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## RETURN OF BODIES OF AMERICAN DEAD TO BE BEGUN IN SEPTEMBER

Only Those Specifically Asked For by Relatives to Be Brought Back by French Decision

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Under an agreement reached with the French government, the return of the American soldier dead from the military zone in France will begin after September 15.

Ralph Hayes, assistant to Secretary Baker, recently returned from a mission to France to complete arrangements, has reported that French objections finally were waived in April, removals to be limited to those bodies for the return of which relatives had specifically asked.

Mr. Hayes reaffirms the policy of the war department to defer to wishes of relatives completely. Returns from inquiries sent out show that 59 per cent of those who replied asked that the bodies be brought home. Those which remain in France will be "fittingly and tenderly" cared for by the government in fields of honor purchased for that purpose. The report deals at length with arrangements for acquisition, location and preparation of these.

The report refers to charges that the motive behind the proposal for return of the soldier dead, was the propagation of the undertaker and coffin makers, and the further charges that activating the movement to keep the bodies abroad was "the hope of the French to make their presence a source of constant and substantial financial revenue."

"Specific and sufficient data," says the report, "has not yet been adduced to indicate that either fact is borne out in fact." It adds that while some undertakers conducted a movement for the return of the bodies they were repudiated "by the recognized association of reputable funeral directors" and that "it is not true that there exists now in France any generally prevalent effort to capitalize financially, American burial places."

Names Burial Spots. Mr. Hayes recommended that the permanent fields of honor be located at Romagne, Belleau and Surmes in France, the dead to sleep there without "segregation into distinctive locations on the basis of rank." Headstones and markers should be uniform and erected by the government on advice of a war memorial council to be composed of representatives of all interested veterans and other organizations. Arrangements should be made, similarly, he reported, for erection of hostess houses to accommodate relatives of the dead who visit the plots.

Describing his visit to all points where American dead now lie in France, Mr. Hayes said he saw many touching evidences of the care individual French citizens and small communities were bestowing on the graves. Objections of the French authorities to waiving the rigid regulations in force against removal of any of the dead of whatever nationality from the military zone were based on practical reasons, Mr. Hayes reported. These included unwillingness to discriminate between Americans and the dead of other nationalities, more numerous and much more difficult to identify; fear of the effect upon an already "badly strained civilian morale" movement of long funeral trains would have; uncertainty as to the hygienic effect in the undertaking involved; shortage of rail way equipment and the already congested condition of railroads in the military zone due to reconstruction activities.

Under the agreement reached, Mr. Hayes reported, the American government assumes responsibility for adequate sanitary precautions, to be approved by the French, and the agreement for making minimum demands on rail equipment, not over 100 cars for the purpose to be in use at any one time. These and other rolling stock and terminal facilities will be used on a rental basis.

## CALLS ASSUMES DUTIES MEXICAN WAR MINISTER

MEXICO CITY, May 29.—General P. Elías Calles, appointed minister of war and marine by the newly elected provisional government, Adolfo de La Huerta, formally assumed that office today.

After President De La Huerta assumes office early next week, General Obregon, who has been acting president, will devote his time to the presidential campaign, says El Demócrata.

General Pablo Gonzalez has announced he will shortly issue a manifesto explaining his reasons for retiring.

## HOPE FOR MEXICO WHEN THIS YOUNGEST BECOMES PRESIDENT

BALLINGER, Texas, May 29.—A baby boy weighing sixteen pounds was recently born to a Mexican woman here who weighed only ninety-five pounds, according to the attending physician. The mother said that it was the largest new-born baby he ever saw. The mother said that she intends to raise her boy to be president of Mexico.

## NEGRO INDICTED FOR ALLEGED ASSAULT ON AGED DALLAS WOMAN

DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—James Brown, negro, charged with criminal assault on a white woman, 56 years old, at her home four miles west of Dallas Friday, was indicted by the Dallas county grand jury in special session this morning and his trial set for June 4.

## SOLDIER RELIEF BILL IS PASSED BY HOUSE AND SENT TO SENATE

Supporters Say Measure is Just Compensation; Opponents Declare It Trick to Win Yet Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The soldier relief bill was passed by the house today, 285 to 92, and sent to the senate. While only the direct vote was possible under the suspension program, it was preceded by three test votes which showed supporters of the measure gradually gaining.

The first vote of 192 to 189, coming on a parliamentary question indicated advocates were short by 64 votes of the two-thirds majority, while the second by which the suspension program was adopted, 266 to 163, showed they lacked only 37 votes.

The third test was on applying the suspension program to the bill, which was carried, 175 to 91, or two less than the required number for passage.

Between roll call debate was heated. Democrats, aided by a minority of the republicans, attacked the "flag rule" of the majority. Advocates of the suspension program declared a vote against it was a vote against the bill itself, and gradually they wore down the opposition, the final vote recording 40 republicans and 52 democrats in opposition.

Supporters of the measure declared the bill was just to the ex-servicemen for losses they suffered in the war, but opponents denounced it as a "political trick" to win the soldier vote through an attempt to "commercialize patriotism."

Attacks on the suspension program were made by Representative Mann, republican of Illinois, and Representative Clark of Missouri, democratic leader, while Chairman Campbell of the rules committee, and others, defended it as the only plan for forcing action on the bill.

Mr. Clark denounced the suspension as "the most outrageous maneuver ever made in the house," adding that "the statement that democrats are against the soldier legislation is a lie." All that was desired, he said, was opportunity to amend the bill's taxing provisions.

"The time has come to unmask," replied Mr. Campbell, declaring votes against the suspension program were votes against the soldier bill.

## SOCIALIST PRESIDENT NOMINATION ACCEPTED BY E. DEBS IN PRISON

ATLANTA, Ga., May 29.—Eugene V. Debs accepted today the socialist nomination for president of the United States, formerly tendered him by a committee from his party.

The ceremonies took place inside the Atlanta federal penitentiary where Debs is serving a ten-year term on conviction of violating the espionage act, and for once prison rules were somewhat relaxed, speeches were made, moving picture men cranked their machines, and half a dozen newspaper men jotted down notes on what was said.

Under prison rules, Debs could not issue a statement, but he made a brief speech in which he thanked the party for the honor again conferred upon him and expressed his regret that he could do so little personally in the campaign.

"I have never been afraid of being too radical," Debs told his audience, "but I have of not being radical enough."

## ALTERNATIVE RED RIVER PLAN PUT BEFORE COURT

DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer has wired A. B. Watkins, chairman of the state democratic convention, that an alternative plan for operation of property involved in the Red river boundary dispute has been submitted to the supreme court.

If approved, the plan, according to Mr. Palmer, will eliminate those features objectionable to interested citizens in this state.

The telegram was in response to a telegram sent the attorney general by the democratic state convention in session here Tuesday.

## REPUBLICAN NATIONAL DELEGATES BEGIN TO FLOCK INTO CHICAGO

Governor Allen to Make Nominating Speech for General Wood; Walker for Poindexter.

CHICAGO, May 29.—Delegates to the republican national convention flocked into Chicago today. Many early arrivals were from southern states and a large proportion of these men were negroes contesting for seats from states where the race question has been an issue in the party's organization.

The national committee's hearing on 17 contests will start Monday, and arrivals hitherto members of the party's governing body to present advance arguments for their claims.

Campaign managers were perfecting plans for the actual work in the convention. Shortly after Wood headquarters announced that Governor Henry J. Allen of Kansas had been selected to make the principal nominating speech for Major General Leonard Wood, it was announced that George H. Walker of Seattle had been chosen to perform a similar office for Senator Miles Poindexter of Washington. These announcements completed the list of the principal candidates, except Lowden and Hoover.

Clarence B. Miller, acting secretary of the national committee, was busy today arranging the rooms and offices of the committee at the Coliseum annex in anticipation of their active use Monday. He also was concerned in seeing that the business of the committee was in shape for Will H. Hays, chairman, who will arrive tomorrow.

Mr. Hays' first official act will be to entertain newspaper correspondents at a luncheon. Then he will discuss with those members of the committee who may be here, the selection of a permanent chairman for the convention.

Not all committee members will be here for the opening of the contest hearings. One of the knotty problems which confronts the committee is the reducing of over-sized delegations to a size which will permit their being seated in the space reserved for delegates. This has placed several delegations in a quandary.

Statements were issued from the headquarters of all presidential candidates summing up the gains reputed to have been made here during the week. Undiminished confidence was reflected in the announcements from the Lowden, Wood and Johnson managers. The Lowden camp emphasized the announcement by Jacob Hamon of Oklahoma that the delegates from that state would vote solidly for the Illinois governor.

The Hoover headquarters took on added activity with the arrival of workers from New York. There was a steady stream of callers at Harding headquarters.

The first headquarters for a vice presidential candidate were opened today. It will be devoted to the interests of Samuel Adams of Virginia.

Mayor Thompson today appointed a committee to welcome the republican national convention delegates. It was announced that 2,000 automobiles and six bands had been placed at the use of the committee. Ten thousand dollars has been appropriated to entertain the visiting delegates and to decorate the principal streets of Chicago.

## WOOD SAYS DONATORS TO HIS FUND ALL O. K.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 29.—"They seem to be all good American citizens," said General Wood tonight when shown a dispatch containing some contributions to his campaign fund as furnished the senate investigating committee. He pointed out that one religious organization spent more than \$4,000,000 in one campaign. The cost of campaigning under the primary system shows up bigger than it did under the old convention system, he said, because the leaders then raised money quietly.

Tentative Platform Completed. WASHINGTON, May 29.—A tentative draft of the republican national platform has about been completed by party leaders in conference here. It will be ready for submission early next week to prospective members of the resolution's committee.

Planks on Mexico and the league of nations are omitted. It was said today that the party's stand would have to be worked out at the Chicago convention. The Mexican plank is expected to follow the findings of the senate sub-committee investigating Mexican affairs.

Advice Farmers to Store Wheat. OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 29.—Farmers are advised to prepare immediately to store their wheat crop for their farms in a resolution adopted today by representatives of all the wheat-growing counties of the state, in session here. A committee, headed by A. B. Campbell of Geary, was appointed to confer with bankers of the state to work out a plan of financing the crop until it can be marketed.

House Adopts Budget Bill. WASHINGTON, May 29.—Without a record vote, the house adopted today the conference report on the McCormick-Good bill providing for a federal budget system. The bill now goes to the president.

## THE CISCO DAILY NEWS PUBLISHERS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Cisco Morning News is about to undergo metamorphosis.

Starting next Tuesday afternoon it will be known as THE CISCO DAILY NEWS and will be an afternoon paper. It will be published Sunday morning, and every day, except Saturday.

As there will be no paper on Monday, this is the final issue of The Morning News. It has not gone; it is merely dressing itself in a more advantageous garb. It will give the people TODAY'S NEWS TODAY, rather than giving them yesterday's news today.

Statistics tend to prove that afternoon papers are in the ascendancy over morning papers in the matter of news, circulation and business. While they work at higher tension than the morning publications and have not the same length of time to assemble their news, the afternoon papers are able to present the news almost immediately after it happens.

Of course, it is agreeable to find out what has gone on in the world from the morning paper upon awakening each day, but it means that the paper is only hurriedly scanned over a cup of coffee and tossed aside in a rush to get to work on time.

The entire family has more time to read its home newspaper in the evening after the day's toil is finished and the members of the household are able to gather for discussion of current happenings. Moreover, the news that they read in their afternoon paper is the same news that they will find in next morning's paper with a little more detail, amplification and embellishment.

The Cisco Daily News will carry more local news than has The Morning News, and will not be so top heavy with telegraph news as this paper has been. In addition to the day service of the Associated Press, the afternoon paper will also have the International News Service, thus assuring it of the most important of world happenings briefly told.

While the name and status of this paper changes, its policy will remain the same. It will be non-political, non-sectarian and non-personal.

The Cisco Round-Up will still be published each week. The Daily News will reiterate the platform of this paper. It will proceed to carry out the ideals and purposes for which this paper has striven during the three months of its existence.

Like this paper, The Daily News will be the only newspaper in this city. It will be its duty to be father, mother, sister and brother, all in one, to the people of this community. That is what this paper has tried to be.

The Daily News will not seek advertising on a basis of friendship for the paper. If a merchant is not reasonably certain that he will receive adequate return for the money he puts into an advertisement, then The News doesn't want the advertisement.

If advertising did not pay, some of the larger firms of the nation who are spending millions of dollars for it would have found it out a long, long time ago.

The business office of The News will be divorced from its editorial rooms. The news will be published regardless of whose toes are stepped on, if any good can come of such publication.

The Daily News will be for or against no man of this city personally. It will be for or against what he is doing. Likewise with organizations and their personnels.

The News will be glad to publish any items contributed by readers, provided they have news value, initials or first names are given, and the writer's name is given. The reason an article of news fits to get into the paper is usually because the people who are most interested in having it appear are the same people who would rather walk ten blocks to inform the paper that it left something out, than to walk a block or so the day before to give the paper that particular article.

The Daily News will be just what the people here are—neither better nor worse. It will attempt to go ahead to help for them a road of progress to the goal of final supremacy. But it has only the implements which the people put into its hands with which to work and can simply do its best with what it has.

Still, it will always aspire with them toward better things.

## MANDATE OF ARMENIA UNDER CONGRESS FIRE WITH FACTION DEBATE

Resolution to Deny Authorization is Softened With Provision to Help Armenians.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—President Wilson's request that congress authorize a mandate over Armenia came under fire from democrats and republicans today when resolutions to deny such authorization was brought up. From the democratic side, however, came a proposal to soften the resolution by adding a provision extending American aid in the economic upbuilding of the new republic. The plan was taken under advisement by republicans so that senators might study it, an agreement was made to defer until Monday any attempt to set a date for a vote.

Under the suggested provision, presented by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, a joint commission of Americans and Armenians would be authorized to supervise the sale here of \$50,000,000 in Armenian bonds. The proceeds would go to buy railroad and agricultural materials and similar equipment, and to the establishment of an Armenian banking system.

Senator Hitchcock said he felt that the resolution as reported would have the effect of "discouraging" the Armenian people. Senator Lodge, republican leader, replied that proposals to aid Armenia would be received with much sympathy on his side, but added there were many ways in which aid could be extended.

There was only a brief discussion of the president's resolution, which Senator Hitchcock said he did not intend to support. Several other democrats indicated their approval, but Senator Williams, democrat, Mississippi, declared the United States would be unfaithful to its responsibilities if it declined to take the mandate.

Senator Jones of Mexico and Robinson of Arkansas, democrats, said the resolution involved an important question and a vote should not be taken without giving it serious consideration.

## BOLL WORM PROBE IS ENDED AND REPORT TO GO TO LEGISLATURE

AUSTIN, Texas, May 29.—Investigation by a legislative committee of the so-called pink boll-worm infestation in southeast Texas which has been in progress this week, was concluded Monday by the committee report.

The committee has virtually decided to recommend a bill proposing the establishment of regulated zones in the infested area instead of a non-cotton zone as urged by Secretary of Agriculture E. T. Meredith, in a letter to the governor. Failure of the legislature to declare for non-cotton zone will likely result in the establishment of a federal quarantine against the infested area.

## RAILROAD COMMITTEE TO HELP UNTANGLE CAR JAM

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Appointment of a special committee representing the railroads of the country with authority similar to that of the railroad war board of 1917, to co-operate with the interstate commerce commission in untangling the freight jam and to expedite transportation, was announced today by T. Dewitt Cuyler, chairman of the association of railway executives.

The committee is to serve as a connecting link between the commission and the roads. Mr. Cuyler said, and is expected to enable the commission to carry out with the greatest efficiency its orders relating to freight congestion. The members of the committee include W. B. Storey, president of the Atchafalaya, Topeka and Santa Fe, and B. F. Bush, president of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

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Atlantic City, N. J., 50,832; increase 4,532, or 9.8 per cent.  
Sterling, Colo., 6,415; increase 3,371, or 110.7 per cent.  
Ballinger, Texas, 2,767; increase 769, or 27.7 per cent.  
Newton, Kansas, 9,781; increase 1,919, or 24.4 per cent.  
Orangetown, Conn., including West-haven borough, 16,614; increase 5,342, or 47.4 per cent.  
Westhaven, Conn., 12,369; increase 3,286, or 44.8 per cent.

U. S. General Guest of Mexicans. DOUGLAS, Ariz., May 29.—Major General J. T. Dickman, commander of the southern military department, who arrived today on an inspection trip was the guest of Mexican army officers and civilian officials at Ariz. Fiesta, across the line from here this afternoon.

Breaks World Record. NEW YORK, May 29.—A world's record for a one-mile horse race around turns was made today by the three-year-old Man-O-War, winner of the 1919 Futurity, in taking the Dithers stake at Belmont Park in 3:35.5 seconds. The former record, 3:38.15, was made in August, 1915, by Sunbriar and equalled a year later by Fairy Wand.

## MORE THAN MILLION SPENT IN THE WOOD NATIONAL CAMPAIGN

Johnson-Hoover Republican Primary Fight in California Probed and Also McAdoo Boom.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Senate investigation today of pre-convention expenditures dealt largely with financing of Major General Leonard Wood's campaign and the Johnson-Hoover republican primary fight in California, with further attempts to get on the trail of the McAdoo boom.

Holding its first night session and sitting in all eleven hours, day and night, the committee heard evidence that a national campaign fund of \$1,110,042.25 had been raised for General Wood and that the national campaign fund for Senator Johnson approximated \$200,000. Charges that Hoover supporters in California spent "at the lowest estimate \$300,000" in the primary fight against Senator Johnson also were made.

A. A. Sprague of Chicago identified himself as treasurer of the "Leonard Wood national campaign committee" and presented a financial statement, which also showed expenditures of \$1,174,910.19.

Mr. Sprague's testimony disclosed that the financing of General Wood's campaign had been done largely by three men—Colonel William Cooper Proctor of Cincinnati, A. E. Monell of New York, and Mr. Sprague. Colonel Proctor, he said, advanced \$527,000 and Mr. Monell \$100,000 in addition to a contribution of \$20,000. Two hundred thousand dollars were borrowed from two Chicago banks on notes endorsed by Colonel Proctor. Mr. Sprague said he was a joint endorser of the notes and expected to pay it.

He placed total contributions at \$258,748 with John D. Rockefeller, Jr. of New York, the largest, with \$25,000. Mr. Sprague said Colonel Proctor expected to get back his advances but the witness expressed "grave doubts" that he would. Denying that there was an understanding with any group of rich men that the deficiencies of \$521,000, representing the difference between expenses and receipts, was to be repaid, Mr. Sprague reported that \$16,000, where charges of excessive expenditures in the Wood-Harding primary contest had been made before the committee, \$60,000 was spent on "stunt organizing," \$22,000 on newspaper advertising and \$36,000 on "postage speakers" traveling expenses, circularizing, etc.

In West Virginia, the item "state organization" showed \$7,000; "newspaper advertising" \$3,700; "postage, speakers" traveling expenses, circularizing, bill boards, telephone and telegraph \$15,336.

Mr. Sprague testified that the money was paid out from headquarters "or order from Colonel Proctor or W. B. Burtt."

"Did General Wood know anything about this?" asked Senator Reed, democrat of Missouri.

"He did not."  
"Did he know Colonel Proctor had advanced over \$500,000?"  
"I don't think he knew anything about it."

"Did he ever ask you about the finance of the campaign?" Senator Pomeroy, democrat, Ohio, asked.

"He never did."  
"And you never told him."  
"I did not, though he has probably read the papers by this time."  
"I went into the army to do my duty," Mr. Sprague said. "I went into politics for the same reason, and I have intended to stay in neither one. These are not business loans."

Willard B. Marsh, treasurer of the democratic national committee, was interrogated as to a campaign fund for Mr. William G. McAdoo. He said that published reports that the democratic national executive committee had been assured last fall that a \$10,000,000 fund would be raised if Mr. McAdoo was nominated, was "an absurdity."

Mr. Marsh denied that B. M. Baruch had promised to raise such a fund and said that Mr. Baruch was at the Atlantic meeting of the committee in question because the problem of raising \$75,000 or \$85,000 for party headquarters expenses was under discussion.

"The people will be asked to finance the 1920 campaign," Mr. Marsh said, adding it was the democratic committee's plan to get contributions from 200 subscribers and he advocated a \$1,000 limit.

Regarding the reported effort of Mr. Baruch to influence the national committee for any candidate, Mr. Marsh said:

"Mr. Baruch has never made any suggestion to the national committee of the executive committee that we should be for or against any candidate."  
Alexander McCabe, a Johnson man ager in California, was questioned about the Johnson-Hoover fight there. He was unable to give exact figures. He estimated Senator Johnson's name.

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★ city. Some of them are specialists ★  
★ of wide reputation. ★  
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### BIG SLUMP IN LUMBER STRIKES CISCO YARDS WITH PRICE DECLINES

Drop Varies From \$2.50 to \$25 Off Per Thousand Feet—Lumbermen Give Views on Situation.

Lumber has followed clothing in slumping. And according to Cisco lumber dealers, this decline in prices runs from \$2.50 to \$25 per thousand feet—varying in the different classes of lumber.

Dealers were anticipating some decline and were not surprised when it came a few days ago. Some of these dealers do not look for further price reduction, while some are doubtful, and others believe that there will be reaction and that prices will stiffen—perhaps at the present level.

The effect this decline will have on building operations is best told by the Cisco dealers.

Burton-Lingo Co. "Prices off from \$10 to \$25 per thousand in past two weeks. Anticipate no further decline. Business has not increased. Believe that a \$2 to \$3 rise would have tendency to accelerate sales and building."

W. F. Deagney Lumber Co. "The decline has been about ten per cent in three weeks—or an average of about \$10 per thousand feet. Business is a little better, especially in the oil lumber trade, but this is not necessarily on account of lower lumber prices."

Tom Harrell Lumber Co. "Prices have dropped from \$25 to \$20 per thousand feet. Sentiment prevails among lumber men that by June 15th prices will be readjusted and stabilized."

Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co. "There's always a dull period during the year for lumber and we have had it since in June. May the year has been equal to May last year. Some classes of lumber is off at the mill, while some is still stiff at the old price."

J. T. Berry Lumber Co. "Some mills are said to have decreased lumber prices, but we have received no such advice, and we have nothing in the situation. We are not in the market for purchases, and we have no prices—and we don't care to be quoted."

Methodist Activity the World Over to Be at Victory Monday

Motion pictures have their fascination and too are educational. They are being urged by church organizations for their fascination and to the more strikingly bring illustrations and give educational instruction.

The World of Columbus, the world-wide parish of Methodism visualized, has been brought to Cisco under the Centenary Commission of the M. E. Church South, and will be presented at the Victory theatre Monday.

YEAR BOOK OF CISCO HIGH SCHOOL NOW OUT

The Occidental, the 1920 Year Book of the Cisco High school published by the student body and edited by the senior class, is a very handsome book just out. It is printed on enameled book paper, and is regularly bound in Morocco cover, with gilt lettering.

Dr. Woods in Dallas. Dr. Paul M. Woods is on a five days' visit to Dallas, where he will conduct a clinic at the Texas Alumni Association.

### MORE THAN MILLION SPENT IN THE WOOD NATIONAL CAMPAIGN

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Wood campaign fund at \$200,000 and said that between \$100,000 and \$125,000 had been raised in California by Johnson supporters.

Much of this money, he said, was sent outside of the state. He said he had telegraphed for his books and he was asked to remain here until they arrived.

Hoover supporters, he testified, spent eight or nine times as much as we, at the lowest estimate \$200,000. He declared that the Hoover men had employed women as well as men to make a house-to-house canvass in some districts and had many paid workers, including 250 college students at the polls. He also declared that there had been extensive advertising.

For several months now this chorus has been heard in sacred concerts with much pleasure on the part of those in attendance, but Mrs. A. Atkins, director, has decided to vary the entertainment this time and include secular music.

The program will be as follows: Number 1. "Morn' Rise." Gavotte-Robin—Mrs. Brewster, Miss Anita Daniels, Miss Webster, Mrs. Barrow, Mrs. Mayner, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Hittson, and Mrs. Beasley. Number 2. "Love's Reward"—Jordan—Miss McCarty and Mr. Buchanan. Number 3. "The Year at the Spring"—Bach—Miss Edna Webster, Number 4. "Dinah"—Clayton—Women's Chorus. Number 5. Selected reading by Mrs. Greenwood. Number 6. "Miller's Wooding"—Pamphlet—Mrs. Barnes and Chorus. Number 7. Selected violin solo—J. E. Ely. Number 8. "Massa in De Cold, Cold Ground"—Miss McCarty, Miss Beasley, Mrs. Perry, and Mrs. Atkins. Number 9. Piano solo selected. Number 10. "Bridal Chorus" from Rosemaidens.

GERMANS MARVEL AT AMERICAN MAGAZINE ADS OF FOODSTUFFS

BERLIN, May 29 (By Mail)—German marvel at American magazines, especially at the advertisements, a writer in a Berlin paper tells of feasting his eyes on the pictures of food in a popular American weekly.

"Who has to advertise ham in order to get rid of it in Germany?" he facetiously asks. "But the unfortunate American who has a ham to sell must first buy for a dreadful lot of money, a whole page in a magazine and at another terrible price, hire an artist to paint a picture of his ham."

The writer rhapsodizes over that picture, however. He tells his readers what the ham looks like.

"A cross section. White layers of fat, salmon pink flesh, with streaks of fat like the rays of the sun."

It amused him to find that, in addition to the picture, the owner of the ham "finally has to sing its praise in sweet words."

"How we pity," he exclaims, "the American who possesses a ham."

Turning over the pages, the writer came upon an advertisement of rubber shoes. Evidently he thought they were used for the purpose the Germans make of their "sole-sparers."

"Don't imagine," he goes on, "that these American sole-sparers are the kind we have in Germany, made of iron. Not a bit of it. They are made of rubber."

An idea of how scarce and dear rubber is in Germany may be gathered from the writer's statement that "the cost of these American sole-sparers, compared to our valua, would be as great as that of a trip in a railway train from Berlin to Hamburg, with one day in a hotel besides."

The making of gowns for actresses at the motion picture studios in Los Angeles keeps a small army of more than 100 dressmakers constantly employed.

### PROMINENT M. P. IS SUED FOR DIVORCE



Christopher W. Lowther and his family.

Christopher W. Lowther, the youngest member of the British parliament, is being sued for divorce on grounds of desertion. He is the eldest son of the Right Hon. James W. Lowther, for the past seventeen years speaker of the house of commons.

SILICA DEPOSITS AT SWEET WATER TO BE UTILIZED

STAMFORD, TEXAS, May 29.—After a five days' survey of the silica deposits eight miles south of Sweetwater, the Texas Consulting Company has rendered its report. The silica deposits cover an area of one-half square mile, with strata averaging 25 feet in thickness. It is estimated there are 12,000,000 tons of the mineral on the spot.

This silica is found in the trinity sand which is covered by a deposit of water clay, over which lies the Edwards peak or plateau. Over this is a layer of Edwards lime. The deposit outcrops in various spots. It will not be necessary to go through the various strata to secure it. Erosion covering it varies in depth from 1 to 15 feet. The proximity of the deposits to Sweetwater make for the economical utilization by the proposed new soap factory.

Silica is a product of rock crystal quartz. It is used in the manufacture of scouring and medicinal soaps. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been exploring this silica deposit for several months and at last it is to be utilized.

PERU ALSO HAS ITS "ASIATIC PROBLEMS"

BUENOS AIRES, May 29 (By Mail)—Peru, like the United States and Canada, has its "Asiatic problem." Advice from Lima tells of the distribution of circulars among the workers of that city protesting against "the monopolization of our small industries" and the holding of a protest meeting. The advice states that the police "very discreetly dissuaded" the protesters from holding a street demonstration.

"There has been a large increase reported in the Japanese immigration to Peru recently."

Notice. I do hereby notify all stockholders in the vicinity of Cisco that all that can't attend the regular annual stockholders meeting on June 1, 1920, at company plant, to either come in or send in their amount of shares to W. L. Bowman or R. W. Bailey or L. A. Murray, a proxy at once as we want to be represented in this annual meeting.

### DETROIT WILL JAIL EVERY AUTO DRIVER INJURING PEDESTRIANS

DETROIT, Mich., May 29.—Every vehicle driver who causes injury of persons in traffic accidents here is to be jailed, no matter how slight the hurt, according to a decision made by municipal court judges, police officials and the Wayne county prosecuting attorney, at a conference recently held here.

Figures presented at the conference showed that in 1919, 4,660 persons were injured in traffic accidents on Detroit streets. In the past two or three years, it is shown, 800 fatal traffic accidents have resulted in only three convictions on charges of manslaughter. There have been 43 fatalities in the first five and one-half months of 1920, the records revealed.

William P. Rutledge, superintendent of Detroit police, declared that a campaign against reckless driving would be instituted and carried out. Special division of police will be assigned to this duty, according to his plan. In the municipal courts, it was announced, a special traffic court will be established to hear traffic cases exclusively four days a week.

SPECIAL CHAIR FOR CANADIAN ENVOY WAITS 10 YEARS AT D. C.

PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—A musty American diplomatic secret has been disclosed here through announcement that Canada will soon send its own minister to Washington. It is that for the last 10 years a specially made chair, carved with the Canadian coat of arms, has been waiting in Washington for the use of this envoy.

Elmer Root, then secretary of state, ordered the chair, one of many specially carved for the Pan-American union building at the capital. Andrew Carnegie's memorial to cement more firmly the relation of the Americas. The story is told by Albert Kelsoy of this city, one of the architects of the Pan-American building, who said:

"Once a month the ambassadors and ministers of all the American republics meet and are provided over by our secretary of state in the Pan-American building and each representative has a chair of his own, with the arms of his country carved on the back."

"Now when these chairs were decided on, an additional one made with the Canadian arms on it, which was done, and which has been hidden for the past 10 years for Secretary Root cautioned me—to use his exact words—to be a little reticent about the matter."

MINNESOTA TO SEND STRONG TEAM TO CONFERENCE MEET

MINNEAPOLIS, May 29.—The University of Minnesota will send the strongest track team in its history to the annual western conference track championships at Ann Arbor, Mich. on June 4-5. In the field events, however, Minnesota is not a winning contender because of a lack of suitable material.

The "Gophers" appear strongest in the dashes and short distance events. Frank Kelly and Captain B. F. Johnson are the speediest men in the 100 and 225 yard dash. Kelly has been going unday 21 seconds right along. Kelly finished second to Carl Johnson of Michigan in the 100 yard indoor event at Northwestern.

Arnold Ose, Frank McNally and Richard Fisher will take care of the quarter and the half-mile events for Minnesota. Ose ran the quarter at last year's outdoor meet in a trifle under 56 seconds and is said to be going just as good this season. Fisher has a mark of 1:04 in the half mile.

Wm. Hawley is expected to be a real competitor for pole vaulting honors. He is clearing the bar at better than 12 feet 5 inches right along in practice. He won the pole vault at the indoor conference.

### HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE TO ERECT TWO BUILDINGS

BROWNWOOD, May 29.—Dr. J. J. Mills, president of Howard Payne college, following an all day session of the board of trustees, Thursday, announced that two new buildings would be started within the next few days. The total cost of which would be \$120,000. Both buildings will be on the college campus between Fisk and Centre avenues in the very heart of the city.

The first building will cost \$55,000 and the second \$65,000. The first building will be devoted to the gymnasium and swimming pool and the larger building to the school of fine arts and auditorium. The auditorium will when completed seat comfortably 2000 people, being easily the largest of its kind between Fort Worth and El Paso.

It is also announced that the alumni association of Howard Payne and other students have a plan on foot to build the north wing of the administration building at a cost of \$50,000.

Outward Harmony for This Couple. SHERMAN, Tex., May 29.—Outward harmony, at least, will probably reign in the newly formed family of Lee Cook who was married to Miss Annie Cook here recently. Both the bride and groom are deaf and dumb, and it was necessary for the brother of the groom to act as interpreter between the preacher who performed the ceremony and the contracting parties, to whom he conveyed the preacher's words in the sign language.

### REDUCED R. R. FARES FOR TEXAS U. COMMENCEMENT

AUSTIN, May 29.—Registrar E. J. Mathews, of the University of Texas, has been advised that the railroads have authorized reduced rates on their respective lines to students attending the commencement, summer school and the summer normal of the university. Tickets at reduced rates will be on sale June 5, 6 and 7 to Austin for the commencement and first term of the summer school, and on June 19, 20 and 21 to the summer normal and for the second term of the summer school. Under this arrangement students will be required to pay full fare to Austin and the reduction in the return fare will be given upon presentation of receipt of payment of the one-way fare.

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It is the shallow wells that pay the dividends for the shareholders. The cost of drilling does not consume the capital of the operators, as is often the case with the deep wells. In the now famous shallow field of Sipe Springs

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The SANDERS-McLAM OIL CO. is offering for sale a limited amount of their stock for a short time only at par (1.00 per share), fully paid and non-assessable. No better buy is offered at this time, for, as said above, it's the shallow wells that pay the dividends, because of the small expense of reaching production.

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60.00 for	..... 48.00	13.50 for	..... 10.80
65.00 for	..... 52.00	15.00 for	..... 12.00
75.00 for	..... 60.00	16.50 for	..... 13.20
80.00 for	..... 64.00	18.00 for	..... 14.40



## Sale of Toilet Articles

Complexion and comfort needs for summer service are well supplied in this special selling of all the best-liked and best-known and recommended toilet requisites. Here you will find everything for the summer toilet in such well-known brands as—

- Mary Garden
- Mavis
- Djer Kiss
- Hudnut
- Houbgant
- Palmer
- Piver's

### THREE SPECIALS FOR MONDAY

- Pebeco Tooth Paste..... 37c
- Pepsodent Tooth Paste..... 37c
- Colgate Tooth Paste..... 21c

## RED FRONT DRUG STORE

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### CISCO HERO DEAD TO BE HONORED TO-DAY WITH SERVICES HERE

The heroes of the wars—the dead—will be remembered in memorial services, and flowers placed upon the graves today.

In Cisco the program of Memorial Services will be held in the city hall auditorium at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. The services will be under the direction of the American Legion and the local chapter of the American Red Cross. Joe Cullinan, vice commander of Cisco Post, American Legion, will be master of ceremonies.

All Ciscoans should attend these services and participate in honoring those who sacrificed their lives for our country. Immediately following services everyone present will proceed to the cemetery, where the graves of Cisco's dead soldiers—three in number—will be decorated with flowers. These three heroes are: Edna Walker, Clinton Alexander and F. E. Bryan.

Following is the Memorial Services program at the city hall:  
Invocation..... Dr. Leslie  
"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"..... Band  
Vocal solo..... Stuart L. Williams  
Violin solo..... Harry Schaefer  
Memorial Address..... F. D. Wright  
"Star Spangled Banner"..... Band  
Benediction..... Dr. Howard

**Rattlesnake Commits Suicide.**  
EUGENE, Ore., May 29.—A large rattlesnake recently captured near Cosburg, a small town near this city, committed suicide after five days of captivity. The reptile was kept in a store window on exhibition and persons passing the window declare the snake coiled and plunged its fangs into its own body.

**Fort Worth Girl Here.**  
Miss Theresa Power, of Fort Worth, is visiting with Miss Adda Mary Winchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Winchell, at their home, 508 W. Second street.

Africa contains a smaller quantity of coal than any other of the continents.

### OIL BELT PRINTERS WILL HOLD SECOND MEETING HERE TODAY

The Oil Belt Printing Industries, the newly formed organization embracing the counties immediately adjacent to the Central West Texas oil fields, and which is composed of practically all newspapers and commercial printing establishments in said territory, will hold its second meeting in Cisco today, Sunday.

A very large attendance is anticipated according to advices coming to the News from Secretary Frank A. Jones of the Eastland Semi-Weekly Chronicle, who asserts that assurance comes from all directions of the industries' field of endeavor that interest in the organization's work and its usefulness is manifest from information he has received stating large number of members who will attend.

The business session will be held in the office of The News, and will convene at 2:30 o'clock.

### KATY FORGE TO OBSERVE DECORATION DAY MONDAY

The M. K. & T. freight office in Cisco will observe Decoration Day as holiday, Monday. All office and yard business will be suspended, except where it might endanger perishable goods. Only one clerk will be on duty for this purpose. All the other force will be free to join in the decoration services.

**NINE NEGRO BROTHERS COMPOSE ONE TEAM**  
AUSTIN, May 29.—Nine negro brothers named Smith at Temple, Texas, formed a baseball team which is competing for the championship in the "Dusky League" of Central Texas.

**Wood Urges Cutting National Expense.**  
HIGH POINT, N. C., May 29.—Maintenance of an army of 200,000 men, reduction of taxes and the curtailment of national expenses were urged by Major General Wood, republican candidate for the presidential nomination, in a brief address here today.

### JUDIA GOES OUT OF SHOW BUSINESS AND CLOSES HIS THEATRE

The Broadway theatre closed its doors after its performance Saturday night.

It will re-open under a new management in two weeks, said G. H. Judia, the proprietor.

Judia said he had been trying to get out of the business for 18 months, and that it seemed that the only way was to just quit. He said that he had been standing in the show lobby for fifteen years constantly, and was perhaps the oldest picture show operator in the state. He says:

"I am just going to retire from business, get a rest and go fishing on the Llano—or anywhere that fish will bite. As to bait, I will use Bevo for bass, Ref's Special for catfish, and ice water for perch." Judia and his family will leave this week in his Peerless automobile, prepared for a camp outing.

### Prominent Cotton Mill Man of Georgia Spent Day in Cisco

Mr. and Mrs. Julius F. Strain of Calhoun, Ga., spent Friday in Cisco as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blitch. Strain is a prominent cotton mill man of Georgia, being president of the mill at Calhoun, also a large stockholder in mills at Rome, Ga. He was in Cisco last 31 years ago, when there was nothing here but a small village. Both he and Mrs. Strain commented most favorably on the city-like appearance of the Cisco of today as compared with the Cisco they knew over a quarter of a century ago. They visited a number of the oil towns in this section before coming to Cisco, and while here advanced the opinion that Cisco would be the predominating city of West Texas. Before the return trip to Georgia, Strain will make a close study of the cotton area of the state, especially the North Central part.



WE pay tribute today, Memorial Day, to our nation's martyrs; we are spared the ultimate sacrifice, and now do honor to the immortal memory of those who fell in our country's cause.

ONLY SIX MORE DAYS OF THE Great Clearance Sale

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Cisco's Shopping Center

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BIG SAVINGS CAN BE MADE THESE LAST SIX DAYS

## Hurry! Just Six More Days of Our Great Clearance Sale—Here Are Reductions Worthy of Your Immediate Attention

Our Great Clearance Sale, which has been in progress for the past 10 days, has been a great success—both for our customers and for us. In fact, it has been far beyond what we expected, and to show our appreciation of the buying done here during these 10 days, we are going to make the last six days ones that will be remembered long as the most wonderful buying days in the history of Cisco shopping. Below are just a few of the thousands of money-saving opportunities that will be given here during these last six days:

For Monday Only

10 Dozen Pair

### Women's Thread Silk Hose

Full fashioned, all colors and sizes; \$2.50 to \$3.50 values at—

# \$1.49

(One pair only to each customer)

Another 25 Dozen

### Men's Overalls

In this sale—first class quality and workmanship; extra heavy denim, in express stripes; all sizes; \$2.50 to \$3 values at—

# \$1.85

(Only one pair to each customer)

Another 25 Dozen

### Men's Work Shirts

Heavy cheviot and chambray; double stitch welt seam; double pockets; full cut; \$1.50 regular at—

# 85c

(Two only to each customer)

### Toilet Goods Special For Monday

Well Known Makes of—

Hair Tonic .....  
Almond Cream .....  
Mouth Wash .....  
Velvette Face Cream .....  
Cologne .....  
Dentifrice .....

Regular 50c value

# 19c

### MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS

Here is your chance to obtain wonderful values in the latest model Suits for Men and Boys at reductions which mean great savings to you. Celebrated brands, such as Stein Bloch, Schloss Bros., and others. Wool and mid-summer fabrics—all sizes and styles.

\$110.00 Regular, at.....	\$85.00	\$85.00 Regular, at.....	\$29.50
\$85.00 Regular, at.....	\$63.00	\$25.00 Regular, at.....	\$19.50
\$60.00 Regular, at.....	\$49.50	\$18.50 Regular, at.....	\$14.95
\$50.00 Regular, at.....	\$43.00	\$15.00 Regular, at.....	\$11.95
		\$10.00 Regular, at.....	\$8.50

### MEN'S AND BOYS' PANTS

\$18.50 Regular, at.....	\$14.95	\$6.00 Regular, at.....	\$4.95
\$15.00 Regular, at.....	\$11.95	\$4.00 Regular, at.....	\$2.98
\$12.50 Regular, at.....	\$9.50	\$3.00 Regular, at.....	\$2.15
\$10.00 Regular, at.....	\$8.50	\$2.00 Regular, at.....	\$1.65
\$8.50 Regular, at.....	\$6.98	\$1.50 Regular, at.....	\$1.35
		\$1.00 Regular, at.....	85c

Another Case of MEN'S HOSE

50 dozen; all sizes and colors; sold regularly for 25c. In this sale, pair.....

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One Case of

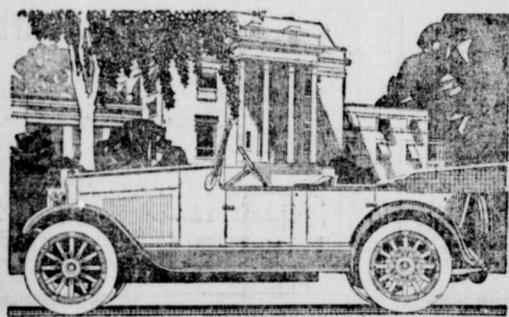
### Men's Athletic Underwear

Just the Underwear you need for Summer wear; all sizes; \$1.50 value at.....

# 85c

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### If the CHALMERS Engine Had Windows You Would See These Revolutionary Processes

THE great thing about a motor car, after all, is how it transforms the energy that nature stored away in gasoline into horsepower.

Chalmers today leads in this, and the automobile industry to a large extent has accepted the Chalmers principles by which power is wrung from "gas."

If the Chalmers engine had windows you would witness these two amazing processes.

You would see the Hot Spot heat up and, like a hot stove sending up into steam water dropped on it, transform the raw, inferior "gas" of the day into a "vapor cloud."

You would see the instantaneous change from a "rainy liquid gas" to a so-called "dry gas."

Then you would look through Ram's-horn and note this "vapor

cloud" being rushed at a velocity of one hundred miles an hour through easy air bends an equal but short distance to each cylinder.

You would see the explosions in the cylinders, how much of this "cloud" was converted into power, how little was wasted through the exhaust.

You would note, too, how even and smooth these explosions were, and how absent the element of vibration that raises so much havoc in a car.

You would understand clearly how such troubles as frequently fouled spark plugs, burned bearings, and scored cylinders are absent in a Chalmers.

Your conclusion would be identical with so many others; that Chalmers is one of the few great cars of the world.



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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.

### REQUIRES MONEY TO BUILD CITIES.

TO carry out these great programs that are planned to build Cisco into a city of pretensions, it will require an ample financial budget and the best thought and direction of Ciscoans. This budget must come from taxation. Some citizens hold to the theory that a low tax rate is an essential incentive for home builders, and wins population. While on the other hand, there are others who contend that a city with a low tax rate is not progressing rapidly, hence has no attractions for investors, or allurements for home seekers who are dependent on industry.

And still others are of the opinion that the question of high or low rate of taxation has but little weight either way in a progressive, growing city. If low tax rate can be maintained on law tax valuation, and a sufficient budget provided for a growing city, well and good; but this has not been the rule in city building. If it takes a high property valuation to maintain a low tax rate, it is still well. But the budget should not be stinted, even though it take a high tax rate on a high property valuation. It takes growth and building progress to produce business and industry and to draw people to a city. Great programs and big budgets to carry them out, build cities and maintain high property valuations.

In Cisco's case, she should be able to maintain a low tax rate on the property valuations of today, and yet raise a budget for a most progressive program.

Walk up and be hitched for action in Cisco's great forward move in the building and constructive program.

### TIME FOR ACTION IS HERE.

SENTIMENT in Cisco has been spurred on and stimulated until it is thoroughly crystallizing in support of city cleanliness, civic beautification, parks and recreation grounds, extension of street improvements, bigger and better school buildings, more imposing church edifices, more modern and beautiful homes, whiteway boulevards for the resident districts, location of factory and industrial sites, a greater water system for this city of the future—and for all other projects that are for the welfare and the city building.

Many of these things are already on Cisco's building program, and some are in progress. But the one thing yet lacking in this Cisco teamwork is the harnessing of the various teams into one great pushing body—with every shoulder to the wheel. This merged team should include the commercial organizations of the city, the civic league, and all clubs and organizations, affiliated in one team with the city government.

The sentiment is already generated, the people are ready for the "forward" orders to set great things agoing in Cisco. It is now time for action, the agitation having gone before. And this action should be a consolidated action by every interest and every organization of the city.

To get in harness and be hitched for action is now the sentiment that must be crystallized. And the result would soon be a "Greater Cisco."

Now, let's all be hitched for Cisco's progress.

### CISCO'S WATER SUPPLY AGAIN.

MANY cities of Cisco's size would proudly be content with a water supply like Lake Bernie, which impounds one billion gallons of water—sufficient supply for two years even without rain, for the present Cisco population. But Cisco is going to spend a million dollars for a reservoir that will impound twelve billion gallons—enough water for a city of a hundred thousand population. It will supply water for power for great factories and industries that are seeking location here for the natural gas, oil and coal fuels.

From forty to sixty men are now at work clearing this basin of timber, and contract for the dam will be awarded in the next few days, calling for completion within one year. A large area of this lake will be from 100 to 125 feet deep, and the shore line will be more than 30 miles.

Then, let every Ciscoan get hitched up and in action to carry out any program that will build this city to the proportions of this great lake and water supply.

### AMERICAN PARTY OF TEXAS FILES UNDER TERRELL LAW

AUSTIN, May 29.—Judge William Blakeslee of Austin recently filed in the office of the secretary of state a resolution adopted by the American party which showed compliance with the requirements of the Terrell election law, and disclosed that this new party intends to place a full ticket, from governor down, in the field.

These papers indicate that W. P. Sebastian of Stephens county, former state senator, is chairman of the executive committee of the new party.

Judge Blakeslee stated that the American party plans to hold primary conventions in every precinct of the state on the same day the democratic party holds its primary elections, next July.

The time and place of the state convention will be settled at a meeting of the executive committee which he said will be held in Temple early next month.

### AVIATORS OVER CORPUS BAY DISCOVER OBJECTS OF STORM

CORPUS CHRISTI, May 29.—Aviators flying over Corpus Christi bay, according to Lieut. C. P. McDarwin, who was flying here recently with a recruiting party, were able to discern myriads of objects swept into the bay by the recent storm. Amid the wreckage of houses and furniture an occasional object that resembled a human body was seen, while what looked to be a perfect human skeleton was observed on the ocean floor, about 300 yards out.

### Drastic Law Proposed.

DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—Recommendations for a law carrying the death penalty for automobile drivers who run down pedestrians and then speed away without stopping to render aid to their victims, will be made by members of the public safety committee recently organized in Dallas, according to a statement by one of the members.

## OPEN OPINIONS

### PALESTINE—"THE HOLY LAND."

In a former article we told of the movement now in operation to repeople Palestine with the "seed of Abraham." In this article we will tell of the country, its geography and topography, also climatic conditions.

Palestine is on the 32nd parallel of latitude and the 35th degree of longitude, east of Greenwich.

Cisco is in about the same latitude, and in longitude 88 west of Greenwich. So to reach Jerusalem we would take a due east course and travel over 123 degrees of longitude or about 9000 miles.

The area of Palestine proper is about 6400 square miles. In length, 150 miles from "Dun to Beersheba," and 60 miles broad at the broadest point, about 20 miles the narrowest. Its western border is the "Great" or Mediterranean Sea, the east border; on the north part, the Syrian desert; on the southern part, the Syrian desert. It is the connecting room between Asia and Africa, really belonging to neither continent, as some geographers claim.

It has always been a battlefield for "The Kings of the East," when they invaded Europe, or vice versa. Alexander passed through Jerusalem when he was on his march to conquer the East. So did the Caesars.

Nerxes, with his five million army, passed through to attack Greece. Great battles have been fought within her borders. Napoleon fought one battle on the "Mount of Transfiguration" and at Acre on the Mediterranean met his first defeat, which made his campaign to conquer the world a failure.

In the same territory, in the late war, England, with an army which seemed to drop from the clouds, defeated the Turks and practically put her out of the fighting and was a powerful factor in bringing the late war to an end.

On December 12, 1917, General Allenby's army marched into Jerusalem, and for the first time in six centuries the city was again under the "Holy Land."

With his army Gen. Allenby's was a Jewish unit of 5000 men fighting under the Jewish national flag (with white and blue bars, the Davidic star in the center).

This flag was unfurled to the breeze over Jerusalem, the first time since the Maccabees recovered it from Antiochus, 150 years before Christ.

The knowledge of this fired the Jewish hearts the world over and infused the old national spirit into the inert mass of Israelites. Since then scenes of activity have characterized the Jewish world.

But to return to the "land." The River Jordan traverses the country from north to south, having its source in Mount Hermon and its outlet in the Dead or salt sea. Seventy-five miles from this sea for lakes before reaching it, the River Jordan widens out for 13 miles from one to six and a half miles broad, which is called "The Sea of Galilee," around whose shores was much of Jesus' ministry.

Here He secured the four first apostles, Peter, Andrew, James and John. Near its shores He fed the multitudes with a few loaves and fishes. His stormy waters He calmed with His word and walked upon its quiet surface.

The Sea of Galilee is the most famous body of water in the land, but the Dead or salt sea is the most remarkable. It has an area of 400 square miles, being 16 miles broad and 40 miles long.

It is supposed to cover the site of the ancient cities of Sodom and Gomorrah and adjoining land, were destroyed by fire from heaven. The waters are bitter and acid and no living thing can exist in them.

The surface of the lake is 1300 feet below the level of the Mediterranean Sea, 20 miles distant, and is 1250 feet in depth. It has no known outlet. If it was connected with the Mediterranean, 1300 feet higher, naturally the water would rise to that level.

Yet, while the River Jordan empties into it, its waters and the water of its tributaries, and overflows its banks in June, yet this strange lake or sea is no higher, and the pure waters of the Jordan does not at all change the waters of this sea or lake.

We have never read of any explanation of this wondrous phenomenon.

The sea or Lake of Galilee is noted for the wonderful supply of fish found in it. So it was in Jesus' day and is yet. Frank G. Carpenter, the syndicate writer, a few years ago told of two men in one boat taking in their nets a ton of fish in one night.

It is noted for the purity of its water, yet the Jordan flowing through it carries no fish to the Dead Sea, where they could not exist. Around Dead Sea perpetual summer, with the Jerusalem, 15 miles distant and 2500 feet higher altitude, there is sometimes ice and light snows fall. Summer and winter are the only seasons there, no spring, neither autumn.

One hundred miles north is Mt. Hermon, with an altitude of 9200 feet above sea level. The top of the mountains are covered with snow in summer, while in the valleys, fine crops are produced. The watermelons grown there are called the finest in the world and were shipped to Constantinople to supply the sultan's numerous household.

In the future, this valley will be wanting to the sultan and the sultanas. West of Mt. Hermon is Mt. Libanus or Lebanon, from whence Hiram cut cedar trees and floated them by sea to Joppa, with which Solomon made the floors and ceilings of Solomon's Temple. In Lebanon is also the ruins of Baal-Bek, the most ancient in the old world. A part of a prehistoric temple stands there, 40 miles east of the Mediterranean Sea. The ceiling is 100 feet high and perfect formed of pieces of stone 12x12 inches each richly embellished with all kinds of engravings of birds, beasts and flowers.

Six or seven pillars 70 feet in height hold up a piazza in front. These pillars are of one-piece, finely polished and embellished with rich engravings. One of the stones from which these pillars are made is in a quarry one and one-half miles distant. The dimensions are 70 feet long, by 142

## TODAY'S EVENTS

Memorial Sunday will be observed today in nearly all the states.

The French nation today will pay homage to the American fighters who lie on French soil.

The Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, Episcopalian bishop of Massachusetts today celebrates his 70th birthday anniversary.

The Most Rev. Edward J. Hanna, head of the Catholic archdiocese of San Francisco, today observes his 35th anniversary in the priesthood.

Today is the centenary of the birth of William Henry Huntington, who left his famous collection of books and minerals to the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

A memorial window, in honor of Admiral David Farragut, has been placed in the U. S. Naval Academy Chapel, as a gift by graduates, and will be formally dedicated today with appropriate ceremonies.

The weight goes into the hundreds of tons. How they were transported to the temple is not known.

Some archaeologists estimate that before any part of the "temple of the sun" (which the ruins are called) was destroyed, that 100 of these pillars stood in a row in front.

North-east of Jerusalem, 125 miles, is Damascus, the oldest city in the world, said to be. It is about 20 miles east of Mt. Hermon on the edge of the Syrian desert. The population today is 200,000. The rivers Abana and Pharpar on the north, run through the city in 16 channels and lose their waters south of the city in a valley 30x13 miles, called the "Garden of the Lord" in the Scriptures. There is perpetual spring; the oranges, lemons, dates, olive and figs bearing their fruits every month in the year.

Twenty miles west, on the summit of Hermon is perpetual winter.

So in this small territory, less than 120th the area of Texas, we find perpetual summer (around the Dead Sea), summer and winter 15 miles distant at Jerusalem; perpetual winter 100 miles north on Mt. Hermon and perpetual spring 20 miles east in "The Garden of the Lord."

In the Jordan we find the purest water and fine fishing in the Sea of Galilee and 75 miles below, undrinkable water and no living thing in it. My next article in next Sunday's issue of The News will be about the cities, especially Jerusalem.

W. H. KITTRELL, Sr.

### FORT CROCKETT SOLDIERS WILL GET LARGER PAY

GALVESTON, May 29.—"Pay Day," the most cheering of all army bugle calls, will be "jazzed" out of all usual form at Fort Crockett near here when the "biggest ghost the post ever saw," enlisted men say, "will walk next pay day."

It plans do not go awry a corps of buglers will usher in the glad news day with everything from "Dardanella" to "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here." The army pay bill, recently passed by congress and retroactive to January 1, 1920, which grants an increase of 20 per cent to enlisted men, \$40 a month to second lieutenants, \$50 to first lieutenants, \$60 to captains, \$70 to majors and \$80 to colonels and lieutenant colonels, will cause the biggest payday the post has ever witnessed.

### 103,107 Pounds Fish Caught.

GALVESTON, May 30.—The total fish catch out of Galveston during April was 103,107 pounds, according to R. H. Ward, deputy state fish, game and oyster commissioner. The fishing season closes May 31 for a period of three months.

## EX-SERVICE MEN OR RELATIVES GET FIRST CHANCE AT POSITIONS

Are you interested in securing a position in the postoffice, clerical or executive departments of the United States government?

Have you a relative that would like a position in any of above, or who is desirous of securing such a position. If so, you will read with interest an excerpt from an Act of Congress, approved July 11, 1919, handed The News yesterday by Cisco's postmaster, R. A. St. John, which is as follows:

"That hereafter in making appointments to clerical and other positions in the executive branch of the government in the District of Columbia or elsewhere, preference shall be given to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, and widows of such, and to the wives of injured soldiers, sailors and marines who themselves are not qualified, but whose wives are qualified to hold such positions."

If you are entitled to the benefit of the above act you should attach to your application and submit with it your original discharge, a photograph copy, or a certified copy thereof or the official record of your service. It will be returned to you after inspection by the commission.

### Baird Man Drops Dead.

BAIRD, May 29.—James Price, 51, a mechanic in the Texas & Pacific roundhouse here, after attending a street religious meeting last night, dropped dead of heart failure as he stepped upon the porch of his boarding house. The body is held pending the arrival of a sister from Pine Bluff, Ark.



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## CLOTHING WORKERS OF AMERICA NOW PROPOSE STANDARDIZATION PLAN

BOSTON, May 29.—Standardization of quantity and quality of work in the clothing industry with a view to checking laziness as well as undue speed of production is one of the aims of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, and the cooperation of the manufacturers is hoped for by the union, according to the general secretary of the clothing workers, Joseph Schlossberg.

The plan which is in the hands of the general executive board of the organization, is regarded as a new departure in the management of labor. The general executive board will make a study of the market conditions in each large city and then invite a conference

with the clothing manufacturers for the purpose of agreeing upon a scale of it is planned to establish a standard of quantity and quality that must be performed for the maximum pay, and there is to be a lower standard of quantity and quality with a corresponding rate of pay for the worker who can not reach the first standard.

In the past the workers have claimed that they have been speeded up too much by the manufacturers and have met that issue by fixing an arbitrary limit upon production in certain fields, while some manufacturers have been contending that the men and women in the trade have not been doing an honest amount of work for the day. Piece work tending to drive the workers too fast, according to their own view of it, and was everywhere discouraged by the unions; pay by the week regardless of the amount of work performed has not been satisfactory to the manufacturers.

## Fifteen Patriotic Victor Records

Star Spangled Banner (with Male Chorus)	McCormack	64664
America (with Orpheus Quartet)	Clarence Whitehill	64677
Marching Through Georgia (Work)	Clarence Whitehill	64602
Tramp, Tramp, Tramp (with Orpheus Qt.)	Clarence Whitehill	64608
Battle Hymn of the Republic	Reinold Warrenrath	
Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean	Lambert Murphy	45121
American Fantasia—Part I (Herbert)	Victor Herbert's Orchestra	35093
American Fantasia—Part 2	Victor Herbert's Orchestra	
America	Victor Military Band	47580
Red, White and Blue	Victor Military Band	
Star Spangled Banner (Revised Version)	Victor Military Band	17381
Hail, Columbia	Victor Military Band	
My Own United States (with Male Quartet)	Raymond Dixon	46273
We'll Never Let Our Old Flag Fall (with Male Quartet)	Hamilton	35281
Declaration of Independence of the U. S.—Part I	Harry E. Humphrey	35280
Declaration of Independence of the U. S.—Part II	Harry E. Humphrey	35281
War Songs	Victor Male Chorus	35331
Sea Songs	Victor Male Chorus	35331
Lincoln a Gettysburg Address (Declaration of the Soldier's Cemetery at Gettysburg, November, 1863)	Harry E. Humphrey	35378
Give Me Liberty, or Give Me Death (with Male Quartet)	H. E. Humphrey	
Memories of the War—1861-1863	Conway's Band	35375
Gems of Stephen Foster	Conway's Band	
Patriotic Medley March—No. 1	Victor Military Band	35608
Jolly General March (Morse)	Conway's Band	
Patriotic Medley March—No. 2	Victor Military Band	35607
Standard Bearer March	Conway's Band	

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**RUSSO-JAP-CHINESE FRONTIER TROUBLE CONTINUES, REPORT SHOWS**

PEKING, April 28 (By Mail)—Reports here indicate that the Japanese are carrying things with a high hand in Manchuria now that the other allied troops are virtually out of the country. The Peking and Tientsin Times has received from its correspondents reports which presents under the heading "Reign of Terror in Manchuria."

It says that at Inanpo, two Russian workmen who made some disparaging remarks about the Japanese emperor in talking to a Japanese soldier in the Russian railway hospital, were seized by Japanese soldiers and "summarily shot on the spot."

At Harbin, the paper says, Japanese sentries stationed on a bridge threw one Russian off the bridge, breaking his collar bone, and stabbed another in the face with a bayonet when the Russians insisted upon crossing the bridge. The Japanese are reported by the newspaper to have taken full possession of Haller and arrested there 11 Russian workers and handed them over to the representatives of General Semenov, and, the Times adds, that by this time "no doubt they have been shot by Baron Unger Steinberg."

The Japanese are declared to have brought to Haller and armed 500 Semenov troops who are reported to be actively assisting the Japanese and helping to terrorize the local population. The Times predicts that similar incidents are likely to increase as the Japanese hold of the Russian far east becomes more intense and states that the Japanese garrison at Harbin is to be increased by 1000 more men. This reinforcement is declared by the paper to be absolutely unnecessary "as the Chinese troops stationed there are sufficient to maintain order."

The situation along the Chinese Eastern railway was characterized by the Times correspondent as very critical. He stated that the Japanese military authorities had decided to place their own guards and sentries along the whole stretch of railway which crosses upper Manchuria, because they were about to send troop trains and military supplies along that railway and were afraid the Russian railway workers who were opposed to Japanese intervention might try to stop the Japanese from carrying out their plans.

The Japanese seem bent upon brewing trouble among the Russian population residing inside the railway area by giving them a series of pinpricks so as to bring about open strife, which will give them an excuse to take determined action even to the seizing and working of the Chinese Eastern," wrote the correspondent.

The correspondent admitted that the Japanese had the right to send troops over the railway to protect the frontiers against invasion but that this did not confer the right to occupy settlements along the line, or interfere with the rights of local populations. He declared that the purpose of the Japanese to seize the control of the railway called for an immediate protest on the part of the allies.

In Niook, he reported the railway workers having gone on strike and the Japanese soldiers were rounding them up and forcing them at the point of the bayonet to do the work of laborers. Since the foregoing situation was described, information has been made public in Moscow that Chinese and Russian military commissioners in conference at Yekhsin-Udinsk, Trans-Baikal, have reached an agreement under which "inherent rights of the Russian soviet government in the eastern Manchurian railway were recognized and the Chinese guaranteed to withdraw their troops from along the railway lines." It was pointed out that China's agreement that the Russians should retain possession of its road deprived the Japanese of one of their best excuses for keeping troops on it.

**AT THE CHURCHES**

**First Methodist Church.**  
Worshipping in city hall.

The pastor will preach at both services Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Money—An Acid Test of a Man." At the evening hour the theme will be "The American Home."

The services of the day will be as follows:  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. G. Fisk, superintendent. If you are not attending Sunday school anywhere else, come join us.

Morning service, 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, subject, "Money—An Acid Test of a Man."  
Story Hour 4:00 p. m.  
Intermediate League 5:00 p. m.  
Senior League 7:15 p. m. Sermon by the pastor, subject, "The American Home."

To all these services everybody welcome. Strangers especially invited.  
LEWIS N. STUCKEY, Pastor.

**East Cisco Baptist Church.**  
H. C. Murphy, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Brother Frank Madock. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. Every one is welcome. We cordially invite you to worship with us.

**First Christian Church.**  
Bible School 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Intermediate C. E. 6 p. m. Senior C. E. 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p. m.  
Strangers and visitors cordially welcomed.  
E. H. HOLMES, Pastor.

**Christian Science Society.**  
Christian Science Society of Cisco holds services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and Wednesday at 8 p. m. at I. O. O. F. hall, to which the public is cordially invited.

The subject of today's lesson is "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

**EMPIRE STATE FARMERS CONFRONTED WITH DOMINANT LABOR SHORTAGE**

ALBANY, N. Y., May 29.—Farms of New York state will produce their normal contribution to the nation's food supply this season if the farmers are willing to pay the high wages demanded by farm labor, say officials of the state department of farm and markets. These officials express the belief that the farmers are beginning to realize that their products will command high prices next fall and that this will induce them to pay high wages to laborers and to plant at least as many acres as in former years.

The farm workers will be found, say department officials, when the farmer is willing to pay them the wages they want. The problem of the farmer is the cost of labor rather than shortage, they declare. Woodmen who have been working in the logging camps during the winter are expected to go on the farms in the summer. Besides, say state officials, the annual "back to the land" migration from the cities should help to relieve the labor situation. Men who have been lured from the rural communities and towns by the higher wages offered in shop and factory begin to long for outdoor life when the warm days come, they say, and little coaxing is needed to make them exchange their work on their bench or machine for open spaces of field and meadow.

Planting has been delayed but this is attributed mostly to the unfavorable weather conditions. There was difficulty early in the spring in obtaining seed, fertilizer, farm implements and machinery but the state officials say these commodities have been supplied as a result of efforts of the department of farms and markets in cooperation with railroad officials.

Expectation that the New York state farmer will see his duty and do it this year is based in part upon his record in 1917 and 1918 when farm laborers of the draft age were in the army. The state officials say that the farmer never before faced such a labor shortage, but nevertheless, there were banner years in crop production in New York state as well as for the bank balances for the farmers. They declare that if the farmer will pay the wages demanded, he will receive this year bigger profits than ever before.

**Oil Fields Electric Railway Meeting at Stephenville, June 4**

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, May 29.—The program of the interurban meeting to be held here June 4 to formulate plans for the construction of the Cleburne, Glen Rose and Oil Fields electric line, is as follows:

- "Welcome to the Beat Town on the Frisco," Mayor F. H. Chandler of Stephenville.
- Response, Porter A. Whaley, manager West Texas Chamber of Commerce.
- "From Cleburne West," Mayor R. E. Mitchell, Cleburne.
- Beautiful Glen Rose Wants a Way Out," Judge Spann, Glen Rose.
- "Langleville in Line," Frank Grissom, Lingleville.
- "Destemona Digs Deep for Development," Mayor Elliott, Deademona.
- "From the West to the East," Homer P. Breisford, president West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Eastland.
- Representatives from all towns between Cleburne and Cisco via Glen Rose, Stephenville, Deademona, Ranger and Eastland, are expected.

**Memorial to Joaquin Miller.**  
Oakland, Calif., May 29.—Claude Hamilton Welton, known as the "King of the Hoboes," a graduate of two universities, lawyer and psychologist, has returned to his home here to start a campaign for the establishment of a memorial to Joaquin Miller, "the poet of the Sierras."  
Welton plans to begin work in Alameda county within the next month for the permanent preservation of "The Heights," in East Oakland, where the poet made his home.



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**BRECKENRIDGE ABOUT TO WITNESS ARRIVAL OF ITS FIRST RAILROAD TRAIN**

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, May 29.—A great force of construction men have been at work for the past month constructing the depot and necessary out-buildings for the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Railway and are completing their work today. One half mile south from the depot more than 100 teams and many more men are engaged in finishing up the dump and clearing out the cut in the hillside.

In one explosion this week 1600 kegs of powder were exploded, tearing through the hill carrying with its tremendous explosive effect many thousand tons of rock, hurling stones weighing tons several hundred feet. The excavation made by this explosion would hold a good sized building.

The neighboring town of Breckwalker seven miles south of Breckenridge, has all steel laid into the town, will have their first train, and regular train service, according to announcement, next week.

It is expected that train service into Breckenridge will not be delayed very much longer. Much development is holding back until freight service is established. However, from the busy scenes on the highways and in the crowded streets of Breckenridge, one would think we already had a railroad, as development is now crowded to the limit apparently.

Many transients are visiting the city at this time, anticipating the rush sure to follow when the trains arrive and regular service is established. All the hotels and rooming houses are crowded and lodgers are being turned away at some of the hotels.

The chamber of commerce has appointed a committee for the purpose of putting on a demonstration when the first train arrives in Breckenridge, the complete fulfillment of a dream of many an old timer here for the last 40 years. All visitors here now and the old residents say that Breckenridge is sure to

**SOCIETY**

**Bridge Luncheon.**

Saturday morning from 9:30 to 11:30, Mrs. Charles H. Fleming entertained at her home on Avenue H and 4th street, with a bridge luncheon honoring Mrs. Edwin Kittrell of Hamburg, Arkansas. The charm and loveliness of the home was heightened by artistic decorations of ferns and roses. The hostess assisted by Mrs. A. A. Webster, and Misses Langston and Benham, served a two-course luncheon. Both guest and high cut prize were silver pencils, the latter being awarded to Mrs. Mark Stamps.

Those enjoying the warm hospitality of the home were: Mesdames Webster, Kittrell, Benham, Holloway, Shepard, Neel, Fath, Van Deren, Wild, Stamps, Williams, Blankenbecker, Chaney, Gray, Spears, Green, Ward, Wright, Butler, Griswold, and Misses Langston, Daniels, Benham and Shelton.

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**ENGLISH LANGUAGE NOW BEING TAUGHT WHERE GERMAN KULTUR FAILED**

**CONSTANTINOPLE, May 7 (By Mail)**

—The Germans have failed in their effort to stamp their culture upon the Turk, and, instead, the English language is beginning to rank next to the French in the commercial life of the Levant.

In the war period German language schools were opened throughout Constantinople in which German officers were required to teach and German papers were circulated by all possible means. But the results were almost nil. Most of the schools were free and failed to attract better classes, and the language of trade and social intercourse to be displaced.

Since the armistice Italians have been working industriously to popularize their language and literature. Italian officers are now teaching in schools as the Germans did. But their schools are well attended only in the poorer parts of the city.

Turkish is but little used in important commercial transactions in Constantinople as nearly all business men of whatever nationality speak French. The English who have been in business in Turkey for years generally transact their business in French.

Since the war, however, there has been a great influx of American traders who know only English and the steady stream of American ships coming into Constantinople with English speaking crews, as well as American Red Cross workers and American and English relief workers of various sorts, has created a greater demand for the English language.

For years the English have maintained a boys' high school and girls' high school in Constantinople. Robert College and the Constantinople College for Women, both American institutions, have done much to advance English as a medium for higher education. And

now the Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association are offering a variety of day and night classes for persons desiring to acquire English.

**Visits Eastland.**  
Alex Spears, cashier of the First Guaranty State Bank, spent Saturday in Eastland.

**THE AMERICAN HOME—**  
Can it stand the immorality, restlessness, and other conditions of our time that are at work to overthrow it? What is the influence of your home?  
This will be the sermon subject of REV. LEWIS N. STUCKEY in the CITY HALL tonight, 8:15 o'clock. Old-fashioned song service preceding sermon. COME!  
This morning at 11 o'clock the sermon subject will be  
**"Money—An Acid Test of Man"**  
COME TO SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS MORNING  
The Methodist Church extends a hearty welcome to everybody to attend its services in the City Hall Auditorium.

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To insure The News' advertisers the best service—position, set-up and good-looking ads—we would request that all advertising be in The News office one day ahead of date of publication, as far as possible.  
Going into the afternoon field, The News will have to have a "dead line" as to how late copy will be accepted for publication in the paper of current date. Copy for publication on same day it is given must be in The News office by 10 o'clock of that day.  
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# LATEST IN SPORTS

## Gormanites Take Game From Cisco Scouts In Ninth Inning by 6-5

GORMAN, Texas, May 29.—The Buddies took today's game from the Scouts, 6 to 5. The Scouts came from behind in the seventh and scored three runs which gave them a one run lead over their opponents; but another ninth inning rally by the Gormanites put them in the lead and won the game.

Gressitt started off the last frame by knocking out a two-bagger to right, and both Whitney and King, who were sent in as pinch hitters, delivered with hits.

The score:

GORMAN	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Taylor	5	1	2	1	0	0
Gray	4	1	1	0	1	0
Gressitt	5	1	3	2	0	0
Sturdy	1	0	0	2	0	0
Thrash	4	0	0	2	0	0
Dossey	3	1	1	2	1	1
Burkhead	4	0	0	2	0	0
McMillin	3	1	1	2	1	0
June	3	0	1	2	1	0
Smith	4	0	1	2	0	0
xWhitney	1	0	1	0	0	0
xKing	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals — 38 6 12 27 7 1

CISCO ab r h o a e  
 Taylor 5 1 2 1 0 0  
 Gray 4 1 1 0 1 0  
 Gressitt 5 1 3 2 0 0  
 Sturdy 1 0 0 2 0 0  
 Thrash 4 0 0 2 0 0  
 Dossey 3 1 1 2 1 1  
 Burkhead 4 0 0 2 0 0  
 McMillin 3 1 1 2 1 0  
 June 3 0 1 2 1 0  
 Smith 4 0 1 2 0 0  
 xWhitney 1 0 1 0 0 0  
 xKing 1 0 0 0 0 0

## HOW THEY STACK UP

### WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
 Gorman 6, Cisco 5.  
 Ranger 3, Eastland 0.  
 Mineral Wells 8, Abilene 4.

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

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Abilene	26	16	10	.615
Gorman	26	16	10	.615
Eastland	25	12	13	.480
Mineral Wells	25	11	14	.440
Ranger	23	10	13	.435
Cisco	25	10	15	.400

### TEXAS LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
 Fort Worth 2, Houston 1.  
 Galveston 6, Dallas 3.  
 Shreveport 6, San Antonio 1.  
 Beaumont 4, Wichita Falls 2.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fort Worth	29	25	11	.718
San Antonio	42	24	19	.558
Wichita Falls	40	21	19	.525
Galveston	42	22	21	.512
Dallas	41	20	21	.488
Shreveport	41	20	21	.488
Beaumont	42	18	24	.429
Houston	42	14	28	.333

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
 Detroit 5, St. Louis 3.  
 Chicago 8-1, Cleveland 7-5.  
 Washington 11-5, Philadelphia 3-0.  
 New York 4-8, Boston 3-1.

Where They Play Today.  
 Detroit at St. Louis.  
 Chicago at Cleveland.  
 Only two games scheduled.

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	33	22	11	.676
Boston	34	21	13	.618
New York	35	21	15	.583
Chicago	35	19	16	.547
Washington	34	18	16	.529
St. Louis	33	15	18	.455
Philadelphia	32	12	20	.375
Detroit	33	10	23	.303

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Saturday's Results.  
 Brooklyn 7-5, Boston 1-4.  
 Cincinnati 2, Pittsburgh 1.  
 Chicago 8, St. Louis 3.  
 Philadelphia 2, New York 1.

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

Standing of the Teams.

Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	37	22	15	.595
Cincinnati	36	21	15	.583
Brooklyn	32	18	14	.563
Pittsburgh	32	18	15	.545
Boston	32	15	17	.469
St. Louis	34	14	20	.412
New York	33	14	19	.424
Philadelphia	35	13	22	.371

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 8, St. Louis 3.  
 CHICAGO, Ill., May 29.—Timely hits by Chicago behind Gooden's wildness and erratic support enabled the locals to make it six straight by defeating St. Louis 8 to 3.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Chicago — 002 010 210—8 10 3  
 St. Louis — 004 010 210—3 9 0  
 Batteries: Gooden, Shorrel and Doherty; Hendryx, Martin and O'Farrell.

Brooklyn 5, Boston 4.  
 BROOKLYN, May 29.—Brooklyn beat Boston twice today, 7 to 1, and 5 to 4. The second game going ten innings. Myers made a triple and a home run off Hearns in the first.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Brooklyn — 002 120 000—5 8 2  
 Boston — 010 000 000—4 5 2  
 Batteries: Hearne and Gowdy; Marquand and Miller.

Cincinnati 3, Pittsburgh 2.  
 CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 29.—Hitting of Duncan, including a home run, was the leading feature in Cincinnati's 3 to 2 victory over Pittsburgh today.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Pittsburgh — 000 010 010—2 9 0  
 Cincinnati — 100 002 002—3 5 0  
 Batteries: Carlson and Withrow; Luque and Wingo.

Philadelphia 2, New York 1.  
 NEW YORK, May 29.—Philadelphia nipped out the New York Nationals in a tight pitchers' battle here today, 2 to 1. Casey, a Giant discard, won the decision over Nehf.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Philadelphia — 001 001 000—2 6 1  
 New York — 010 000 000—1 5 1  
 Batteries: Casey and Withrow; Nehf and Snyder.

Stolen Values Recovered.  
 DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—Approximately \$12,000 worth of valuable stolen from the Tennessee Farm dairy, according to officers, during the last two months, by systematic thefts involving six men, were recovered when the men were arrested, and automobiles and real estate they had bought with proceeds from their operations, were turned over to the dairy company.

## GIL'S GLEANINGS

John King, center fielder for the Scouts, made another home run yesterday. He put the ball over the center field fence with two men on bases. It received brilliant support and Birmingham won, 2 to 0.

The Scouts made a peach of a double in the fourth inning, when Rabbit Werman got hold of a nasty grounder, stepped on second, and whipped ever to Mr. Asker York who reached out his full length, in the nick of time to head off the runner.

Yesterday's game was another one of those hard luck affairs. After things were sewed up and the game apparently won by the Scouts, the Buddies came along and put across one of those rare fairs, a win after being behind.

The Nitros made a clean sweep of the recent series with Eastland. They have won five games during the last week, and three of those were by the shut-out route.

Since the Scouts are at home for ten days now, they ought to get started and win the majority of their games here. Most of the cripples are getting better, and the team is hitting like wild fire.

Although John McGraw is a great manager and is given credit for being able to nearly always tell whether or not a young ball player will make good in the majors, he has passed up some of the best men in the game, among whom are Hildie Greb, Eddie Rousch, Bill Hariden, and Slim Salles.

Babe Ruth says he thinks the best way for a batter to stand at the plate is to be a little behind the pan, and in this way he is able to judge balls better, and can quickly decide whether or not the pitcher is throwing a strike.

Ed Walsh, one time Chicago White Sox pitcher, made the longest hit with a fudge bat on record, when he knocked a ball 419 feet and one-half inch.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington 11-3, Philadelphia 5-0.  
 PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 29.—Washington won both games of a double-header today, 11 to 5, and 5 to 0. Perry yielded eight safeties in the second inning of the first game.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Washington — 060 201 110—11 29 2  
 Philadelphia — 000 000 011—5 11 0  
 Batteries: Zachary and Gharitty; Perry, Keefe and Perkins.

Second game:  
 Score by innings— R H E  
 Washington — 100 000 000—5 11 1  
 Philadelphia — 000 000 000—0 4 1  
 Batteries: Johnson and Pleinich; Moore and Perkins.

St. Louis 10, May 29.—Gerber's wild throw in the eighth inning, after two men were out, paved the way for two runs and gave Detroit a second straight victory over St. Louis today.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Detroit — 102 000 020—5 11 0  
 St. Louis — 200 000 010—3 6 2  
 Batteries: Dause and Stalage; Davis and Clemens.

Chicago 8-1, Cleveland 7-8.  
 CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 29.—Cleveland and Chicago broke even in a double-header today, Chicago winning the first 8 to 7, and Cleveland the second, 8 to 1.

First game:  
 Score by innings— R H E  
 Chicago — 007 020 005—8 16 5  
 Cleveland — 221 100 000—7 12 0  
 Batteries: Heath, Payne, Faber and Schalk; Myers, Neenan, Bagby and O'Neill.

Second game:  
 Score by innings— R H E  
 Chicago — 010 000 000—1 10 0  
 Cleveland — 001 000 110—3 14 0  
 Batteries: Wilkinson and Schalk; Caldwell and O'Neill.

New York 4-8, Boston 3-1.  
 BOSTON, Mass., May 29.—New York cleaned up a four-game series by winning a double-header today 4 to 3 and 8 to 3. Ruth knocked his eleventh home run in the opener. In the second game, he was passed intentionally three times.

Score by innings— R H E  
 New York — 000 211 000—4 7 1  
 Boston — 009 100 020—3 10 0  
 Batteries: Quinn and Ruel; Bush, Fortune and Walters.

Second game:  
 Score by innings— R H E  
 New York — 002 030 110—3 11 2  
 Boston — 100 100 010—3 7 2  
 Batteries: Mays and Hannah; Jones and Walters.

Lowly Dandelion Now Sought For Making Old Time Wines  
 WINCHESTER, Va., May 29.—Prohibition and the high cost of living has elevated the lowly dandelion to lordly estate in this section of the country. Residents are seeking the little yellow blossoms everywhere, securing lawns where the dandelions have been considered a pest, county lanes and pasture fields, filling baskets with the blooms and green leaves. The little blossoms go into old time dandelion wine.

Another Broadway Building.  
 Another new brick business house is to be added to the new block on Broadway, according to building rumor Saturday afternoon. And it may be a two-story building.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:  
 County of Eastland:  
 Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership formerly existing between J. L. Davis and Frank J. Hunter has been dissolved by mutual agreement, and that in notice to the public that said co-partnership has been dissolved and that neither of the parties will be held responsible for any co-partnership debts that may be created on and after this date. Witness our hands, this 26th day of May, A. D. 1920.

HUNTER & DAVIS,  
 By Frank J. Hunter.

Stolen Values Recovered.  
 DALLAS, Texas, May 29.—Approximately \$12,000 worth of valuable stolen from the Tennessee Farm dairy, according to officers, during the last two months, by systematic thefts involving six men, were recovered when the men were arrested, and automobiles and real estate they had bought with proceeds from their operations, were turned over to the dairy company.

## Southern Association

Birmingham 2; Little Rock 0.  
 LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 29.—Little Rock players today were unable to effectively hit the pitching of Morrison, who received brilliant support and Birmingham won, 2 to 0.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Birmingham — 000 002 000—2 5 0  
 Little Rock — 000 000 000—0 6 2  
 Batteries: Morrison and Peters; Henskedell, Smith and Britton.

Memphis 2; Atlanta 1.  
 MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 29.—Memphis won its sixth consecutive victory by defeating Atlanta today, 2 to 1.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Atlanta — 100 000 000—1 8 2  
 Memphis — 000 200 000—2 10 0  
 Batteries: Sheehan and Hager; Albris and Meyers.

Nashville 3; New Orleans 1.  
 NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 29.—Bases on balls figured in all runs scored today by Nashville in today's defeat of New Orleans, 3 to 1.

Score by innings— R H E  
 New Orleans — 000 001 000—1 4 2  
 Nashville — 110 020 000—3 5 2  
 Batteries: Torkelson and Deberry; Jonnard and C. Jonnard.

Mobile 7; Chattanooga 5.  
 CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 29.—Dudley's wild throw with two out in the tenth inning gave Mobile two runs and a 7 to 5 victory over Chattanooga today.

Score by innings— R H E  
 Chattanooga — 010004 000—1 8 2  
 Chattanooga — 002 200 100—5 8 3  
 Batteries: Haid and Pond; Vines, Dudley and Townsend.

Michigan 4, expects only an average showing in big meet.  
 ANN ARBOR, Mich., May 29.—The hopes of Michigan for honors in the western conference championship meet here June 4-5, are being placed right now on what the campus and athletic followers generally regard as an average squad of track men.

Johnson is suffering from muscular trouble as the result of his strenuous work, and although Coach Farrell has kept him out of all events, for the conference track season, in the hope that he might be in condition for the conference championship contest, physicians say the Spokane lad will not be able to enter the lists.

Burkholder, the half miler, thus far this season has failed to capture a first place. Maynard, in the two mile event, has taken seconds.

Butler is expected to place for Michigan in the 440, while Loesch and Cook are counted upon for points in the dashes. Beardley will run in the hurdles, and he has been beaten by some conference stars.

In the pole vault Michigan hopes rest with Westbrook, Slaughter and Gross, although all failed to score in the Illinois meet recently.

CLASS OF 375 GRADUATE FROM TEXAS UNIVERSITY  
 AUSTIN, May 29.—The program for the commencement exercises at the University of Texas has been announced in full, as follows:

Sunday, June 6—Baccalaureate sermon by Pres. Robert E. Vinson, to be preached in the men's gymnasium at 8 o'clock p. m.

Monday, June 7—Class day exercises at 10 a. m. on the campus. Meeting of the association at 10 a. m. speaker, Miss Edith Clark, Denton, who will be followed by a business meeting and the election of officers. The 1920 class will be formally welcomed into the association, and a campus dinner will be served.

At 8 p. m. graduation exercises, preceded by the academic procession, will be held in the men's gymnasium with Pres. W. E. Bizzell of A. & M. College as speaker. Degrees will then be conferred upon the class of approximately 375.

WORLD DEFINE MEANING AND SCOPE OF MONROE DOCTRINE  
 VALPARAISO, April 29 (By Mail)—A Pan-American congress of "internationalists," convened by leading journalists of North, South and Central America, whose duty it would be to define the meaning and scope of the Monroe Doctrine, is proposed by Juan Ignacio Galve, a Chilean publicist, writing in El Mercurio.

The members of the congress would be chosen, according to his plan, by the newspaper publishers of each country, including Canada, five from each and would meet this year, preferably in Buenos Aires. The definition arrived at would be presented for official adoption by the next Pan-American congress which will meet in Chile.

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## BIG LEAGUE PLAYERS' AVERAGES SHOW MANY CHANGES PAST WEEK

Tourier on Batting Rampage; Ruth Slamming 'Em Hard; Ty Cobb Slumps Again.

CHICAGO, May 29.—Jack Fournier, the former American leaguer now playing first base with the St. Louis Nationals, is on a batting rampage which promises to rush him to the front in the National league race. The big first baseman boosted his batting mark from .295 last week to .336 this week, according to averages released today and which include games of Wednesday. Fournier participated in 32 games and in 119 times at bat, cracked out 46 hits for a total of 48 bases.

Cy Williams, the Philadelphia outfielder, also has made a spurt toward the top. Williams acquired an average of .320 as compared with .276 a week ago. In addition to his batting dash, Williams bagged his fourth circuit drive. His 11 hits, include 11 doubles and three triples.

Last week three batting leaders switched positions, each suffering a slump. Hornsby of St. Louis went to the top with .403; Groog of Cincinnati is runnerup with .388 and Nicholson of Pittsburgh, third with .380. Lebourgeois of Philadelphia, who has been making a spirited showing, dropped from .361 to .300.

Max Carey, the speedy outfielder with Pittsburgh, added three more bases to his credit and is out in front among the best stealers with an even dozen.

Other batters: Daubert, Cincinnati, .309; Fournier, St. Louis, .336; Twombly, Chicago, .333; Duncan, Cincinnati, .323; Williams, Philadelphia, .320; E. Smith, New York, .320; Stock, St. Louis, .319; Young, New York, .318; Robertson, Chicago, .315; Neale, Cincinnati, .314; Roush, Cincinnati, .312; Janvrin, St. Louis, .312.

"Babe" Ruth, the New York slugger, broke up the triple tie in the American league for home run honors by driving out three circuit drives since a week ago Wednesday and now has a total of eight. Fetsch of Chicago and Walker of Philadelphia continue as runnerup, each having bagged a homer during the week and are tied with six each.

Johnson of Cleveland continues to top the batters with .375, while Hendryx, Boston, is the runnerup with .370.

Rice of Washington pulled away from his teammate, Bobby Roth, in stolen bases and is showing the way with 14 thefts. Roth has pilfered 10.

Ty Cobb, the Detroit star, who last week appeared to have slumped his batting stride, suffered a sharp and dropping from .277 to .252.

Other leading batters: Jackson, Chicago, .302; Jacobson, St. Louis, .290; Weaver, Chicago, .351; Judge, Washington, .346; Snelor, St. Louis, .341; Speaker, Cleveland, .339; Melvin, Boston, .333; Gedeon, St. Louis, .330; Dugan, Philadelphia, .320; Gerber, St. Louis, .327; Felsch, Chicago, .327.

Ben Tincup, the Indian pitcher with Louisville, is the new batting leader in the American association. Tincup acquired an average of .400 in 26 games, connecting with 18 hits.

Henry of Columbus moved up into second place with .350. Lee Drossen, the speedy first baseman with St. Paul is so far in the lead in base stealing that his string of 14 thefts is causing his rivals considerable worry.

Bunny Brief of Kansas City bagged his sixth homer for the leadership in home run hitting. Other leading batters: Wicklund, Toledo, .376; O'Mara, Indianapolis, .368; Gainer, Milwaukee, .348; Dyer, Toledo, .336; Miller, St. Paul, .326; Robertson, Minneapolis, .323; Kelley, Toledo, .322; Duncan, St. Paul, .319.

Fitcher Carl East of Wichita has established a batting record that is the envy of the Western leaguers. East is topping the league with an average of .436 and is the leading home-run hitter, having cracked out six. He held

## JAILER'S SLAYER IS CAPTURED BY POSSE

MUSKOGEE, Okla., May 29.—Lester Clark, who is said to have shot and killed Jailer Jack Hunter two weeks ago when he escaped from the McIntosh county jail at Eufaula, Okla., has been captured in a running battle at Alma, Ark., according to word received here tonight.

J. W. McCune, sheriff of McIntosh county, who went to Alma with a posse yesterday following a report that Clark was there, tonight wired his deputy at Eufaula this message:

"We got Clark but had to shoot him."

Batting rivals of Blades, the Memphis slugger, failed to drive him out of first place in the list of Southern association hitters. Blades boosted his average to .358 with Miller of Little Rock in second place with .346. Miller is the leading home run hitter with five to his credit. Carroll, Memphis continues to pile up stolen bases, having 14 to his credit. Other leading batters: Brazil, Atlanta, .342; Carroll, Memphis, .328; Moore, Little Rock, .323; Ripponnet, New Orleans, .322; Harner, Little Rock, .321; Wane, Little Rock, .316; Topkosen, New Orleans, .308; High, Atlanta, .307.

PHILADELPHIA SCHOOLS DISCARD SPELLING BOOK  
 PHILADELPHIA, May 29.—Philadelphia public schools have no spelling books.

And spelling books have been dropped according to local instructors, because they start with "cat" and "rat" and include similar words seldom used in correspondence and business.

Until a spelling book has been compiled that uses the words that are most frequently used in business and private correspondence, Louis Nustbaum, associate superintendent of public schools, announces that public schools here will compile their own lists of words.

The spelling vocabulary taught an average public school pupil is 2,500 words. This is 500 more than was found in an investigation of words used in 10,000 business and personal letters.

Ruling as to Mineral Permits.  
 AUSTIN, May 29.—A mineral permit cannot be secured on more than 1000 acres of land, all of which is within one mile of a well producing petroleum but a permit may be granted on an area greater than 1000 acres where less than a thousand acres in the area of the permit is within a mile of a producing well, the attorney general's department held in an opinion rendered upon request of the land commissioner.

It was also held that a county surveyor is prohibited from directly or indirectly acquiring any right, title or interest in any mineral permit either in his own name or that of another.

## AT THE VICTORY

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### FEDERAL LAND BANK PRESIDENT EXPLAINS CLOSING NEW LOANS

HOUSTON, Texas, May 29.—Referring to the temporary suspension in the closing of new loans by Federal Land Banks, M. H. Gossett, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, gave out the following statement:

"At the instance of the Farm Mortgage Bankers Association of America, representing the old line mortgage companies, a suit was filed in the United States Court at Kansas City, Mo., in October, 1919. This suit involved an attack on the validity of the Federal Farm Loan Act, including the tax free features of bonds issued by banks created under said act. In the trial court, the entire law was upheld, and the case appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States at Washington, where it was submitted on argument in January, 1920. After keeping the case under advisement for months, the Supreme Court announced that it desired a re-argument of the case, but failed to name a time for such re-argument before the summer adjournment. This operates to postpone a decision until about the middle of November at the earliest.

"In January, when we had every reason to expect an early decision of the case, and in order to continue the closing of loans, when checks were being passed to borrowers at the rate of \$1,000,000 per month, this bank borrowed from commercial banks to tide us over a part of this waiting period, but on March 15th, in view of the unexpected delay by the Supreme Court in reaching a decision, we stopped the closing of loans. In this situation, Congress has just passed a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to buy a limited amount of Federal Land Bank bonds, which will enable this and other Federal Land Banks in the system, to repay loans from commercial banks which enabled us to continue business for the months of January and February, 1920, and also a sufficient sum to close approved loans wherein titles have been examined and approved and papers executed and recorded, but provided that no loans are to be closed which were approved after March 1. All applicants for loans which do not come within the class stated, will be compelled to look elsewhere for funds until we are in position to renew the making of new loans after the law is upheld and Federal Land Bank bonds sold. This, we anticipate, will be around December 1, 1920. Checks to close the class of loans above named, we expect to send out July 1, and immediately following.

"This situation is very much regretted by the Farm Loan Board at Washington, and the officers and board of directors of the Federal Land Bank of Houston. We have closed loans to

farmers in this state of nearly \$40,000,000, at an interest rate of 5 1/2% per annum, with a consequent saving to the borrowers of at least \$1,900,000 per annum in rate of interest. The low rate charged by the Federal Land Bank, and the easy terms of payment on the amortization plan, had the effect to materially reduce the interest charged by the mortgage companies, since the operation of these banks, which indirectly resulted in a saving, in less interest rates charged by mortgage companies, of probably another million dollars per annum. It is to be regretted that since the suspension of closing new loans, occasioned by the unexpected delay in decision by the Supreme Court, as the result of litigation started by the mortgage companies, that many of them have raised their rate of interest from 6, 6 1/2 and 7 per cent to 8 per cent, including commissions, and sometimes 9 and 10 per cent, to borrowing farmers.

"The service which Federal Land Banks have rendered has been of great value to agricultural interests, and the judgment and statesmanship of the authors of the law vindicated. It is believed that whether the action of the Supreme Court results in upholding the law or not, that some plan will be worked out, by amended legislation, if necessary, whereby farmers of this country will continue to get the benefit of a lower rate of interest and easy amortized payments than was possible before the law was enacted, or than the old line mortgage companies are affording at this time."

**Rural Carrier Examination.**

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Stephens, Texas, to be held at Cisco and Ranger on June 28, 1920, to fill the position of rural carrier at Breckenridge and Caddo, and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other post offices in the above-mentioned county. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a post office in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. Both men and women, if qualified, may enter this examination, but appointing officers have the legal right to specify the sex desired in appointing certification of eligibles. Women will not be considered for rural carrier appointments unless they are the widows of U. S. soldiers, sailors, or marines, or the wives of U. S. soldiers, sailors, or marines who are physically disqualified for examination by reason of injuries received in the line of military duty. Form No. 1977 and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be forwarded to the Commission at Washington at the earliest possible date.

**Traffic League to Meet June 11.**

GALVESTON, May 29.—The Southwestern Industrial Traffic League of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana will hold its annual convention here June 11. On June 12 the Texas state organization will convene.

### \$70,000 Auto Speed Classic Tomorrow at Indianapolis

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 30.—Little glory will go to the mechanic who rides in the little seat besides the driver in the 500-mile automobile race at the Indianapolis speedway Monday, but he has one consolation—20 per cent of the net winnings of his car usually finds a way into his pockets.

Although the plaintiffs of the crowd rarely ever are intended for the lowly mechanic, yet he plays an important part in the long grind. It is his duty to keep a close watch on the tires, check each layer as it succumbs to the friction caused by the rapidly revolving wheels on the brick pavement, and signal the pits, so that not a fraction of a second need be lost in the stop. He must also keep watch on the other cars in the race and signal his driver when one draws up from behind. He is the only one permitted to assist the driver

in making repairs in case of a mechanical break down.

Throughout the race, he is in danger of being bounced out, as he has no steering wheel to which he can hold—nothing but a small hand oil pump, which he operates throughout the race. Never is a word spoken between driver and mechanic while their car is in motion. Each team has a sign language all its own.

Because of the smaller size motors entered in the 1920 4-24 for \$70,000, lightweight mechanics are in demand, and the cars have been stripped of every ounce of superfluous weight, even to drilling holes, scientifically placed in the frame.

Medical degrees are open to women at all four of the great Scottish universities—Edinburgh, Glasgow, St. Andrews and Aberdeen.

### Advance Project to Explore Resources of Pacific Ocean

SAN FRANCISCO, May 30.—The project to scientifically explore the resources of the Pacific ocean will be further advanced by the scientists who gathered at Seattle June 17-19 for the fourth annual meeting of the Pacific Division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The immediate practical benefit to be derived from this work, which will require international co-operation, it is said, will be the replacing of hit or miss methods hitherto used in the fishing industry, with an orderly procedure based on an accurate knowledge of the ocean's flora and fauna.

"We shall be able to farm the ocean"

said Winthrop W. Sargeant, secretary of the California Academy of Science. W. E. Allen of the Scripps Institution for Biological Research at LaJolla, California, will present a paper in the symposium on "Animal and Plant Resources of the North Pacific Ocean," which will deal with the relationship of the "phyto plankton" or floating plant life of the ocean to its animal life. This will seek to show that a knowledge of this "ocean pasturage" is perhaps as important to the conservation of fisheries as are the forage requirements of our land species to the industry of stock raising. The inaccessibility of the ocean alone has prevented science from contributing as much to the success of the former as to the latter industry.

Coal is being extensively mined in Manchuria both by Japanese and Chinese.

### Cisco Man Named Deputy Supervisor of Oil and Gas Dept.

AUSTIN, May 30.—C. F. Smith of Cisco has been appointed deputy supervisor of the oil and gas department of the Texas Railroad commission, with station at Cisco. He has been a practical operator for nine years in the oil fields of Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

**Australian Potatoes Cheaper.**

HONOLULU, T. H., May 30.—The recent importation of 4000 bags of Australian potatoes by a Honolulu firm and their sale at a figure considerably below the price of California potatoes, furnished Hawaii with a short respite from the attacks of the high cost of living. Further shipments are expected.



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Nothing brightens up a home as much as a new Rug of real design and blending colors such as we are showing in the new Summer arrivals. We are prepared to point out to you some features of design and low prices that will make up values of special notice and interest to every one who sees them.

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# Along Automobile Row

By R. M. HUDSON

There is no slackening of speed along Automobile Row in Cisco, further than the limit on car production by the factories affects the dealers. If they do not get their special cars, they will sell some other cars, until their allocation does come. Then, too, they are kept busy looking orders for future delivery; and the accessories and parts salesmen are putting in overtime.

Cisco's automobile row is the motor sales and distributing center of this oil belt.

No Oakland yet at the Fulviller Electric Co., they are selling many Chevrolts, says H. D. Fulviller, the manager. This light car now has a sale second only to that of the Ford, and is serving a great field with the lighter car users, says Mr. Fulviller.

"That is not all," he added. "We have sold in the past three days, three G. M. C. two-ton trucks. The purchasers were: Earl Farmer, J. H. Zumball, and W. L. Schmitt.

Down at the Huey Motor company, they received Friday a shipment of Hudson Speedsters, which are now in popular demand. Their salesroom still holds a show of the Essex-Six—both open and closed styles. "Of course the Hudson Super is being sought," said the sales manager there and we are looking orders for all we have in sight—and then some. Because there is no speculation when one buys a Hudson Super."

The Central Motor company continues to reap a splendid profit and accessories trade for the many Dodge cars in the area, but to get the cars themselves through the embargoed regions around the factories is still a difficult proposition, says T. J. Mitchell, Jr., local manager. But we are still booking orders for delivery when the tie-up is broken, he added.

The plate glass for their front has gotten through the freight block and is now in its intended place. Street paving and sidewalk building is going on, on East Ninth and we will soon have a city front, said Mr. Mitchell.

"Since the resumption of the Ford assembling plant at Dallas the allotment of cars are beginning to trickle in, and we look for a normal flow soon," said R. W. Mandell of the Mandell Motor company. Parts and other business continues to grow better, was his smile.

"Twenty men are rearing the brick walls of the Ford's new home on West Seventh street and this is great anticipation for the Ford employees.

The Broadway Motor company will launch in business in their Broadway home, next Tuesday, said L. E. Stansbury of this firm of Bible-Charlin-Stansbury. This house is to include both sales and service, he says. Their cars

will be: Cleveland, Chandler, and the Apperson 5. Before opening, and while waiting on our new building, our salesmen placed three Chalmers the past week, and booked two Apperson 5 orders. The latter are hard to get, he added.

"The Cisco Motor company is now vouching," says Mr. Burroughs, member of the firm. They are not rushing the sales of their display cars till more are in sight. Chalmers are slow to get in from far-away Detroit. However, they will have a shipment of the seven-passenger Haynes in this week from Kokomo, Ind. They are still a wing and the closed car is becoming more popular, says Mr. Burroughs.

"More automobile traffic, more touring strangers in Cisco now than for some time," was the comment of J. H. Blanks, the automobile hardware dealer. "Of course this makes trade good in all classes of accessories. The tool demand continues strong, but these are now especially difficult to get. They are not obtainable. We went by wire all the way to Massachusetts, the home of tools, this week, and failed to get some things most demanded here." Then he added: "But we smile on what we get and the trade we enjoy."

The Elgin Six expects to be in its new home not later than Friday of this week. This new Broadway home will be ready for the splendid Elgin Six show that Whitaker & Mahaffey, the Cisco distributors, expect to make there both in closed and open cars.

"Cheapness is false economy, and motorists are becoming to realize this more than perhaps any other class of people, especially when it is applied to their repair needs. The tendency has been for the auto user to search for the cheapest place when he needed repairs, but they are realizing the mistake. They have come to see that the high-priced expert mechanic is cheaper than the cheap man. The cheapest labor in the auto repair work is the man that 'knows' the highest priced man. Mechanics getting experience must do so at the expense of the customer's car; they put in many hours trying to discover a trouble, where the man who 'knows' can get at the defects immediately."

Thus soliloquized A. B. Lewis of the Auto Electric company. And he says that these things account for the daily increase of their repair business.

"The management of the Auto Electric company," says Mr. Lewis, "know mechanics as well as the automobile business, in which they have spent their lives. And they do not employ inefficient help—even though the people of Cisco might demand cheaper labor. For we know that the highest priced la-

bor is the cheapest to both the customer and to the shop. A small job done right in the first place saves repair bills later; and Cisco people are learning this."

Mr. Lewis says that he would like to see labor classified and a board hung out, telling what each man could do, and what price per hour he drew. "Most of the so-called garage robberies," he said, "come from the inexperienced and inefficient mechanics, and motorists are learning this."

## OPEN AUTO DOOMED, SAYS N. A. D. A. PRESIDENT

Many motorists and motor dealers are smiling over the recently expressed sentiment of H. B. Harper, president of the National Automobile Dealers' Association, and who is also Philadelphia distributor for the Overland and Willys-Knight cars. This argument of Mr. Harper was for the closed car as an all-year product. The article was on "Sedans and Coupes"; and it meets the approval of the local Overland dealers, the E. M. Motor company, who are showing a line of Sedans—which are claimed to be more economical in gas consumption than the open cars. The Overland Sedan has a record of 25 1-2 miles average per gallon of gas.

Mr. Harper's article reads as follows: "A house with a canvas roof is a little better than a tent, but not much. But if the occupant of the house wanted to remove the roof every few hours he would be compelled to use canvas or other light fabric. The first motor car buyers bought cars without tops, paid extra for the tops—but seldom used them. The first railroad train didn't look like a bullfinch. The motor car rider took everybody's dirt, for he had no protection. The top was only for a rainy day, and invariably he got wet, for the rain does not always advertise its coming—even when it does, it is human nature to wait until the last minute."

"It is a question whether any motor car owner now drives with the top down more than 5 per cent of the time. Why, then, use a temporary cover permanently? I know an old lady who always carried an umbrella over her head because it might rain. A motor car is a unit of transportation destined to become the most important unit. What other unit has one type of car for summer and one for winter? There is no argument against closed cars for winter—every one admits their superiority.

"There may be a few occasions during the summer when a car with top down is desirable. Supposing there are ten such occasions—that's 365 against 10. A sedan keeps out heat and cold, dust and rain, wind and bugs. The ordinary top keeps out some of the rain. A sedan top looks good at all times. The fabric, collapsible top looks good only when it is folded out of sight—and the more it is so folded the worse it looks when you have to put it up.

"The wickawake wholesale houses would profit by providing salesmen with sedans, so insuring clean-looking, neat-appearing representatives in place of dirty, tired solicitors."

## AUTO AND ROAD CHAT

The little Mexican cow ponies are rapidly disappearing, it is said; and wild horses on the ranges of New Mexico are no longer to be found. This horse power is being replaced by motor power—which is now even used for running cattle.

The little red school house on the hill, romantically pictured in fiction, is threatened with elimination by the use of motor power. A measure before congress would have the U. S. mail trucks used for transporting children to and from school in the rural districts. The

object being to consolidate the educational facilities of the country districts.

Statistics from the state highway commission at Austin show that more than 3000 used motor vehicles changed hands in Texas during the week ending May 19.

The total registration of automobiles in Texas up to May 19, for 1920, is given by the highway commission at 352,667.

The tire industry is working rapidly toward a final standardization of tire sizes, under a plan of action outlined by the Rubber Association of America, says the New York Evening Post.

Canada is now producing some 70,000 tons of asbestos a year.

## Much Gas Wasted by Poor Lubrication

Motorists who do not think they are getting sufficient mileage from a gallon of gasoline should take care to lubricate their cars properly, is the advice of C. M. Lewis of the Sturm Oil company. Friction is the great friend of the gas bill and the best decelerator in the world, he continues. One of the points forgotten by many motorists is the careful oiling of the valve stems. On a long drive or where the car is being used with regularity, the oiling of these stems with good grade of oil—your garage man will advise you as to the best for your own particular make of car—will make an appreciable addition to the miles per gallon and will greatly increase the efficiency and pulling power of your motor.

## GENERAL SAYS PORT SAID IS WICKEDEST PLACE ON EARTH

CAPDIFF, May 11 (By Mail)—"Port Said still is the wickedest place on the earth," said Brig. Gen. J. H. Bateson, principal of Wesleyan chapel, in an address to soldiers. "I know Calcutta, Bombay and Madras better than I know London," he continued. "I have had to live in the East for a quarter of a century and I know what Cairo and Ismailia are; but I have seen more sin and appearance of sin in one hour in Port Said than in all the rest of my experience."

The Shah of Persia possesses an armchair made of solid gold, inlaid with precious stones.

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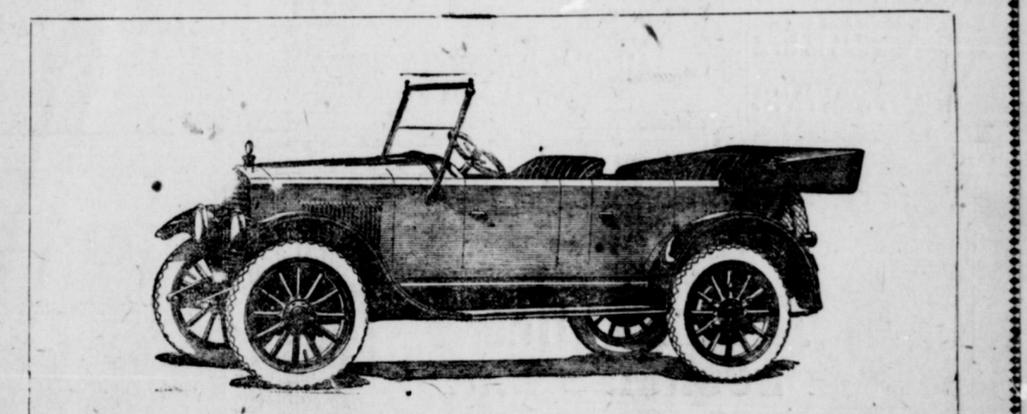
Rents are higher today than ever before in the history of the nation. If you are a renter you want to escape this abnormal condition. If you are a landlord you should take advantage of these opportunities and secure more houses to rent. In either case the answer is—BUILD NOW.

It is conceded that present building costs are high but this is offset by the prevailing high rents. Moreover, incomes of all kinds are higher today than ever before, so that general conditions are enormously in favor of BUILDING NOW.

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# TO CLASSIFY SPORTS AT T. U. NEXT YEAR AS MAJOR AND MINOR

AUSTIN, Texas, May 29.—Beginning with next fall, sports at the University of Texas will be classified as major and minor.

Major sports will receive sweater and bar and medal awards as has been done heretofore in football, while minor sports will be awarded letters, either qualified or unqualified, but without other awards.

Four kinds of sports will be included in the major sports: football, basketball, baseball and track.

Under minor sports are Class A sports, such as tennis, boxing, wrestling and cross country, which will receive unqualified letters and Class B sports, which will be awarded qualified letters, such as handball, gymnastics, etc.

The old system which is being replaced is that of giving bars and medals to all men who were awarded unqualified letters with subsequent addition of bars for each year the sport was made. In football it was also customary to give sweaters to Longhorn men and jerseys to Shorthorn players.

Now all major sports will be handled equally. Sweaters and other awards will be given under similar rules in all four branches. The only difference will be in the kind of sweaters given: In football the usual white coat sweater with an orange letter will be awarded. In baseball a gray coat sweater with orange letter. In basketball a gray V-necked sweater with orange letter will be the prize. Track men will receive a white V-necked sweater with orange letter. Second string men will receive jerseys in all sports modeled on the same color scheme. Second string men will also be divided into two classes, Shorthorns and Reserves, the latter be-

ing members of the first squad who do not receive Varsity letters. Shorthorn letters will be a T in a triangle. Reserve letters will be T's with an R intertwined in the upright of the T. All major sport letters will be six inches high. All minor sport letters will be five inches high.

Rules for awarding the sweaters in case of men who make letters for more than one year are as follows: The first year a man makes the team in any branch of sport he receives the sweater of that sport. Thus, if he makes two teams in a year he will receive two sweaters of the color and kind specified for that sport. The second year on the team in any branch wins a man his bar and medal with bars for both first and second years. The third year in any sport gives a man another sweater with service stripes and a bar for his third year of work. Under conference rules a man may not serve longer than three years.

At the completion of his term of service in Varsity athletics the man will receive a diploma containing his entire record and signed by the president of the university, the chairman of the athletic council, the athletic director and the coaches under whom he served.

At the same time a revision was made of the special award system, and changes were made in the rules for winning letters in the sports. Football men must now play at least two quarters in a majority of the intercollegiate games of the season, or they must play at least a half in the same with A. & M. Basketball players must compete in at least a majority of the intercollegiate games played during the season.

Pitchers and catchers will receive letters at the recommendation of the coach. Track men must make 15 points during the season in intercollegiate competition or they must make at least 5 points in the conference meet.

In totaling the 15 points, those made at the conference meet will count double.

## Used Car Secrets for the Uninitiated

In this day of scarcity of new automobiles, or at least the shortage of factory output sufficient to meet the purchasing demand, used cars are coming more into favor. There is a greater activity in the used car field. In order that the many thousands of prospective owners of used cars may avoid buying a wreck with perfectly good money, "High Speed," writing in the Chicago Tribune, offers this advice to these purchasers:

"It has been said that a used car is no better than the dealer or man who sells it, and there is a great deal of truth in this. In our larger cities the newspapers are filled with so-called 'blind' advertisements of owners who 'must get out of town' or who give some such excuse for selling. The buyer should be careful of the greater number of these because they may be simply poor propositions handled for the dealer by some person who is supposed to be the owner.

"The best place to select for looking over used cars is the salesroom of some reputable dealer in the automobile section of the city. If you are interested in a used Hudson, go to the Hudson dealer, in a Hupmobile, go to the dealer in that car. In this way you are sure at least of getting a car that has been put in shape properly and not 'jobbed up' for a sale. Often, however, a dealer will have cars of other makes in his shop, and naturally so, because all sales are not to previous owners of his car.

"It is usual for a dealer to give the exterior of a car the best appearance possible so that it will strike the fancy of the buyer, especially if his wife is along. Good external appearance is, of course, essential, but for the time being it should be neglected. The chassis should be gone over, and if found satisfactory, the attention may be devoted to the condition of the upholstery, the

top, the curtains, paint, and other items. These are matters which are not important in the runnings of a car. A good body won't keep a car running.

"It is a most difficult matter to tell by a mere drive around the block whether the car is in perfect condition, especially if the street is smooth. 'Rattles and squeaks' caused by loose parts are noticed only on rough roads. Hence it is wise when trying out the car to take it first slowly, and then at a fair rate, over a bad piece of road.

"Never take a dealer's word that 'that can be fixed up in a jiffy.' Do not take a car unless it is 'fixed up,' and to your satisfaction. Never take a car with certain parts of the equipment missing which 'will be sent to you just as soon as they come.' Half the time they never come or are delayed until the end of the season.

"In order to determine the fitness of the used car, you will have to drive it yourself to see whether there is undue play in the power transmission system. A bad clutch or a worn transmission can be 'overcome' by good driving, and the demonstrators usually are good at covering up such spots. Brakes should be tested so that a reining job is not necessary the first week you have the car.

"If possible, open the drain plugs of the transmission and rear axle and see if any oil or thinned grease runs out. Often a bad set of gears or even gear with broken teeth can be made to run less for a short run by packing the gears with heavy grease.

"A new battery costs anywhere from \$25 to \$75, depending on the size. It is the easiest of things to take a battery ready for the junk pile and put it in shape so it will give service for a few minutes.

"In driving around on the demonstration, one can only listen for loud noises in the engine and other parts. In certain loose parts make a rattling sound for a time. Here is an important point. An 'oil pump' in an engine whose platons and rings are worn and such an engine, when it is not

after running some time, will pump so much oil into the combustion chamber as to cause misfiring and bad running generally. For a short period the 'oil pump' will be all right. Look around the valves for oil leakage from an oil pump.

Wheel bearings and steering can be gone over by shaking the wheels violently and by pulling and pushing on the steering connections. Often, however, excessive wear in these places can be covered up.

## DRILLING ACTIVITIES IN STAMFORD FIELD UNABATED

STAMFORD, Texas, May 29.—The Republic well on the White ranch in Stamford county is reported to be drilling at 150 feet.

The National Workers' well on the White ranch, near old Kanier, is reported to be down for casing at 150 feet. The well No. 1, near Old Glory, Stamford county, is shut down at 800 feet.

## AUSTIN POSTAGE STAMP SALE INCREASES MILLION DOLLARS

AUSTIN, May 29.—The sale of postage stamps through the Austin post office, which became accounting office for 110 other postoffices of the state on March 15, has increased nearly a million dollars, according to C. E. Hodges, assistant postmaster, since that date. He said that \$250,000 is paid out monthly through this office to rural mail carriers of Texas.

## WOULD OBLITERATE DESEDITION CHARGE FROM SOLDIER'S RECORD

NEWPORT, Ky., May 29.—Although the charge of being a deserter was referred against him in the navy, John Sullivan, who lived in Newport, has been awarded, posthumously, the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary bravery.

When the United States entered the war, Sullivan entered the navy. Fearing that he would not be able to get into the fighting, he deserted his ship

and enlisted in the Chinese-Gun battalion. He was killed in the attack on the Japanese battleship, the USS Arizona. His father is J. T. Sullivan, who has since received the medal. Congress has tried to have the navy eliminate the charge of desertion from Sullivan's record. The Atlantic liner "Imperator" is the first steamship to be equipped with a full-fledged bank.

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# PROGRAM FOR HOME ECONOMICS WEEK AT STATE U. EXTENSIVE

### Women All Over Texas Taking Concerted Steps to Relieve Situation That Is Now Near Crisis.

A drastic move for economy in the use of sugar on the part of Cisco housewives is being launched here by Mrs. J. D. Alexander, who is in charge of the Texas Women's High Cost of Living Campaign in this city.

Mrs. Alexander received the following telegram from Mrs. Myron Akner of Dallas, chairman of the organization, yesterday:

"The curtailed demand helped reduce dry goods prices in Texas. Would you use same method in regard to the sugar situation. Appoint a committee for an intensive campaign to be inaugurated in your district, as has been in several others, to curtail by one-half our use of such non-essentials as represented by candy, soft drinks, chewing gum and ice cream."

"Thus we will be assured of a plentiful supply of sugar for essential industries. The housewife's canning and preserving season makes this an imperative step. Every co-operation is urged."

Mrs. Alexander will organize a committee and proceed to wage a campaign here along the lines suggested.

The platform of the Texas woman is that of the national movement as follows:

"High prices are direct outcome of the inequality of supply and demand. Supply and demand can be made more nearly equal by either increasing supply or decreasing demand. It will take several years for production to catch up with demand, on account of decreased production of goods during the war and the present unstable condition of labor. Then, if the supply of goods cannot be increased rapidly we must equalize supply and demand more nearly by decreasing demand. As 90% of the money spent for food and clothing is expended by women it would seem that the women are a powerful factor in solving this problem. Throughout the country there is a reckless expenditure of money. Thoughtful people feel that this condition cannot go on without dire results.

"We consider it as patriotic now to be conservative in the expenditure of money as it was during the war. Do not fear the result on business as the demand for goods is far greater than the supply and will be greater for several years. If we do not demand the luxuries, the attention of the merchant will turn to the necessities, and the supply of necessities will be increased. The factories make that for which there is a demand. Each one of us can control the demand. During the war the factories found no hardship in changing over from making luxuries to making necessities. It is sound econ-

omies to urge against extravagance. We will not continually complain of the high prices and then go right on paying them without at least trying to help the situation.

"Many are feeling keenly the pressure from high prices. Wives are being forced into industry to eke out the husband's income in order properly to clothe and feed the children. There is a grave danger that the standard of the American home will be lowered. No more important subject faces the women of today."

"We will by precept and example emphasize the doctrine of simple living. We may be able to wield great influence by setting standards. We will devote some time of our club program each month to the consideration of home economics."

"We will advocate intelligent buying, which does not mean cessation of buying, but buying that we need; buying wisely, having in mind durability of material and style. (Marketers and dry goods merchants tell us women do not know how to buy; that women do not know the quality of goods and judge the quality simply by the price affixed). We will include in our club program instructions in the matter of buying."

"We hope to do something helpfully constructive while labor is adjusting itself and we hope to influence labor itself. We advocate an honest day's work for money received and co-operation between employer and employee to bring about maximum production of essential commodities."

"The component parts of the industrial system of today are, moreover, so interrelated and delicately adjusted that a cessation of work and a disruption of activity at any point makes itself felt throughout the entire economic structure. Indeed a tie-up of certain fundamentally important branches of industry can practically paralyze the entire economic system. Such paralysis not only reduces profits; it also reduces the wages of those in the industry directly concerned as well as in all other industries. It goes without saying that professional and other classes suffer in consequence of the reduced production in almost equal proportion."

"We can demand less labor by requiring less service in the stores; by demanding fewer changes in styles (merchants tell us that is a big factor in the cost of production) and by introducing labor-saving devices in the home."

"Every man handling an article has the right to a fair profit. If it is found that too many are handling the same article, we must eliminate them from the market. It is the duty of the Fair Price Commissioner or United States Attorney and bring producer and housewife closer together."

"But if there is profiteering, we declare that a fair price must prevail; and if the merchant refuses to heed this fair warning, he will be reported to the Fair Price Commissioner or United States Attorney, and action will be taken by the Department of Justice."

"It is a good plan to create various departments, each to look into the price of certain commodities, have discussion on them and report conclusions to the

Fair Price Commissioner or United States Attorney.

"In our impertinence to achieve quickly higher standards of living we are heading straight toward economic and social disaster. If we sit by idly and watch this thing happen, unlimited patches, unlimited food work and years of time will be required to bring the world back to normal. But if we all actively unite and let our best efforts back of this movement, normal conditions will be restored before we know it."

## WIFE OF HUN SPY RAVING HER CHILDREN IN ENGLAND

LONDON, May 29.—Mrs. Leon, wife of Ignatius Tribitsch Lince, the former German spy deported from England and press censor during the recent Kapp revolt, is now employing a domestic service in a quiet hotel near from London, says the "Daily Sketch." She once had a big establishment of her own. Lincoln, the paper says, is writing to his wife asking her to go to Germany but she adheres to her decision to remain in this country and bring up her children as British subjects.

## Hamlin Joins Publicity Work

HAMLIN, Texas, May 29.—Hamlin will participate in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce national publicity campaign throughout the north east and south. Dr. O. H. Lloyd at W. K. Whipple, campaign manager, were here yesterday and presented the proposition to the city with the result that it favored it.

In France the universities and all educational posts except theological ones are open to women.

# HOME ECONOMIC PROGRAM THIS WEEK AT T. US. IS EXTENSIVE

### Subjects of Addresses to Be Delivered Cover Field of Large and Interesting Scope.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 29.—Program for "home economics week" which will be held at the University of Texas, June 1-5, is as follows:

**Tuesday, June 1—**

Morning Session—Registration; address by Dr. J. L. Henderson, professor of secondary education at the University of Texas. Address, Miss Annie W. Blanton, T. O. Walton, director extension, A. & M. College, will speak on "Extension Service and the Home Economics Teacher." A talk on "Vocational Home Economics," by Miss Adelaide Baylor of the federal board of vocational education.

Afternoon Session—The girls' clothing contest takes place. Miss Agnes Ellen Harris, director vocational home economics, state department of education, will deliver the welcome address. Miss Annie W. Blanton will speak. Address "Clothing for High School Girls," "Aim of Contest," by Miss Lillian Beck. "Some Contest Results," by the home economics teachers. "Style Show" contestants. The committee on judging the clothing contest consists of Miss Eloise Barry, Majorie Logan, Miss Spears and Ada Johnson. Award

of prizes, representative of mothers' congress and parent-teachers' association; Mrs. Maggie W. Barry. Moving pictures, "Foot Follies," music.

**June 2—**

Morning Session—"Some Home Economics Problems," Mrs. Henrietta W. Calvin of the bureau of education, at Washington, D. C. General discussion, "Clothing as a Factor in the High Cost of Living," general discussion. Vocational home economics round-table.

Afternoon Session—Miss Jessie Harris, professor of home economics, University of Nebraska, presiding. "Teaching of Art and Textiles in the High Schools," Mrs. Calvin. "Vocational Art and Textiles in the High Schools," Miss Baylor. Discussion of applied design section of syllabus; leader, Miss Logan. Discussion of domestic art section of syllabus; leader, Miss Peck.

**Thursday, June 3—**

Morning Session—"The War and the High Cost of Living," Dr. A. B. Wolfe, of the University of Texas. "Government Regulation and Community Cooperation as a Means of Lowering the Cost of Living," Mrs. Edward P. Costigan, National Consumers' League, of Washington, D. C. "Budgeting as a Means of Safeguarding the Income," Miss Edythe Hershey of the university home economics department. "The Responsibility of the Home and the Community," Miss J. Winters, university home economics department.

Afternoon Session—Miss Baylor presiding. "Physiology and Hygiene as High School Subjects," Dr. Carl Hartman of the University of Texas. "Household Management as a High School Problem," Mrs. Calvin. Discussion of household management section of syllabus; leader, Miss Winters.

**Friday, June 4—**

Morning Session—"New Problems of Nutrition: Their Place in College Home Economics," Miss Winters. "Animal Experimentation," Miss Hessler. "Nutrition and the Pre-school Child," Miss Jennie Pinckney of the university school of home economics. "Nutrition and the School Child," Miss Joan. "School Clinics," Miss Elizabeth Nickerson of the university faculty. Round table discussions.

Afternoon Session—Miss Bess Hefflin of the university department of home economics, presiding. "The Home Economics Department and the School Lunch Room," Miss Mary E. Gearing, head of the university home economics department. "How One School Has Solved the Lunch Room Problem," Miss Emma Pirie, director of home economics, San Antonio schools. "The Rural Lunch Problem," Miss Laura Neale, director of state home demonstration, A. & M. College. Discussion of food and dietetic section of syllabus; leader, Miss Lacey and Miss Jessie Harris.

**Saturday, June 5—**

Morning Session—"Demonstration Practice Teaching," Miss Hefflin. Discussion of food section of syllabus, continued. "Home Economics Extension," Miss Neal. Round table.

Afternoon Session—Miss Neale presiding. Discussion of biology section of syllabus; leader, Miss Hessler. Discussion of home nursing section of syllabus; leader, Miss Jane Duffy. Round table.

Speakers are as follows:

Mrs. Henrietta Calvin, bureau of education, Washington, D. C.; Miss Adelaide Baylor, federal board of vocational education, Washington, D. C.; Miss Sally Lucas, director National child health organization, New York; Mrs.

Edward P. Costigan, national consumers' league, Washington; T. O. Walton, director extension A. & M. College; Miss Annie W. Blanton, state superintendent of education; Mrs. Maggie W. Barry, extension division A. & M.; Miss Laura Neale, director of state home demonstration A. & M.; Miss Emma Pirie, director home economics, San Antonio schools; Dr. J. L. Henderson, Dr. A. B. Wolfe and Dr. Carl Hartman, all of the University of Texas; Miss Jessie Harris, professor of home economics, University of Nebraska, members of the home economics division, state department of education and of the university school of home economics.

## ARGENTINA TO FLOAT INTERNAL LOANS TO CONSOLIDATE ITS DEBT

BUENOS AIRES, May 21 (By Mail)—Argentina government having failed to obtain either in Europe or the United States a proposed loan to enable it to consolidate its floating debt of about \$255,000,000, it now plans to resort to a domestic loan for the purpose, it is reported. President Frigover, it is said, intends to bring the matter before congress shortly and ask authorization to issue the bonds.

Newspaper comments upon the idea is generally favorable, it being pointed out that there is no other recourse.

While the floating of such a large internal loan will be unprecedented in Argentina, the growing wealth of the country is cited as propitious for its success. It is pointed out, moreover, that subscriptions in Argentina to the Italian loan reached \$140,000,000.

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The Dependable Store

## A Week of Delightful Surprises and True Economy Await Those Who Shop at Garner's.

TOMORROW, Monday, begins a week of many delightful shopping surprises and true economy events at this store. With merchandise at a high level of quality and a most moderate level in price, efficient selling service, and a cool place to shop, we believe the women of Cisco and vicinity will enjoy the coming week at GARNER'S, and at the same time profit by the substantial savings to be made.

### A START IN THE SALE OF Summer Dresses

This showing of Summer Dresses means joy to every woman, for we offer the season's choicest and prettiest dresses at prices that will appeal to the most economical. The fabrics, the workmanship, the styles—are all in accord with our ever high standard—only the prices are lower than you would expect. Organdies, Voiles, Light colored Georgettes.

—up to \$32.50  
—to \$34.50  
\$67.50 \$37.50

25 Per Cent Reduction on All Silk Dresses in Stock

### BEGINNING MONDAY

Sale of TRICOLETTE BLOUSES  
Blue — Green — Pink — White  
Sizes: 38 to 45  
**\$6.95**

### Summer Blouses

Splendid opportunities are here for the woman who wishes to economically complete her summer wardrobe with Blouses of the prettiest modes and best workmanship and materials at prices that are remarkably reasonable.

\$6.50 to \$24.50

### SKIRTS

—for summer wear

Pleated Skirts are very popular this summer for separate wear and will occupy an important place in every woman's wardrobe. We are showing a wide variety in late models in fabrics delightfully light, yet heavy enough to protect you from a sudden drop of temperature.

Wool Skirts \$10.00 to \$29.50  
Silk Skirts \$16.50 to \$39.50

—service —courtesy —expert fitting



A Gorgeous Gathering of

# Pretty Pumps

## Reduced for All This Week

In these days of extreme prices a most refreshing relief is found in the splendid quality of women's Kid and Patent Pumps, all high heels, including plain pumps and the new one-eye ties in black, brown and the new oze combination, which we are offering during the coming week. They are unexcelled for grade of line and depth of comfort.

Particularly for summer wear. Queen Quality, Maxine and Walk-Over make pumps; values from \$8.50 to \$16.50; there are about 350 pairs of these pumps, and for the entire coming week we will offer them at—

\$6.50 \$10.95  
\$8.95 \$12.95

This assortment consists principally of Louis Heels

Beginning Monday and for all the Coming Week

# 20 PER CENT REDUCTION

on all

# SILK UNDERWEAR

—Teddies —Night Gowns —Billie Burkes —Camisoles —Bloomers

"Old Sol's Hot Rays calls for

## LONG GLOVES

The Glove hunter will find here a profusion of Summer Gloves in Silks and Kids in every desired shade, and particularly the longer models to protect the arms from the burning rays of the hot summer sun. Every pair is correctly in mode and all of warranted makes.

Long Silk, \$2.50 to \$3.50  
Short Silk, \$1, \$1.50, \$2  
Short Kid, \$4 and \$5