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Cisco Youth Elected C. E. District President

Through the Editor's Spectacles
By GEORGE

Add to your list of embarrassing moments a good case of itching back with nothing on a crowded street to back up to. Wyatt Jacobs, seized with inspiration, suggests that the city ought to install scratching posts at intervals. Now if Henry and myself win the election we may prevail upon the commission to perform that act of public service—that is, if it can be done without issuing any more bonds.

The Chinese were thousands of years developing the practical ideal of mental and physical comfort and it is unfortunate that our European antecedents and ideals of propriety prevent our breaking down and publicly appropriating some of utilitarian features of the Asiatic code. The human arm is notoriously amiss when it comes to scratching the middle of the place the human is looking away from. The fingers can reach with facility almost any other external source of irritation, but the middle of the back is alien and difficult territory when it comes to scratching. But the Chinese have met the difficulty. They have developed one of the daintiest tools you ever saw, a gentle instrument that may be delicately wielded between one polished finger nail and the thumb, something in jade and ivory, if you please, that will add distinction to the wardrobe—in short, a back scratcher. Few are the pleasures of living that the use of this instrument does not exceed. The luxury-loving Chinese, sitting in the midst of his cushions, has merely to elevate the polished instrument whenever he feels the urge, drop it down his back, gently push it up and down, while his spirits and his soul expand genially in the gratifying sensation. The cultured Chinaman is never without one.

What in the European code forbids the use of this obviously practical instrument I am at a loss to understand. It ought to be adopted.

"Classification" Talks at Rotary

Some of the professions represented upon the roster of Cisco Rotary club Thursday noon "saw themselves as others see them" in a novel program originated by Phil Pettit, program chairman for the day.

Facetiousness was mixed with serious strains as the members appearing on the program gave "classification" talks by proxy.

Dr. J. Stuart Pearce, Presbyterian pastor, spoke on "The Physician," directing his attention to Dr. E. L. Graham, doctor member of the club. F. D. Wright, attorney, spoke on "Utilities," a classification represented by P. P. Shepard, of the West Texas Utilities company; P. Pettit of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company; R. L. Ponsler of the Cisco Gas Corp., and O. J. Russell of the W. T. U. ice department. Dr. Graham ended the program with a discourse upon the "Lawyer," a classification which Wright represents.

Saturday to Be Tag Day for Library

Saturday, March 30, will be annual Public Library Tag Day, it was announced by the Twentieth Century club which will sponsor the sale of tags under direction of a committee consisting of Mrs. G. B. Kelly, chairman, and Mrs. William Reagan and Mrs. P. P. Shepard.

Once each year, and only once, an appeal is made to the public for funds to support the Public Library. This appeal is made through the medium of a tag sale. Reminder of the funds necessary for the support of the institution are raised by the women through regular club sources and by the rental of books.

Eastland Is Top School In Co. Meet

Eastland high school won the 1935 Eastland county Interscholastic league meet at that city Friday and Saturday. Eastland entrants captured the lion's share of the honors in the literary events and the Eastland athletes added 20 points to the school's total score by taking the track and field meet over teams from Cisco, Ranger, Gorman and Rising Star. Eastland's points totalled 127.

The meet drew one of the largest crowds and attracted more interest than any in recent years.

The county seat city's thinyclads amassed 68 points to win the athletic events. Ranger with 34 points was second; Gorman with 27½ was third and Cisco, with 17, was fourth. Rising Star made 8 points.

Garrison, Eastland star, was high point man of the meet with 18. Caffrey, with seven points, was high for the Cisco squad.

The only record to fall during the contests, which occurred on a windy, sand-swept field, was that for the mile run, which was lowered from 5:23 to 5:15.

Following are results of the literary events:

Literary Results

Typewriting — Bennie Kaye Wood, Eastland, first; Edwin Curry, Cisco, second; Leewai Chance, Eastland, third.

Arithmetic (rural) — Bullock, first; New Hope, second; Flatwood, third.

Arithmetic (ward)—Cisco, first; Eastland, Jr., high, second, and Gorman, third.

Choral singing — Cisco, first; Rising Star, second; Morton Valley, third.

Three-R contest — Neil Hallmark, New Hope.

Spelling (high school)—Rising Star, first; Morton Valley, second; Cisco, third.

Spelling (sixth and seventh grades, ward schools)—Eastland and Cisco, tied for first; Hodges, Oak Park, third.

Spelling (fourth and fifth grades, ward schools)—Young of Ranger and West Ward of Eastland, tied for first; Cooper of Ranger and South Ward of Eastland tied for second.

Spelling (rural high schools)—Flatwood, first; New Hope, second; no third place.

Spelling (rural grades four and five) — Bedford, first; Croker, second; Mangum, third.

Spelling (rural grades six and seven)—Croker, first; Bullock, second; Flatwood, third.

Extemporaneous speech (girls)—Helen Ruth Benskin, Rising Star, first; Lavern Dill, Cisco high school, second; Mary Louise Wilson, Olden, third.

Extemporaneous speech (boys)—Edmond Herring, Eastland, first; Edwin Curry, Cisco, second; C. S. McNeely, Rising Star, third.

Ready Writers (senior high schools)—Ruby Nell Been, Carbon, first; Edith Adams, Morton Valley high school, second; Billy Ruth Brown, Scranton high school, third.

Ready writers (senior high school) — Class A: Veda Gray, Eastland, first; Frances Rutherford, Rising Star, second; Inez Baker, Ranger, third.

Ready writers (ward schools)—Class A: Fuzzy Furse, Eastland junior high school, first; Mozelle Brooks, Rising Star grammar school, second; Mary Ruth Shrader, Scranton grammar school, third.

Declamation (rural schools) — Girls grammar grades: Peggy Horn, Flatwood, first.

Declamation (rural senior boys)—Lee Alton Harbin, Flatwood.

Declamation (grammar school girls)—A and B class — Alice Louise Henry, Ranger, first; Berta Lee Pickett, Morton Valley, second; Marie Greer, Carbon, third.

Declamation (boys grammar grades)—A and B class: Jerry Reiley, Eastland, first; Glenn Rex, Ranger, second; Jack Germany.

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Dr. Andrews Will Be Methodist Speaker

Dr. W. B. Andrews of Fort Worth, director of superannuate endowment for the Methodist church, will be speaker at 11 o'clock a. m. at the First Methodist church today. Dr. Andrews for a number of years was a leader in Central Texas Methodist conference and has held many of the most responsible places in the church. He retired from the pastorate only after earnest solicitation and is now giving his entire time to the cause of superannuated preachers. During the short time he has served in this capacity he has secured homes for superannuate preachers, repaired and improved others and in many ways he has made the life of the superannuated minister brighter. He is an eloquent and forceful speaker and will deliver a message that is well worth while. A cordial welcome is extended to everyone to hear him Sunday morning.

Cisco, Eastland Teams Divide Net Honors in League

Cisco and Eastland contestants divided honors in the tennis tournament of the Eastland county Interscholastic league at Eastland Friday, the Cisco team taking first in doubles and second in singles and the Eastland team first in singles and second in doubles.

The victorious Cisco team was composed of Fred Riley and Dick Stansbury. Donald Sures, Cisco singles entry, advanced to the finals with victories over Hugh McCall of Carbon and Bucy of Rising Star, losing to Boyd Tanner of Eastland 7-5 and 6-2.

In the doubles Riley and Stansbury defeated W. Hunter and W. Lane of Eastland 7-5; 5-7 and 3-6 for the title. They first downed the Carbon team of J. R. Curry and A. C. Gibson 6-2 and 6-4 and then advanced to the finals by subduing Joyce and Price of Rising Star by the same score. Eastland defeated R. Barry and Jeff Ralls of Ranger 6-2 and 6-1 and then defeated Jack Bishop and Bob Dodd of Alameda 6-3 and 6-0. Alameda eliminated Lee Roy Ussery and Elzo Harbin, Carbon entries, 6-0 and 6-2 in the first round.

In the singles Tanner advanced to the finals with victories over J. A. Hart, Jr., Alameda, and A. C. Gibson of Olden. Gibson had eliminated R. Barry of Ranger in the first rounds.

Shackelford Pioneer Observes Birthday

MORAN. — W. C. Garrett, pioneer resident of Stephens and Shackelford county, celebrated his 88th birthday Sunday when his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Garrett, honored him with a birthday dinner. His birthday was Monday, March 11th, but the dinner was postponed until Sunday so that his granddaughter, Mrs. E. J. Simmons and little son, of Ranger, could be present.

Those present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brooks and family, Mrs. E. J. Simmons and son, Bobby Gene of Ranger, and J. A. Hayward, an old friend of Mr. Garrett, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Edwards.

Mr. Garrett came to this country in 1878, settling at Eolian. He said a freeze June 6, 1878, killed his crop and he went to Fort Griffin and got a job hauling buffalo hides from Fort Griffin to Fort Worth.

The host of friends of Mr. Garrett here and in Stephens county wish for him many more active years. He is very active for his age, and can do a day's work that would be hard on many younger men.

SEE FT. WORTH SHOW

Miss Laura Lu Waring, Miss Wilma Thomas, Miss Catherine Cunningham, and Katherine Pettit attended the musical comedy, "As Thousands Cheer," in Fort Worth Saturday.

Expect 150 At Banquet Of Boosters

George C. Smith, assistant to the president of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad and Katy industrial agent, will speak at the Cisco Boosters regular monthly meeting Monday evening at the Laguna hotel.

W. J. Leach will be toastmaster. The banquet is open to both men and women, and all Cisco citizens interested in the community development were urged by President Johnny Cox to attend. More than 100 tickets were sold by Saturday morning and an attendance of 150 or more was expected. Those expecting to attend are urged to secure their tickets by Monday noon at the latest.

The Boosters reception committee was asked to meet promptly at 9:30 a. m. Monday morning at the chamber of commerce.

The program for the banquet Monday evening was announced by Mr. Cox as follows:

Invocation, Dr. David F. Tyndall, president of Randolph college and pastor of the First Christian church.

Reading, Miss Marjorie Linder. Vocal duet, Mrs. Leon Maner and Bill Smith.

Address, Mr. Smith. Tickets for the banquet are on sale at 50 cents each.

Old Skeleton Is Found by Rising Star Road Crew

RISING STAR. — Quite a bit of interest was occasioned here Monday by the finding of an old skeleton by road workers in breaking up caliche on the Hickman place, a few miles southwest of town and in the Blake community. The Brownwood Bulletin Tuesday carried the following story on the find:

In an unmarked grave on the side of a caliche hill about two miles north of Blake on the Roy Hickman ranch, road workers uncovered the skeleton of a man Monday afternoon. The skeleton was found when workers were plowing for dirt to place on a road. Sheriff Jack Hallmark was immediately notified and went to the scene for an investigation. The bones were brought to Brownwood.

A second investigation trip was made this morning and after questioning several residents of that section the sheriff returned to Brownwood. The bones were examined by May doctors yesterday and this morning were examined by Doctor John Snyder of Brownwood.

Dr. Snyder made a cursory examination and estimated the bones had lain in their resting place from 50 to 75 years, which would place the death of the unknown man at sometime in the years of the early history of Brown county. From the teeth and the shape of the skull, Dr. Snyder said he believed the skeleton to be that of a white man.

There was in the grave a large silver disc which apparently came from some clothing, a bit of coarse woven cloth, two brass fasteners and four common small buckles. There was no money, no watch nor arms, and no buttons.

IOOB Lodge to Meet Here at 4 o'Clock

The IOOB lodge, west Texas district, will convene at Cisco Country Club this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The meeting will elect officers for the next year and transact other business pertaining to the Jewish organization.

Pete Cooles, Cisco, is president of the district and will preside.

Women of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger will be hostesses to the meeting, which is expected to attract an attendance of about 90.

Mrs. Silas George of Sweetwater is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leon Maner and Mr. Maner.

Royal Wedding Expected Soon



Official announcement of the engagement of Princess Ingrid, left, granddaughter of King Gustaf Adolf of Sweden, to Crown Prince Christian



Frederick, heir to the Danish throne, was scheduled to follow the arrival of the crown prince in Stockholm from Copenhagen.

Abilene To Entertain 1935 Meet

Francis Bruce of Cisco, was elected president of the Mid-West district of the Christian Endeavor union for the ensuing year. He was chosen at a banquet Saturday evening that marked the high point of the annual convention of the district which began Friday at the First Christian church here. The convention, which drew 175 registered delegates from 19 counties, will close with a business session at 2:15 this afternoon.

Abilene was chosen for the 1936 convention.

As president, Mr. Bruce succeeds Hanson Granger of Abilene with whom he served last year as vice president. Other officers elected at the banquet which was held in the church basement last night, were:

Other Officers

Webb Stovall, Abilene, first vice president; Fern Matthews, San Angelo, second vice president; Joe Bob Winston, Cisco, secretary; Hull Tucker, Abilene, treasurer. Superintendents were chosen for the various departments as follows:

Missionary, Maxine Napier, Albany; Stewardship, Winston Bradford, Sweetwater; Publicity, Francis Bruce, Cisco; Extension, Webb Stovall, Abilene; Educational, Clara Geistman, Abilene; Intermediate, Mrs. A. C. Armstrong, Sweetwater; Junior, Nadine Sherwin, Cisco; Senior, Mrs. H. A. Hannah, Abilene; Adult, Mr. Cody, Snyder; Recreational, Velma Lois Dulin, San Angelo; Christian Endeavor publications, Hanson Granger, Abilene. The Rev. Charles W. Estes of Eastland and the Rev. Rodney Gibson of San Angelo were chosen pastor counselors.

The nominating committee consisted of Clara Geistman, Abilene; Velma Lois Dulin, San Angelo; Oleon Cogswell, Cisco, and Eleanor Mixon of Albany.

125 at Banquet

One hundred and 25 were present for the banquet over which Horace Sanders, Dallas, representative of the state Christian Endeavor union, presided. Vocal solos were presented by Miss Nettie Suggs, Abilene, and Miss Velma Lois Dulin, San Angelo, with

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Mrs. C. H. Fee is visiting in Colorado this week end.

Classified Ads

GOATS WANTED—I am in the market for 50 or 100 goats, or will pasture this number at reasonable prices. Henry Stroebel, Route 3, Cisco. 45-3tp.

FOR RENT—Extra good farm for rent in good locality. See A. J. Olson 45-2tc

ALEXANDER'S Improved Cottonseed, ginned on private gin, recleaned and sacked. \$1.25 per bushel at Diamond Ranch. F. W. Alexander, Albany, Texas. 43-8tc

STUDIO WORK — All persons having work at the Walton studio can secure the same by addressing Mrs. L. J. Walton, Box 396, Albany, or calling in person. I will soon have my Albany studio ready for business, and will appreciate the patronage of all Cisco friends.—Mrs. L. J. Walton. 1t-c.

FOR SALE—Four-gallon Jersey cow, young calf. Cash or credit.—Hyatt and Wood.

MAN WANTED — Hard-working man wanted for permanent job Good pay. Must have clean habits. Address letter to 1443 N. 5th St., Abilene, Texas, for appointment.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED — Reliable young lady wants general housekeeping, companion or nursery work. Will work day or night. 706 West 9th street. 1t-pd.

March 30-April 6 Named As Fire Prevention Week

The week of March 30 to April 6, inclusive, has been designated as Spring Fire Prevention Clean-Up Week in Cisco, by proclamation of Mayor J. T. Berry.

During that period, Fire Marshal O. Gustafson said, an effort will be made to secure removal of all trash, refuse, waste material and other fire hazards about residential and business premises. Cooperation of the public in this campaign was urged.

During this week and for a part of next week an extra trash wagon will be put on the city routes to remove the trash that is accumulated. Residents were requested to pile this trash in places convenient to the wagon so that as much time as possible will be saved and a thorough removal may be assured.

Following is the proclamation in which Mayor Berry calls upon the citizenship to assist in this campaign:

"The week of March 30th to April 6th, inclusive, has been designated as Spring Fire Prevention Clean-Up Week.

"There are many reasons why the Spring Clean-Up campaign this year should receive the enthusiastic support of every man, woman and child. First, because the Fire Prevention Clean-Up campaign this year is of particular importance, as it can be combined with general welfare work and be of particular benefit to the unemployed. Second, because every dollar in property destroyed by fire, which so frequently is the result of 'careless' housekeeping in the home and in the

average place of business, is a serious drain upon our present economic condition. Third, every citizen should have a wholesome pride in his home city, its streets, playgrounds, parks and buildings. Homes and surroundings freshly painted, with well kept lawns and gardens, increase property values and intensify community interest. Cleanliness creates cheer, courage and confidence. Fourth, because in the past ten years entirely too many of our citizens have lost their lives due to carelessness in their daily use of fire, and the preservation of human life is an important matter.

"Now, therefore, I, J. T. Berry, mayor of the city of Cisco, do hereby designate the week of March 30th to April 6th, inclusive, as Spring Clean-Up Week and most respectfully call upon all departments of the city, the chamber of commerce, civic clubs, patriotic clubs and our people in general, to take an active part in this Clean-Up campaign.

"I further designate the Fire Marshal and Fire Chief as a committee of two to work with the city officials in selecting active committees to carry on this campaign and ask the cooperation of all of our people in this enterprising campaign for a clean city.

"In testimony whereof, I hereby sign my name and seal of office, this 22nd day of March, 1935.

"J. T. BERRY, Mayor, Cisco, Texas.

"Attest: J. B. CATE, City Secretary."

Grammar Team Wins Arithmetic Contest

For the fifth consecutive year the Cisco grammar school team won the arithmetic contest of the county Interscholastic league at Eastland Friday morning.

Margie Linder won highest individual honors and with Barbara Blythe and Iris Dean Shults made the team score for first place over 14 other schools.

The grammar team was coached by Mrs. O. L. Stamey.

Sister of Mrs. Jones Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Everett Davis, sister of Mrs. Charles C. Jones and a former resident of Cisco, underwent a major operation at the Baylor hospital, Dallas, Saturday morning, a telegram to Mrs. Jones said. While her condition was reported serious, Mrs. Davis withstood the operation satisfactorily, the message said.

Housing Survey Is Completed in Cisco

The Cisco Better Housing survey has been completed and the information gathered by the canvassers has been organized and placed in condition for the examination of contractors, carpenters, painters and other artisans, it was announced Thursday.

This information is available at the chamber of commerce to those who are entitled to and interested in its examination.

A force of five canvassers and several file clerks was kept busy for several weeks securing and compiling the information. A complete survey of the town was made and needed and projected housing improvements were listed to aid in promoting the local housing campaign.

D. A. R. MEETING

The Charles Crawford chapter, D. A. R., will meet in regular session Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. Lee Clark, Randolph Hill. Mrs. C. R. West will be program leader.

Under the Courthouse Roof

ELEVENTH APPEALS COURT PROCEEDINGS

The following proceedings were had in the court of civil appeals for the eleventh supreme judicial district, as handed down Friday, March 22:

Affirmed.

Lona T. Shawver vs. T. B. Masterson, Knox.

Reversed and Remanded.

Lee C. Moore & Company vs. Jarecki Manufacturing Co., Eastland.

Texas Employers' Insurance Assn. vs. L. H. Hardy, Nolan.

Reversed and Rendered.

Camden Fire Insurance association vs. Clay Lumber Co., Taylor.

Motions Submitted.

Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, motion for permission to file motion for rehearing.

Sam Poe vs. Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., motion for extension of time to file statement of facts.

Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, appellee's motion to strike.

Federal Life Insurance Company vs. Jack Helm, joint motion to postpone submission.

Motions Granted.

Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, motion for permission to file motion for rehearing.

J. R. Burnett, guardian, vs. Carrie E. Tipton, appellant's motion to postpone submission.

Federal Life Insurance Company vs. Jack Helm, joint motion to postpone submission.

Motions Overruled.

Katherine Shell Pinkston vs. Lucian Pinkston, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co. vs. J. K. Presnell, et al, defendant in error's motion for rehearing.

Hosea Rogers, et al vs. W. T. Allen, et al, appellant's motion for rehearing.

Casualty Reciprocal Exchange vs. Wade H. Dawson, appellee's motion to strike.

Motions Withdrawn.

J. B. McAnally, et al vs. The Texas company, et al, appellee's motion to withdraw certain exhibits.

Cases Submitted

T. H. Foley, et ux vs. Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association, Eastland.

Jess Cox vs. Thurber Brick Co., et al., Erath.

Iowa Manufacturing Company vs. M. A. Baldwin, et al., Stone-wall.

Cases to Be Submitted Friday, March 29, 1935

Worth Petroleum Corporation vs. Ferguson Callihan, Shackelford.

A. M. Ferguson vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, Haskell.

Mrs. Cora Harris, administratrix, vs. B. Hubbert, Shackelford.

L. Simpson Lumber Company vs. G. H. Craig, et al., Knox.

PALO PINTO OFFICERS COME AFTER DR. KEEL

Deputy Jop Jobe, of the sheriff's department, stated Friday that Palo Pinto officers had arrived in Eastland for Dr. L. C. Keel, who was brought back to Eastland from Oklahoma City, where he was being held for Eastland county. The Palo Pinto officers stated if permitted to take the prisoner back to that county they would try him at once. The matter was not decided Friday, but it was probable Keel will be tried in Eastland county before being delivered to either Palo Pinto or Stephens county, to answer charges against him in those counties.

Vital Statistics

Following are the vital statistics of Eastland county, other than those of the cities of Cisco, Eastland and Ranger. The three cities keep their individual statistics, and report direct to the health department at Austin, as reported

March first, which covers the births and deaths of February and a portion of January:

Births

Willie Lafayette Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Butler, east of Cisco; born Feb. 2. Travis Wayne Boswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taft Boswell, Sipe Springs; born Jan. 28. To Mr. and Mrs. Noble Belyon, Gorman; born Jan. 17. Bobby Joyce Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alpha E. Cox, Comanche, route 4; born Jan. 27. Glenn Edward Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Clements, Gorman; born Jan. 27. Clyde Younger Douglass, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Douglass, southwest of Cisco; born Feb. 27. Alice Ann Higgins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Higgins, Cisco, route 3; born Jan. 26. Roy D. Iley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. Iley, Carbon; born Jan. 16. Buryle Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hogan, Gorman; born Feb. 1. David Martin Halleyman, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Halleyman; born Jan. 21. James Lynn Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hogan, Carbon; born Jan. 21. Ruby Dale Jarrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Jarrett, Gorman; born Jan. 27. Roy Jackson Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Johnson; born Jan. 25. James Edward Riggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Riggs, Desdemona; born Jan. 26. Mary Ernestine Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oran E. Welch, Gorman; born Jan. 31. Mary Elizabeth Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Watson; born Jan. 26. Betty Jane Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Baker, Albany; born Feb. 24. Albert Daniel Cotton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Cotton, Rising Star; born Jan. 10. Elelar Eugene Corlyhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Corlyhouse; born Feb. 9. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cunningham, Rising Star, Feb. 11. Tommy Dean Guest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Guest, Pioneer; born Feb. 25. Osker Delano Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hughes, Rising Star; born Feb. 21. Virginia Ray Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Jones, Rising Star; born Feb. 22. Cyrena Mae James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Esten E. James, route D, Ranger; born Feb. 1. Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Proctor, Rising Star, Feb. 5, a boy. N. A. Roady, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Z. Roady, Rising Star; born Jan. 18. Ben Alfred Small, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Small, Rising Star; born Feb. 10. Betty Fay Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Walker, Rising Star; born Feb. 3. Moss Florine Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Griffin, east of Eastland; born Feb. 15. Rita Yvonne Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Prentis N. Jones, east of Eastland; born Feb. 6. Patricia Ellen Miles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude B. Miles, Fannin county; born April 20, 1933. Epifanis Urdeales, son of Manuel Urdeales, Olden; born Jan. 20. Robert Charles Plumley, son of Harold E. M. Plumley, Ranger; April 20, 1933. James Henry Moates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude T. Moates, route 5, Gorman; born Jan. 24.

Deaths

J. B. Bostick, Dothan, aged 78; died Feb. 23. Louis Raymond Fagon, Carbon, aged 5 months; died Jan. 11. Billy Ann Goddard, infant of V. O. Goddard, DeLeon, aged 1 year and 4 months; died Jan. 25. Bobbie Louise Hearn, infant daughter of J. S. Hearn, Jr., Albany; died Jan. 20. A. G. Henson, Cisco, aged 75 years, died Feb. 27. James Richard Vaughn, route 1, Eastland, aged 9 years; died Feb. 3. Mrs. Ada Ann Tyrone, Gorman, aged 92 years; died Dec. 9, 1934. Infant daughter of C. B. Baker, May, Texas; died at birth Feb. 24. Infant son of J. H. Cunningham, Rising Star; died at birth Feb. 15. Mrs. Martha E. Westmoreland, Eastland, aged 65 years, 10 months; died Feb. 3. T. D. Freeman, Romney, aged 75; died Jan. 7. Frances Jane Scott, Rising Star, aged 76 years; died Feb. 24. Mrs. Samantha Ann

Farmers March on Capital to Demand Relief



An "economic revolution" was urged by Governor Floyd B. Olson, of Minnesota, when he addressed several hundred farmers who marched on the capitol to spur legislative action to aid agriculture. Farm

delegations converged from all parts of the state, traveling in trucks and even wagons, to parade before the capitol bearing banners stating their demands. In the picture below is shown Gov-

ernor Olson, as he greeted Milo Reno, right, national president of the Farmers' Holiday association, and John Bosch, left, president of the Minnesota chapter, on their arrival at St. Paul.

Turner, Rising Star, aged 91 years; died Feb. 11. Mrs. Sarah Matilda White, Rising Star, aged 75; died Feb. 23. Ruby May Fisher, Morton Valley, aged 3 years; died Feb. 26. Mrs. Clara Alene Mahaffey, Eastland, aged 36; died Feb. 1. Murdock M. Martin, Mangum, aged 80 years; died Feb. 26. Henry McCleskey, Jr., Gunsight, aged 2 years; died Feb. 11.

COUNTY CLERK'S DEPT. MARRIAGE LICENSE

The following couples were permitted to wed: Clifford Jones and Miss Ola Gregg, Olden. S. L. Mashburn and Miss Odesa Barte, Moran. Aubrey Z. Gay and Miss Alice Cleo Wright, Big Spring.

Probate Matters

The following probate cases are of recent filing: Mrs. Nettie Underwood, application to probate the will of A. W. Underwood, deceased. Mrs. T. M. Crossley, lunacy. Mrs. Mary Lee Coffman, application for lunacy trial. Mrs. Maud Plumley, application to probate will of Harold Edwin M. Plumley.

Filed in County Court

Sinclair Refining Co. vs. Chester Hubbard, suit on account. Cisco Mortgage & Loan Co. vs. Cecil Couch, suit on note.

91ST DISTRICT COURT NEW CASES PENDING

William McCarty et ux vs. Texas Bitulithic Co., suit to cancel

COMMISSIONERS COURT TO GO TO BROWNWOOD

County Judge Clyde L. Garrett will go to Brownwood Thursday of this week to preside at the meeting of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners association, of which he is president. Judge Garrett said he thought the entire court would be in attend-

TAX COLLECTOR'S DEPT. AUTO REGISTRATIONS

Deputy Tax Collector Edmundson is now stationed at the First National bank in Cisco for the

purpose of facilitating collection of motor car license fees. He will remain during all of March. This is quite a convenience to Cisco people, and many have already taken advantage of his service.

88TH DISTRICT COURT ASSIGNMENT OF CASES

The following cases were set for trial next week by B. W. Patterson, Judge of the 88th court: Monday, March 25—O. Hughes vs. Employers Liability association, to collect insurance policy.

Tuesday, March 26—Lloyd A. Lucas vs. Safety Casualty Co., to collect insurance.

Wednesday, March 27—American Mutual Liability Inc., Co., vs. C. M. Durham.

Thursday, March 28 — G. L. Benna vs. Texas Employers Ins., Co., to collect insurance.

Raymond James vs. Employers Ins., Co., was on trial in the 88th court Friday.

Dr. Paul M. Woods
DENTIST
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CISCO, TEXAS

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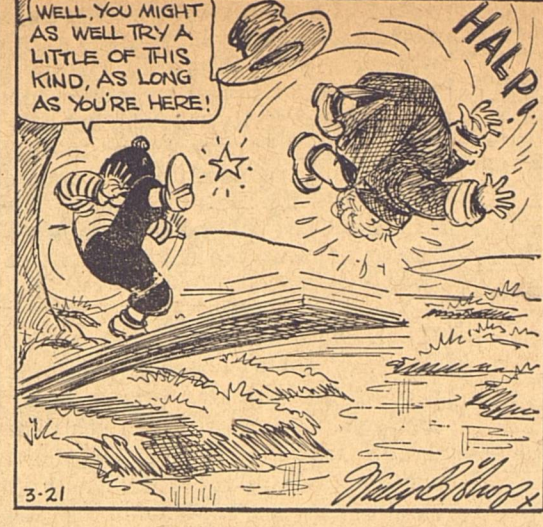
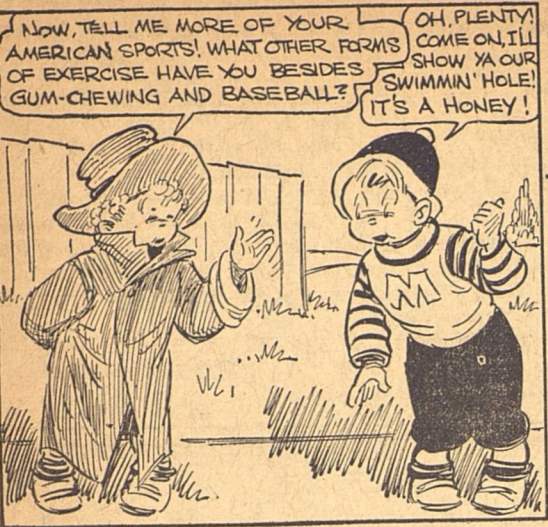
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Tourist

By WALLY BISHOP

NOTICE

At a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Cisco, Texas, on February 26, 1935, a resolution was passed ordering a general election to be held on Tuesday, April 2, 1935, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two City Commissioners.

Separate bills providing a referendum on the same day on legalization of beer and tax-free domestic wine will likely be voted on also.

Far-Seeing Texans Visualized Need of Extensive Brazos Development Program

(Editor's Note: This is the sixth of a series of articles dealing with the history of the Brazos Conservation & Reclamation district project.)

Who has been responsible for the Brazos development program? Lee J. Rountree was perhaps the first man in Texas to foresee the present set-up of the Brazos district and visualize the vast development project.

During the same period, Leonard Tillotson, Sealy, undertook to steer through the state legislature plans which would crystallize the Brazos project into a systematized watershed undertaking.

Others Active

A. D. Jackson, of the A. & M. extension service, many years ago began work on the Brazos program. He travelled up and down the watershed, organizing clubs, and stimulating public endorsement.

Other figures in the legislature who have given material support to the cause are Sen. Bob Poage of Waco, and Sen. Albert Stone, of Brenham.

backer of the program, lending his time and wealth to putting the project before the people.

D. G. Giddings, of Brenham, will always be remembered as one of the most prominent figures in the Brazos agitation.

Supporters

There are many active men involved in the Brazos project today. They include Lewis Mims, Houston, chairman of the board of directors; R. E. Baskin, Seymour, C. M. Caldwell, Abilene; G. G. Chance, Bryan; William Hallmark, Dublin; F. E. Harrell, Cisco; T. S. Henderson, Sr., Cameron; J. M. Lawrence, Bryan; Frank Oltori, Marlin; William Sandifer, Franklin; L. E. Seaman, Mineral Wells; Ward Templeton, Navasota; and G. D. Ulrich, Sugarland—the remaining members of the board.

There are today in Washington, Sen. Tom Connally, Sen. Morris Sheppard, Congressman O. H. Cross, Congressman Luther Johnson, acting as a steering committee, handling the Brazos project.

In Temple a publicity bureau has been established under Walter Humphrey, and various sub-districts have been set up; that under George G. Barber at Mineral Wells; and H. R. McDavid, west of Throckmorton.

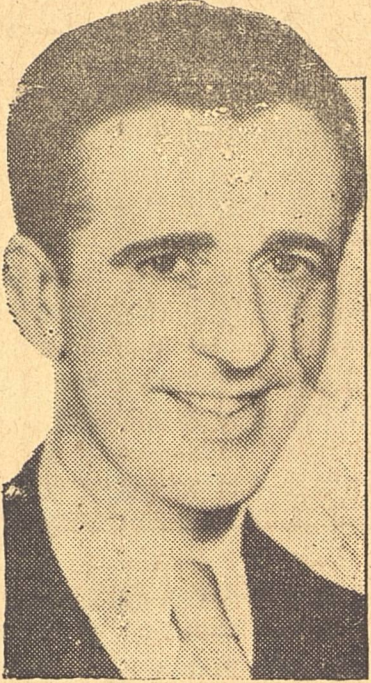
How to Help

To list every man who is devoting his time to the Brazos work today would be almost impossible, in view of special limitations. Thousands have worked with unflinching zeal in putting the program in a position where it can be approved with just a little more encouragement.

There remains for those who live in the watershed the task of working with these leaders, through whatever channels may be possible. They have particularly urged that every resident of the watershed write his congressman and other notables in Washington who might aid the project.

Also, it is urged that residents communicate with friends in other territories, asking them to write their congressmen to aid the Brazos project of Texas.

He's Coming Here



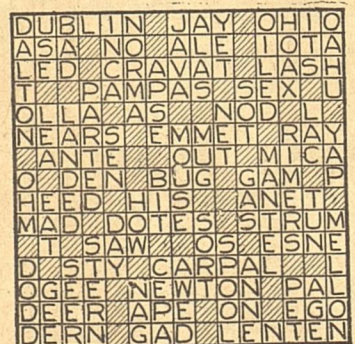
It is with pleasurable anticipation that the dancing public of Cisco and surrounding territory are looking forward to the engagement, on the evening of March 26th at the Lake Cisco Pavilion, of Husk O'Hare, "The Genial Gentleman of the Air."

For the past six years this famous orchestra has been broadcasting over both the National Broadcasting company and the Columbia Broadcasting System, on their nation-wide hookups; having recently completed engagements at the Tulsa Hotel, Tulsa; Lowry Hotel, St. Paul; La Salle Hotel, Chicago; Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, and the Canton Tea Gardens, Chicago.

Featured by Husk O'Hare are the Three Burke Sisters, who have sung their way into the hearts of millions of radio listeners, and who will thrill the crowds that come to dance to Husk O'Hare.

It has been found necessary to use the Lake Cisco Pavilion for this attraction because of its large size.

down the basement drain of the Federal building early next week. No Scotch or fine brands of whiskies are included in the doomed assortment. Most of it is strong, reeking corn. Poor fish.



ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S CROSS WORD PUZZLE

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

- HORIZONTAL
1-On what river is the capital of the United States located?
6-What American engineer established the first steam ferry in the world, between Hoboken and New York?
12-Hastens.
13-Disembodied spirit.
14-Tear.
15-Lively dance.
16-Covering for the head.
17-What is the principal city of the island of Luzon?
21-Make lace.
22-The location of the frontier between Turkey and what state was settled by a Franco-Turkish treaty of June, 1929?
24-Utilizer.
25-Heavy downward blow with the foot.
27-What river, flowing from southeast New York to the Hudson, is an important source of New York's water supply?
30-Elongated fish.
32-Knob or lump.
33-Shadowy.
36-In what Canadian river are the Chaudiere Falls?
39-Artificial covering of hair.
40-Roman tyrant.
41-Russian mountain system.
42-Beverage.
43-What Russian writer was recently awarded the Nobel prize in literature?
44-Causes to incline.
45-Female of the sheep.
46-Most genuine.
47-Garden implement.
48-Masculine name.
49-Swine.
50-Player's position in golf.
52-Slow, in music.
55-Uncover.
58-Goal.
61-Choose.
64-Bag of loaves.
65-Monetary punishment.
66-Meadow.
67-Military assistant.
69-Member of the nobility.
71-In what battle did the author of "Don Quixote" lose the use of an arm?
72-Residence of an ambassador.

Grid for crossword puzzle with numbers 1-72.

BUS LINES SEEK PERMITS
ABILENE. — Hearings by the motor transport division of the state railroad commission on applications to operate two interstate bus lines from Dallas and Fort Worth west have been set for March 25 here.

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GEORGIA TO VOTE MAY 15
ATLANTA, Ga.—Georgians will vote May 15 on repeal of the state's bone-dry law. Gov. Talmadge Friday signed a bill enacted by the legislature providing for the referendum and for county local option if state prohibition is repealed.

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THE statement of Mayor J. T. Berry as published in Thursday's edition of the Citizen-Free Press is as clear and forceful a wording of the reasons why the present administration should be continued in office as it is possible to make. If, after reading this statement, the voters of Cisco want to repudiate the Berry administration at the polls and return to the leadership that produced the conditions he described, it will be upon their own responsibility and they must accept the opinion of the rest of the world.

Two Theories And a Choice

THE past is tutor to the present, and if the people of Cisco, in the knowledge of the policies of the past, are ready April 2 to elect the anti-administration ticket and repudiate the present municipal administration, it is their privilege to do so. They have in this case a choice between two different theories of local self-government. Both of them have been tried. The results of both are known. It is their choice.

EVEN as I write this there lies upon the desk at my elbow the official record of a \$500,000 effort to mortgage the entire waterworks system of the city of Cisco, the sanitary sewer system and practically all of the public utility property owned by the city. Fortunately, by the prompt action of certain citizens to whose ears came news of this effort, the transaction was prevented and another half million dollars spared the conscience of this community. It could not have paid it, no more than it could pay the more than \$6,000,000 in accumulated debts that the present administration is now refunding upon a basis of 25 per cent of the whole. Consequently, it strikes the thoughtful person as amazing that, in the face of the obvious impossibility of meeting the obligations already incurred, an effort should be made to add an additional half million dollars to the debt. Perhaps it was reasoned that the city could not repay the money, after all, and it might as well get all it could while the getting was good.

THERE are two ways to look at this thing. In the first place, success of the mortgaging effort would merely have continued Cisco for a brief spell in the enjoyment of a fools' paradise at the expense of innocent investors. Certainly, the people of this town do not have the predatory instinct to employ their corporation privileges and powers to do the very thing that has sent the Mitchells and the Insulls into discard.

AGAIN, if I read aright the provisions of the deed of trust incorporated in the instrument taken from the county records, these provisions, in the event of a foreclosure, would have conferred ownership of the water and sewer systems of the city upon the mortgagees with authority to operate these under obligatory franchise from the city. Thus, in addition to increasing the burden of the municipal debt and the seriousness of the inevitable "pay-day," the two services would have been transferred to the status of private utilities, upon which the new owners, under the generally accepted interpretation of laws governing utilities, would have been entitled to earn a 10 per cent net return. Had the loan been consummated, the mortgagees, you are reminded, would have had a \$500,000 investment in these services. A ten per cent return on this would be \$50,000, a greater figure than the two services are now yielding in gross revenues. It is probable, of course, that the mortgagees would, in the event of a successful foreclosure, have planned upon making Lake Cisco a source of supply for a great inter-city system, because no utility would invest so much money in a single community service, but it would have been a mighty grave step to surrender the community ownership and control of these systems to the mere prospect. The resources of Lake Cisco can be used to greater advantage at home in the development of industrial possibilities, etc.

THE significant question at issue in this case is not whether the attempted borrowing was right or wrong. Let those who demand "action at any cost" take due heed of the fact. The issue is whether or not it is right or safe to recognize in the election of public officials a democratic delegation of authority so absolute that the citizens may be indebted without their knowledge. Will not that sort of philosophy lead eventually to the destruction of the rights of the individuals and the very concept upon which it is itself imposed? If the people of Cisco, the tax-payers and property owners and every person who buys a bill of goods from Cisco merchants or uses the public services must pay the public debt, is it not right that they should be permitted to assume the obligation with open eyes? Is it right to force an obligation upon the citizens, whether that obligation is good or bad, in a good cause or a poor cause?

APPROXIMATELY 87 per cent of the students in the Cisco grammar school are engaging in some form of Interscholastic league extra-curriculum activity, according to Principal O. L. Stamey. This high percentage is characteristic of the interest that the public schools generally are taking in this form of competitive educational activity. The value of the Interscholastic league activities lies in the fact that these activities teach the student by practical application. He learns in competition with other students under conditions that are similar to those he is destined to encounter in life beyond the school walls. He is trained in the application of what he has learned and he is grooved to practicalness before he leaves the academic atmosphere.

What this means both in hastening his adjustment to life and in developing an early appreciation of his talents and the vocation for which he is most fitted cannot be measured, but it is great. It can be argued with good reason that the value of Interscholastic league activities is greater than the value of any other single school activity.

Most of us think of the league in terms of athletics and particularly of high school football. That is a popular feature of the league program, an overshadowing feature from the standpoint of the "gate," but the most important activities, the activities that draw the greatest interest from the students and the teachers and absorb by far the greater part of the time and energy of the league are restricted for the most part to the school walls where they work an enormous amount of good.

But these activities are gaining great popular favor as their good influence reveals itself in better trained pupils and more satisfactory school results. The last county meet at Eastland drew capacity crowds for the literary events. From all over the county pupils, teachers and visitors came by the hundreds to witness these events. Such a public testimonial to the value of the league and such a demonstration of interest therein cannot be ignored. The Texas Interscholastic league is one of the outstanding public instruction institutions of the century.

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County Meet--

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Eastland, and Donald Jones, Morton Valley, tied for third.

Declamation (junior high school girls)—Dorothy Jean Bruce, Ranger, first; Arline Hines, Carbon, second; Lucile Johnson, third.

Declamation (senior boys, Class A and B) — Bob Smith, Rising Star, first; James Hart, Alameda, second; Clifton King, Colony, third.

Declamation (senior girls) — Opal Gattis, Scranton, first; Kathryn Garrett, Eastland, second; Margaret Pickett, Morton Valley, third.

Declamation (junior boys high school)—Eugene Pierce, Carbon, first; J. M. Hazlewood, Cisco, second; H. A. McCanlies, Eastland, third.

Arithmetic (ward schools) — Cisco, first; Eastland junior high, second; Gorman, third.

Story telling—Cisco West Ward, Hodges and Oak Park tied for first; Cooper, Ranger, third; Rising Star, honorable mention.

Picture memory—Young, Ranger, first; Hodges and Oak Park, tied for second; Eastland South Ward, second; Eastland, third.

One-act play—Eastland, first; Cisco, second; Ranger, third.

Track and field event finals were as follows:

Class A Pole vault—(1:30 p. m.) Height 10 feet. (1) Garrison, Eastland; (2) Walsh, Ranger; (3) Ramsey, Cisco; (4) Machell and James, Eastland.

120 yard high hurdles—(2:00). Time—17 seconds. (1) Sikes, Eastland; (2) Horton, Eastland; (3) Braly, Eastland; (4) Chastain, Rising Star.

100 yard dash (2:15). Time—10 seconds and 3 tenths. (1) Garrison, Eastland; (2) Rhodes, Ranger; (3) Gorman, Cisco; (4) Craft, Eastland.

880 yard run. (2:30). Time 2:13. (1) Chastain, Rising Star; (2) Sikes, Eastland; (3) Hanlin, Eastland; (4) Burnett, Rising Star.

220 yard low hurdles. (2:45). Time—28:2. (1) Sellers, Rising Star; (2) James, Eastland; (3)

Forlot, Eastland; (4) Hurley, Eastland.

440 yard dash. (3:00). Time—56:7. (1) Craft, Eastland; (2) Scroggins, Gorman; (3) Rhodes, Ranger; (4) Brennan, Cisco.

220 yard dash. (3:15). Time—23:5. (1) Garrison, Eastland; (2) Rhodes, Ranger; (3) Gorman, Cisco; (4) Scroggins, Gorman.

Mile run. (3:30). Time—5 minutes, 15 seconds. (1) H. Taylor, Eastland; (2) Pitman, Gorman; (3) Kennedy, Ranger; (4) R. Taylor, Eastland.

Mile relay. (3:45). Time—3:55. (1) Eastland; (2) Gorman; (3) Rising Star (4) Cisco.

Discus throw. (2:30). Distance—106 ft., 1 in. (1) Britt, Ranger; (2) Carter, Gorman; (3) Townley, Gorman; (4) Caffrey, Cisco.

High jump. (2:45). Height—5 ft., 7 inches. (1) Horton, Eastland, (2) Sikes, Eastland, (3) Harrison, Gorman, tied for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place; (4) Townley, Gorman and Ramsey, Cisco.

Broad jump. (2:00). Distance—19 ft., 8 inches. (1) Morris, Gorman; (2) Garrison, Eastland; (3) Beasley, Cisco; (4) Caffrey, Cisco.

Javelin. (3:00). Distance—138 feet, 6 inches. (1) Carter, Gorman; (2) R. Taylor, Eastland, (3) Caffrey, Cisco; (4) Bray, Ranger.

Shot put. (3:30). Distance—42 ft., 2½ in. (1) Love, Ranger; (2) Britt, Ranger; (3) Caffrey, Cisco; (4) Townley, Ranger.

Mrs. Pete Hoffman has returned from several months stay in east Texas.

Mrs. L. E. Richardson has returned to her home in Longview.

C. E. Convention--

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Miss Clara Geistman, Abilene, at the piano.

Following the banquet the Rev. A. L. Haley of Santa Anna spoke on the theme, "My Church and Myself Winning Others."

At 7 a. m. today a sunrise prayer service will be held at Lake Cisco, led by the Rev. Francis Barnes, Woodson Christian church pastor. At 9:30 the convention will be released for members to attend churches of their choice.

At the closing session, 2:15 p. m., officers will be installed and Mr. Sanders will address the convention upon the convention theme.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gandy and Mrs. L. A. Williams of Breckenridge are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland.

Mrs. J. E. Spencer and daughter, Alice Estil, have returned from Fort Worth where they attended the Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. C. W. Hanson and Mrs. M. W. Robbins spent Friday in Eastland.

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Miss Wayne Copeland has returned to her home in Eastland after a visit with Mrs. Ben Metcalf.

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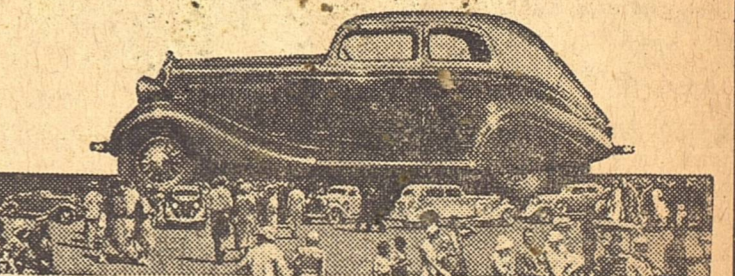
The Citizen-Free Press is authorized to announce as candidates for the municipal offices under which their names are placed, the following, subject to the action of the qualified voters of the city of Cisco in general election Tuesday, April 2, 1935.

For Mayor—
 J. T. BERRY
 J. M. WILLIAMSON
 For Commissioners—
 (Two to Be Elected)
 H. A. BIBLE
 W. J. FOXWORTH
 L. F. MENDENHALL
 W. W. WALLACE

H. Davis, who has been associated with Miss Thressa Weddington in conducting a dancing school has gone to Dallas where he will be permanently located.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bearman spent Thursday in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Miss Maurine Mancill left Friday for her home in Dallas.



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For the Bridge Player

The New Bridge Laws Just as we have learned the penalty for going down three tricks doubled and vulnerable here comes the Whist club of New York, the Portland club of London and the Commission Francaise Du Bridge, with the approval of the representatives of the outstanding American bridge organizations, telling us we must change.

Harold S. Vanderbilt is chairman of the Whist's club committee on laws and says that the new system of scoring is mathematically nearly perfect but is regarded by many others as unnecessarily complicated.

The no trump count is changed from an alternating 30-40 count to 40 for the first trick and 30 for each succeeding trick. This will enable a game to be made by three contracts for one no trump in playing rubbers, which is impossible under the old code.

Below is a table of the new scoring which will go into effect March 31, 1935.

Table with Trick Values, Undertrick Penalties, Cumulative Doubled Penalties, and Overtricks. Columns include Trick Values, Total Points, Doubled, and Vulnerable.

Miss Bearman Is Bridge and Supper Hostess Tuesday

Miss Agnes Bearman entertained Tuesday evening with a prettily appointed buffet supper and bridge party at her apartment, Laguna hotel.

Supper was served at a table laid with Lahala mats and centered with a crystal bowl of Spring flowers, flanked by tall green tapers in crystal holders. Four tables were arranged for the players and at the close of the bridge games Mrs. Arthur Cunningham Ester Hale second high and Mrs. Lawrence Keough, low.

The guests included Misses Catherine Cunningham, Ora Bess Moore, Laura Lu Waring, Wilma Thomas, Lucine Lewis, Katherine Pettit, Ester Hale, Viola La Munyon, Ida Mae Collins and Mmes. Dexter Shelley, Arthur Cunningham, R. N. Cluck, Lawrence Keough, H. Brandon, R. A. Bearman and Joe Holloran, of San Antonio.

Mrs. Shelley Hostess To Delta Eta Club

Mrs. Dexter Shelley was hostess to the members of the Delta Eta Bridge club Friday afternoon at her home on West Ninth street.

Mrs. Ray Smith won the high score prize and Mrs. Johnnie Cox won the low prize. The guests were Mmes. Paul Woods, Ray Smith, George P. Fee, E. L. Graham, A. D. Anderson, Jack Anderson, A. L. Foster and Johnnie Cox.

Mrs. W. H. Powell has returned to her home in Longview.

four trump honors in one hand, 100.

The laws of the game, that is the portion of the code dealing with violations of the rules, have been simplified and a number of changes made.

Penalties of passes and bids out of turn involving new deals are abolished.

Dummy Given Rights

Under the new code the penalty for a pass out of turn and before the first legal bid is that the offender must pass when it is his turn to bid. For a bid out of turn the partner of the offender is barred from the rest of the auction.

An insufficient bid can not be corrected until and unless the non-offending side calls attention to it and then the offender makes his bid sufficient with the minimum number of tricks required in the suit he first mentioned, his partner is barred from the bidding for one round. If the offender names another suit in making his bid sufficient his partner is barred from the rest of the auction.

Dummy is given more rights. He can draw attention to any irregularity by an adversary, such as a revoke, and can ask the declarer if he knows his rights.

For looking at quitted trick the penalty is 50 points. If one looks at his cards during the deal the nonoffending side can demand a new deal.

The Notebook

Monday

The Charles Crawford chapter of the D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. Lee Clark, Randolph Hill, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. C. R. West will be program leader.

Tuesday

Circles of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet at 3 o'clock on Tuesday as follows: Circle 1 with Mrs. Walter Webb, 606 Avenue F.

Circle 2 with Mrs. C. S. Surlis, 1004 West Sixth street.

Circle 3 with Mrs. Leon McPherson, 808 West Ninth street.

Circle 4 with Mrs. R. B. Kinsey, 507 West Sixth street.

Circle 5 with Mrs. J. D. Franklin, 1107 West Sixth street.

Circle 6 with Mrs. J. R. Burnett, 1405 Avenue D.

The Sunbeams will not meet this week.

Circle 2 of the Women's Council of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. Sam Kimbrell 708 West Eighth street at 3 o'clock.

Wednesday

The Wednesday Study club will meet at the club rooms at 4 o'clock.

Thursday

The Pivot Bridge club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Brice, 1011 West Fourteenth street at 2:30 o'clock.

The Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. Blair Clark, 1010 West Fifth street at 8 o'clock.

The Darning and Mending club will meet with Mrs. P. R. Warwick, 1012 West Twelfth street at 1 o'clock with a covered dish luncheon.

The —8 Bridge club will meet with Miss Ora Bess Moore, 612 West Seventh street at 8 o'clock.

Friday

The Twentieth Century club will meet Friday at 3 o'clock in the club rooms at the library.

The Cresset Bridge club will meet with Mrs. L. A. Warren, 700 West Seventh street at 3 o'clock.

Dr. Hubert Seale is expected to return Monday from Dallas where he has been attending the Spring clinical convention. Mrs. Seale is expected home from Clyde where she has been visiting her parents.

Nick Miller and H. S. Drumwright have returned from a business trip to Gatesville.

Recent Bride Is Complimented at Shower Friday

Mrs. F. B. Kirkes, of Palestine, the former Miss Mattie Lee Kunkel was complimented with a buffet luncheon and miscellaneous shower Friday by the Y. W. A. and W. M. S. of the First Baptist church at the home of Mrs. E. S. James, 1005 West Tenth street. Luncheon was served at small tables laid with lace and centered with bouquets of nasturtiums. Mrs. H. V. House sang 'Love is a Merchant' and 'Beloved,' the latter was dedicated to Mrs. Kirkes. The gifts were presented by Shirley Sue and Ramona James.

The guests were Mmes. F. E. Shepard, W. F. Walker, H. J. McArdle, C. Farquhar, Vida Stephens, Nora Skiles, Mac Stephens, Homer Hensley, H. V. House, E. L. Kunkel, Gregg Simpson, E. S. James, Wilma Burnam, Lucile Flaherty, Myrtle Anderson, Dorothy Jean Walker, Helen Stokes, Wille Frank Walker, Louise Karkalits, Blanche and Jennie Lee Mathews, and Virginia Carter.

Mrs. Brice Hostess To Two Bridge Clubs

Mrs. J. H. Brice entertained the members of two bridge clubs at her home, 1011 West Fourteenth street this week. The house was attractively decorated in Spring flowers and a color theme of lavender and green was carried out in bridge accessories and prize wrappings. On Thursday the members of the 1920 Bridge club were her guests and prizes for high score and high cut went to Mrs. A. L. Foster and Mrs. Nick Miller. On Friday the guests were members of the Wednesday Bridge and prizes were won by Mrs. Will St. John and Mrs. E. P. Crawford.

The guest list included Mmes. Ray Smith, Paul Woods, A. D. Anderson, Yancey McCrear, A. D. Foster, Nick Miller, Roshell Daniel, Charles Trammell, K. H. Pittard, A. C. Green, Guy Dabney, Will St. John, Oscar Cliett, T. F. O'Brien, R. L. Ponsler, F. D. Wright, W. J. Leach, J. A. Bearman, E. P. Crawford, R. N. Cluck, Charles Brown and Alex Spears; and Misses Mary Jane Butts and Maurine Mancill of Dallas.

Mrs. Butts Hostess To Merry Wives Club

Mrs. J. J. Butts entertained the members of the Merry Wives Forty-Two club Friday at her home, 711 West Sixth street. A colorful Spring note was brought out in the house decorations of lilacs, jonquils and peach blossoms. Tallies and score pads repeated the Spring theme.

Mrs. W. W. Moore made high score in the Forty-Two game. Members and guests present were Mmes. G. B. Kelly, W. W. Moore, J. W. Mancill, Alfred Irby, W. P. Lee, Joe Wilson, D. Ball, T. J. Dean, Charles Hale, William Rea-

'American Gov't' Is Club Meeting Topic

gan, W. H. LaRoque, J. Stuart Pearce, P. P. Shepard, J. T. Berry, C. H. Fee and Neal Turner.

'American Government' was the subject of the lesson of the First Industrial Arts club at the meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. J. Borman, 908 West Fourteenth street. Mrs. B. E. Morehart presided in the absence of the president Mrs. Hubert Seale. Mrs. L. J. Leach was leader of the program. Mrs. H. G. Bailey gave a paper entitled

'Every Woman in America Should Understand American Government.' Mrs. H. A. Bible read a paper on 'Our Legislative Department of Congress.' The topic for round table discussion was 'New Leaders in Government.'

Members taking parts were Mmes. H. L. Dyer, B. E. Morehart, Raby Miller, Rex Moore, H. A. Bible, L. J. Leach, Johnnie Cox, O. S. Leveridge, Joe Wilson, N. A. Brown, A. J. Olson, R. E. Grantham, H. H. Davis, W. W. Wallace, J. Stuart Pearce, E. L. Smith, H. G. Bailey, H. S. Nance, Ray Godfrey and J. B. Pratt.

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Clean Up By Painting Up. We are cooperating in Clean-Up Week with a Big PAINT SALE! WATCH FOR FOUR-PAGE CIRCULAR. Sale Will Take Place Thursday, Friday and Saturday! Paint Will Be Sold for As Little as 5c - A CAN - 5c! You Can Save by Attending this Sale. Cisco Lumber & Supply Co. 'WE'RE HOME FOLKS'

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THE BUNNIES ARE COMING. In fact the bunnies are here with the greatest selection of delicious, wholesome Easter goodies you have ever laid eyes on. The only trouble in ordering this candy for the children is that the grown-ups will eat most of it themselves. Easter Boxes, Assorted From 25c to \$3.50. MOORE Drug Company.

SHEERS and PRINTS \$5.95, \$8.95 \$10.95, \$14.85 \$16.85. No matter what the weather, you'll feel that it's Spring when you wear one of these fresh, vivacious dresses. The styles are clever, youthful and new, with little softening touches to accent your femininity. The colors are Spring-like and eye-filling. You'll enjoy seeing them. Many with JACKETS or CAPES. Dresses, Coats and Suits. Jno. H. Garner's THE DEPENDABLE STORE 'CISCO'S BIG DEPARTMENT STORE' (Say You Saw it in the Citizen-Free Press)

Scranton Junior Girls Win County Playground Title

Scranton rural high school junior girls playground ball team won the Eastland county class "B" championship by defeating Carbon 5 to 4.

In the first round of the tournament, which was held at Eastland, Tuesday, March 19, Scranton played Olden high school girls. This was an easy game for the Scranton girls. In three different innings the Scranton team would bat around before the Olden girls could stop them. Final score of the game was Scranton 18, Olden 9.

The Carbon girls had just defeated the Colony girls. This placed Carbon and Scranton to play for the championship. Both teams showed to be well trained, the players appeared to be determined to win. Carbon drew the field first. The first three up for Scranton made outs. Carbon scored 1 in the first inning. Scranton failed to score in the second inning. Carbon made their second score. Scranton crossed the home plate the first time in the third inning. Carbon failed to score in the third. In the fifth period Scranton staged a scoring rally and made two more scores. Carbon scored one more in the sixth inning. At this time the score was 3 and 3, and one more inning to play. First half of seventh inning Scranton scored two. Carbon came back in the last half and scored 1. The final score of the game was Scranton 5, Carbon 4.

Scranton lineup was: Ollie Powell, c; Billy Ruth Brown, p; Mary Edna King, 1b; Aura Lee Pittman, 2b; Odece Baird, 3b; Mary Ruth Sampson, ss; Mildred Taylor, lf; Mary Lee Baldree, cf; Anita Wallace, rf; Anna Bell Barron, utility.

Confidence in Courts Patriotic Essential

EASTLAND. — Speaking before the Rotary club at Eastland last Monday on "our jury system," Judge B. W. Patterson, of the 88th district court, made it plain that a demonstration of confidence in our court was a patriotic essential.

"To destroy confidence in our courts would be the most detrimental thing that could befall the United States," he told the Rotarians.

"A wave of propaganda has been sweeping the country," he said, "tending to make light of the courts. Congressional and state legislation sometimes attempt to curb the power of the democratic courts," he stated, and at times, too, certain newspapers have joined in with other groups in deriding the courts of the land, but I unhesitatingly say that patriotism is inspired by the courts, and absolute confidence in, and respect for, our public tribunals is an essential to that perfect patriotic attitude necessary to foster and perpetuate a government such as the American people enjoy. We should never shrink or attempt to evade jury service, for 'tis an honor to serve as a juror in America, even though this service, possibly, means a sacrifice."

MOHAIR OFFICERS ELECTED SAN ANGELO. — Officers of the Lone Star State Wool-Mohair Co-operative association, one of the largest co-operatives in Texas, have been re-elected for 1935. E. S. Mayer of San Angelo is president; H. G. Lucas, Brownwood, vice president; Arthur Henderson, Ozona, vice president; Sol Mayer, San Angelo, treasurer, and O. E. Ausban, secretary.

Solicitor General



Stanley Reed, above, general counsel of the RFC, was appointed by President Roosevelt to be solicitor general of United States, succeeding J. Crawford Biggs, of North Carolina.

WHEN WORLDS COLLIDE By EDWIN BALMER and PHILIP WYLIE

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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 Hendron's apartment. Ransdell arrives and Eve Hendron, with whom Tony is deeply in love, introduces Tony to Ransdell. Newspapers publish a statement made by Hendron, saying that Professor Bronson has discovered two planets, which are 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 what is occupying the minds of the members of the League of the Last 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 or an alloy which will withstand the heat and pressure of atomic energy to be used in propelling the Space Ship. The tides rush through the streets of New York.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

Tonight, when the huge Bronson Alpha and Bronson Beta with its visible cities of its own dead were on this side of the world again, the tide might rise over this hill. What matter? His mother lay where she would have chosen. A short time now, and all this world would end. "I'll take you away," Tony was saying to the old minister and his wife and the older sexton. "We're flying west tonight to the central plateau. We'll manage somehow to take you with us."

"Not me," said the old sexton. "Do not take me from the will of the Lord!"

Nor would the minister and his wife be moved. They would journey today, when the water receded, into the higher hills; but that was all they would do.

The airplane settled to earth on the high ground between Lake Michigan and Lake Superior, just as the Bronson Bodies, appallingly large, rose over the eastern horizon. Nearly a thousand people came from the great cantonment to greet Tony and Hendron's daughter. The scientist had given up his New Mexico venture entirely, and brought his congregation of human beings all to his Michigan retreat. Hendron had prepared admirably for the days which he had known would lie ahead of his hand-picked community. There were two prodigious dining halls, two buildings not unlike apartment houses in which men and women were domiciled. In addition there was a building resembling a hangar set on end, which towered above the surrounding forests more than a hundred feet. At its side was the landing field, space for the sheltering of the planes, and opposite the landing field a long row of shops which terminated in an iron works.

It was to the machine shops and foundry that Elliot James took his companions. "The crew here," he said to Eve, "has already finished part of the construction of the Ark which your father is planning. If we wanted to, we could build a battleship here; in the laboratories anything that has been done could be repeated; and a great many things have been accomplished that have never been done before. By tomorrow night I presume that the entire New York equipment will have been re-installed here."

Tony whistled. "It's amazing, genius, sheer genius! How about food?" Elliot James smiled. "There is enough food for the entire congregation as long as we will need it. "Now show us the 'Ark.'" Eve's father came out from the hangar to act as their guide. From the hysterical white glare of the Bronson Bodies Eve and Tony were taken into a mighty chamber which rose seemingly to the sky itself, where the brilliance was even greater. A hundred things inside that chamber might have attracted their attention—its flood-lighting system, or the tremendous bracing of its metal walls; but their eyes were only for the object in its center. The Ark on that late July evening—the focal point, the dream and hope of all those whom Hendron had gathered together—stood upright on a gigantic concrete block in a cradle of steel beams. Its length was one hundred and thirty-five feet. It was sixty-two feet in diameter, and its shape was cylindrical. Stream-lining was unnecessary for travel in the outer reaches of space, where there was no air to set up resistance. The metal which composed it was a special alloy eighteen inches in thickness, electroplated on the outside with an alloy which shone like chromium.

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Hendron glanced at him and continued his exposition. "A second shell, much smaller, goes inside; and between the inner shell and its outer guard are several layers of insulation material. Inside the shell will be engines which generate the blast of atomic energy, store-chambers for everything to be carried, the mechanisms of control, the aeration plant, the heating units and the quarters for passengers."

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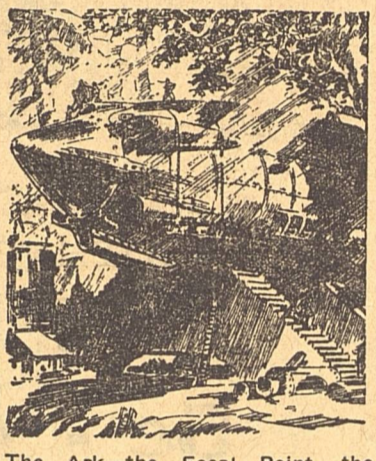
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be able to propel this thing for more than a few minutes. I—"

Eve looked at her father. "Dad, you've got to go to bed. And don't worry so. We'll find the alloy all right. We've done everything else."

Hendron nodded; and Tony, looking at him, realized for the first time how much the scientist had aged recently.

Tony escorted Eve to the women's dormitory. Eve bade him good night, then went inside. Tony walked with slow strides to the top of a neighboring hill. Hendron's village looked on the northern side like a university campus, and on the southern side like a heart of a manufacturing district. All around it stretched the Michigan wilderness. The ground had been chosen partly because of the age and firmness of its geological base, and partly because of its isolation.

Tony's mind ran unevenly and irresolutely. "All these people," he thought, "these brilliant, temperamental men and women, have subsided and made themselves like soldiers in Hendron's service—amazing man—Only a hundred people—"

Fears assailed him: "Suppose they don't complete the Ark successfully, and she never leaves the ground? Then all these people would have given their lives for nothing. Suppose it leaves the earth and falls—falls back for hundreds of miles, gaining speed all the way, so that when it hit the atmosphere it would turn red-hot and burn itself up just like a meteor."

Tony thought of the tides that would rise that night and on following nights; and faintly, like the palpitation of a steamer's deck, the earth shook beneath his feet as if in answer to his meditation. And Tony realized that the heart of the earth was straining toward its celestial companions.

On the night of the twenty-fifth, tides unprecedented in the world's history swept every seacoast. There were earthquakes of varying magnitude all over the world. In the day that followed, volcanoes opened up, and islands sank beneath the sea; and on the night of the twenty-sixth the greater of the Bronson Bodies came within its minimum distance from the earth on this their first approach.

No complete record was ever made of the devastation. Elliot James, who made some tabulation of it in the succeeding months, could never believe all that he saw and heard, but it must have been true.

The eastern coast of the United States sustained a tidal wave seven hundred and fifty feet in height, which came in from the sea in relentless terraces and inundated the land to the very foot of the Appalachians. Its westward rush destroyed every building, every hotel, every skyscraper, every city, from Bangor in Maine to Key West in Florida. The tide looped into the Gulf of Mexico, rolled up the Mississippi valley.

It roared around South America, turning the Amazon basin into a vast inland sea which stretched from what had been the east coast to the Andes mountains on the west coast. The speed of this tide was beyond calculation.

Every river became a channel for it. It spilled over Asia. It inundated the great plain of China. It descended from the Arctic regions and removed much of France, England and Germany, all of Holland and the great Soviet empire, from the list of nations. Arctic water hundreds of feet deep flowed into the Caspian sea and hurled the last of its august inertia upon the Caucasus.

Western Asia and Arabia, southern India, Africa and much of Australia remained dry land. More than half the population of the world died in the tides that rose and subsided during the proximity of the Bronson Bodies. But those who by design or through accident found themselves on land that remained dry were not necessarily spared.

Third Performance Of Little Theater

The Eastland Little Theater will present its third performance of the season at Eastland March 26 at 8 p. m. when the three-act comedy, "Skidding," is offered. Mrs. Vera McLeroy, formerly of Cisco, is included in the cast for this performance.

Mrs. Hazel Carter Ammerman is director of the play. Judge O. C. Funderburg, associate justice of the 11th court of civil appeals, is president of the Little Theater. He is a member of the cast.

The play will be produced at the auditorium of the Eastland high school.

U. S. and Britain promote accord on China policy.

Proper Care For Your Books

Authority Gives Hints To Keep Volumes Free of Injuries (Homemaking Helps)

By ELEANOR ROSS

MANY REQUESTS reach this department for some hints on the care of books. We feel, therefore, that we should spread this knowledge far and wide, since most of us possess books and most of us surely want to keep our books looking nice and free from the many injuries that befall them.

Of course, the borrower who returns your books with pencil marks, broken bindings, spots on covers, is one of the worst of all menaces to books. Against this menace, unfortunately, this department can do very little.

Then there are the visitors who seem to think that they are doing one a favor if they remove valuable volumes from their places on the shelves and handle them carelessly. Children, too, must be book-minded, for they seem to make a bee-line for books and proceed to mishandle them gleefully.

So it is well to place all valuable or important books out of the way of such transgressors and hope for the best where the easy-to-reach volumes are concerned. And it is wise to inculcate in youngsters a love and reverence for books, so that they handle them properly.

Other Injuries

But let's get down to the other injuries that can and do affect our beloved books.

First of all, there are the bindings. Well, the best thing to do, as is done in valuable collections, is to have the shelves several inches deeper than the books. This will do a great deal to protect the bindings. Books set properly in such shelves are not likely to be hurt. Then, too, when books are hard against a wall, it makes it easy for dampness from the wall to reach the book, penetrate to the lining, cause mold and loose the pages—the beginning of the end.

Expert librarians advise at least three inches behind books for the proper circulation of air. They also tell us that books should never be pulled from their shelves by their tops, for this is a most destructive method. Books should be set so loosely that they may be pulled out easily by the sides. And they should never be held by the cover alone as the weight of the pages will surely pull the book apart sooner or later.

Caring for Bindings

When bindings become loose, it is best to let a reliable bookbinder act as doctor, especially if the books are of all valuable. Since so many of us are amateur collectors and own nice sets of the classics, we will want to preserve the beauty of the bindings.

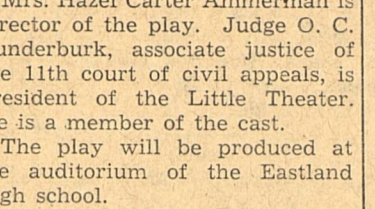
(When the least trace of mold appears, it is well to invest in a spray of the fine atomizer type and fill it with a mixture of oil of lavender or oil of cedar and spray the books and shelves lightly with the liquid.)

When books become spotted with grease or oil these ugly spots can be safely and effectively removed by sprinkling the stain heavily with powdered chalk, fuller's earth, or powdered pipeclay. Over this place a sheet of ordinary wrapping paper and apply an iron that is hot but not scorching hot. The heat will loosen the grease and the powder will absorb it. When pages have been crumpled up or leaves turned down at the corners, place a damp blotter on either side of the creased part and press with a hot iron.

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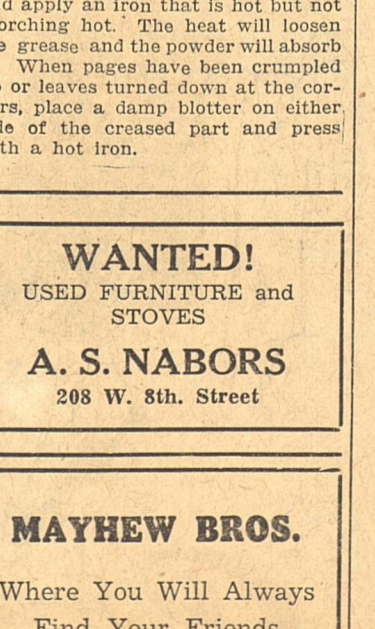
ABILENE WANTS GOLF MEET

ABILENE. — Site and tentative dates for the 1935 tournament of the West Texas Golf association will be selected at a meeting of the body's tournament committee here Sunday, according to word received from President Allen

Guinn of Mineral Wells

Only two cities are bidding for the tourney, Abilene and Mineral Wells. This city entertained the West Texas golfers in 1927, and the tournament was held at the resort city the following year.

As Cuban Revolution Spreads

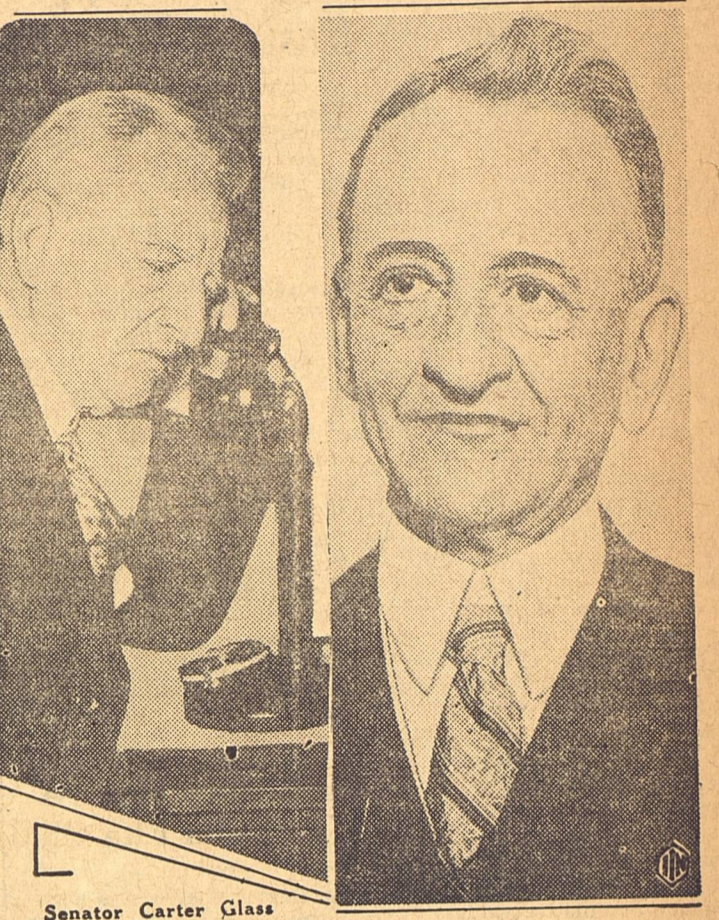


Cuban patrol searches for bombs

Cuba was declared to be in a state of war by President Carlos Mendieta after the insurrection which broke out in Havana threatened to overthrow the government. Several were killed and many wounded in street fighting and bombings. Here is a typical scene in Havana showing one of the government patrols searching a man for concealed weapons.

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New High School Training Course Meets Approval

Last September a new course, called diversified occupations, was instituted in the high school. The course was introduced in order to provide for the non-college student and as approximately 35 per cent of the graduates are all that do go to college, some provision was necessary in order that the others might be fitted for some vocation while still in high school.

In this course the student is given both practical and theoretical training. Two hours of each day are spent in studying subjects related to the vocation being learned and three hours a day are devoted to actual training under the supervision of some competent tradesman. In this manner practical training under actual working conditions is obtained. There are now 20 students studying the following occupations:

- 2 store clerks and store management.
- 2 printers.
- 3 auto mechanics.
- 3 general office and secretarial work.
- 2 top, body and fender repairmen.
- 2 stockroom management.
- 2 radio servicemen.
- 1 building supply trade.
- 1 carpenter.
- 1 beauty parlor operator.
- 1 telegraph operator.

These students are being taught the essential knowledges and some gainful occupation upon graduation or completion of the course, without going through a preliminary training period. The federal and state governments are fostering this course and are bearing three-fourths of the teaching expense, so that the cost to the local community is very small. In actual figures the cost per student hour is about 2.4 cents whereas the approximate cost of other school courses is 5 cents per student hour. Because of the necessity for individual instruction the number of students that can be handled by one instructor is limited.

The success of this course in Cisco has been made possible through the wholehearted support

given to it by the business men. **Comments by Business Men**
"We have had the opportunity of using two students in our local Cisco store. One of these students has, through this medium, secured the training in a major portion of the work as done by the male employees in our limited price store business. The other student has been receiving actual experience in the office work part of our business.

"We are very favorably impressed with the practical and sensible benefits these students are receiving in our business and it is our earnest wish that they will receive permanent benefit in point of practical experience in entering the business world later on in life. We are especially impressed with the opportunity this course offers in affording students the benefit of actual, practical experience in whatever future vocation they may choose.

"Especially do we feel this is a good thing for those students, who for various circumstances or conditions, will not be able to supplement their high school work with college training. We believe this course is a good thing for the student, the school and the business interests of Cisco and are glad those responsible have been able to secure this added educational feature as a part of the training in Cisco High school.—W. J. Leach."

"After having had actual experience with the Diversified Occupational Program through the employment of four students in our place of business, I am frank to confess that I am much in favor of this program. It gives opportunity to the youngsters, unable to attend technical schools, to learn vocations for their support in life. It provides first hand, practical experience for them which, coupled with the classroom instruction they receive, provides all-round thorough training in the vocations they undertake. Moreover, it provides business institutions and industries in the community with future training employees, thereby more than offsetting whatever inconvenience, if any, may be occasioned them by assisting in the program.—S. H. Nance."

"The Diversified Occupational Course offers the student great opportunity, as it allows him to gain practical experience during his school work; and in most cases, will assure him of a steady position when he has completed the accredited high school course. The merchant is also benefitted, in that when he employs new help, he has the satisfaction of knowing that he is getting someone with the necessary experience to fill the position.—A. D. Anderson."

"The Diversified Occupational Course of the Cisco High School with the cooperation of many merchants and industries affords an education or partial apprenticeship to many boys and girls. This training is essential and this

Interesting Spots In the Week's News

Grand Officers Installed
TEMPLE, Tex. — Grand officers of Texas Odd Fellows for 1935-36 were installed Tuesday. Heading the slate is R. C. Cowan, Texarkana, grand master. Others are: H. L. Carpenter, Greenville, deputy grand master; J. P. Ross, Amarillo, grand warden; S. M. Williams, grand secretary; John A. Kee, Fort Worth, grand treasurer.

Suffrage Leader Sick
At the age of 76 years, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, pioneer of the Woman's suffrage movement, who was much in public notice in the early eighties, is reported to be seriously ill at her home in New Rochelle, N. Y. Mrs. Catt probably did more evangelical work to popularize "votes for women," than any other individual.

Sued For Libel
Clyde O. Eastus, of Dallas federal district attorney, has been named in a suit for libel, filed by Howard A. Tucker, publisher of the Oklahoma City Oil Journal. Tucker is asking for \$150,000 damages for a story published in the Dallas Times-Herald, which quotes Eastus as saying: "The Tucker brothers have joined hands with Sen. Huey Long in the assault on myself and Postmaster General Farley — Tucker and his associates have raised a large fund to carry on their campaign through the Oklahoma City Oil Journal to bring about a stir in congress."

Premier Steer
A Mason county 4-H club boy's entry in the Fort Worth Fat Stock show has been declared the grand champion steer of the show. The champion, Art Favorite, is owned by August Jordan, 18-year-old club boy, which had previously been declared junior and club champion of the boy's baby beef show. This is the third consecutive time that Mason county has won the grand champion at the Fat Stock show.

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Three boys drown in Elizabeth river when ice breaks.

field of teaching should be enlarged in order that more students could be afforded an opportunity to select a trade or vocation. The business and professional men should deem it prudent to see that the young men and women of today have enough vocational guidance to keep them from being a misfit in later years. This method of teaching can accomplish the same good except on a much larger scale as did the trade apprenticeships of former days. We heartily endorse the program. — Cisco Gas Corporation."

WANTS VETS MEET

AMARILLO. — Remnants of Lee's men in gray were invited Thursday to hold their 1935 convention in Amarillo.

Uninvited by any city, for a time the United Confederate veterans were urged by Mayor Ross D. Rogers and Carl Hinton, secretary of the chamber of commerce and former national commander of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, to meet here. Hinton managed several former conventions of the old soldiers.

Invitations were sent to Gen. Harry Rene Leed of Nashville, Tenn., adjutant general of the Confederate veterans.

Amarillo joined Jackson, Miss., and New Orleans in bidding for the convention.

Mrs. L. W. Hilgenberg has returned to her home in Abilene after a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Pratt and Mr. Pratt.

Checks for School Payment Are Mailed

The county superintendent's office this week was mailing checks to the various school districts of the county for the \$2 payment on the per capita apportionment for the 1934-35 school term. The \$2 payment brings the amount on the \$16.50 apportionment to \$9.

Supt. Claiborne Eldridge said that the rural schools of the county would receive approximately \$4,500 while about \$13,000 will go to independent school districts.

FORMER CISCOANS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin H. Cade, of Jayton, Kent county, Texas, are here taking medical treatment. Mr. Cade was practically reared in Eastland county, his father having moved here in 1879. He has been looking up some of his old Cisco friends, but he stated

that most of those he knew were now sleeping in Oakwood cemetery. However, he stated he has met several who were here when he lived in this county, among these were Aaron and Jim Mayhew, Joe Wilson, and others.

PWA has completed more than 11,000 projects.

SUMMER SCHOOL FAVORED

AUSTIN. — The senate Thursday passed the house summer school appropriation bill after it had been amended to carry the figures of the senate bill recently passed, which called for \$330,229 compared with \$227,000 in the house measure. The bill will go to conference for final adjustment.

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Summer is coming. Be sure you have the proper containers for wet garbage.

Citizens having cows should see that the lots are regularly cleaned to guard against the breeding of flies.

Report all places where mosquitoes are likely to breed to the city authorities.

Presence of any dead animals should be reported to Edgar Johnson at 403.

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There will be 5 Quarts of UNIFLO Oil Sealed in the engine. The engine will then run continuously from March 26, 9 a. m. to March 30, 1 p. m. Then seal will be broken by the judges to see how much oil this V-8 used on this run.

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Driver P. I. Sinner will be handcuffed to this V-8 to drive continuously for the 100 hours.

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Church Services In Cisco Today

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sunday school at 9:45. Sermon at 11 a. m. by pastor. At 3 p. m. a recital by heads of the fine arts department of Hardin-Simmons university, Abilene, will be presented in the church auditorium. Those appearing will be Lola Gibson Deaton, voice; Herbert M. Preston, violin, and E. Edwin, piano. B. T. U. at 6:30. Preaching services at 7:30. Sermon subject: "Prepare to Meet Thy God." The pastor will preach. Messrs. Hittson, Walker and Schaefer will sing a trio at the evening hour. These services will mark the beginning of a two weeks revival during which the Rev. P. D. O'Brien, of Colorado City, will do the preaching. He will arrive Monday.—E. S. JAMES, Pastor.

EAST CISCO BAPTIST CHURCH
 9:45, Sunday school. 11, sermon, "Why Give." 6:30, sermon, "We Would See Jesus." Prayer meeting 7 Wednesday evening.—T. J. SPARKMAN, Pastor.

MORMON CHURCH
 The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, meets in the banquet room adjoining the Laguna hotel coffee shop. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. evening services 7:30 p. m. Dr. W. I. Ghormley will have charge of both services. Subject for the evening service will be, "Where Are We Going?" Do the Scriptures divide all the human family into two classes, and only two? Is there more than one heaven or hell? Who is going to which? Will all the nations be judged by the same standard? What sayeth the Scriptures? Come and see.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. A German service will be held at 10 and English services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject of the sermon in the evening service will be "The World's Redeemer, a Man of Sorrows." The public is cordially invited to these services.—E. H. RIESE, Pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Church school at 9:45, O. L. Stamey, superintendent in charge. Morning worship at 10:50. Dr. W. B. Andrews of Fort Worth will deliver the sermon. Epworth League at 6:30 and evening service at 7:15. A cordial welcome is extended to everybody to attend any or all of these services.

The church is located at the corner of 8th street and H avenue.—FRANK L. TURNER, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
 Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Young peoples meeting at 6:30 and evening service at 7:30. At both preaching hours the pastor will continue his series of Bible sermons. Church is located at Sixth street at H Ave. — J. STUART PEARCE, Pastor.

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH
 Mass today will be at 10 a. m. by Rev. Joseph Fernandez. This is the third Sunday in Lent. The epistle is from the Ephesians V. 1-9; the gospel is from St. Luke XI.14-28. Tomorrow, Monday, is the Feast of the Annunciation of the Angel Gabriel to the Blessed Virgin Mary that she would become the mother of the Savior, Christ Jesus. Church is located at corner of F avenue and 12th street.—M. COLLINS, Pastor.

Mrs. Greer Has Entrenous Club on Friday

The Entrenous Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. K. N. Greer, Friday at her home, 500 M avenue. Pastel shades of Spring were used in the bridge tallies and gift wrappings. Mrs. F. J. Borman won the high score prize and Mrs. R. C. McCarter received the high cut prize.

A salad course was served to Mrs. F. J. Borman, R. C. McCarter, George Atkins, E. L. Smith, Rex Moore, Sam Kimmell, W. J. Armstrong and L. A. Warren.

Friendly 12 Meets With Mrs. McClelland

Mrs. E. C. McClelland was hostess to the members of the Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club Thursday evening at her home on 1008 West Seventh street. Spring flowers were used to decorate the rooms and an Easter motif was used in the party appointments. Tiny baskets filled with Easter eggs were given as favors. High score prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clough and the low prizes to Mrs. Bill Dean and O. V. Cunningham. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Blair Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dean, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clough, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland.

Adult Sewing Class Invites All Women

The sewing class of the adult education school, meeting from 1 to 4 each afternoon except Saturday and Sunday, in room No. 202 at the high school building, issued an invitation to women in communities where no adult schools are located to attend. Instruction is free and all that a woman desiring to attend the class is required to do is to bring the material she intends to work with or the garments she plans to make over, it was explained. The class room is well equipped with work tools and machines, and efficient teachers will assist in designing, cutting and fitting the garments and will give instruction in finishing. Mrs. Glenn Fowler was winner of the attendance prize awarded by the Leach Store last week.

FRIGIDAIRE DESTROYED

Fourteen Frigidaires, used machines traded in for new ones, were consigned to the ax of the salvage man at the Cisco Lumber and Supply company Saturday. A representative of General Motors Corp., makers of the machines, demolished each box without mercy.

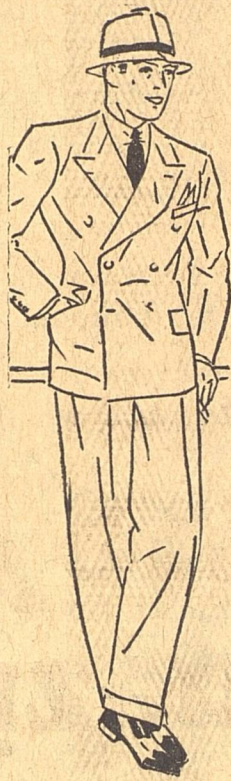
Little Miss Marguerite Legate of Fort Worth is spending the week-end in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank L. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson spent Saturday in De Leon.

Mrs. May White has gone to Longview on a visit.

Mrs. C. E. Hickman is spending a few days in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crawford spent Thursday in Fort Worth.

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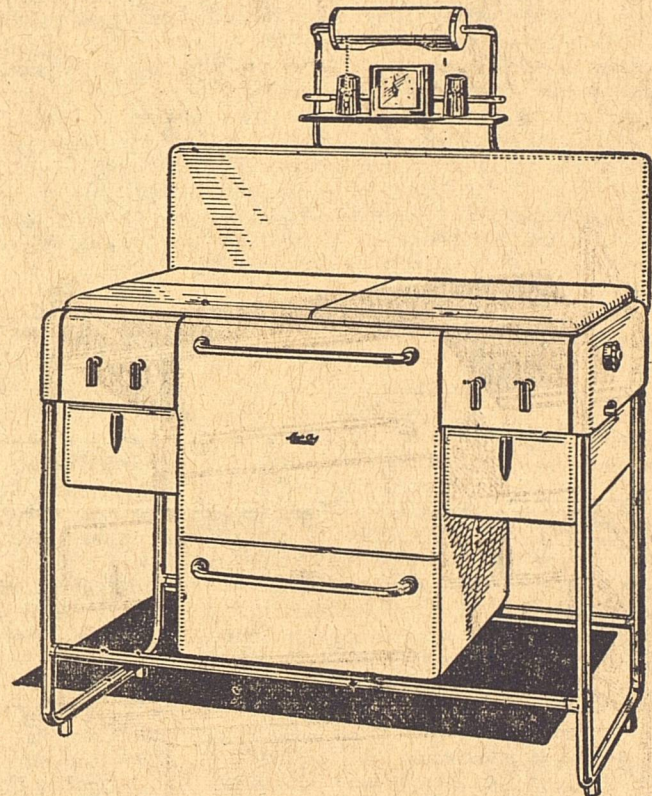
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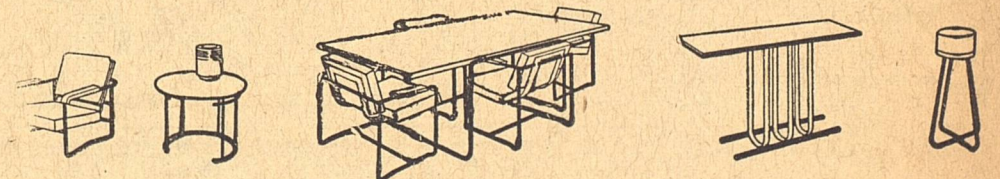
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Cisco Citizens And Voters

According to the records at the city hall thirty-seven citizens of Cisco were sued and their property sold for taxes during the last two years of the Williamson administration. In addition to these, approximately 65 suits against Cisco citizens were pending in district court at Eastland when the present administration took office.

Not a single one of the citizens thus sued was able to pay the taxes. Five of them were widows. Some were orphans. All of them were victims of the depression.

The 65 suits pending were dismissed by the present administration.

It is not the idea of the present administration to give relief by suing poor property owners in the midst of a depression, taking their property away from them and, in doing so, to incur further expenses in the shape of school, county and state delinquent taxes and costly fees which must be paid out of the city treasury.

Without resorting to such oppressive tactics, the present administration has been able to keep the city of Cisco on a cash basis, carry on and improve the public services, give relief to hundreds of needy citizens, and to refund an enormous \$6,000,000 public debt. All of this in the midst of the worst depression that the world has known in modern times.

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