, were Tuesday night guests of Mrs. G. Pollard at Reich.

Mrs. J. G. Stuteville and son, John David, visited Mrs. S. G. Beard Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Wisner and son of Colorado, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Maxwell.

Paul McCulloch left Sunday morning for Colorado, Tex.

Sunday school Sunday morning 10 o'clock, Rev. McClain of Cisco will preach at 11.

Singing Sunday afternoon at 2. Everyone invited to come.

Mrs. Joyce Howell of Midland is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney.

Gus Cliett has returned to his home in Hillsboro.

Fashions for Easter Parade



When the traditional Easter parade goes on promenade, styles similar to the smart spring costumes displayed by

Louise Mitchell, left, and Ruth Shaw, right, at a New York style show will be much in prominence.

Mrs. Guy Dabney Is Hostess For Wednesday Club

The Wednesday Bridge club met Wednesday with Mrs. Guy Dabney, 707 I avenue. White iris and lilacs were used to decorate the rooms and green and lavender were used in the bridge talies and refreshments. Four tables were arranged for the players. Mrs. E. L. Graham made high score for the club, Mrs. Ford Hubbard, high for the guests and Miss Mary Jane Butts received the high cut. The guests were Mmes. Charles Brown, J. H. Brice, Yancey McCrear, J. A. Bearman, E. L. Graham, T. F. O'Brien, Charles Trammell, E. P. Crawford, H. S. Drumwright, Will St. John, K. H. Pittard, Geo. P. Fee, F. D. Wright, W. J. Leach, Don Sivalls of Midland, Ford Hubbard, of Houston and Miss Mary Jane Butts.

REICH

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rains spent the day Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morris.

Mrs. Annie Franklin left Thursday for Mineral Wells to visit her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reeves of Albany, and Mrs. L. B. Reeves of Cisco, were visitors in the C. V. Swinson home Sunday.

J. M. Dillion, R. N. Hazlewood and E. L. Callarman were transacting school business in Eastland Monday.

Mrs. F. O. Schaefer visited Mrs. E. L. Callarman Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Durham and children who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Boatman, have returned to Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Rains of Cisco were guests in the F. L. Rains home several days this week.

Mrs. G. W. Horn and Miss Addie Mae Horn visited in the J. M. Boatman home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Callarman and sons, Edward, Roy and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hale, Almus and Geneva Fannin were guests in the Willie Harrell home, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dillion, Miss Brunie Dillion, R. N. Hazlewood, Lester Horn, and Ernest Douglas enjoyed 42 games in the Vanderford home Thursday evening.

A number of people of this community attended singing at Cisco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Oldham, Mrs. H. W. Ham of Cisco, Mrs. C. U. Horn of Ibex, and Miss Orle Mae Horn were visitors in the Vanderford home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sivalls and daughter, Mary Martha, have returned to their home in Midland.

Mrs. Wallace Circle 2 Hostess Tuesday

Circle 2 of the First Presbyterian church met Tuesday with Mrs. W. W. Wallace, Humbletown. In the business meeting the following officers were elected: Chairman, Mrs. W. W. Wallace; first vice-chairman, Mrs. R. Rountree; second vice-chairman, Mrs. R. L. Ponsler; secretary, Mrs. E. P. Crawford; treasurer, Mrs. John La Munyon; evangel, Mrs. Charles Fee. Those present were Mmes. Lynn Faires, E. P. Crawford, H. C. Henderson, Mose Johnson, W. R. Simmons, P. R. Warwick, W. W. Wallace, John La Munyon, Lee Jones, R. Rountree, O. W. Shepherd, and Rosalie Pentecost.

Will Play for State Music Club Program

Mrs. E. L. Graham and daughter, Gloria, will leave Friday for San Angelo, where Gloria will play the violin in Miss Wilda Drago's orchestra during the program Saturday for the 20th annual convention of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs. The convention opened formally Thursday.

A number of famous musicians, including Edward Kane, young American tenor of New York, are to appear on the programs of the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Shelton have returned to their home in Abilene after a visit with Mrs. W. C. Shelton and other relatives.

Circle Meets With Mrs. Caffrey Tuesday

Circle 1 of the First Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Caffrey, Humbletown. Election of officers for next year were elected as follows:

Chairman, Mrs. J. E. Caffrey; vice-chairman, Mrs. G. C. Rosenthal; secretary, Mrs. Leith Morris; treasurer, Mrs. Alex Spears; Bible study, Mrs. J. S. Pearce and Miss Alice Johnson. Members present were Mmes. Frank Bond, Leith Morris, Tableman, J. E. Caffrey, G. C. Rosenthal, J. S. Pearce, J. L. Garrett, Yancey McCrear, A. J. Olson, Lucile Bragg, Elizabeth le-Veaux, John Kleiner, Abbie Daniel and Fred Watson.

Personals

Mrs. Abbie Daniel and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, have taken the Kennon home at 507 West Fifth street, while Mrs. Kennon is absent from Cisco, spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Vina Ross, in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shepard and daughter, Mary Cathryn, have returned from a week-end visit in Austin with J. W. Shepard, who is a student in the University of Texas.

Mrs. H. J. McArdle and Mrs. D. Ball attended the district P.-T. A. in Coleman Thursday.

F. E. Harrell spent Monday in Snyder on business.

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Mrs. Kleiner Holds Garden Club Gavel

The Cisco Garden Club met Monday afternoon in the club rooms with Mrs. John Kleiner presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. C. H. Fee. The club voted to rescind the motion calling for a yard beautification contest. Members present were Mmes. John Kleiner, D. E. Walters, Abbie Daniel, E. C. McClelland, J. A. Jensen, W. F. Bruce, W. H. LaRoque, and F. J. Borman.

W. G. Wender is transacting business in Throckmorton this week.

Mrs. Siddalls Circle Hostess on Tuesday

Circle 3 of the First Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. Y. Siddalls, 910 West Fifth street. Mrs. W. E. Bradshaw led the devotional and plans for next years work were made. Mrs. Siddalls presided at the business meeting and the following officers were elected: Mrs. L. Y. Siddalls, chairman; Mrs. F. D. Pierce, treasurer; Mrs. Blair Clark, secretary; Mrs. Abbie Daniel, prayer band chairman; and Mrs. W. E. Bradshaw, chairman of spiritual life. Refreshments were served to Mmes. R.

B. Carswell, F. W. Watson, F. J. Borman, W. P. Lee, O. H. Phillips, Abbie Daniel, W. E. Bradshaw, L. Blizzard, Homer McDonald, John Kleiner, Blair Clark and the hostess.

Mrs. Ida Kennon left Tuesday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Vina Ross, at Kansas City, Mo. She will probably be absent several months, as she will likely visit another daughter, Mrs. Helen Cox, at Stillman Valley, before she returns. These young women will be remembered as Misses Vina and Helen Gould, who were educated in the Cisco schools.

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March 4th., 1935.

Resources

Loans and Discounts	\$ 249,465.15
Cash and Bonds	735,329.53
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	3,000.00
Banking House	28,706.36
Furniture and Fixtures	10,868.08
Interest Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	1,463.68
Overdrafts	9.61
Total	\$1,029,342.41

Liabilities

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus, Earned	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,117.96
Deposits	925,224.45
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		Blue Work Shirts	35c, 49c
		New Summer Ties, each	49c

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WHEN WORLDS COLLIDE

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SYNOPSIS

David Ransdell, aviator, has been commissioned at Capetown to deliver a consignment of photographic plates to Dr. Cole Hendron, in New York. Tony Drake calls at the Hendrons' apartment. Ransdell arrives and Eve Hendron, with whom Tony is deeply in love, introduces Tony to Ransdell. A statement by Hendron says that Professor Bronson has discovered two planets approaching the earth. The result of the inevitable collision must be the end of this world. The approaching bodies are referred to as Bronson Alpha and Bronson Beta. To devise means of transferring to Bronson Beta is occupying the minds of the members of the League of the Lost Days. Eve outlines to Tony the idea of the Space Ship, which Hendron has in contemplation. Tony rounds up suitable men and women to build the ship. Hendron has not been able to find a metal which will withstand the heat and pressure of atomic energy to be used in propelling the Space Ship. The island sweep to the Appalachians on the east and to the mountains on the Pacific side, and quakes change the entire surface of the earth. The Hendron settlement where the Space Ship is being built, survives the earthquakes. Bronson Alpha collides with the moon and wipes it out.

CHAPTER VII—Continued

"That's fine," Tony said. At the power house a voice hailed him.

"You're just in time, Mr. Drake. What for?"

"Come in." Tony entered the power house. The man conducted him to a walled panel and pointed to a switch. "Pull her down."

Tony pulled. At once all over the cantonment obscurity was annihilated by the radiance of countless electric lights. The electrician who had summoned Tony grinned. "We're using a little emergency engine, and only about a quarter of the lights of the lines are operating. That's all we've had time to put in order, but it's better than this d—n gloom."

Tony's hand came down firmly on the man's shoulder. "It's marvelous. You boys work in shifts now. All of you need sleep."

The electrician nodded. "We will. Some of the big shots are inside. Shall I tell them to come out to see you?"

An idea suddenly struck Tony. "Look here. Why shouldn't I go and see them if I want to? Why is it you expect them to come out and see me?"

"You're the boss, aren't you?"

"What makes you think I'm the boss?"

The man looked at him quizzically. "Why, it said so in the instruction book we got when we were all sent here. Everybody got a copy. It said you were second in command in any emergency to Mr. Hendron."

"This is an emergency, isn't it?"

Tony conquered his surprise. He dashed through his mind that Hendron was training him to be in command of those who stayed behind and launched the Space Ship. He was conscious of a naive pride at his indication of the great scientist's confidence in him. "I won't bother the men here," he said. "Just so long as we get as many lights as possible, as fast as possible."

Next Tony went to the kitchen. Fires were going in two stoves; more coffee was ready, the supply of sandwiches had overtaken the demand, and kettles of soup augmented it. Taylor was still in charge, and he made his report as soon as he saw Tony.

"The big storehouses are half underground, as you probably know, and I don't think the food in them has been hurt much, although it has been shaken up. There's apparently a large herd of live stock and a

lot of poultry about a quarter of a mile in the woods. I've sent men there to take charge. They're putting up barbed-wire for the time being. The water and mud spoiled whatever they got into, but most of the stuff was in big containers. The main that carried the water from the reservoir is smashed, and I guess the water in the reservoir isn't any good anyway. I'm boiling all that I use, but somebody has just got the bright idea of using the fire apparatus and hose from some of those young lakes."

"You've done d—d well, Taylor," Tony said. "Do you think you can carry on for a few hours more?"

"Sure. I'm good for a week of this."

When Tony went outdoors again, it was four o'clock, though he had no means of knowing the time. Once again he noticed that the air was cooler.

For the moment, calm had come. The Bronson Bodies not only had passed and withdrawn toward the sun, but they shone no longer in the night sky. If atmospheric conditions permitted, they would be visible dimly by day; but only by day.

The night came on clear—clear and almost calm. The mists had settled, and the clouds moved away. Dust and gases hung in the air; still the stars showed.

The moon, too, should be shining, Tony thought. Tonight there should be a full moon; but only stars were in the sky. Had he reckoned wrong?

He was standing alone, looking up, when some one stopped beside him.

"What is it, Tony?" Hendron said.

"Where's the moon tonight?"

"Where—that's it: where?—exactly what we'd like to know—exactly what happened. We had to miss it, you see; probably nowhere in the world were conditions that permitted observation when the collision occurred; and what a thing to see!"

"The collision!" said Tony.

"When Bronson Alpha took out the moon! I thought you knew it was going to happen, Tony. I thought I told you."

"Bronson Alpha took out the moon! . . . You told me that it would take out the world when we met it next on the other side of the sun; but you didn't mention the moon!"

"Didn't I? I meant to. It was minor, of course; but I'd have given much to have been able to see it."

Tony was silent. Strange to stare into a sky into which never again the moon would rise!

"However," said Hendron, "when the world encounters Bronson Alpha, we'll see that, I hope—from space, if we succeed with our ship—from space on our way to Bronson Beta. What a show that will be, Tony, from space with no clouds to cut it off! And then landing on that other world, whose cities we have seen!"

"Yes," said Tony.

Through the darkness of that moon-less night, Tony continued to work. He mustered new gangs for the dreary tasks of salvage, and of rehabilitating and reconstructing the shelters.

When light began again to filter through the darkly streaming heavens, Hendron re-awoke. He found Tony drunk with fatigue, carrying on by sheer effort of will, and refusing to rest.

Hendron called some of the men who had been taking Tony's commands and had him carried bodily to bed. . . .

Tony opened his eyes. One by one he collected all the disjointed memories of the past days. He perceived that he was lying on a couch

in Hendron's offices in the best end of the machine shop and laboratory building. A slight noise in one corner of the room attracted his attention. A man sat there at a desk quietly scribbling, a tall, very thin man, with dark curly hair and long lashed blue eyes. His age might have been thirty-five—or fifty. He had a remarkably high forehead and slim, tactile hands. He smiled at Tony, and spoke with a trace of accent.

"Good morning, Mr. Drake. It is not necessary to ask if you slept well."

Tony swung his feet to the floor. "Yes, I think I did sleep well. We haven't met, have we?"

The other man shook his head. "No we haven't; but I've heard about you. I am Sven Bronson."

"Good Lord!" Tony walked across the room and held out his hand. "I'm surely delighted to meet the man who—" he hesitated.

The Scandinavian smiled. "You were going to say, 'the man responsible for all this.'"

Tony chuckled, shook Bronson's hand, and then looked down at the bedraggled garments which only partially covered him. "I've got to find some clothes and get shaved."

"It's all been prepared," Bronson said. "In the private office there's a bath of sorts ready for you, and some clean clothes, and a razor."

"Somebody has taken terribly good care of me," Tony said. He yawned and stretched. "I feel fine."

At the door he hesitated. "What's the news by the way? How are things? How is everybody?"

Bronson tapped his desk with his pencil. "Everybody is doing nicely. There are only a dozen people left in the hospital now. Your friend Taylor has the commissary completely rehabilitated. The radio station has been functioning again."

"Good Lord!" Tony exclaimed. "I forgot all about the radio station last night—what day is this?"

"This is the twenty-ninth," Tony realized that he had been asleep for twenty-four hours. "The man in the wireless division went to work on the station immediately. Anyway, not much has come in, though we picked up a station in New Mexico, and a very feeble station somewhere in Ohio. The New Mexico station reports some sort of extraordinary phenomena, together with a violent eruption of a volcanic nature in their district; the one in Ohio merely appealed steadily for help."

"Only two stations in all this country?" Tony said.

"The static is so tremendous still that it's impossible to hear anything from any foreign country; and doubtless other stations are working, which we will pick up later, as well as many which will be reconditioned in the future; but so far, we have received only two calls."

After having bathed, shaved and dressed in his own clothes, which had been brought from his quarters in the partly demolished men's dormitory, Tony went to the laboratories and found Hendron.

"By George, you look fit, Tony," were Hendron's first words. "Eve is impatiently waiting for you. She's at the dining hall."

Tony found Eve cheerful and bright-eyed. She went out on the long veranda with him.

"I heard you were safe, Eve," Tony said, "and then when I could hear no more I supposed you were safe. You had to be safe."

"Why, Tony?"

"If anything was to keep any meaning for me," he stared at her, himself amazed at what he said. "The moon's gone, I suppose you know!"

"Yes. It was known that it would go."

"And we—the world goes like the moon, with the return of Bronson Alpha?"

"That's still true, Tony," she said, standing before him, and gazing at he did.

He gestured about. "They all know that now?"

"Yes," she said. "They've heard it."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Europe Tense as Germany Moves to Increase Army



Europe tensely awaited the next move in the game of international politics and competitive militarism following Germany's action in ordering compulsory military service.

Ominous comparisons with days preceding the World war were drawn as Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary; Premier Pierre Flandin, of France, and Mussolini, of

Italy, took under consideration the issues raised by Germany's rejection of the Versailles treaty and its denunciation by Adolf Hitler, Nazi dictator.

ARTISTIC ACCESSORIES ADD CHARM TO HOME

By ELEANOR ROSS

A SURVEY of the shops and showrooms reveals many new and lovely things that you might give to yourself or to your home, which to many women is the same thing.

Beautiful, artistic accessories and appointments are so reasonably priced that it isn't difficult to add some new object to the living room, dining room, porch or kitchen.

Take tables, for instance. What home ever has too many tables? And how many of us sigh for a really good-looking card table that doesn't have to go back to the closet when the evening session of bridge is over? Well, there's no need to sigh now.

A clever manufacturer is offering the last word in card tables. When it isn't the battleground for bridge it is a handsome screen. And to open it there's none of those wild battles with recalcitrant card leg tables. One simply tips it up and there it is.

Top of White Leather

And now comes the surprise. The top is of white, washable leather, quite the most lovely card table or screen we have glimpsed. It is nice with initials in gold, red or blue, and fits into any room. It comes from Hollywood, which is reason enough for its beauty.

Speaking as we are of white leather, we might as well mention the most beautiful desk set of the season. It is done on rather modernistic lines in a deep lapis lazuli blue.

with here and there a tiny Chinese motif in pure white. We can't think of a desk that wouldn't be all the better for such an addition.

If you are planning a room for your men folk, then consider the charms of some new duck pictures. The ducks are made of wood in natural colors, backed by wood and framed in wood, just the thing to delight the heart of any man. One woman plans to put a frieze of them around her son's room.

Now let's get into the kitchen. If you take pride in your culinary achievements and want to do the right thing by yourself, your family and your kitchen, then consider the virtues of some grand big roasting pans made of heavy polished copper and lined with block tin. After you've eaten food cooked in these pans, you'll be glad you bought them even if they are a little more expensive than the usual baking vessels.

New Juice Extractor

Then there's a grand new juice extractor, something like a coffee mill in operation, for to operate it you grasp the handle and grind. The juice cascades out into the measuring pitcher that comes with the extractor, a boon for drink mixers.

Breakfast for two in the dining alcove or even in the kitchen can be a grand meal, especially if it is served in its own little breakfast set for two. One lovely little set with its egg cups and covered toast dish is of tango red and silver on white.

Bids Opened Upon Erosion Equipment

AUSTIN. — Texas Relief commission's purchasing department has opened bids on farm levels, terracing plows, drag scrapers, crescoes and terracing machines to be used in the soil erosion control program to be undertaken by the rural department of the commission.

Bids were submitted on the basis of a minimum quality of 200 farm levels, 200 terracing plows, 100 drag scrapers, and 50 terracing machines.

W. M. Burkes, in charge of the

program, said this equipment will be sent to counties as requests are received from conservation assistants.

Seven conservation assistants already have been assigned to Harrison, Cass, Lamar, Grayson, Hockley, Fannin, and Randall counties. Terracing lines have been run and actual construction of terraces has been started.

Later, water conservation will be undertaken in some counties of the state. It will include the building of dams to form small ponds and lakes. The program also embraces construction of trench silos for storage and conservation of feed crops.

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Mineral Wells Gets Small State Park

MINERAL WELLS. — Mineral Wells now has one of the most beautiful small state parks in Texas, Milling State park, located just north of the city limits bordering on State Highway No. 66.

It was made possible by a contribution of land and money by Dr. H. H. Milling of Mineral Wells. Twenty-five local citizens made up the remainder of the needed purchase fund for the 75 acres.

Improvements were started by a CCC camp brought here in 1933 and were completed last January by a second CCC camp that had moved to Mineral Wells for a six-month period.

Numerous camp units consisting of furnaces and picnic tables are located throughout the park, all made of beautifully arranged native stone. Trees were preserved, but trimmed for the best growth.

There is a native stone cabin for the keeper and a windmill and water tower for a continuous water supply at the keeper's cottage, which also is a concession house for cold drinks, foods or other services.

A small creek meanders through the park site and a dam at the west side of the site forms a small lake. Tall pecan trees and many other native trees found in

this section of Texas, grow throughout the park.

Visitors may enter the park from Northwest Fourth avenue, then may follow a winding gravel drive through the grounds, between rolling hills and over a beautiful arch native stone bridge, thence out of the park on Highway No. 66 on the east.

Citizen-Free Press Now Real Newspaper

T. L. Lasater, one of the prominent farmers of the Nimrod community, was a caller at the Citizen-Free Press Wednesday, and was loud in his praise of the home newspaper as a paper for the people. He said:

"I see that the Citizen-Free Press is moving forward, and its determined and positive stand on matters that affect the public interest is getting results. It is refreshing, as well as a hopeful sign, to see our county papers coming out in a flat-footed and straight-forward manner on all issues where the interest of the people are involved. Even if I do not agree with their position, I like a free and frank expression.

"Then, too, if a newspaper is conscientious, and honest in the expressions of its opinions, and fights fearlessly for that which it believes is for the best interest of the whole people, sooner or later that opinion will win out."

DOTHAN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pippen and family made a business trip to Clyde Sunday.

Bonnie Wayne Donaway spent Thursday night with Glenna Pippen.

Miss Charlie White is spending a week with Mrs. Zearl Short.

Misses Oleta and Bonnie Wayne Donaway spent Sunday with Enojane Hazelwood.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coats are confined to their home with whooping cough.

Miss Louie Nell Surles spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Surles.

The condition of Doris Donaway is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Irwin Pippen and Mrs. Clarence Pippen spent Monday with Mrs. J. L. Pippen.

Doris Coleman is improving. She has had chicken pox.

Mrs. Silas George, of Sweetwater, mother of Mrs. Leon Maner, who underwent a major operation at the Graham sanitarium Tuesday morning is reported to be getting along satisfactorily.

Mrs. Will St. John and Mrs. E. A. Butler spent Monday in Abilene.

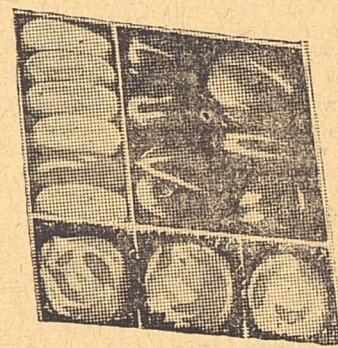
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hittson spent Tuesday in Fort Worth.

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Guy Dabney is spending this week at his ranch near Sweetwater.

S. N. Poe has returned to Pampa after a visit with his son, Bobbie Poe, who makes his home with his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

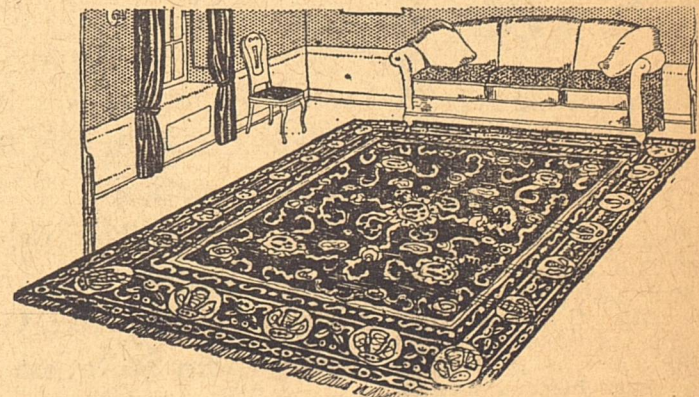
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Rehabilitation of Rural Families Gaining Ground

AUSTIN. — Rehabilitation of indigent rural families is gaining ground rapidly, according to a compilation of reports of rural home supervisors prepared last week by Mrs. Laura Neale Love, director of home rehabilitation in the rural department of the Texas Relief Commission.

"Reports of rural home supervisors show evidence of activity and progress in all phases of our program," said Mrs. Love in pointing out particular instances of the work being done in behalf of rehabilitation clients.

"The rural home supervisor in Williamson county says that her clients will grow enough pop corn for home use, and she is making her Mexican clients happy by arranging for them to have garlic in their gardens. Sage and dill also will be grown.

"The rural home supervisor in Hood and Somervell counties reports one client having put out grape cuttings, peach trees, plum trees, fig trees, and blackberry bushes. Other clients have baby chicks and setting hens. Quilt piecing as a leisure time occupation indicates that her goal for bed covering will be attained."

A typical report of the aid being given clients comes from Mrs. Paula Long, rural home supervisor in Comal and Guadalupe counties in describing her first visit to a family after they had been moved into their newly renovated home. "The family looked happier and cleaner, especially the wife, who even apologized for not having a clean house dress on," she said. She showed the housewife how to make a cheap paste with soap and lye for cleaning the walls, how to make a garden pest eradicator from kerosene and laundry soap, means of improvising household utensils, how to run the household on a sound economic budget.

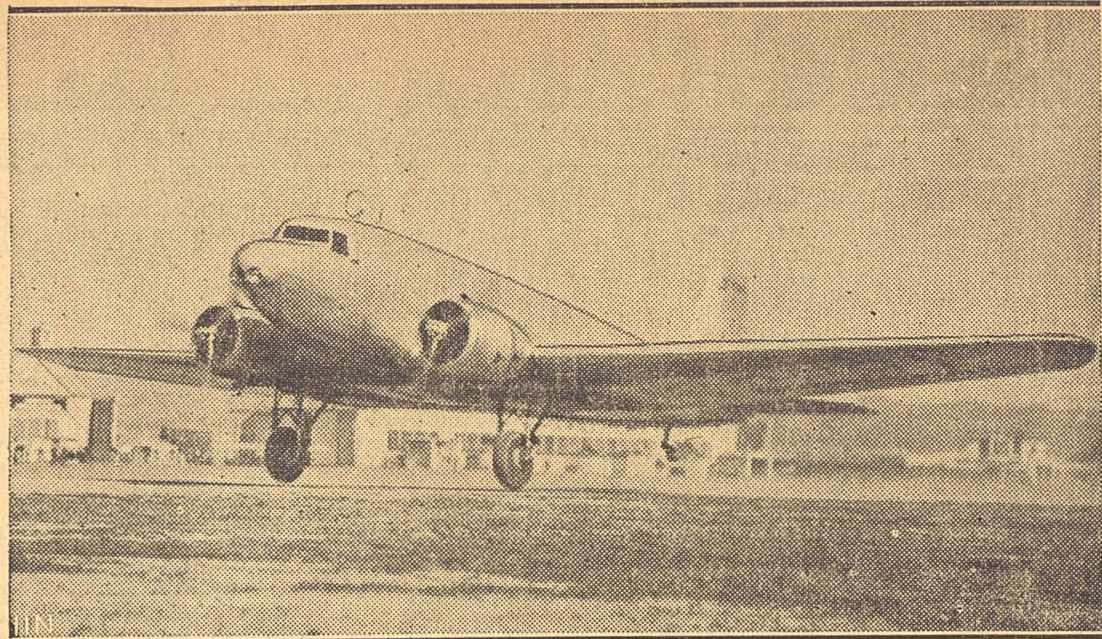
Home Improved
Another supervisor, Mrs. Estelle Trew in Cooke county, found after her third visit to a family that the client had spent much of his time grading a long driveway as an approach to his yard. He built a fence around the yard, leveled it and planted the corners with shrubs. She found the walk lined with jonquils. More jonquils were in the kitchen window, and a bucket of wandering jew hung on the porch. A crude desk had been transformed into a kitchen cabinet, and a cupboard built with apple boxes. As evidence of the resourcefulness of the housewife, Mrs. Trew said that "Mrs. C, whose whole wheat flour supply was exhausted, sifted cow feed because she was going to have company and wanted to serve whole wheat bread."

Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, Miss Madeline Shepherd, Mrs. Ford Hubbard and son, Fordie, of Houston are spending a few days in Cisco.

Ike Killough, of Eastland was a visitor in Cisco Monday and Tuesday.

C. B. Poe, of Carbon has returned from a visit with his daughter in Fort Worth and is now visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

As Robot Plane Took Off on Mysterious Test Flight



The mysterious robot plane, property of the U. S. government, is pictured taking off from Oakland, Cal., on a test

flight over the Pacific ocean. The ship, flying blind, carried a crew of four men. The test

flights are to determine the true value of the radio compass in transoceanic flights.

The Rural Housewife

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Monday 8
All day meeting with Elm Home Demonstration club in club house. Foundation patterns.
Tuesday 9
A. M.—Colony 4-H club.
1 p. m.—Romney 4-H club.
2:30—Peak Home Demonstration club.

Wednesday
A. M.—Flatwood 4-H club.
P. M.—County Home Demonstration Council in County Court Room, Eastland.

Thursday
A. M.—Olden 4-H club.
P. M.—Morton Valley Home Demonstration club.

Friday
A. M.—Office.
P. M.—Sabanno Home Demonstration club.

Saturday
Office.

ACCURATE MEASUREMENTS

"Be sure you have accurate measurements and follow carefully the directions on the chart, thus getting a correct pattern and avoid problems in fitting," advised Mrs. Calvin Swan, wardrobe cooper of the Bass Lake Home Demonstration club. The well fitted foundation pattern is similar to a tailor made dress and should be comfortable to the wearer in every way and for every purpose.

TENDER STEAK IS THE RULE at SAVOY CAFE
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NIMROD

April 1st was celebrated by the school children with a picnic. The party left the school house at 9 o'clock, some in cars and some walking, and met in Mr. Stansell's pasture for the picnic. An enjoyable time was spent playing

games and soft ball. At noon a delicious dinner was spread. The party broke up about 3:30 after having a wonderful time. Those attending besides the teacher, Miss Elsie Sharp, and the school children, were Mmes. Flora Allen, Leona Golena, Zola Mae Chandler, Lottie Broun, Mammie Westerman, Lucille Harrelson, Agnes Sullivan, Wordna Stansell and Vernie Allen.

Several from here attended singing at Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharp and children of Dan Horn spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Maggie Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Townsend and Cleatus Munn spent Sunday in Abilene visiting Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bell and children.

The Busy Bee Home Demonstration club met in called session last Wednesday. The club re-organized and elected the following officers: Mrs. Ola Boles, president; Mrs. Mae Lasiter, vice president, and Mrs. Lucille Harrelson, secretary. We will meet the second and fourth Thursday afternoons in each month. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McBeth and Miss Vera McBeth were guests of Miss Elsie Sharp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen and children visited her sister near Eastland Wednesday.

League Suggests State Force of Police for Texas

AUSTIN. — A state police force for Texas is advocated and recommendations for its establishment are embodied in an article on this subject in the current issue of Texas Municipalities, organ of the League of Texas Municipalities. The article is written by Paul E. Fidler of the staff of the University of Texas Bureau of Municipal Research.

Mr. Fidler proposed a number of recommendations embodying what he believes are the best principles for the establishment of a department of state police, as follows:

"The governor should have the power to choose the department head, who should be responsible to the governor only. The department should be headed by one man, not a commission. Specific qualifications and tenure of office designed to attract only well-trained men for the position of executive should be set up. Residence qualifications for high ranking department officers and employees should be eliminated. Full responsibility for the organization and operation of the department—within the limits of the principles set by law—should rest upon the executive head. The existing law enforcement agencies should be combined into a single force, to the extent that this is at all possible. Members of the force should have the power to enforce the laws of any bureau within the department.

"The administration of the personnel of the department should be entirely in the hands of the department head. The law should be general in its provisions for the training of recruits, the probationary period, the men to be trained, the examinations to be given, the size of the force, and the manner of organizing the force. The department head, because of his expert knowledge of these matters, should be given a free reign in the solution of his personal problems.

"The bureau of fish and game should be under the department, and the state fire marshal's division should be a part of the department. The section relating to the creation of a bureau of criminal identification should be expanded. In neither of the bills now pending in the Texas legislature are the provisions adequate

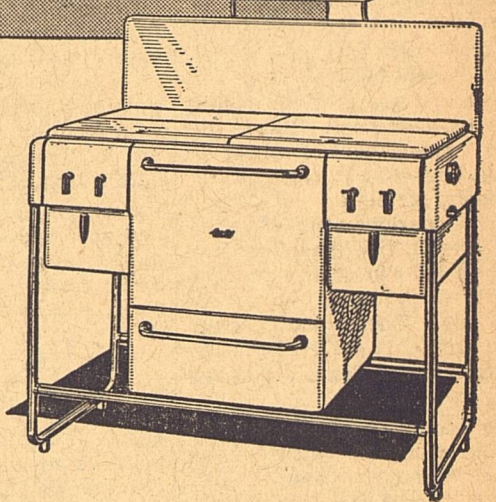
to the creation of an efficient bureau. Jurisdiction over the sale of firearms should be among the functions of the bureau."

Mr. and Mrs. Rosell Daniel have returned from a trip to San Antonio.

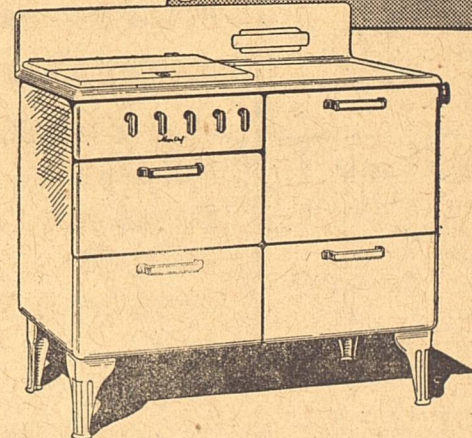
Mrs. A. C. Green left Tuesday for a visit with her niece, Mrs. Edward S. Collins, in Dallas. She will also see the picture, "Mary Queen of Scotland."

Mr. and Mrs. Henson Williamson have gone to Temple.

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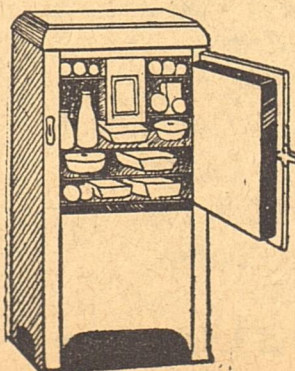
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Mrs. Burnett Asks Votes for County School Trustee

The following statement with reference to her candidacy for county school trustee from Precinct No. 4 of Eastland county, was issued this week by Mrs. Ulala Howard Burnett:

During the past few weeks several patrons from different sections of our Precinct No. 4 have called to see me and requested that they be allowed to place my name on the official ballot for county school trustee to be voted on next Saturday.

After some deliberation I consented for this to be done. Having thus entered the race for county school trustee, I believe an explanation is due the voters concerning my reasons for seeking their vote and support.

The law states that the county school trustees shall have the general management of school affairs in the county, classification of schools, formation of school districts, consideration of questions pertaining to school subjects and shall aid the county superintendent in making apportionments, etc. Their qualifications, quoted from Art. 2677 of the Revised Statutes of Texas are as follows:

"The county school trustees shall be qualified voters of the county or precinct from which they are elected and four of them shall reside in different commissioner's precincts. They shall be of good, moral character, able to read and speak the English language, shall be persons of good education and shall be in sympathy with the public, free schools."

Now, I have served three terms as county superintendent of Eastland county, retiring of my own volition without defeat. During this entire time, I served as secretary of the county school board. I know the importance and value of this work, and am perfectly familiar with its operations and plans of procedure. If elected to this office, I shall do my utmost to give all the schools of Eastland county real service, in cooperation with the other members of the board. I shall appreciate your support and influence.

Very respectfully,
(Mrs.) Ulala Howard Burnett.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Woods and Mrs. Wood's mother, Mrs. W. S. Harlan, of Bartlett have returned from a visit in Woodson.

W. O. W. Camp

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Ft. Worth Livestock

FORT WORTH, April 4.—Cattle and calves on the Fort Worth market Thursday sold at about the price levels of previous days this week. Receipts were mostly lacking in quality. Trading was quiet. Hogs held Wednesday's levels with a top of \$8.40 paid by packer buyers for best truck butchers. A moderately liberal supply of sheep and lambs attracted no early trading but salesmen were talking unchanged bids.

Receipts were 1,100 cattle, of which 120 were direct; 500 calves, 1,100 hogs, of which 390 were billed direct, and 1,600 sheep and lambs.

No sales of steers were reported at 11 o'clock. A few light weight bulls sold at \$3 to \$3.50 while some heavies drew bids around \$4.

Good fat cows sold at \$5.25 to \$6, the latter price buying a part load of fairly good animals. Butcher cows brought \$4 to \$4.75 and canners and cutters \$2.25 to \$3.50 with load lots at \$2.75 and \$3. All the loadlots of cows were from South Texas.

Packages of medium to good and good fed yearlings sold at \$8 to \$9 with medium grades at \$6 to \$7.75; plain yearlings at \$4.50 to \$5.50, and common butcher yearlings at \$3 to \$4.25.

Small lots of good fat calves sold at \$6.75 to \$7.75 with a few odd calves at \$8. Medium grade calves brought \$5.75 to \$6.50; plain calves \$4.50 to \$5.50, and common and cull calves at \$3 to \$4.25.

No stocker trading was reported.

Hogs held unchanged values at a top of \$8.40 on best truck butchers. No rail hogs were offered during the morning. Packing

sows were bought at \$7.75 and down.

The fairly large supply in the sheep yards attracted little early bidding. Unchanged values were talked by buyers.

Test Drive Result Is Gratifying to Driver and Nance

Statistics on the 100-hour road test of the 1935 Ford V-8 made last week by Test Driver P. I. Sinner, revealed that the car was in motion for a total of 74 of the 100 hours. The remaining 26 hours were spent with the car parked, the motor running. This 26 hours was consumed in brief stops with dealers and in demonstrations. Not once during the entire 100 hours was the motor stopped, while Mr. Sinner was handcuffed to the wheel, unable to leave the machine. He was allowed to stop the car for only a few minutes at a time.

The machine, a V-8 Tudor sedan, was driven at an average rate of 42 miles an hour. Total distance travelled was 3,082 miles, total gasoline consumed was 167 1/4 gallons and total oil two quarts. Five quarts was placed in the empty crankcase at the start of the drive and the opening sealed so that no more could be added. When drained for measurement before the judges at the conclusion of the gruelling drive, only free-running oil was removed.

Humble Products

Humble Uniflo oil and Humble gasoline were used.

An average of 18.77 miles per gallon was obtained on the run.

So much interest was occasioned by the test that a total of 2,080 persons registered for the drive. Mr. Sinner declared it was one

of the most successful tests that he has ever made.

Both he and Mrs. Sinner were loud in their praise of Cisco as a friendly community. "It is the first time we have been in a town in Texas we really hate to leave," said Mr. Sinner.

S. H. Nance, president of Nance Motor company, was elated over the test. Both he and Mr. Sinner expressed thanks for the consideration extended the driver. People driving cars on the highway uniformly showed him every courtesy, said Mr. Sinner, dimming lights at night and allowing him plenty of room for passing.

Local Produce Markets

Local produce markets in Cisco Thursday were paying:

GRAINS	
Oats, bushel	55c
Wheat, bushel	90c
Barley, bushel	72c
Hay	45c
Selling—	
Cottonseed meal	\$2.25
Meal and hulls	\$1.50
Bran	\$1.65
TURKEYS	
No. ones, hens	13c
No. twos,	7c
Toms	9c
CHICKENS	
Heavy hens	12c
Light hens	10c
Roosters	5c
Eggs	18c
Cream	26c

Thornton Mill Plans Farmers Board of Trade

For the reason there has been no public place in Cisco where the farmers in this section could list their produce, or other things they desire to sell, exchange or purchase—rural friends and patrons have suffered probably much loss, and the business people considerable trade. From time to time this matter has been discussed, but until the present, nothing has materialized. Several suggestions have been made to establish a public market place, but some objections have been registered against each of these projects.

The Thornton Feed Mill seems to have solved the market problem. J. F. Thornton has announced that a place of this character will soon be open for the transaction of business by the farmers in this trade territory. It is the plan of the Thornton Feed Mill to reserve space at the mill for what is termed a Farmers Board of Trade, a place where the farmers may congregate, bring their surplus produce, or list it for sale or exchange, and list the things they may wish to buy. A large blackboard will be erected, where produce for sale or wanted will be listed. Thornton will keep a record of these listings, and if no trade is made while the buyer or seller are in town the mill officials

will endeavor to find a buyer or seller at some future day, and when done the buyer or seller, or both, will be notified. It is thought this means will prove beneficial to those who have surplus produce, or other articles, to bring buyer and seller together.

ALL DAY SING ENJOYED

An all-day sing session, at the East Cisco Methodist church, was enjoyed last Sunday. A large number of people were present and enjoyed the day. Luncheon was served at the noon hour.

CROPS LOOK GOOD

Crops out in the Lutheran community are looking good, according to Henry Stroebel, who was called at the Citizen-Free Press recently. Mr. Stroebel is advertising for goats to buy or pasture. Speaking of the crops he said, "there was plenty of moisture, and corn was coming up to a good stand. All over the sandy land there is plenty of moisture, he told the Citizen-Free Press.

R. N. Hazel wood was in Cisco Saturday from the Dan Horn community.

Here Are Some Everyday Prices for Cash!

LITTLE NAVY BEANS, 4 Pounds	25c
LITTLE LIMA BEANS, 3 Pounds	20c
LARGE LIMA BEANS, 3 Pounds	27c
GREAT NORTHERN BEANS, 3 Pounds	23c
PINTO BEANS, 3 Pounds	27c

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Winesaps, dozen	19c
GRAPEFRUIT, Texas Sweets	4c
LEMONS, Sunkist, Good and Juicy, dozen	14c
STRAWBERRIES Box	11c
LETTUCE, Fresh and Crisp	4c
BEANS, Fresh Green Beans, lb.	9c
SPUDS--- 10 Pounds	15c
SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lb. Cloth Bag	50c
CRACKERS, 1 Pound Saltines	16c
RAISINS, Seedless, 2 lb., 17c; 4 pounds	33c
SALMON, Tall Can	11c
SOAP, Palm Olive, 3 Bars	14c
COFFEE---Maxwell House, 3 lbs., 85c; 1 pound	29c
CATSUP, Large Bottle	12c
COCOA, 1 lb. Mother's, 11c; 2 Pounds	18c
PEACHES, Large Can, Fancy Table Peaches in heavy syrup	16c
PINEAPPLE---Fancy Grade, Sliced or Grated, 3 Cans	25c

Market Specials

Beef Roast, Rib or Brisket, Pound, 14c; Flesh, lb.	17c
BACON SQUARES, Sugar Cured, pound	22c
CHEESE--- Wisconsin Cream Cheese, lb.	23c
BUTTER, Banner Sweet Cream, lb.	35c
Oleo Margarine, Fresh, pound	19c

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Fresh STRAWBERRIES Pint Baskets, 2 for	25c
BANANAS, Pound	5c
Plee-Zing PEACHES No. 2 1/2 Can	18c
Royal Anne CHERRIES No. 2 Can	18c
Campbell's Pork and Beans Can	5c
SUGAR 10 Pound Bag (Limited)	50c
HOMINY, 3 Cans No. 2 1/2 Can	25c
GREEN BEANS 3 Cans	25c
PEAS, No. 2 Cans 3 Cans	25c
SPUDS 10 Pounds	17c
A-1 CRACKERS 2 Pound Box	18c
SARDINES, Large Can Mustard or Tomato	10c
KRAUT, No. 2 Can 3 for	25c
Table PEACHES No. 1 Can, Can	10c
DRIED APPLES Pound	15c
Shredded COCOANUT, Pound	18c
PINEAPPLE, No. 1 Can 3 Cans	25c
RIB ROAST, Pound	10c
Chuck or Seven ROAST, Pound	14c

Paul Poe Specials

BANANAS--- Dozen	15c
APPLES, Winesap, dozen	15c
LEMONS, Dozen	15c
GRAPEFRUIT--- Dozen	20c
FLOUR, Famous, Money-Back Guarantee	\$1.85
FLOUR, Good Quality	\$1.65
MEAL, 20 pound bag	56c
COFFEE, (Bulk) 2 Pounds	25c
MUSTARD, Quart size	15c
Pure Ribbon Cane SYRUP, gallon	65c
HONEY, Half Gallon	65c

MARKET SPECIALS

SAUSAGE--- Pure Country, Pork, Pound	20c
STEAK, Best Kind, Pound	23c
BUTTER--- Fresh Country	28c

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SPUDS, 10 Pounds	19c
COFFEE, McClelland's Breakfast Delight, 1 Pound	23c
POST TOASTIES, large size	10c
PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 Can	16c
PEARS, No. 2 1/2 Can	19c
ROLLED OATS, 5 Pounds	28c
LIPTON'S TEA, Yellow Label Orange Pekoe, 1/4 Pound	23c
HERSHEY'S COCOA, 1 lb.	14c
Sally Ann Meal, Cream, 20 Pounds	65c
Toilet Paper, Old Irish Linen	5c

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