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BANKERS TO SUPPORT WE ARE LOST, IS CRY POLICY OF STOPPING OF CARRANZA FLEEING UNNECESSARY LENDING FROM CAPTURED TRAIN

Governor Harding Outlines Stand of Federal Reserve Board to End High Prices and Speculation.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Bankers of the country, through representatives attending a conference today with the federal reserve board, pledged themselves in helping the board in a drive on high prices and to aid in efforts at deflation. The bankers agreed to support unreservedly the board's new policy in discouraging "habitual and unnecessary borrowings" and to seek curtailment of "long standing, non-essential loans" as an initial step toward ending the era of high prices and speculation.

Governor Harding set forth the board's policy in a speech designed to clarify the general situation and to explain the government's views. He warned of impending dangers in the cycle of continued borrowings and speculation and appealed to bankers and the public alike to be conservative in demands for banking credit.

"It is evident," Mr. Harding said, "that the country cannot continue to advance prices and wages, to curtail production, to expand credit and attempt to enrich itself by non-productive operations and transactions without fostering discontent and radicalism, and that such a course, if persisted in, will eventually bring on a real crisis."

Mr. Harding said "that everything must be done" to expedite the release of money in "frozen loans" and in commodities held either for speculative purposes or because of lack of transportation and urged bankers to use the utmost discriminating in granting new loans. Reports laid before the conference by the federal advisory council, directors of the federal reserve banks and by a committee representing the American Bankers' Association, were to the effect that inflation has continued to some extent since the flotation of the Victory Loan last May.

Mr. Harding continued: "Progress toward the restoration of normal relationship between the volume of goods and the volume of credit may be made by reducing credit more rapidly than production is diminished, or by increasing production at a greater rate than credit is expanded. If it should prove impracticable in the existing circumstances to increase essential production, then we must through economy in consumption and through moderation in the use of credit check the tendency toward a further widening of the margin between goods and credit."

"Our problem, therefore, is to check further expansion and to bring about a normal and healthy liquidation without curtailing essential production and without shock to industry, and, as far as possible, without disturbing legitimate commerce and business.

Villa Summoned Before Call for Holding American Official for Ransom at Boquillas.

MEXICO CITY, May 18.—"We are lost. Good-bye, gentlemen." These were Carranza's final words before his flight from the besieged trains in the early afternoon of May 14, while passing momentarily before a crowd of terrified civilian refugees a few miles east of San Marcos, accompanied by a few intimates and guarded by what special dispatches term a "very small cavalry force."

The fugitive president crossed the narrow valley through which the Mexican railway passes, stopped for a few moments to watch the liberal revolutionary forces occupy the stalled train, then disappeared among the mountains.

It is believed certain that Carranza is heading northward toward the coast by way of Coahuila de Zaragoza, with the intention of escaping from the country.

Judging from the list of captured officials and generals received Sunday at the headquarters in Mexico City of the liberal revolutionary government, few are accompanying Carranza. Among them are believed to be Luis Cabrera, secretary of the treasury.

MEXICO CITY, May 11, via El Paso Junction, May 18.—President Carranza's train is still stationary between Anizaco, Tlaxcala, and San Marcos, Puebla, according to reports arriving here this afternoon.

Several revolutionary forces, which have been opposing the passage of these trains, have repulsed attacks by troops under General Francisco Murguía, which were guarding Carranza and his companions.

EL PASO, Texas, May 18.—General P. Elias Calles, provisional minister of war of Mexico, has summoned General Francisco Villa to appear at Chihuahua City to explain his reported action in holding an American official of the Alvarado Mining company for ransom at Boquillas, west of Santa Rosalia, Chihuahua. That was announced by General Calles tonight on his departure on a special train to Chihuahua City.

NEW YORK, May 18.—Consular representatives here of the Carranza government of Mexico are declining to issue or certify similar documents for ships clearing for Mexico except on waiver of all responsibility, it was said here today at the office of the consul general of Mexico.

Further damage, however, is not anticipated as practically all the low land not protected by levees is already under water.

AND WHEN HE GOT THERE THE TREASURY WAS BARE!



SAYS NAVY'S BLASTING OF SIMS' ASPIRATIONS CAUSE OF HIS ATTACK

Daniels Declares Department Refused Admiral British Honor Because It Was Un-American.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Appointment of Rear Admiral Sims as honorary member of the British admiralty was declined by the navy department as "un-American," despite that it was proffered by King George himself.

In addition to the four teams working in the business district, every member present was supplied with membership cards and urged to devote all the time possible to enlisting the citizens of Cisco as members of the Y. M. B. L. during the present drive.

In discussing the campaign for members several of the speakers stressed the importance of strength in large numbers, predicting that the league, with Cisco's united citizenship behind it, would be able to accomplish great things for the city.

The committee will begin work today and continue until Saturday night. The committee appointed some time ago for the purpose of creating interest in the organization of the traveling men making Cisco their headquarters reported that much interest had been manifested and that letters were now being sent to ascertain the preference whether for a U. C. T. or a T. P. A. post.

Organization will be perfected at an early date, the committee reported. The committee looking into the feasibility of establishing a cotton mill in Cisco made an interesting report and was instructed to continue their efforts.

The league extended a rising vote of thanks to the Humble Oil & Refining company for its cooperation in the entertainment of the fighting journalists, who were recent visitors to Cisco under the auspices of the Y. M. B. L. and Chamber of Commerce.

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Interstate Commerce Commission Taking Deliberate Action to Clear Up Grave Situation.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Efforts to relieve freight congestion are making progress, according to an announcement late today by the interstate commerce commission.

It was stated that the movement of the empty box cars for grain loading had begun in large volume westward from New England and the Atlantic seaboard.

These cars are being moved in solid trains under expedited orders, and their transfer is watched continually to avoid delays, the commission said.

Simultaneously a counter movement of cars for coal loading has been instituted from the middle west to the coal producing areas of the east.

The commission announced that this order of handling equipment would be continued "until a more proper balance of these classes of equipment is obtained" and predicted considerable relief both by providing foods and fuel where needed and by easing the financial strain resulting from the long continued tie up.

Officials of the American Railway association predicted a "regular and continuous movement" of empty cars within a short period, but the association's car service committee warned that the demands for cars continued to increase and that the allocation of equipment should be made with the utmost care to avoid further jam at all gateways.

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TIDAL WAVE OF REDUCTION IN CLOTHING PRICES SWEEP U. S. FROM MISSISSIPPI WESTWARD

Dealers Announcing Cuts in Ready-Made Garments and Silks From Fifteen to Twenty Per Cent—Tight Money and Inadequate Transportation Facilities Said to Be Responsible.

CHICAGO, May 18.—A wave of price cutting in retail clothing costs reaching from the Mississippi valley to the Pacific coast was reported today.

Dispatches from 24 cities told of promised reductions in these necessities ranging from 15 per cent to minus profit.

Financial authorities here said indications were that the price decline would be limited to ready-to-wear clothing, principally women's garments and silks.

Tight money and inadequate transportation facilities were cited among the prime reasons for the mercantile movement.

Delays in delivery of goods in which much money has been tied up, with inability of farmers to get grain and live stock to market were said in many instances to have worked a hardship on merchants.

An officer of a leading department store of Chicago declared the price reduction now being reported meant that merchants were trying to satisfy what he called "a hysterical demand from the public for lower prices."

These current reductions, he said, might only be temporary.

A financial authority here said that if reports of price cutting were dependable, they indicated a tendency toward a reduction in inventories. This might be temporary, it was undoubtedly good, in that it suggested that merchants were going ahead more cautiously.

Sales are being held under various names. In Topeka, Kansas, a men's clothing firm announced a "no profit sale," declaring that it would back its promise at the end of the sale by letting the fair price commissioner or a committee named by him take possession of its books and accounts.

Department stores in St. Louis advertised "under-selling campaigns." Twenty per cent cuts were the most popular.

At the Pacific coast, Tacoma dealers announced decreases from 10 per cent to "profitless" sales, declaring that on some women's garments prices were cut virtually in half.

Three Seattle retailers cut clothing 20 per cent. In San Francisco one retailer announced a 20 per cent cut in all lines, another 20 to 40 per cent in certain commodities.

At Everett, Washington, two men's stores announced 20 per cent clothing cuts.

In Nebraska three large Omaha stores several days ago announced a reduction of 20 per cent, and other Omaha stores have followed.

Several Omaha stores said their silk cuts were 50 per cent.

In York, Nebraska, a 20 per cent cut in ladies' silk and women's garments was made.

In Wichita, Kansas, silk shirts have been reduced.

Coffeyville, Kansas, reported many cut price sales.

In Minneapolis a large department store has announced a general cut of 20 per cent.

At Knoxville, Tennessee, one of the city's largest department stores today made a general discount of 20 per cent on its entire stock, except a few contact price articles. Shoe reductions also were announced.

MINERS AND OPERATORS AGREE ON EXPLOSIVES

KANSAS CITY, May 18.—Agreement was reached between representatives of coal miners and operators in the districts embracing Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Arkansas here late today, on the controverted question of the cost of mine explosives, that will, it was said, result in the resumption of work to improve in those mines closed down by strikes.

The tentative cost schedule, which represents a compromise, includes: Arkansas and Oklahoma \$2.12, old price \$3.10.

CAR SHORTAGE CAUSES CRISIS IN SOFT COAL

WASHINGTON, May 18.—A "grave crisis involving the industrial life of the country" has resulted from failure of soft coal operators to obtain an adequate car supply, the National Coal association declared tonight in a general survey based on reports from members in many sections.

The United Mine Workers of America also in a statement quoting John Moore, president of the Ohio miners, said that unless something was done immediately to relieve the car situation the public would find itself without coal next winter.

Responsibility for present conditions, Moore charged, "rests squarely on the railroads and their unjust and unfair discrimination in the distribution of coal cars."

TWELVE ALLEGED SUGAR PROFITERS ARRESTED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 18.—Eleven business men of this city and one at Elgin, Oklahoma, were arrested today by federal authorities following indictments returned against them by a federal jury charged with violations of the Lever act by alleged profiteering in the sale of sugar.

Those under arrest are: A. J. Granahan, T. Robinson, J. P. Brown, J. H. Rucks, John Thomas, O. H. Dietz, J. Marshall Morris, M. S. Cofer, Charles E. Van Cleet, O. D. Haisel and Harry Farman, all of Oklahoma City, and Harry E. Allen of Elgin.

All of these under arrest are connected with wholesale grocery firms in this state and one, Van Cleet, is a member of the state fair price commission.

Herbert M. Peck, United States attorney for the western district of Oklahoma, tonight stated the indictments show that some of the men under arrest had made as high as 10,000 per cent profit on sugar within a year, and that the least profit any of them had made as shown by the indictments was \$500 per cent a year on money invested.

O'DONNELL-WOGAN OIL PAYS STOCK DIVIDEND

The O'Donnell-Wogan Oil company of this city began paying two per cent monthly dividends last Saturday, when a budget of checks was mailed to stockholders of the company. J. O'Donnell, president, says.

KATY CONDUCTOR BREAKS ANKLE CROSSING TRACKS

Conductor O. R. Belcher of the Katy was sent to Waco Tuesday evening with a broken ankle.

Dr. J. W. Howell, the local company surgeon, attended Belcher, and said that he would be sent to St. Paul's sanitarium in Dallas.

Conductor Belcher was in charge of train No. 29, west bound, due in Cisco at 10:10 a. m. At the Cisco depot when he was crossing the tracks to the lunch counter he stepped on the end of a cross tie, his left foot turned and he fell. It developed that his ankle was broken. After treatment he was put on the sleeper parked here and returned east.

Conductor Belcher is one of the old-time employes, having been on this line for 23 years.

EXPECT TO SETTLE COAL WAGE DIFFICULTY TO-DAY

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OKLAHOMA HARVEST WAGE 35 DAY — ENID, Okla., May 18.—Representative wheat growers who met here recently decided on \$4 a day as wages in the Oklahoma harvest fields this summer. Farmers expressed the belief that a uniform scale was the only solution of the farm labor question.

WEATHER FORECAST — Louisiana, Wednesday and Thursday generally fair, somewhat warmer Wednesday. Arkansas, Oklahoma, EAST AND WEST TEXAS, Wednesday and Thursday, generally fair.

BREAK IN LEVEE FLOODS LAND IN LAFAYETTE, ARK.

TEXARKANA, Texas, May 18.—A strip of land in Lafayette county, Arkansas, between the hills and the Red river, extending from near the Hempstead county line to a point 14 miles south of Garland, about 40 miles long and averaging five miles wide, is now flooded because of breaks in the levees.

The breaking of the levees on the Lafayette county side of the river has coming down the river and a stage of 10 feet is predicted at Index and 35 feet at Fulton.

Owing to heavy rains in north Texas and Oklahoma another flood crest is coming down the river and a stage of 10 feet is predicted at Index and 35 feet at Fulton.

Further damage, however, is not anticipated as practically all the low land not protected by levees is already under water.

TEXAS CATTLEMAN IS ACQUITTED OF MURDER

LLANO, Texas, May 18.—James Callan, prominent Texas cattle man of Cedar, was acquitted here today of the charge of murder in connection with the shooting of Vernon R. Billings, a young live stock grower on the Callan ranch last November 12.

The jury, which had been out since Saturday afternoon, had twice asked the court to be dismissed on the ground it could not reach a verdict. The requests were refused, the court insisting upon further deliberations.

KANSAS BANK CASHIER ARRESTED ON CHARGES OF EMBEZZLING FUNDS

TOPEKA, Kan., May 18.—V. O. Johnson, cashier of the State Bank of Agate, Kansas, which was closed yesterday, was arrested here tonight charged with embezzlement.

According to W. E. Wilson, state bank commissioner, at whose orders the bank was closed, the amount of the defalcation is approximately \$50,000.

LOCAL PAINTER SUFFERS STROKE OF PROSTRATION

W. W. Scott, a painter, aged about 60 years, was stricken with nervous prostration while at work in his paint shop Tuesday evening. He was conveyed to his home and put under the direction of Dr. J. W. Gregory and was resting well last report.

WASHINGTON Names Demo. Delegates. SPOKANE, Wash., May 18.—The democratic state convention today named uninstructed delegates to the national convention and adopted the report of the platform committee which urged ratification of the German peace treaty with its league of nations covenant.

CISCO ARCHITECT PLANS WALNUT SPRINGS SCHOOL

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Returns from 195 scattered precincts for democratic national committee give J. F. Coffey of Pittsburgh a lead of more than 1400 over Eugene C. Bonnell of Philadelphia. Guffey supported Attorney General Palmer.

GEORGIA DEMOCRATS IN OPPOSITION TO WILSON TREATY OF VERSAILLES

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DISTRICT METHODIST CONFERENCE OPENS IN SESSION TUESDAY A. M.

Decide to Conduct Business Through Committees—Presiding Elder Rev. Samsabaugh in Chair.

The tenth annual session of the Cisco District Conference of the Central Texas Methodist Conference convened in the City Hall auditorium Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock with the presiding elder, Rev. O. F. Samsabaugh, in the chair.

The Rev. C. E. Lintner, former presiding elder, conducted the devotional services, after which the roll was called.

Rev. W. J. Morris, pastor at Strawn, was elected secretary, after which Mayor James Williamson made an address of welcome, and J. D. Hawkins of Thibier responded with a speech of gratitude in behalf of the conference members.

It was decided to transmit the business of the conference by committees, and the Reverend Mr. Samsabaugh announced the following:

- Committee on lay activities—G. Fisk, chairman.
Committee on financial systems—L. D. Hawkins, chairman.
Committee on spiritual state of the church—Rev. H. O. Sory, chairman.
Committee on education—Rev. S. J. Vaughn, chairman.

Committee on Sunday schools—Rev. R. R. Hooper, chairman.
Committee on Christian literature—Rev. R. A. Langston, chairman.

Committee on Epworth Leagues—Mrs. B. E. Maguire, chairman.
Committee on income to preach—Rev. M. A. Turner, chairman.

Committee on deacons' orders—Rev. F. T. Capps, chairman.
Committee on elders' orders—Rev. W. P. Layne, chairman.

Committee on missions—Rev. C. E. Lindsay, chairman.
Committee on church extension—Rev. J. A. Webb, chairman.

Rev. H. A. Boon, president of the Southern Methodist University, Dallas, spoke at 11 o'clock on "The Value of Christian Education."

The afternoon was devoted to hearing the reports of local preachers.

The conference will convene again at 6 o'clock this morning and Bishop Ainsworth will deliver an educational address at 11 o'clock.

MEXICAN STUDENT PREPARED TO GRADUATE HOME

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, May 18.—Due to internal disturbances in Mexico, C. A. Castillo, student in industrial chemistry at Texas A. & M. College, has been given credit for his work and awarded a certificate of graduation in order that he might return to his native land.

Castillo's father, the young student said, is a prominent attorney in Mexico City. Under the Diaz and Madero regimes he was minister to Belgium, later minister to Russia, and still later was president of the Mexican senate. With the overthrow of those administrations Castillo gave up public life and resumed practice of his profession in Mexico City.

According to the son, his family has suffered interference of various kinds since the Huerta regime was established, and practically all his father's property has been confiscated. The elder Castillo, he said, did not associate with Carranza in any way.

The last word from his family was a letter written May 1, which reported great excitement in the Mexican national capital. Subsequent communications addressed to the elder Castillo brought no further word, and young Castillo decided to hurry home.

Both Castillo and Salazar declared their belief that General Alvaro Obregon was a man of strength, honor and stability.

OKLAHOMA VILLAGE DESTROYED BY CYCLONE WON'T BE REBUILT

PEGGS, Okla., May 18.—This secluded little village in Cherokee county, torn and tossed by a tornado on the night of Sunday, May 2, in which sixty-one residents lost their lives, will not be rebuilt. This is the opinion of survivors, who say they will move to Tahlequah, Locust Grove, and other nearby towns.

In the days of the Cherokee Nation, in Indian territory days, the log cabin of Thomas Peggs was built at the head of a small prairie surrounded by a forest of huge oaks. Peggs was captain of a company of Cherokee soldiers in a Union regiment in the war between the states. He was a delegate to Washington on behalf of the Nation and his body now lies in the congressional burial ground in that national capital.

For many years this section bore the name of Peggs' Prairie. With the passing of the Indian government the place where the pioneer built his log cabin became a village. It was known as Peggs. The town once was incorporated but the expense of municipal government proved too onerous and the corporation was allowed to lapse. Peggs remained a village of about 250 souls until its almost complete destruction recently.

Palmer Controls Mexico Oil Fields

NEW YORK, May 18.—General Daniel Palmer, reported in control of the entire oil field district of the Mexican coast. In a message received in New York today guaranteed to protect the lives and property of Americans as well as Mexicans in his territory.

W. P. Buckley, an American resident of Vera Cruz and Mexico City for the last twelve years, and a close personal friend of Palmer, received the general's cablegram.

Ceruline Farrar, famous actress and singer, dispensed of her stage gown by holding public sales twice a year. At one of these sales she disposed of 72 necks.

THIRTY-FIVE STATES REPUBLICAN PLATFORM COMMITTEE DISCUSS ISSUES IN FIRST MEET

CHICAGO, May 18.—Thirty-five states will elect governors next fall at the time when the president and vice-president are chosen. Thirty-two United States senators, to take office on March 4, 1921, also are to be elected.

Of the governors whose terms expire next year 22 are republicans and 13 are democrats; while 17 of the 32 senators are democrats and 15 republicans.

The 35 governorships to be filled offer a wide range, both in terms and salaries. Among the state executives whose terms expire are Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, the highest paid governor in the country; and S. R. McKelvie, of Nebraska, the poorest paid.

Lowden receives \$12,000 yearly for four-year term and McKelvie \$2,500 annually for two years. Only 12 of the 35 will receive over \$3,000 a year, and five will be paid \$3,000 or less.

Governor Coolidge, of Massachusetts, whose position carries a \$10,000 salary, is the only governor in the country elected for one year. All other states elect either two or four-year terms.

Constitutional governors are better paid than the average state executive and two of the four are appointed for indefinite terms, with the result that they remain in office as long as a rule, as the president who named them.

Francis Burton Harrison, governor-general of the Philippines, has the list of territorial executives with an indefinite term and a \$20,000 yearly salary. Arthur Yager, governor of Porto Rico receives \$10,000 and is appointed for an indefinite term. Governor Thomas Lige, Jr., of Alaska and C. J. McCarthy of Hawaii, each received annual salaries of \$7,000 during their four-year terms.

The states which will elect governors this year, with the incumbent, his politics, salary and term of office are:

Table with columns: STATE, GOVERNOR, POLITY, SALARY, TERM YRS. Lists 35 states and their respective governors and terms.

Newsboys and Friends to Be Guests of News and Elks at Carnival

All the newsboys in town and their boy friends will be the guests of the Elks and The Cisco Morning News at the big carnival here tonight.

Any boy who sells The News, or any other paper here, is invited to come and bring as many friends with him as he likes.

The party will meet in front of The Morning News office promptly at 7:30 this (Wednesday) evening.

Class H. Chert, circulation manager of The News, will have charge of the party. All boys expecting to go must report to him and be sure to be on time. They won't need any tickets, but unless they are with him they will not be admitted to shows here.

The newspaper lads will be taken to all of the concession performances, but will not be permitted to throw hoops or baseballs, or take part in games of chance.

"The purpose of this party," says Clark, "is to show that The Morning News is looking out for the boys who sell this paper and taking a kindly interest in their social, as well as their business life. I want to express appreciation to the Elks and the Reed show people, who are making this excursion possible."

KATY ENGINEER WINS RACE WITH OKLAHOMA TORNAO

PARSONS, Okla., May 18.—Passengers aboard the "Katy Flyer," May 2, were given a hair-raising race with the tornado which wiped out the town of Peggs, Okla., according to Engineer Joseph R. Gier of Parsons, who pilot of the flyer locomotive.

The engineer said he first sighted the storm near Lusta, Okla., apparently about five miles distant, the funnel-shaped cloud being very conspicuous.

"We ran along for six miles parallel with the storm," said Gier. "At times it would dip down to earth and then it would look like a big tank on fire—it was like dense, black smoke. Considering the course it was taking, I figured about where it would cross the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad tracks, and I beat it to that place. I threw 'er wide open. The train and the twister converged at a fatal angle, and I kept on, and we won. The storm crossed low about 500 yards behind us. I realized next day that it had swept the hallogin from beneath the track and had torn wheat bare from the adjoining field."

CISCO OIL FIELD NEWS

STAMFORD OIL FIELD EXPECTING PRODUCTION.

STAMFORD, Texas, May 18.—The Texas Cushing Oil company, headquarters here, has just let a contract for the drilling of another 2500 foot test in the extreme northeastern corner of Jones county, according to announcement made here today.

The proposed well is about 32 miles from the Texas company's 15,000,000 foot gusher in Throckmorton county. About the same distance another company has a 19 to 14 barrel well. A leading geologist, who examined this particular territory, declared the topography here has a "violent break." This well will be spudded in not later than August 1.

The Proctor No. 1 of the Texas Cushing company, 20 miles southeast of town, is drilling at 435 feet. Five and three-sixteenths inch casing will be set at 445 feet. Local officials of the company today expressed confidence that a gusher will be struck at between 4700 and 4800 feet. For the last 200 feet the drill has been in blue shale.

The Colbert well of the Texas Cushing company is shut down at 1215 feet, awaiting a special tool from California. This well has considerable showings of gas and some oil.

The Murphy-Bolanz Conrad No. 1, south of Stamford, is reported drilling at 250 feet.

The Harold well of the Stamford Oil company was recently reported drilling at 1215 feet.

The Kouri No. 1, northeast of Stamford, is underreaming and lowering 10-inch casing in an effort to shut off salt water above. Mr. Kouri said this well had good indications and would probably make a good well with a few hundred feet deeper. The Kouri No. 2 on the Couch ranch, shut down for several days for lack of water, will resume this week following the heavy rains.

The Weart-York Venture No. 1 Collet, six miles northeast of Stamford, is setting 10 1/2 inch casing at 1500 feet. Considerable gas and rainbows have shown. Mr. Weart of Canada is here, expecting the well to come in, in the next fortnight or so.

STATE OFFICIALS CONFERENCE ON OIL AND GAS PRICE.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Nelson Macy Barrett, special agent of the Federal Trade commission, recently conferred here with officials of the oil and gas department of the Texas railroad commission on the subject of the price of crude petroleum and its by-products.

He said he was making a hurried investigation as to the causes of the continued advance in the price of this commodity, in accordance with a congressional resolution, introduced by Representative Dyer of Missouri, directing the inquiry. Mr. Barrett was assigned to the Texas and Louisiana oil fields.

The investigation is necessarily a hurried one, he said, since a report must be made to congress on June 1.

The only two countries in which the mile is of equal length are Britain and America.

BROWNWOOD C. OF C. MEN GUESTS OF THIS CITY TUESDAY NIGHT

A party of prominent Brownwood citizens were the guests of Cisco Tuesday night, and will be here part of today, when they will be escorted by Mayor James Williamson and a party of Cisco business men to Lake Bernie, the new reservoir site, to Humbletown and other points of big interests around this city.

The Brownwood business men are a part of the chamber of commerce of that city. They are: Brooke Smith, banker, B. F. Johnson, wholesale fruit and vegetable dealer, and Lee Watson, a hardware merchant.

They motored up, stopping at Elting Star and looking over the oil fields there, thence to Cisco, where they will also make a survey of the oil developments before returning to Brownwood.

They were met by the mayor and a number of Ciscoans, and invited to the Texas company offices, where an informal get-together meeting was held. Talks were made and subjects discussed that had for their object the closer relationship of the two cities.

Ciscoans present at the meeting were Mayor James Williamson, H. M. Anderson, general superintendent of the Cisco division of the Texas company, William Reagan, Texas company sales agent; T. J. O'Donnell, of the O'Donnell-Wogan oil company; Clace; J. W. Ray; J. J. Butts and J. O. Sue.

These visitors were lightly pleased with Cisco, and spoke of it as being next to Brownwood in importance.

After touring this vicinity today they will motor back to their Brownwood homes.

INDIANS THINK BICYCLE IS GREATER THAN LOCOMOTIVE

WINNIPEG, Man., May 18.—Indians thought to Winnipeg from the far north to participate in the Hudson Bay anniversary pageant, some of whom had never been in a large city before, when asked what they thought was the most wonderful thing witnessed here declared it to be the bicycle.

The reason for this, they said, was because they could see the working of the bicycle whereas they failed to understand the mechanism of the locomotive, the airplane, automobile or the immense structures of the city.

Established Egg Record. NOGAYLES, Arizona, May 18.—Establishing a record in Santa Cruz county, H. A. Atkins last month earned \$100 net from the sale of eggs laid by 170 White Leghorn hens on his ranch in Parker canyon, near Patagonia. He bought all the feed and sold his eggs on the open market at from 60 to 80 cents.

CARNIVAL GROUNDS CROWDED FOR FIRST OF ELKS' FESTIVAL

The Elks' spring festival, which is the center of attraction in Cisco all this week, got well under way last night with the opening of the E. B. Reed's Greater Shows, which compose the principal amusement features of a week of frolic and merry-making.

Throughout the afternoon and evening the carnival grounds were crowded with merry throngs of amusement-seeking people. The different shows composing the amusement row did a rushing business, as did the concessionists.

The carnival will be open to the public every afternoon and evening the remainder of the week. Local Elks are stationed at each of the 26 or more

CHAMBER COMMERCE DIRECTORS TO ELECT PRESIDENT TO-NIGHT

The new directors of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at the city hall this Wednesday evening and elect their president, together with other officers.

The meeting was to have been held last night but was postponed owing to the conference regarding the projected railroad to Mays.

A secretary will later be appointed by the board.

STURM OIL COMPANY (Incorporated) CISCO, - TEXAS Jobbers of HIGH GRADE OILS AND GASOLINE Lubricating Oils— PENNANT MOBILOILS and GALENA SIGNAL others Transmission and Differential Greases— SHAMROCK LUBRICANT and PIERCE CUP GREASE and 863 SPECIAL COMPOUND others Our gasoline is of Navy specifications. We also have a supply of Paint Oils, Floor Oils, etc. You get quality and service at our stations, which remain open until 11 o'clock each night. Main Office at Ave. D and 14th St. TELEPHONE 491 C. M. LEWIS, Gen. Mgr.

AUSPICES ELK'S BUILDING FUND "You Can See With Half An Eye" —That The— Elks' Spring Festival IN CISCO ALL THIS WEEK Will be the Biggest Attraction Shown Here This Year All Attractions Furnished by E. B. Reed's Greater Shows CONSISTING OF 25—HORSES—25 Herd of Long Horn Steers Pastimes and Pleasures of the days on the Frontier Riding Cowboys Cowgirls, Cowponies Steers Trick and Fancy Riding Minstrel Show Athletic Show Whip Frolic Ferris Wheel Merry-Go-Round Motordome Piggly Wiggly Fun Over The Falls Platform Show Over The Top Circus Stadium HORSE WITH HUMAN BRAINS—BIG CIRCUS SIDE SHOWS ONE WHOLE WEEK OF CIRCUS FRIVOLITY SHOW GROUNDS—TENTH AND AVE. D

Great Clearance Sale

\$100,000.00 worth of Merchandise to be displayed in this Great Clearance Sale at Big Reduced Prices. This Sale means Many Dollars Saved to the people of this community. We know our customers will appreciate our offers during this Sale. We are going to make it of interest to every one so we can have an overflow of customers from every direction. To do this we have Cut the Prices in every department as low as we possibly can. Remember this is no Remnant Sale, but a Sale of High Grade Merchandise. Come early, while the selections are big. Many Bargains all over the house.

THIS SALE STARTS THURSDAY, MAY 20th, 1920

Women's Summer Suits and Coats at One-Half Price

Women's and Children's Dresses. Beautiful Styles, and we have a selection that is unfused. It will pay everyone to visit us during this Sale. Materials of Taffeta, Georgettes, Satins, Jersey, Serge, Tricotine, Voiles, Organdy, Linen, Percales and Ginghams.

\$25.00 Regular, at	\$12.50
15.00 Regular, at	7.50
10.00 Regular, at	5.00
8.50 Regular, at	4.25
7.00 Regular, at	3.50
6.00 Regular, at	3.00
5.00 Regular, at	2.50
4.00 Regular, at	2.00
3.00 Regular, at	1.50
2.00 Regular, at	1.00
1.50 Regular, at	.75

Women's Skirts and Waists

Smart numbers. Materials, Tricotines, French Serge, Jersey, Silverstone, Dew Kist, Wash Satin, Georgettes, Crepe Meteor and Wash Materials.

\$15.00 Regular, at	\$7.50
10.00 Regular, at	5.00
8.50 Regular, at	4.25
7.00 Regular, at	3.50
6.00 Regular, at	3.00
5.00 Regular, at	2.50
4.00 Regular, at	2.00
3.00 Regular, at	1.50
2.00 Regular, at	1.00

Women's and Children's Hats.

\$19.50 to \$25.00 Regular, at	\$14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
10.00 Regular, at	7.95
8.50 Regular, at	6.95
7.00 Regular, at	5.95
6.00 Regular, at	4.95
5.00 Regular, at	3.95
4.00 Regular, at	2.95
3.00 Regular, at	1.95

COMFORTS, BLANKETS, PILLOWS, PILLOW CASES and SHEETS.

\$10.00 Regular, at	\$6.98
7.50 Regular, at	5.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
3.50 Regular, at	2.98
2.50 Regular, at	1.98
2.00 Regular, at	1.48
1.50 Regular, at	1.18
1.00 Regular, at	.88

'Corsets

Celebrated Brands of Modart and Henderson.

\$25.00 Regular, at	\$12.50
19.50 Regular, at	9.75
15.00 Regular, at	7.50
12.50 Regular, at	6.25
10.00 Regular, at	5.00
8.50 Regular, at	4.25
7.00 Regular, at	3.50
6.00 Regular, at	3.00
5.00 Regular, at	2.50
4.00 Regular, at	2.00
3.00 Regular, at	1.50
2.00 Regular, at	1.00
1.50 Regular, at	.75

Men's Women and Children's Hosiery.

Glove Silk, Thread Silk, Fiber, Silk Lisle, and Cotton, Imported open work Drop-stitch and Plain.

\$15.00 Regular, at	\$11.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95

Women's Underwear

Biggest selection ever displayed. Under-shirts, Teddies, Combination Suits, Vests, Brassieres, Gowns, Camisoles, Bloomers and Pajamas.

\$25.00 Regular, at	\$12.50
19.50 Regular, at	9.75
15.00 Regular, at	7.50
12.50 Regular, at	6.25
10.00 Regular, at	5.00
8.50 Regular, at	4.25
7.00 Regular, at	3.50
6.00 Regular, at	3.00
5.00 Regular, at	2.50
4.00 Regular, at	2.00
3.00 Regular, at	1.50
2.00 Regular, at	1.00
1.50 Regular, at	.75

Dress Goods

Dress Goods, such as Tricotines, Serges, Poplin, Wool Taffeta, Silk Taffeta, Georgettes, Crepe de Chine, Voiles, Organdies, Tissues Cloth, Batiste, Dress Linen, Table Linen, Madras, Percale, Gingham, Curtain Serai, Draperies, Bed Ticking, Domestic and Sheeting.

\$7.50 Yard Regular, at	\$3.98
5.00 Yard Regular, at	2.98
3.50 Yard Regular, at	1.98
2.50 Yard Regular, at	1.48
1.50 Yard Regular, at	.98
.75 Yard Regular, at	.48

Women's Children's and Infants' Shoes and Slippers

Colors, White, Black and Brown. Best fitting lasts made. Widths, aaa, aa, a, b, c, d and e.

\$18.50 Regular, at	\$14.95
16.00 Regular, at	12.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95
1.00 Regular, at	.65

Men's and Boys' Suits

Celebrated Brands, Stein-Bluch, Schloss Bros, and others. Wools and mid-summer Fabrics.

\$110.00 Regular, at	\$85.00
85.00 Regular, at	63.00
60.00 Regular, at	49.50
50.00 Regular, at	43.00
35.00 Regular, at	29.50
25.00 Regular, at	19.50
19.50 Regular, at	14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
10.00 Regular, at	8.50

Men's and Boys' Pants.

Celebrated Pants. King make, and others. Wools and mid-summer Fabrics.

\$18.50 Regular, at	\$14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95

Men's and Boys' Shirts

Crepe de Chine, Pussy Willow, Jersey, Tub Silk, Fibers, Pongee, Madras, and Percales; Khaki and Work Shirts. Big Selection.

\$25.00 Regular, at	\$19.50
18.50 Regular, at	14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95
1.00 Regular, at	.65

Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps

\$18.50 Regular, at	\$14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95
1.00 Regular, at	.65
.75 Regular, at	.48

Men's and Boys' Underwear

Silk and Cotton, Unions and Separate Selection.

\$10.00 Regular, at	\$8.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.95
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.35
1.50 Regular, at	.95
1.00 Regular, at	.65
.75 Regular, at	.48
.50 Regular, at	.33

Men's and Boys' Shoes and Slippers

Standard Brands and others. Colors, Black, Brown and White. All grades leather Widths, aaa, aa, a, b, c, d, e, ee and combination widths. Bronze, Straight Last, English Blucher and Army Lasts.

\$18.50 Regular, at	\$14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
12.50 Regular, at	9.50
10.00 Regular, at	7.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98

Suit Cases, Bags and Trunks

\$125.00 Regular, at	\$110.00
100.00 Regular, at	85.00
85.00 Regular, at	68.00
60.00 Regular, at	49.50
50.00 Regular, at	43.00
35.00 Regular, at	29.50
25.00 Regular, at	19.50
19.50 Regular, at	14.95
15.00 Regular, at	11.95
10.00 Regular, at	8.50
8.50 Regular, at	6.98
7.00 Regular, at	5.98
6.00 Regular, at	4.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
4.00 Regular, at	2.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15

Men's and Boys' Ties and Collars

\$5.00 Regular, at	\$4.08
3.50 Regular, at	2.85
2.50 Regular, at	1.98
2.00 Regular, at	1.65
1.50 Regular, at	1.27
1.00 Regular, at	.85
.75 Regular, at	.63
.50 Regular, at	.43
.35 Regular, at	.27
.25 Regular, at	.19

PRICES ON BAGS, VANITY CASES, PURSES, NOTIONS, TOILET ARTICLES AND TRIMMINGS

\$50.00 Regular, at	\$43.00
30.00 Regular, at	25.00
25.00 Regular, at	18.50
15.00 Regular, at	10.50
10.00 Regular, at	6.98
5.00 Regular, at	3.98
3.00 Regular, at	2.15
2.00 Regular, at	1.65
1.00 Regular, at	.69
.75 Regular, at	.49
.50 Regular, at	.39
.35 Regular, at	.28
.25 Regular, at	.19
.15 Regular, at	.11
.10 Regular, at	.08
.05 Regular, at	.04

Notice Our Prices On Specials. Biggest Bargains Ever Known

Men's Overalls, Best Quality Blue Denim, and Express Stripes, regular \$2.50 at **\$1.85**

Twenty-five dozen to be sold at this price. One pair to each customer.

20 Pieces Silk Georgette, all colors, \$3.50 Values, at yard **\$1.98**

25 Dozen Men's Khaki Pants, First-Class Quality. \$3.00 Regular, Special at **\$1.85**

One Pair to each customer

50 Dozen Men's Socks, Colors, Black, Brown, White, Blue, and Gray. 25c Regular, Special at **11c**

Two Pairs to each customer

Nime Dry Goods Company

CISCO'S SHOPPING CENTER

25 Dozen Men's Work Shirts, Heavy Cheviot and Chambray, double stitch welt seam, double pockets; full cut. \$1.80 Regular, at **85c**

Two to each customer

25 Dozen Women's Silk Hose, Black, White, Brown and other colors, \$2.50 and \$3 values at **\$1.85**

50 Pieces Percale, all patterns, good Quality, 36 inch and 28 inch wide, 35c regular, yard **19c**

Not over 10 yards to each customer.

25 pieces Gingham, Good Quality, 35c regular, at yard **19c**

Not over 10 yards to each customer.

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THE NEWS' PLATFORM FOR CISCO AND EASTLAND COUNTY.

- 1.—A municipal auditorium or convention hall.
- 2.—Removal of unsightly awnings, and erection of uniform marquee on Avenue D.
- 3.—Development of the public schools.
- 4.—Truthful publication of oil news.
- 5.—Better rural schools.
- 6.—Development of every foot of Eastland county soil into productive acres.

THE National Chamber of Commerce looks with disfavor on the whole idea of government ownership of industrial plants, or its participation on a large scale. This was voiced at their recent meeting at Atlantic City, when they passed 25 resolutions covering a wide field of interest. However, one resolution expressed the opinion that it was of the utmost importance to restore the credit of the American railroads to that degree where they may properly expand and take care of the needs of the American people. Another resolution declared a cash bonus for soldiers undesirable and contrary to the best economics of the nation.

A national budget as favored, also the expansion of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. They also went on record for Americanization, a revision of the postal rates, the establishment of free zones in American ports, and payment of damages by the government for injury caused by government-owned agencies.

Here are some railroad suggestions and statistics that came from this national chamber of commerce:

"Railroads of the United States will need an additional \$1,017,600,000 to bring their income to the basis provided in the Transportation Act. Through the Association of Railway Executives, they have proposed to the Interstate Commerce Commission that this amount be realized through increased freight charges and that passenger rates remain at their present level. Proposed advance in freight rates are: Eastern roads, 30.4 per cent, to yield an advance in all revenues or 21.1 per cent, or \$44,000,000. Southern roads, 20.9 per cent, to provide 20.7 per cent larger revenue. Western roads, 23.9 per cent, to advance all revenues 17 per cent.

"Net income of all American railroads fell from \$1,956,666,000 in 1916, to \$1,010,000,000 last year, while the roads claim that their investment has increased more than \$2,000,000,000. Daniel Willard, chairman of the executive's rate committee for the eastern territory, places an estimated value of \$89,618,000,000 on the transportation systems of the country.

"While there has been an increase of 99.1 per cent in operating expenses since 1916, the roads' basis of revenues for the same period of the lines today are 99 per cent of the revenues, against 68 per cent in 1916.

"In a statement to the Interstate Commerce Commission, Mr. Willard said that this year and next, the eastern lines alone face the renewal of nearly \$250,000,000 in maturing obligations. Some of these loans and bonds have been bearing an interest rate as low as three and a half per cent. To take care of this amount of obligations at the current rate of interest, he declared, necessitated the most careful study of the question of revenue production in order to keep railway credit unimpaired."

AMERICANIZATION is a subject that has been one of the foremost thoughts of the country since the world war. America has keenly realized the necessity of making intelligent and patriotic citizens of the large numbers of people residing in this country but who are either foreign born or ignorant of our national life and traditions. To meet the needs of this situation Americanization work has been brought into use, and this educational move is spreading rapidly.

It is estimated that there are now engaged in such educational work some 75,000 persons throughout the country. This work includes instructions of illiterates, both native and foreign born, and assistance in securing naturalization papers; and special emphasis is made upon the history and ideals of the American people. In cities, night schools are conducted, and social gatherings are arranged, where the foreign born are invited to mix with the native Americans, that they may absorb our ways and ideals. And attempts are made through industrial plants to meet the needs and improve the conditions of the illiterate and unabsorbed elements of the population.

As immigration increases, this Americanization work is to be pursued the more energetically and the more extensively, it is said to be the policy of the authorities. One million a year immigration within the next two years, or equal to the highest pre-war record, is the estimate of competent statisticians of authority.

Summing up Americanism, the Kansas City Star says: "The impressions of thousands who come to America, both before and after arrival, are not of the clearest kind when it comes to an understanding of the essential character of American citizenship. This is natural, because Americans themselves are often hazy in their conceptions of the ideals of the nation.

"Very general instruction in the history and traditions of the country is therefore a necessity. The schools of the country could not perform any greater service just now than of creating in the minds of youth very definite ideas of what the men who made the nation actually believed. The need of the hour is for a revival of old-fashioned Americanism and of those nations of the republic which fired the spirit of the fathers. Our new citizens should be made to realize, as Rabbi Emanuel Sternheim puts it, that Americanism really is:

"The composite spirit of the struggle after a higher human destiny of 100 million people, bound together by a common conception of the higher good of the whole."

ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT

Just to show that universal peace is at hand, a Frenchman has invented a gun that will shoot 200 miles, and the league of nations has an option on it.

King George, in order to observe economy and set a good example to his subjects, has discontinued the custom of serving champagne at dinner when strangers are present. At the last state dinner only hock and claret were served. The king did not renew his usual order for champagne this spring. There are only a few dozen cases of this fluid left in the royal cellars and these will be used exclusively by the king.

We are glad to note this action on the part of George, but we cannot admit that he started the custom. He is copying from us. We started it some time ago. It has been many months since we served champagne to our guests at our suburban chateau in Flushing. We also cut it off in the interest of economy; but while the king still serves claret and hock, we go for one better, or two better, by serving nothing at all. If the king really wants the honor of having started this crusade, we are willing to say nothing, but nevertheless, we started it, and we can prove it by any guest who has been in our house in the past year.

The next meeting of the Overall Parade Club will be held in a telephone booth. France has just elected 249 senators. Evidently France is a glutton for punishment.

MARCEL'S BEARD.

We got a message through the outer board and it probably came from Peter I. Chair of Russia (1872-1725) that if we wanted a drink, we should go to a certain street and we would get it. We immediately got into a taxi and went to the place. It was a drug store and the clerk asked us what was the matter. We told him that we thought we had indulged in lithography and needed an antidote. He gave up the drink. Our outer board is not for sale—Marcel Steinberg.

IT HAPPENED IN MAY.

He saw her, and within a month Fond hopes began to shoot. He swore to her his mighty love And strongly pressed his suit.

No more his heart in joy doth feed On love's uncertain fruit. 'Tis true that he to court doth go; But she doth press the suit! —Walter Palitzer.

An unfeeling burglar at Los Angeles stole Maurice Masterlinck's wedding presents. Which wedding presents? First or second?

Boothmen are complaining of the whisky that was sent over there from this country when we went dry. It must be pretty near as bad as some of the stuff that is being sold here now.

NAMES IN NAMES.

E. A. Bauster lives in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania.

KEEP AN EYE ON YOUR PANTS WHEN THEY ARE OUT FOR A WALK. LOST—Black pair of pants between West Baltimore and East Baltimore going through Redwood street—Kiltner. Sun Adv.

HEART AND HOME PROBLEMS

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a lonely girl of 19. I have no mother and stay at home with my father. Father treats me fine until I go out of an evening and then he gets very angry and sometimes uses vulgar language.

I am a decent, respectable girl and am well thought of by my friends. I am just heart-broken the way I am treated. I do all of the housework and everything, just as a mother would and try to be as kind to the children as I can. Sometimes I feel like leaving, as I don't feel like doing all of the work and seeing no pleasure. Would it be wrong to leave home?—Lonely.

At your age it would not be wrong to leave home, but it would be better to stay and be a mother to the children. But their sake put up with your father's anger. You are old enough to go places evenings and should continue to do so regardless of his objections. For your own self-respect you do not want to go to undesirable places or with undesirable people. It is quite unreasonable that you should work all the time and not have pleasures which are due a girl of 19.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl 14 years old and have just come to this city to make it my home. Please tell me how to get acquainted with some nice girl friends. I have always had a

REMEMBER RIGHT OF OTHERS SAYS STATE HEALTH OFFICER

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—"Let us try and remember the other fellow has some rights, which we as good citizens, should respect. And though we ourselves may not be afraid to have measles, smallpox or any of the communicable diseases, it does not necessarily imply that our neighbors hold the same views, therefore we have no moral or legal right to expose him to such dangers without his knowledge and consent," says Dr. C. W. Goddard, state health officer.

Continuing Dr. Goddard declared: "Suffer little children to come unto me does not mean that they shall be ushered prematurely into the Kingdom of Heaven through ignorance and neglect, but that is exactly what is being done and has been done in no many thousands of cases, and is it just time we face about on this question and give every man, woman and child every possible chance to live out their allotted time and enjoy life as was intended. While fate has decreed that some shall die young, it is not necessary that so many do so. Suffering babies is no child's play. It is real work in which real men and women must take a hand and in which they should be ready and willing, proud and glad to engage. Certainly these little people can not and will not call you in either loud or soft tones, nor will they send out embossed invitations asking you to come to their rescue, but it is none the less their duty, which duty is not lessened by these facts and it is indeed a poor citizen, in our estimation, who fails to do his bit in behalf of the baby population.

"If you are sick, better find out what the trouble is before taking too many chances of spreading a disease or if your neighbor is sick, better find out what he has to give away before you go over and get it, especially if the sick person is a child. Don't take your child over and expose it until you find out whether it is something you want it to have or not."

The third annual convention of the Michigan Women's Association of Commerce will be entertained in Grand Rapids during the first week in June.

DINNER STORIES

An unhappily married Scot was met by a friend, who said: "Man, Jamie, this is an awful thing that has befallen you. It's a great pity that your wife has gone and left you."

"Dead, mon, she'll dae mair than that yet. She'll come back again," replied Jamie, ruefully.

Little Betty, just initiated in the first teachings of Sunday school, has displayed especial interest in a future life. "Mother, will I go to heaven when I die?"

"Yes, if you are good."
"Will my dog go, too?"
"No, because dogs have no souls."
A pause, then eagerly, "Well, will our cow go?"
"No. Animals have no souls."
"Oh, then we'll have to go to hell for our milk!"—Harpers.

"Thank God, the country has gone dry. It will bring sunshine to many a home," said the speaker.
"Yes, and sunshine, too, brother," answered the skeptic.

"Tain't the pastor is coming to make a call this evening and I want you to treat him with proper respect," said wife.

"Sure thing! What do you want me to do?" replied Mr. Gray.
"Refrain from talking about anything you are interested in."

"How often must I climb these five flights of stairs before I get the amount that is due me?" asked the collector.
"Do you think I am going to move down to the ground floor just to accommodate my creditors?" said the debtor.

300 Bales on 250 Acres.
CLINT, Texas, May 18.—On 250 acres irrigated here last year nearly 300 bales of cotton were produced. This year, 5000 acres will be planted to cotton. This is virgin land. The raising of alfalfa will be continued. Clint has just joined the West Texas chamber of commerce.

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAYS NEWS

SENATOR LENOROT.

Senator Irving L. Lenorot of Wisconsin is mentioned as a middle western dark horse to whom Hiram Johnson's strength might easily be swung in case of a deadlock at the republican national convention in Chicago.

Mr. Lenorot is for a government supervision of railroads that amounts to government control, and his critics say, is but one step this side of government ownership. He opposed the anti-strike clause in the Cummings railroad bill. In the war tax legislation he put through an amendment that increased the surcharges on large incomes 25 per cent more than that proposed by the democrats. In both the house and the senate, to which he was elected in 1918, he has been a leading advocate of laws for the conservation of natural resources.

In 1912 Lenorot won his first attention in a national political convention by a speech in behalf of Roosevelt. In the house, where he served five terms, he was recognized as one of its ablest members, and in the debates on the league of nations he soon achieved prominence. He has been Senator Lodge's chief lieutenant in defending the Lodge reservations. His position is different from numerous republican senators who voted for the reservations. He is put down as sincerely in favor of the league of nations qualified by the reservations, one of the few republican senators who voted against all amendments to the treaty. On account of some of Mr. Lenorot's views the Oil Guard would have to be convinced that a progressive of his type was absolutely necessary to hold the republican party together and win in order to consent to his nomination.

Today is the 25th anniversary of the departure of Sir John Franklin on his ill-fated expedition in search of the Northwest Passage.

Four bishops of the Roman Catholic church in the Northwest today complete the first decade of their service in the episcopate—Bishops O'Riley of Fargo, Wehrle of Bismarck, Corbett of Crookston, and Heffron of Winona.

San Francisco today will inaugurate a ten-day campaign to raise a \$2,500,000 fund for the building of a war memorial. The delegation from the United States to the International Woman Suffrage Alliance conference soon to meet at Geneva is to sail today on the steamship Royal George.

Vice-President Marshall has accepted an invitation to deliver the opening address at the Indiana state democratic convention to meet at Indianapolis today.

Hoover clubs of New Jersey are to hold a conference at Newark today, with Julius Barnes, President of the United States Grain Corporation, as the chief speaker.

Commissioner of Education Claxton has called a national conference to meet at Washington today, to consider the pressing problem of education from the standpoint of statesmanship and the public welfare.

North Dakota democrats are to meet in state convention today at Fargo to inaugurate the traditions of the United States senate, three congressmen and state officials, to be voted for in the June primary.

Democratic state conventions for the choice of delegates to the national convention are to be held today in South Carolina, Michigan, and Virginia.

Sir Archibald Geddes, British Ambassador in Washington, will go to Philadelphia today to receive from Franklin D. Roosevelt a medal awarded by the institute to Charles Parsons, who invented the steam turbine engine.

CONVENTIONS OPENING TODAY
Montreal—Supreme council of the Royal Arcanum.
Stratford, Ont.—Retail Jewelers' Association of Ontario.
Hutchinson, Kans.—G. A. R. department of Kansas.
St. Augustine, Fla.—Florida association of the sea.
Blue Ridge, S. C.—World conference of boy workers.
New York—American Federation of Arts.

Chicago—National Wholesale Lumber distributors.
New Orleans—Southern Cypress manufacturing association.
Boston—International Sunshine society.
Lewiston, Me.—Maine Retail Dry Goods association.

TO CELEBRATE 500TH ANNIVERSARY LANDING PILGRIMS
AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Gov. W. P. Hobby has been requested to appoint a state committee to co-operate with other states and with a national committee, headed by Thomas R. Marshall, vice-president of the United States, in arranging for celebrations commemorating the 500th anniversary of the beginning of free institutions in America. The committee, in its call for organization, points out that 1920 is the tricentennial anniversary of the first meeting of a legislative assembly in Virginia and of the landing of the Pilgrims in Massachusetts.

6000 Acres in Cotton.
FABENS, Texas, May 18.—Six thousand acres will be planted to cotton in this section this year. All of it will be irrigated. Fabens has just gotten a new bank and a gin. The town has become a unit of the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Dr. Kate J. Horner of Sioux City, claims to have been the first woman coroner in the United States. In 1894 she was elected to the office in Thurston county, Neb.

AS A WOMAN THINKS

DO YOU MEASURE UP?

If you are one of those people who have taken some of the many mental tests which are now so fashionable and if you have passed it recording normal or very near normal, do not preen yourself and sit back to look down upon the mentally deficient and feeble-minded, according to modern psychologists and psychiatrists.

These modern students of mental disorders hold that it is what one does with the mind he has which counts. Two people may have the same intellectual capacity. Both may be equally deficient and yet one may be a fair enough, independent citizen, while the other one is forever a burden and expense on the state. The reason for the difference is not in the measure of the mind itself, but in its use.

Nothing illustrates this better than the statement made by the head of a school for mentally deficient and feeble-minded in Massachusetts. This man

said that the greatest educational institution in Massachusetts was not Harvard, but was his little school and this was his reason: In his school minimum minds were working at maximum capacity, while he was sure, he said, that in Harvard more maximum minds were working at minimum capacity.

There is the big idea that mentally hygienic students are trying to give to the public. They want to get the most there is out of every person. They want to develop every possible good trait in even the most feeble-minded. In other words, they want every mind no matter how small or how great to work at a maximum capacity. It is a good thought and it is applicable not only in our schools and colleges as well.

And, too, each individual ought to make it his business to see that he is fortunate enough to register normal on a mental test, that he exercises his mentality to its fullest capacity. Mental lagards are no longer fashionable.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY BUREAU WILL TEST CEMENT DEPOSITS

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—Instructions have been issued by the bureau of economic geology and technology, University of Texas, regarding procedure to be followed by persons in the state who desire to avail themselves of the free services of the bureau in testing raw materials suitable for use in cement manufacture.

"When an organization has been formed to enter upon cement manufacture, suitable deposits should be looked for," says the statement. "We will be glad to help in this, provided we are informed of the exact location, thickness, and extent of the deposits and are furnished ten 25-pound samples of each material so selected as to be an average of each deposit sampled."

"After suitable materials have been located a 500 or 600 pound shipment of each of the two ingredients limestone and clay should be made to us, and we will manufacture about 300 pounds of the cement and test it. All freight, manual labor, and fuel costs for the test must be borne by the parties for whom it is made."

SPANISH SWORDSMEN EAGER TO ENTER FENCING MATCH IN U. S.

MADRID, May 18. (By Mail)—Spanish army swordsmen are eager to accept the invitation forwarded through the Spanish ambassador to the United States suggesting that they visit America next fall to contest in a fencing tournament. Although the government has not decided whether the invitation shall be accepted, preparations are being made for competitions to be held throughout the country to select a team worthy to uphold Spanish traditions of swordsmanship. Some of the fencers in the Spanish army are noted for their prowess. Majors Macapagan and Lazo and Cap-

tain Corrote are experts with the foil; Major Vacas, Roldanquez and Betza and Mica with the sabre; while with the sword the first three also excel.

Miss Minnie Keesberg is the new city treasurer of Ludington, Mich.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- DISTRICT JUDGE**
E. A. HILL
ELZO BEEN
C. C. STUBBINS
- COUNTY ATTORNEY**—
A. V. (RED) PENDLETON
W. V. DUNNAM
C. G. HAZEL
- COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR**—
OSCAR EYERLA
FOR TAX COLLECTOR—
JOHN S. HAIR
DISTRICT CLERK—
L. C. REED,
EDWARD C. BETTIS
- COUNTY CLERK**—
EARL BENDER
FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NUMBER 4
M. McCLELLAND
W. M. EPPER
R. C. PASS
BENJAMIN STURTEFIELD
- COUNTY SHERIFF**—
FLALA HOWARD,
SHERIFF
S. E. NOLLEY,
WILEY C. HITTSON
H. E. (JOHN) LAWRENCE
JOHN MOORE
FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PRECINCT NUMBER 6
J. T. PHILLIPS
N. A. PENNINGTON
C. S. LOONEY
FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, PRECINCT NUMBER 8
Z. M. TAYLOR
A. E. BATES

QUEEN'S CONTEST

BOYS, GET BUSY AND BACK YOUR BEST GIRL

THE CONTEST IS NOW IN FULL BLAST

The Elks' Building Committee Has Engaged

E. B. REED'S GREATER SHOWS

For an Immense

Spring Festival

WHICH STARTED MONDAY AND RUNS FOR ENTIRE WEEK

THE QUEEN'S CONTEST

Is Being Held in Connection With

THE ELKS' FESTIVAL

The young lady receiving the most votes will get a \$250.00 Diamond Ring. The young lady receiving the second largest number of votes will receive a Fine Elkin Wrist Watch Bracelet. The young lady receiving the third largest number of votes will get a Fine Ivory Manicure Set. These prizes are all on display at Hattom & Mitchell's Jewelry Store. The contest will close on next Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, May 22. The awards will be made at the Elks' Festival grounds at 10th and Avenue D, at 8 o'clock sharp.

VOTES ONLY 1c EACH

They are purchasable at any Drug Store, Confectionery, or Restaurant in Cisco, where vote boxes are located. The Nine Dry Goods Company, Hattom & Mitchell, Fain Drug & Jewelry Company, and John H. Gauer's will give YOU ten votes today (Tuesday) on every dollar's worth of merchandise you buy of them.

LATEST IN SPORTS

Scouts Get 13 Hits Off Nitros, and Win Game by 12-6 Score

By BILL GILMARTIN.
The Scouts pounded out 13 hits off the Nitros yesterday, and won the game handily, 12 to 6.
Harding, who started for the locals, was a trifle off, and, although he walked eight men in his six innings of labor, he held the Nitros safely until the sixth, when three hits and two errors netted the visitors four runs, and yielded Billings to the mound for Cisco.
The Scouts started the scoring in the second, when Greenbeck hit safely past third, King drew a pass to first, and Earnshaw advanced both runners with a sacrifice bunt down the first base line. Johnson poked a long sacrifice fly to Money, and Tim romped home, King going to third; York waiting for four side ones, and Harding resorted to the same line of attack and the bags were no good. Flagg proved that he was equal to the occasion, when he lifted a deep hit to left, scoring King and York.
Billings started the ball rolling in the sixth, when he drove a home triple to left field. He could have stretched the hit into a homer, but he was playing safely. Flagg again showed his ability to hit in a pinch when he shot a scorching single through short, and Billings trotted home. Flagg and Neely both scored a moment later when Mungler threw wild at first in an attempt to catch Neely.
Manager Jim Galloway of the Nitros announced to the umpire that Ranger would finish the game under protest, when the ump called Greenbeck safe at home in the last of the sixth. Tim and walked, and went to second on King's hit through the pitcher's box. Tim started to steal third, and the throw at the sack was wild, going to the right. Ranger dug out, so Tim continued on towards home. Leslie threw to Browning, who tagged Greenbeck out, but the umpire contended that the ball had been interfered with by players on the Ranger bench and called Tim safe. Galloway protested.
The box score:

Club	Pld	Won	Lost	Pct.
Gorman	15	10	5	.667
Abilene	15	10	5	.667
Eastland	14	8	6	.571
Cisco	14	8	6	.571
Ranger	12	4	8	.333
Mineral Wells	14	4	10	.286

HOW THEY STACK UP

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.
Tuesday's Results.
Cisco 12, Ranger 5.
Abilene 3, Mineral Wells 1.
Gorman 8, Eastland 4.

Where They Play Today.
Ranger at Cisco.
Eastland at Gorman.
Abilene at Mineral Wells.

Standing of the Teams.

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GIL'S GLEANINGS

Flagg was the candy kid yesterday. The little shortstopper stepped into the pinch on three different occasions and came through with a hit each time, sending four runs across the platter with the three hits.
Harding was pitching very well except for the bases on balls he allowed. The Nitros only connected with two safeties off him up until the fatal sixth.
Ty Cobb lived up to his reputation of being the greatest little footer in the game yesterday at Philadelphia when he knocked out a three base hit, and as soon as the Athletic pitcher was cooled down in the box again Ty dashed for the plate and made it easily while the bewildered hurler stood and watched the fleet footed crowd cross the pan.
Tim Greenbeck batted a thousand yesterday. He connected for three hits, a walk and a sacrifice fly in five times to the rubber. He has now boosted his clouting average to .471 for 13 games. He must be leading the sluggers of the entire league.
Flashkamper, tiny shortstop for the Nitros, plays his position like a master. He is about two ounces lighter than a straw hat, but they don't come too fast or too often for the little fellow to gather in. His peg to first is as accurate as they make them, too. He is a hard man to pitch to, as is evidenced by the three walks he got yesterday.
Extra inning games are all the rage this year. Fort Worth and Galveston went 14 stanzas yesterday before the Panthers drove in four runs that finished the conflict.
Washington and St. Louis hung up a record yesterday by totaling 41 hits between them in one nine inning game. The Senators drove out 23 safeties, and the Browns got 18.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results.
Dallas 3, Houston 2.
San Antonio 4, Wichita Falls 2.
Fort Worth 5, Galveston 1 (16 inn.).
Beaumont 9, Shreveport 5.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fort Worth	20	21	9	.700
San Antonio	22	20	12	.625
Wichita Falls	27	14	13	.519
Galveston	32	16	16	.500
Shreveport	25	13	12	.464
Dallas	28	13	15	.464
Beaumont	32	15	19	.438
Houston	32	11	21	.344

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results.
New York 11, Cleveland 9.
Detroit 8, Philadelphia 2.
Washington 17, St. Louis 8.
Chicago 4, Boston 3.

Where They Play Today.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
Chicago at Boston.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	25	17	8	.680
Chicago	23	13	10	.565
Boston	27	15	12	.556
New York	25	13	12	.520
St. Louis	29	15	14	.517
Washington	25	12	14	.462
Philadelphia	21	8	13	.381
Detroit	25	7	18	.280

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Tuesday's Results.
New York 8, Chicago 6.
Pittsburgh 7, Boston 2.
Philadelphia 1, St. Louis 0.
Brooklyn-Cincinnati, rain.

Where They Play Today.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cincinnati	23	11	12	.479
Brooklyn	21	12	9	.571
Pittsburgh	23	13	10	.565
Chicago	26	14	12	.538
Philadelphia	25	11	14	.440
Boston	23	10	13	.435
St. Louis	24	10	14	.417
New York	22	9	13	.409

TEXAS LEAGUE

SAN ANTONIO 4, WICHITA FALLS 2.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 18.—Sid Ross hurled nice ball and the Bears defeated Wichita Falls, 4 to 2. Mokane's home run in the third scored both of the visitors' runs.
Score by innings: R H E
Wichita Falls... 002 000 000—2 5 0
San Antonio... 003 000 01X—4 5 0
Batteries: Burch and Kitchens; Ross and Gibson.

HOUSTON 2, DALLAS 3.
HOUSTON, Texas, May 18.—Houston and Dallas played like a bunch of amateurs here today, and Dallas won by the score of 3 to 2. Glaring errors of both omission and commission of both teams featured the exhibition.
Score by innings: R H E
Dallas... 100 011 000—2 8 1
Houston... 100 001 000—2 4 2
Batteries: Flynn and Robertson; Schulz and Greenberg.

BEAUMONT 9, SHREVEPORT 5.
BEAUMONT, Texas, May 18.—Beaumont rallied in the eighth inning, scoring four runs on five hits, and won the last game of the series from Shreveport here this afternoon, 9 to 5. Easterly's home run in the seventh, with two on bases had tied the score. Gus Bono was knocked out of the box in the fifth and Tom Hughes, his successor, was hit hard.
Score by innings: R H E
Shreveport... 000 104 000—5 9 2
Beaumont... 000 200 3X—9 15 3
Batteries: Bono and Hungling; Slatery and Alexander.

GALVESTON 1, FORT WORTH 5.
GALVESTON, Texas, May 18.—Couchman broke in the thirteenth inning today and Fort Worth made four runs on singles by Sears and Kraft, a two-bagger by Williams and Hoffman's home run over the fence, winning the game, 5 to 1. Couchman was given little edge support, some of the greatest catches ever seen in the field snuffing out several Panther rallies.
Score by innings: R H E
Fort Worth... 000 100 000 00—4 5 12 3
Galveston... 001 000 000 00—1 5 0
Batteries: Whitaker and Haworth; Couchman and Hauser.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NEW YORK BREAKS CHICAGO'S STREAK IN BANNING THRILLER
CHICAGO, May 18.—New York broke Chicago's winning streak today by defeating the locals in a thrilling 12-inning game, the first of the series. The visitors came from behind and, by bunching hits, tied the count, forged ahead in the tenth, and when Hendrix weakened, won out in the twelfth.
The locals got on even terms with the visitors in their half of the tenth by bunching hits and driving Hubbard off the mound. Phil Douglass went in with the bases filled and none out. He fanned Paskert and knocked down Barber's hot liner, which Lear recovered in time to force McCabe at the plate on a close play. Douglass retired the side by tossing out Robertson.
Young started the last rally with a single and moved up a base on Fletcher's sacrifice, and Vaughn replaced Martin. Doyle filed out, but Kauf and Lear followed with hits, which gave New York the game. During the attack nine doubles were made.
Score by innings: R H E
New York... 000 001 102 202—5 17 2
Chicago... 011 020 000 200—6 14 7
Batteries: Benton, Winters, Hubbell, Douglas and Smith; Hendrix, Vaughn and Killefer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

PITTSBURGH 7, BOSTON 2.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 18.—The Pittsburgh Pirates defeated Boston today by bunching hits with bases on balls in the first, fifth and sixth innings.
Score by innings: R H E
Boston... 010 000 001—2 7 2
Pittsburgh... 000 020 006—7 10 4
Batteries: Osceger, Scott and Gowdy; Hamilton and Schmidt.

ST. LOUIS 8, PHILADELPHIA 1.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—St. Louis held Philadelphia to two hits, but lost the opening game of the series today. A triple by Stengel in the fifth, followed by a wild throw by Dilhoefer, allowed the run. St. Louis only got one man past second.
Score by innings: R H E
Philadelphia... 000 010 000—1 2 2
St. Louis... 000 000 000—8 17 1
Batteries: Smith and Withrow; Haines and Dilhoefer.

PHILADELPHIA 2, DETROIT 8.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 18.—Detroit's heavy hitting continued today, with a victory over Philadelphia. Home runs by Heilman and Dykes made the total seven for two consecutive games here. Cobb stole home after hitting a triple into right field.
Score by innings: R H E
Detroit... 020 001 023—8 11 1
Philadelphia... 100 000 100—2 6 2
Batteries: Ehmke and Stange; Keefe, Martin and Perkins.

Southern Association

NEW YORK 11, CLEVELAND 9.
NEW YORK, May 18.—The New York Yankees won an easy victory from Cleveland here today, in the third game of the series. Shawkey pitched a strong game, shutting out the visitors with three hits. Ruth was out of the game with a strained leg.
Score by innings: R H E
Cleveland... 000 000 000—0 3 2
New York... 004 000 04X—11 14 2
Batteries: Chie and O'Neill; Shawkey and Ruel.

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MEMPHIS 8, MOBILE 1.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 18.—Memphis hit Fulton hard here today and defeated Mobile 8 to 1.
Score by innings: R H E
Mobile... 000 100 000—1 5 2
Memphis... 102 000 06X—8 12 0
Batteries: Fulton and Coleman; Canavan and Meyers.

"THAT LITTLE GAME" — E. Z. Pickin Arrives



SPORT SNAP SHOTS

Looks as though Pal Moore wants to clean up Jimmy Dunn's white stable—if he can. He wiped up the ring with Kid Wolfe at Memphis the other night and is booked to meet Carl Tremaine May 11. Both are managed by Dunn.

According to recent statistics the leader in hitting in the Texas league is Murriner. And then they ask: "What's in a name?"

Automobile racing has gained a strong hold on the sport loving Argentines, as is evidenced by the recent 218-mile race from Rosario to Santa Fe and return, under the auspices of the gymnasium and tennis club of the first named city.

J. Mansera, driving an American built car, led a large field from start to finish, making the distance over rough roads in five hours, six minutes, and twenty-five seconds. Several thousand fans witnessed the race and wildly cheered the winning driver.

Even the system of having two judges pass on the merits of the boxers, as provided for in the Walker bill in New York and in use in amateur tournaments, does not always prevent referees putting something over. Out in Frisco, where the system of judging bouts is employed, they are accusing a certain referee of deciding the bouts to his own liking, despite the verdict of the judges. He did the trick by announcing that the French boxer's name, it'll be a long and grueling contest with both men fainting at the finish.

SPORT GOSSIP

Joe Shugrue, who was a crack lightweight several years ago, is now making a success as a boxing promoter at Waterbury, Conn.

Both of the Boston baseball teams have a pitcher named Jones—Samuel P. Jones of the Red Sox and John P. Jones of the Braves.

The Union Trotting association, a new racing organization, expects to have more than 100 members when the racing season gets under way.

Georges Carpentier's tour of America promises to bring him more money than has any similar tour by a European boxing celebrity in the past.

The champion St. Joseph team of the Western league made 11 hits the first day, 21 hits the second day and 16 hits on the third day of the season.

Even if the St. Louis Cardinals are not getting to the front very fast, their star player, Roger Hornsby, is holding down his place in the front rank of big league pastimers.

Bernie Neis, the Moose Jaw marvel, who is playing right field for Brooklyn, is making good the pre-season predictions that he would land a regular berth with the Robins.

The Olympic club of San Francisco must have some water polo club when it can defeat the Illinois A. C. with Norman Ross, Bud Waijen and Harry Fischer in the lineup in the contest for the national championship.

Gold clubs have held all sorts of tournaments, for men, women, amateurs, professionals, caudles, and fathers and sons, but a Massachusetts club is the first to stage a grandfathers' tournament.

In the 100-yard national women's swimming championship at Honolulu Miss Ethelda Bleibtrey and Miss Charlotte Boyle swam a dead heat in 1m. 52.8s, a new world's record.

If Jack Dempsey has as hard a time looking Georges Carpentier—when they meet—as the average fight fan has in pronouncing the French boxer's name, it'll be a long and grueling contest with both men fainting at the finish.

TODAY'S SPORT CALENDAR

Racing.
Continuation of spring meet at Louisville.
Continuation of spring meeting at Jamaica, L. I.

Baseball.
Opening of the season of the Elus Ridge league.
Annual tournament of California Indians, at Del Monte.
Pacific coast bowling tournament, at Oakland, Calif.

Boxing.
Joe Leonard vs. Tommy Noble, 10 rounds, at Montreal.
Low Tender vs. Pinkie Mitchell, 10 rounds, at Milwaukee.
Pete Herman vs. Roy Moore, 8 rounds at Philadelphia.

With the Big League Hitters
Nehronson is the only member of the Pittsburgh Pirates traveling in the select circle of heavy swatters.
Tim Hendrix, former Louisville slugger, is upholding his reputation as a hitter by leading the Red Sox in batting.
The Chicago White Sox have two players—Joe Jackson and Buck Weaver—who have been whaling the ball over the 400 mark.
Since he has been holding down a regular job with the Red Sox, Mike McNally has shown a big improvement in his efforts at bat.
American league pitchers have to watch their step when pitching to Doc Johnston this season. The Cleveland first sacker is busting 'em wide open.
Before the season opened Joe Jackson of the White Sox said he intended to lead the league in batting this year, and Joseph is certainly trying to make good.
The Giants sorely miss the fine hitting of Frank Frish. He was leading his teammates with a batting mark of .354 when stricken with appendicitis.

Buddies Take Third Game From Eastland Judge by 8-4 Score

GORMAN, May 18.—The Buddies, with Eberhard in the box, took the third game of the series here today from the Eastland Judges, 8 to 4. Bunched hits in the sixth inning put four runs across for the Gorman team, ample to win.
Score by innings: R H E
Eastland... 111 010 000—4 9 3
Gorman... 101 004 110—8 11 1
Batteries: Eberhard and Whitney; Mathews and Johnson.

Abilene Wins From Mineral Wells In Good Game, 3 to 1

MINERAL WELLS, May 18.—Carroll, pitching for the Abilene Eagles allowed only two hits, and struck out 13 Resorters here today, and Abilene won from Mineral Wells 3 to 1.
The game was well played with the exception of one inning, when five errors marred the fielding.
Score by innings: R H E
Abilene... 200 000 001—3 9 1
Mineral Wells... 000 010 000—1 2 4
Batteries: Carroll and Chapman; Hill and Byers.

American Association

At Milwaukee 3, Louisville 2.
At St. Paul 1, Toledo 8.
At Minneapolis 7, Columbus 6.
At Kansas City 7, Indianapolis 4.

Women homeopathic physicians of Michigan have organized a state association.

Cisco High Baseball Team Beats Eastland 7-6 In Closing Game

EASTLAND, May 18.—The Cisco high school baseball team finished a successful season here today, when they trounced the Eastland high, 7 to 6. The game was close throughout, but the consistent hitting of the Cisco boys won for them. They were never in danger of losing the game after the fifth inning.
This closes the year for the Cisco high school team. They have played seven games and won six of them. The only contest lost was one to the Cisco Scouts.
Score by innings: R H E
Eastland High... 000 230 002—6 6 4
Cisco High... 000 104 002—7 8 3
Batteries: Mathews and Russell; Wood, Robinson and Ames.

Forty-Five Mexicans Living in One Room in North Dallas

DALLAS, Texas, May 18.—Sanitary inspectors discovered forty-five Mexicans living in a four-room house in "Little Mexico," a North Dallas settlement given over to sons of the Aztec. Baskets suspended from the ceiling were employed as sleeping places for numerous children. Sanitary officials declared conditions were deplorable in the settlement and a cleanup has been ordered.

When Queen Elizabeth of England Died, Her Wardrobe Was Found to Contain Upwards of 3000 Gowns

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FROM THE NOVEL BY ROBERT W. CHAMBERS

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He'll Make 'em Sit Up, and Take Notice

By PERCY L. CROSBY

Approved by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate

BETCHA LIFE WERE MOVIN'—YA DON'T THINK WERE GOIN' TO LET A LANDLORD PROFITEER OFFEN US DO YA?

IMAGINE THE NOIVE OF DA GUY! RAISIN' US \$600 MORE A MONTH! I CAN'T THINK OF NOTHIN' WORSER'N THAT FOR NOIVE.

HOW MUCH DID YA PAY?

WE AINT PAID NOTHIN' IN FOUR MONTHS, BUT IT'S DA PRINCIPAL OF DATHING THAT GETS OUR NANNY.

THREE MORE ELECTED M. E. CHURCH BISHOPS

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 18.—Three men were elected bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church on the sixth general conference ballot taken at noon today. They are Anton East, Copenhagen; Edgar Blake, Chicago; and George H. Buckley, Philadelphia. A total of nine white bishops now have been elected and three more are to be chosen.

PROF. J. W. FOOTE MEMBER JOHN TARLETON FACULTY

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, May 18.—John Tarleton Agricultural college has just employed Prof. J. W. Foote, to become director of the commercial art department of this college. The college is exceedingly fortunate in being able to secure the services of Prof. Foote, whose business experience and professional qualifications make him one of the most valuable men in the state of Texas for such work.

For seven years Prof. Foote conducted the Massey Business college at Houston. He has directed and organized commercial art departments in several colleges and high schools. The college just purchased \$1500 worth of typewriters, calculating machines and equipment. The department will be upon a thoroughly modern business basis, and students in the commercial art department of John Tarleton Agricultural college will have as good advantages as can be provided anywhere. Prof. Foote will begin his services with the college with the beginning of the summer school on June 21.

Stenographers, clerks, cashiers, and other women employees of one of the big packing companies of St. Louis, have organized a sewing club in an effort to combat the high cost of clothing by making their own summer and vacation outfits.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rooms for Rent—C

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms, 605 West 11th St. 16-41

FOR RENT—Two large south bedrooms, 208 West Fifth street. 18-21

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent, 206 East 9th st. 1 block south Auto Inn. 10-55

FOR RENT—Three-room house, phone 219. 18-21

OWNER having five or six room bungalow, going away for vacation, can rent to parties giving best of reference and guarantee best of care. Phone Sanders-McLan, 394 Julia Bldg. 19-11

MOBILEY ANNEX—Cleanest, nicest rooms in Cisco, Summer Rates. Phone 6 or call. 19-61

TWO nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 504 E. 14th. C. L. Harman. 19-61

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, partly furnished, phone 41. 16-31

OFFICE FOR RENT—See R. S. Glenn. 19-61

Wanted—A

WANT position doing general housework. Box 123, Cisco, Texas. 19-31

WANTED—Will you issue contract for 500 barrels of oil a day? See Art at Arts Shoe Store, 704 Main st. 19-51

WANTED—To buy direct from owner modern five-room bungalow or cottage with reception hall, walking distance. Address, giving description, location and terms, etc. Chas. E. Adams, care Graham Hotel, Brownwood, Texas. 19-51

WANTED—By lady of exceptional ability, past the frivolous age, who will devote her entire time and attention to business; position as stenographer and business assistant. Address "H. C." care Morning News. 19-21

WANTED TO RENT—Bedroom and kitchen, close in, good neighborhood. Phone 476. S. E. Wilson. 18-31

Automobiles—D

FOR SALE—Five passenger Overland, newly painted, terms, part time. Address Walker, 207 W. 9th st. or phone 111. 16-31

22 INCHES OF RAIN IN STAMFORD IN 18 DAYS

STAMFORD, Texas, May 18.—Fifteen thousand dollars in damage was sustained by List & Gafford, contractors, when a portion of the earthen wing of Stamford lake dam was swept over during the recent freshet, according to a statement made here today. The completion of the lake will be reached at least 60 days.

The large wagon bridge which spans the stream just above the masonry part of the dam, which was undamaged, was dropped to the bottom of the swirling water. It will be removed piecemeal and set up as a bridge just below the lake.

The precipitation in Stamford since April 25 has been approximately 12 inches.

Milk Consumers.

Complaints have been made that milk has not been left at a number of places. It is necessary that customers desiring milk shall have bottles and tickets out or no milk will be left. We aim to satisfy and carefully handle the needs of everyone, but patrons should cooperate with us and the only way we can know that milk is wanted is by finding tickets and bottles out.

CISCO DAIRY, J. H. McAllister, Prop. An average of 250 patents a year are granted to women inventors in Great Britain.

DAILY COTTON TABLE.

Port Movement—	Middling	Receipts	Exports	Sales	Stock
New Orleans	46.50	2,109		3,583	343,434
Galveston	42.00	348		807	210,123
Mobile	40.50	35		15	5,128
Savannah	42.00	842		77,100	248,287
Charleston	40.50	130		44,781	42,357
Wilmington		21			63,278
Texas City					5,844
Norfolk	40.50	657		491	3,600
Baltimore					6,110
Boston	42.00		525		47,405
Philadelphia	42.80		273		14,125
New York	42.60	5,974			
Minor ports					
Total Tuesday		11,579		598	1,112,727
Total for week		27,228		24,528	
Total for season		6,831,363		5,831,887	
Interior Movement—	Middling	Receipts	Shipments	Sales	Stock
Houston	41.00	3,462	9,634	153	327,974
Memphis	41.00	2,542	2,341	1,000	222,415
Augusta	42.00	1,392	1,455	999	96,455
St. Louis	42.00	388	187	175	16,128
Atlanta	42.00	370	840		22,537
Little Rock	42.00	61	160		22,768
Dallas	41.85				425
Montgomery	41.25				82
Total Tuesday		8,175	14,617		674,278

MARKETS

Cotton Livestock Financial Grain Produce Stocks-Bonds

STRENGTH OF OLD CROP FEATURES COTTON MART

NEW YORK, May 18.—The feature in the cotton market today was the strength of the old crop positions. These months were lower early, but May notes estimated that 1,600 bales were evidently soon stopped, and May contracts sold up from 41.68 to 42.18, or 53 points above last night's closing figures and within 45 points of the season's high record. That delivery closed at 42.16, with the general market closing steady at a net advance of 3 to 9 points.

The market opened steady and active months sold off shortly after the call. Reports of more favorable weather in the south led to a good deal of realizing or liquidation in new crop positions. The market then steadied on reports of light rains in the western belt, and the development of a more urgent demand from old shorts. Trading in current May positions will end at noon Friday. The strength of May stimulated the demand for July.

Port receipts today were 11,572 bales. United States port stocks, 1,113,895; exports 598, making 3,802,375 so far this season.

GORN MARKET PRICES COME CRASHING DOWN

CHICAGO, May 18.—Prices crashed down in the corn market today as much as 7 1/2 cents a bushel. Failure of two Kansas banks embarrassed by unwise loans on grain did a good deal to bring about the selling stampede which took place and which almost attained whirlwind force at the last. The close was demoralized, 3 1/2 cents to 6 1/2 cents lower, with July 18.69 1/2 to 18.70 and September 18.69 1/2 to 18.70. Cots finished 5 1/2 cents to 3 cents down and provisions off 7 1/2 cents to 25 cents.

Weakness in the corn market began to develop as soon as trading commenced. New low records for Liberty bonds increased the uneasiness and anxiety on the part of holders of grain, was due to Kansas bank failures, further deepened by word of extensive price slashing at department stores and of industrial establishments laying off employees. The downward plunge became especially wild just before the close. Rallying efforts were but little in evidence as the gongs cleared the pit.

Cats gave way with corn, but were steadied somewhat through aggressive commission house buying of the September delivery.

Lower quotations on grain depressed provisions, but the effect was partly counter-balanced by an advance in hog values.

RAW SUGAR STRONG AND PRICE AND HIGH LEVEL

NEW YORK, May 18.—The local market for raw sugar continues strong and prices again advanced to new high levels under continued buying by refiners, prompted by the active inquiry for refined.

The weekly cable from Cuba reported scattered rains, with receipts last week much more than the previous week, although exports were also much larger. The strange feature was also started to walk in fact ran around the convent and is now walking, it is said, as if she had never been sick.

Women are in sole charge of a dozen or more of the most prosperous weekly newspapers in Louisiana.

COTTON LOW IN EARLY TRADING BUT ADVANCES

NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—Lower prices ruled in the early trading in cotton today but later the market displayed pronounced firmness, rising strongly, especially in July, on rumors of a break in the levees in north Louisiana and the eastern central and western sections of the belt. The result was a telling of a better inquiry and Texas markets wired that European spinners appeared to be getting uneasy over the new crop outlook and were calling for offers, straddling again set in between July and October. The result was a very irregular market, the close being 2 to 62 points up, net for the day. The trend was lower for some time after the opening on somewhat better private weather accounts and later on the weather map itself, which later indicated comparatively little rain in the belt.

BUSINESS ON STOCK EXCHANGE DWINDLES

NEW YORK, May 18.—Business on the stock exchange today amounted to about 350,000 shares, the smallest total since February 3, 1919, and far less than the average week-end two-hour session of recent months.

Movements of stocks were in keeping with the insignificant total. Many of the standard railroad and industrial issues were only occasionally dealt in and some remained unquoted throughout the day.

In point of fact, the stock market was most of the time trading in Liberty bonds. Further very extensive liquidation of Liberty bonds and Victory notes forced more of these premier war issues to new levels. Bankers were almost unanimous in ascribing the additional depression of these securities to the enforced needs of individual corporations who found themselves unable or unwilling to borrow money at the prevailing high rates and scarcity of funds. The only stocks to manifest more than a slight degree of activity and strength were those comprising the sugar and food groups with intermittent firmness in leathers, tobaccos and shippings. Oils, the recent mainstay of the market, were variably lower and changes in stocks, equipments and motors denoted little more than the mixed views of professional operators.

No attention was paid to the money market, although call loans eased from seven to six per cent and a few time loans for short dates were reported at 8 1/2 per cent. Brokers reported less than the usual amount of business in foreign exchange.

The extreme declines in Liberty bonds ranged from one-tenth to one-half per cent, the 3 1/2s alone holding steady. Foreign bonds also reacted but in general domestic list, St. Louis and San Francisco railway incomes were conspicuously strong. Total sales (par value, aggregated \$50,275,000.

GENERAL AGUINALDO IS STILL ESTIMATED IN PHILIPPINE ISLES

MANILA, April 18. (By Mail)—General Emilio Aguinaldo, who fought for the independence of the Philippines and was captured by General Funston, still holds a strong place in the affections of the Filipino people. This was demonstrated when he left the hospital the other day to pay a visit to his farm at Kawit about 50 miles from Manila. Aguinaldo has been in the hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis but was permitted to go to his home to celebrate his 51st birthday.

Accompanied by his physician and nurse, he made the 50-mile trip by automobile. Although his visit was not announced in advance, the news of his coming spread and the people of the villages along the way gathered at the roadside and the children threw flowers into his automobile. At one village the children waved American and Filipino flags and sang "Aguinaldo's March." At his home he was met by nearly all the villages headed by a band and speakers gave him welcome. After spending a night at the farm he returned to the hospital.

Aguinaldo seems assured against want. Besides the pension of \$6000 granted to him by the legislature he owns about 2500 acres of Friar lands in Cavite province which he bought from the government, of which 300 acres are planted in rice and sugar cane, owns nearly 1000 acres in the foothills of Cavite, where he grows hemp; is vice-president of two large vegetable oil concerns and has a handsome residence in Manila.

CONFISCATE MONASTERY LAND

MOSCOW, April 28 (By Mail)—A wireless message states that in Nevgorod government part of the land which belonged to monasteries has been confiscated and transferred to the section of public education. All the monasterial buildings, except the churches, have been converted into colonies and trade schools for children.

The women of Buenos Aires have the reputation of being among the best-dressed women in the world.

CRIPPLED NUN FALLS FROM CHAIR; IS ABLE TO RUN NOW

FORT WILLIAM, Ont., May 19.—A remarkable incident happened at St. Joseph's convent here recently. One of the sisters who for the past twelve months had been unable to walk, suffering from a tubercular knee, and who had been told by several doctors that it would be absolutely impossible for her to walk again, fell from a chair in trying to get to a wheel chair that was close by, and in falling, regained her strength. The strange feature was also started to walk in fact ran around the convent and is now walking, it is said, as if she had never been sick.

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PROFESSOR IS CHOSEN FOR SUMMER COURSE AT TEXAS UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, Texas, May 18.—In addition to some of the members of the regular staff of the school of English at the University of Texas there will be five professors from other schools for the first term and four for the second term of the summer school.

Virgil L. James, professor of English at the University of Arkansas, who taught in the University of Texas last year.

James Edward Winston of the Sophie Newcomb College for Women, who will give courses dealing with the national development and expansion of the United States.

W. J. Battle, a former member of the faculty of the University of Texas, now professor of Greek at the University of Cincinnati, will return for the summer session to be a member of the Greek and Latin department.

Earle Raymond Hedrick, professor of mathematics at the University of Missouri.

Frederick Arthur Osborn, professor of physics at the University of Washington.

Miss Jessie Harris, associate professor of home economics at the University of Nebraska.

17 License to Marry Issued Last Week In Eastland County

EASTLAND, Texas, May 18.—Following are the marriage licenses issued the week ending April 13, 1920, in the office of county clerk.

E. L. Dabney and Miss Jessie James, Dorman.

Rosa E. Roberts, Cisco and Mae Halbert, San Antonio.

Frank Kemer and Miss Cleo Hall, Odessa.

Oliver Adams and Ruby Mann, Ranger.

John M. Moore and Annie Estill, Gorman.

Harvey S. White, Eastland, and Virgie McGee, Oklahoma City.

One certificate not for publication, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Vicor F. Wallace and Ima Sims, Cisco.

Bryon Wallace, Delson and Addie Thomas, Gorman.

D. E. Hibbs, May, Texas, and Susie Hastings, Carbon.

Robert V. Logan, Ardmore, Okla., and William Trovelli, Cisco.

W. C. Davis, Eastland, and Marnie E. Sparks, Colorado.

Alfred W. Stephens, Merkel and Miss Helen M. Wierd.

Dr. W. C. Kincaid and Mrs. Fannie Petty, Eastland.

Jack Edwards, Cisco and Jessie May Harris, Thurber.

Births and Deaths at Brownwood.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 18.—During the present month, according to figures at the office of the city secretary, there has been 66 deaths in this city and 25 births.

Eastland County Farmer Sells Pigs.

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 18.—A. C. White, a farmer living near Rising Star, in Eastland county, was here today with 51 Red Duroc pigs for sale.

T. U. PROFESSOR GETS APPOINTMENT AS U. S. ATTACHE TO MEXICO

AUSTIN, Texas, May 19.—Dr. C. H. Cunningham, adjunct professor of business administration and government at the University of Texas, has been appointed commercial attaché of the United States to Mexico.

Dr. Cunningham had previously been appointed United States vice consul in the City of Mexico.

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INDUSTRIAL SPECIALISTS OPEN NATIONAL MEET AT CHICAGO TODAY

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The reply to the address of welcome tomorrow will be made by Philip J. Reilly, president of the Retail Research association of New York.

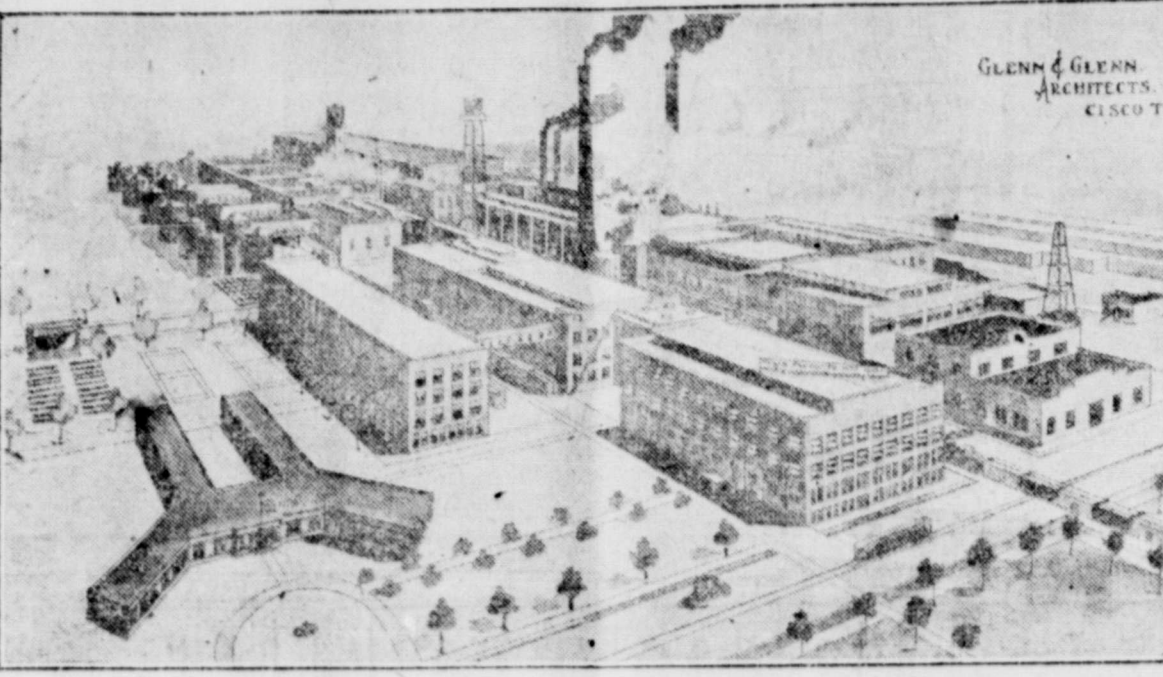
FORT CROCKETT IS SOUTH'S MOST SANITARY ARMY POST

GALVESTON, Tex., May 18.—Fort Crockett, just outside this city, leads all army posts in the Southern Department in sanitary conditions.

A student was up for his examination for medical service in the army.

Er—Nelson, sir—Drake, sir—Er—Nelson, sir, but I did not quite catch your name when I came in.

CISCO ARCHITECTS DESIGN SWEETWATER SOAP PLANT



Above is a perspective of the new million-dollar soap plant to be erected at Sweetwater shortly.

REPUBLICANS GETTING THEIR CONVENTION HALL HEADQUARTERS READY

CHICAGO, May 18.—"Presidential row" an institution unique in American politics, is preparing for the final drive that will culminate the week of June 8 in the nomination of a republican candidate for president of the United States.

The volume is very readable and not uninteresting and will serve admirably for an exhaustive study of the audience, especially as to the non-judicial powers.

National headquarters of Gov. Frank O. Lowden and Major-General Leonard Wood were the first to open this season.

Following the convention the entire floor, including the hall room, in a downtown hotel, and also establish work rooms in a loop office building.

Will E. Hays, chairman of the committee, is expected to spend considerable time during the campaign here, and one of the large hotel matters is being prepared for his private office.

The democratic national committee will maintain headquarters here, but has not yet selected a location.

WEST TEXAS C. OF C. REPRESENTATIVES TO BE IN CISGO TO-DAY

Representatives of the West Texas chamber of commerce aerial publicity campaign will visit Cisco this Wednesday to confer with business interests to secure their participation in the big "Know West Texas" campaign.

Two large airplanes and a three-ton exhibition truck will leave West Texas about July 1.

The planes and the truck will be lavishly decorated. At every stop 15,000 feet of moving picture film will be exhibited.

Publicity which this organization has sent out in the last few months has resulted in hundreds of new persons coming to this section.

Madame Sarojini Mahlu, a leading suffragist of India, will be one of the speakers at the coming meeting of the International Woman Suffrage Alliance.

SCOUT OF ROBERT E. LEE IS CHOSEN BAPTIST HEAD AGAIN

PORT WORTH, Texas, May 19.—The Rev. Dr. James Burton Gambrell, personal scout of Gen. Robert E. Lee, for the fourth time has been elected president of the Southern Baptist convention.

During the war between the states he was a scout with the Confederate forces in Mississippi and Virginia.

Born in South Carolina, Dr. Gambrell then a child was taken to Mississippi, where the outbreak of the war found him.

Less than 50 years ago women prisoners in Tennessee were employed in breaking rock for street pavement.

Manager Campbell Home From Gas-Electric Meet, Galveston

P. W. Campbell, manager of the Cisco Gas & Electric Co., returned Tuesday morning from a three-day stay at Galveston, where he was in attendance at the annual meeting of the Southwest Gas and Electric Association.

Public utilities of the nature of his company, Mr. Campbell says, have for some time had difficulty in meeting the needs of the general commercial growth and the topic before this state meeting which overshadowed all others.

Back From Extended Visit Mrs. O. T. Roquemore has returned to Cisco after an extensive visit with friends and relatives in Dallas, Galveston and cities in Oklahoma.

WOMAN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF BURGLARY

BROWNWOOD, Texas, May 18.—A woman was arrested here today on her arrival from Fort Worth, where it is alleged she was connected with recent burglaries.

An English newspaper has discovered a milkmaid who wears a monocle while at work.

SUES FOR DIVORCE BECAUSE WIFE WON'T SPEAK TO HIM

MUSKOGEE, Okla., May 19.—Because his wife would not talk to him, G. G. Benson of this city, has filed suit in superior court for divorce.

Bradford (Mass.) Academy, founded in 1803, claims to be the oldest institution in New England for the higher education of women.

Advertisement for 'THE HUB' clothing store, featuring 'HIGH-GRADE CLOTHING FURNISHINGS HATS SHOES' and 'MEN AND BOYS'.

Advertisement for 'THE AUTO ELECTRIC COMPANY' featuring 'Arts Shoes' and 'Auto Electric Company' services.

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