

# CISCO DAILY NEWS

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## ELY'S MIND MADE UP FOR CUT-OFF

### Chinese Withstand Terrific Attack Despite Losses

#### FURIOUS JAP DRIVE MAKES SLIGHT GAINS

SHANGHAI, Friday, Feb. 26.—The Japanese hurled their military strength against the Chinese lines north of Shanghai Thursday and early Friday in a crushing offensive designed to shatter China's lines between Shanghai and Wootung.

The Chinese, forced back, suffered heavily under the withering rain of shells, bombs and machine-gun bullets, their casualties being estimated at 2,000 or more.

Lieut. Gen. Uyenda, commander of the Japanese, announced early today that the artillery battering would be continued all night, preparatory to a massed attack on the strategically important town of Tazang, about 10 miles northwest of the city on the road to Lihou.

The Japanese planned, after capturing Tzang, to turn their strength against the Chinese lines in Chapei, the native city of Shanghai, bringing the war again to the gates of the International Settlement.

A Japanese communique at 10:30 last night announced that the Japanese had advanced 200 yards in the Kiangwan area. The communique estimated 300 Chinese were killed in this action. Only 80 were wounded and but 15 taken prisoners, indicating the fierceness of the fighting.

The Japanese placed their casualties all during the day at 80. Despite the superior offensive weapons of the Japanese and their heavy casualties, the Chinese stood their ground with amazing valor, and as far as foreign observers could tell, the Japanese gains were not great.

#### JAP GUNNERS HUNT HIDDEN MARKSMEN



#### RANGER HOST TO INTER-CITY ROTARY MEET

Twenty-two Rotarians and Rotary Anns represented the Cisco Rotary club at the inter-city meeting held at the Gholson hotel in Ranger last night and attended by approximately 100.

A program of great interest, featuring a humorous address by Dr. R. E. Jackson, president of the Denton Rotary club and professor of history at C. L. A., was presented by the Ranger host club.

There were other talks by Jack Lewis and Joe Weaver, of the Eastland Rotary club, and songs by the Ranger junior college "Harmony Honies," a group of four young women.

President Howard Gholson, of the Ranger club, presided. Cisco Rotarians and Rotary Anns attending were: Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Cluck, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Maner, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Varnell and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wright.

#### Class for Sunday School Workers

Miss Kate Payne Owen, director of religious education for the Presbytery of Western Texas, will arrive in Cisco from Fort Worth Friday or Saturday and will begin a class for Sunday school workers at the First Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The text to be taught is Organization and Administration and all who are interested are invited to attend regardless of denominational affiliation.

#### 4 DEMOCRATS SEEKING SEAT OF OVERMAN

By ROBERT A. ERWIN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 25.—Issues of national interest are involved in the impending battle for the democratic nomination for United States senator, which for more than 30 years has been equivalent to election in this state.

#### OVER MILLION TO PAY INCOME TAXES MAR. 15

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—More than 1,000,000 United States citizens will make their first payment March 15 on their income taxes due for the calendar year of 1931.

#### Budget Short

Treasury officials estimated months ago that the budget for this fiscal year will be short more than \$2,000,000,000, the largest deficit in the peace-time history of the United States.

#### Wide Tax Plan

This will necessitate a wide and comprehensive tax plan. In the tax plan outlined by the Administration before this situation arose there were provisions for increasing the income tax from 1.5 per cent to two per cent on the lowest form and from four to six per cent on the higher forms.

#### INSPECTOR PRAISES CISCO'S FIRE PREVENTION PROGRAM

Inspector Olive, with the State Fire Insurance commission, completing an inspection of Cisco with respect to fire hazards in two days spent here this week, left the city with warm praise for conditions as he found them here.

#### 14 ENROLLED IN COMMERCIAL NIGHT SCHOOL

The night school commercial instruction offered by the high school for the benefit of townspeople as one means of broadening the service of the school to the community, has met with a gratifying response, Supt. R. N. Cluck said today.

#### FORD APPEALS CONVICTION IN MURDER CASE

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—Appeal of the five-year sentence given Grady Ford, convicted in Eastland county of murder in the death of Jackie Henbest, was filed in the court of criminal appeals here today.

#### George Hill Will Seek New Trial

ABELLNE, Feb. 25.—Attorneys for George Hill, 50 years old, San Angelo, sentenced to 12 years here last night for the fatal stabbing of John R. Kiser, San Angelo dairyman, will seek a new trial. The case was sent here on a change of venue from Tom Green county.

#### MANY ENTRIES RECEIVED FOR STOCK SHOW

With entries coming in at a rate that promises to make the show a worthy repetition of the annual series of such events that are sponsored by the Cisco chamber of commerce for the county at large, the Eastland County Livestock show is ready to open its doors to the public tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

Entries so far include six head of beef cattle from Dr. F. E. Clark; one head from Bobby Thurman; one from Carl Stroebel; between 10 and 15 head of dairy cattle from the Lee and Myrick farms; 78 lambs by vocational agriculture boys besides goats, sheep and hog from other growers.

Boys entering lambs are Bobby Thurman 9; Clarence Stroebel, 5; Byron Ray and Chester Norvell, 20; Ami Lee Richardson and Rayford Richardson, 20; Joe Bob Winston and Bryan Lee Winston 25.

Final arrangements have been made for the entertainment. The Parks Brothers Novelty orchestra will provide musical programs at 7 o'clock Friday evening and 3:30 Saturday afternoon. The Saturday program will include blackface numbers.

#### Community Program At 7:30 Tonight

The regular community program of the Cisco high school will be presented this evening at 7:30 at the high school auditorium, Supt. R. N. Cluck announced today.

#### Action on Charges At Tech Deferred

LUBBOCK, Feb. 25.—Directors of Texas Tech were adjourned today without action on the charges of the Rev. R. C. Campbell that atheism and infidelity have been taught at the school.

#### SIDE GLANCES AT WASHINGTON

A New Presidential Possibility, as Seen in a Crayon Study  
By George Clark



MRS. GARNER IS AN ASSISTANT IN HER HUSBAND'S OFFICE.

SPEAKER GARNER IS AT HIS DESK BEFORE EIGHT EVERY MORNING.

SOME BOYS FROM HOME TO SEE "JACK"

HIS IS ONE OF THE BUSIEST PHONES IN WASHINGTON.

#### PROTESTS TO BE PRESENTED NEXT MONDAY

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—W. R. Ely, chairman of the state highway commission, here today for a conference with Governor Sterling, indicated that his mind is definitely made up for construction of the highway No. 1 cut-off between Weatherford and Strawn.

A delegation headed by citizens of Mineral Wells and Breckenridge will be here Monday to protest the proposed cut-off.

The proposed cut-off is 45 miles long, reducing by 14 miles the route now followed by Highway No. 1 via Mineral Wells.

#### TREE-PLANTING PROGRAM TAKES PLACE FRIDAY

The tree-planting ceremony at the West Ward school building, in which the first grade of the school will plant a tree as a living memorial to George Washington, will take place tomorrow evening at 2:30 on the school ground, it was announced today.

#### Football Schedules To Be Made Saturday

The executive committee of the oil belt district will gather Saturday afternoon at Abilene to puzzle out football schedules for the district next fall.

#### No Order Issued By R. R. Comm'n

AUSTIN, Feb. 25.—Members of the state railroad commission had not issued an order for the east Texas field when they left the capital for lunch today.

WEATHER  
West Texas—Fair, warmer in southeast portion tonight. Friday partly cloudy.  
East Texas—Fair and warmer tonight. Friday increasing cloudiness.

#### Dalhart Editor Wins Award

WACO, Feb. 25.—John L. McGarity, editor of the Dalhart "Texan" and originator of "Cuss the Editor Week," today was announced as winner of the distinguished service medal offered by the Baylor university department of journalism for the most elaborate and worthwhile program of community service during 1931.

#### Mrs. Hoover Goes On Vacation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Herbert Hoover was on her way to Florida today on a vacation cruise with a small group of friends.

#### Groceryman Drops Dead at Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, Feb. 25.—A. S. Dingee, 69, prominent Fort Worth groceryman dropped dead in his chair while reading a newspaper at his home here today. He was found by his wife. Doctors attributed the death to heart failure.

#### HONORS EDISON

DEARBORN, Mich., Feb. 25.—Dearborn has dedicated its new \$225,000 school building to Thomas A. Edison. Over 1200 persons attended the dedicatory service.

#### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A daughter was born February 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morse, West Eighth street. The baby weighed ten pounds. Mother and child are doing nicely.

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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

DEATH OR LIFE:—To be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually-minded is life and peace.—Romans 8: 6.

### BOOST THE LIVESTOCK SHOW.

The annual Eastland county livestock show will open in Cisco tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Blessed with spring-like weather after a period of rain and gloomy skies the efforts of the committee in charge or preparations for the show have advanced with creditable success during the past two days so that what appeared likely to be but a poor imitation of past excellent expositions of the character here will prove to be a show worthy of those that have been held. Large numbers of entries have already been entered and with continued sunshine to render the lateral roads of the county more passable many others are expected to be added to those already assured.

Cisco's local interest in the show will be the determination of its success. During the next two days Cisco may expect to entertain large numbers of people from other communities and the rural sections and these people are due a hearty welcome and a manifestation of the interest of our citizens in those enterprises which command the presence of these visitors. This show is not only a demonstration of the quality of our county's agricultural development along the line of livestock production, but it is locally an opportunity for Cisco to recognize in the human and friendly way its dependence upon this development and its concern for the welfare of those who make it their livelihood.

We can do no less tomorrow and the following day than to join eager hands with those who attend this county-wide event and assist the committee in charge in every possible way to make their visits profitable and pleasant. This is one way of stimulating a necessary community of interest between interdependent groups which will result in mutual benefit.

The committee in charge deserves the commendation of Cisco for their earnest efforts. We should go further than that in assuring them of success by lending every effort that is in our power. It may be truly said, unfortunately, that numerous people in our community will pass the two days of the livestock show without the slightest recognition of its presence. That the trait is not confined to Cisco people is no excuse for its existence. It is due, of course, to the attitude of most citizens to neglect that with which their own interests cannot establish a direct connection, regardless of whether or not the enterprise is of wide community benefit.

We hope that every person in Cisco will make it a duty to attend this show tomorrow and Saturday.

### STATE OF TEXAS WINS A VICTORY.

District Judge Charles A. Wheeler awarded judgment against all defendants in its suit to quiet titles of 2460 acres of rich oil land in the so-called Yates pool in Pecos county. This suit was brought by the state against R. V. Whiteside and approximately 150 other defendants. It is said this is one of the most important land suits in Texas history. It is estimated by the department of the attorney general that property involved in the suit was worth in excess of \$200,000,000. J. H. Walker is commissioner of the state general land office. He estimated that the permanent school funds royalties interest in oil already produced and yet to be recovered from the pool underlying the land would aggregate \$20,000,000. The state receives one-sixteenth royalty.

Judgment in favor of Ira G. Yates against the Douglas Oil company, claimed under Whiteside interests, also was awarded. In his sweeping decision Judge Wheeler declared that state land office surveys were accurate and vacancies had existed as claimed by the state. It is said that an appeal will be taken to the higher courts.

Litigation is the order of the day in Texas. Conservation of natural resources is one of the demands of the people. A sweeping reduction in taxes is another demand. Abolition of fee a most pressing demand. Fixed salaries for servants of the people a political issue that was precipitated 40 years ago will be uppermost again in the campaign now on.

### INDIAN BOYCOTT HURTS NEW ENTERPRISES, GOV'T INCOME

BOMBAY, Feb. 25. — The uncertain business outlook induced by the congress boycott movement is discouraging all new enterprises, new purchases and expansions of business. Every business firm is busy reducing commitments rather than assuming new obligations. Even prospective purchasers, with money, are postponing purchases.

The resultant stagnation of trade coupled with reduced imports, is seriously depleting the revenue sources of the Indian government.

Customs levies and income taxes are the two sources on which the government chiefly depends for revenue. Customs revenue normally yields about 40 to 44 per cent of the total revenue and income taxes about 25 per cent.

Luxury Goods Duties. Duties on luxury goods yield the major portion of the customs revenue. It is no great privation for the Indian agriculturists, most of whom are now unable to buy in any case on account of the financial depression to follow the congress

mandate and refrain from buying luxury goods for one year. Countries which export automobiles, phonophones, electrical goods, etc. to India can expect a continuously contracting market until the political question is settled.

Imports last November were valued at only 89,300,000 rupees, compared with imports valued at 119,100,000 rupees during the previous November when the boycott was effective.

Import duties during November put only 35,200,000 rupees in the exchequer although the finance members had budgeted for 50,000,000 rupees. With imports still further reduced due to the depression and the boycott customs revenue is certain to decrease still further.

Income Taxes are realized mainly from the mercantile community in the form of super taxes. Since trade is not flourishing serious gov-

### His Hands Are Full Enough as It Is!



NEWS NOTE: PRESIDENT DISCONTINUES HAND-SHAKING CUSTOM!

ernment losses on super taxes also can be expected.

With inactive trading conditions the railroads also are suffering. Normally they provide from 70,000,000 to 100,000,000 rupees annually to the government. According to latest returns the gross income of the railroads decreased by 2,300,000 rupees in a single week.

With government revenue going down, government expenditure is going up due to the employment of additional police, costly troop movements and food rationing and support of thousands of political prisoners.

Credit Balance Shrinks

Early in January the credit balance of the government in the Imperial Bank was only 70,000,000 rupees, compared with 80,000,000 the previous year. Meanwhile however the government had borrowed 440,000,000 rupees, so the reduction was really 450,000,000 rupees in a year.

The last issue of treasury bills brought only 3,700,000 rupees, instead of 20,000,000 rupees solicited. There was little response to the offer of 6-1/2 per cent treasury bonds. Treasury bill maturity of 210,000,000 rupees are awaiting redemption. Meanwhile the government is taking action tantamount to inflating the currency by issuing treasury bills to paper currency reserves.

Indian merchants, both Congress supporters and others, also are losing, naturally, but this condition is not new for them. Their business has been bad for the past four or five years, and many of them are willing to undergo another year or more of losses. If necessary, for the restoration of political and thus business stability.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE Shawnee, Oklahoma.

That citizens should protect the future prosperity of the home city by spending their money in the home city.

There is much satisfaction in buying at home because behind the home business concerns stand their reputation for square dealing.

Buying at home increases the resources of the home city, making better times for all by stabilizing home business and thus insuring a steady growth for the city.

As long as mail order houses hundreds of miles away can come into a community and compete with local business concerns at their own business, in spite of the handicap of package freight, express or postage and a big expense for catalogues, it behooves local business concerns to get busy and stay busy.

The method by which local concerns can heat mail order competition is by building up efficiency and creating bigger turnover by local newspaper advertising.

The question of what to buy and where to buy is easily answered by reading the ads in local papers.

Large cities and mail order houses get their biggest business from sections where local merchants do little advertising.

### PERFECT SCHOOL RECORD

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Feb. 25. — Charlotte Potter, 11, has not missed a day of school in 11 semesters, or five and one-half school terms, records revealed.

### RELIABLE PRINTING

no order too small CISCO DAILY NEWS CISCO AMERICAN and ROUNDUP

### SINO-JAPANESE CRISIS ALTERS POLICY OF U. S.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25. — World depression and the Japanese-Chinese crisis have brought a spectacular and historical swing of United States foreign policy toward co-operation with Europe within the last year, declares the first of a new series of annual volumes published by the Council of Foreign Relations.

The Council's work, written by Walter Lippmann, gives an account of United States foreign relations during the past year. It is called "The United States in World Affairs, 1931," and will be published annually. Elihu Root is honorary president of the Council and John W. Davis president.

### U. S. Policy

During the first 18 months of the depression, Lippmann shows United States policy was based on the theory that internal measures would be sufficient to bring recovery. This viewpoint swung to the opposite pole last summer, when President Hoover announced his moratorium as an attempt to aid world finances. The "spectacular evolution of American foreign policy" continued in 1931 with Washington's taking the unprecedented step of having a representative sit with the League Council which was considering Manchuria.

### Flight of Pound

Lippmann shows the flight from the British pound, which began during the London Conference brought further American collaboration with Europe when the Federal Reserve Bank joined with the Bank of France in extending credits to Great Britain. The inability of the British government to maintain the gold standard brought the United States into closer relations with France.

Lippmann judges that the Hoover-Laval conference resulted in an agreement that Laval and Bruening "should attempt to work out a reparations settlement so clearly designed to restore confidence and promote appeasement that the U. S. congress would feel justified in making a fair contribution by reducing debts."

### FOSSILS IN WALLS

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 25. — In the stone walls of Wisconsin's capitol are formations believed to be fossils of a shellfish, starfish and some snails.

### Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco Daily News and Cisco American and Roundup are authorized to make the following announcements subject to the democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For District Judge, 88th Judicial District of Eastland County: J. D. BARKER B. W. PATTERSON.

For District Clerk: P. L. CROSSLEY.

For County Clerk: WALTER GRAY W. C. BEDFORD.

Commissioner Precinct No. 4: L. H. QUALLS.

For City Commissioner (Three to be elected April 5, 1932): J. H. STAMPS.

### REICH

Mrs. Vaneford is on the sick list at this writing.

Chester Abbott had business in Cisco Monday morning.

Garvin Clark from Dallas visited in the Jim Dillon home Saturday afternoon.

Ethel Leveridge from Cisco spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Will Leveridge.

Charlie Kimbrough and wife visited Mrs. D. J. Gorman in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Abbott from the Mitchell community spent the day Friday with J. M. Dillon.

News want ads bring results.

HAMS WERE TOUGH SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25. — When two masked bandits walked into his grocery store, looted his till of \$2.15 and snatched ten hams from a display case, Dante Gigli only laughed. The hams were wooden counter displays.

News want ads bring results.

FRAT BANNED TOLEDO, O., Feb. 25. — The Phi Kappa Chi fraternity at the University of Toledo has been banned from the campus by university authorities who accused the students for refusing to co-operate in punishing some members for drinking. The ban is effective for a month.

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 Will heat enough water for 2 baths  
 Will operate a living room heater 45 minutes  
 Will make 33 cups of coffee  
 Will heat enough water for 14 morning shaves  
 Will operate a laundry dryer 45 minutes  
 Will operate an incinerator 15 minutes  
 Will run a gas refrigerator from 8 to 10 hours

LONE STAR  
**Community Natural Gas Co.**  
 GAS SYSTEM

BERMUDA SEAS YIELDING LOOT FOR SCIENCE

The ocean depths off the Bermudas are still providing scientific treasures to Dr. William Beebe, director of the Department of Tropical Research of the New York Zoological Society, after three years of continuous and systematic dredging and recording of data.

"To the course of three years my tin has made two hundred and seventy-one trips and we have hauled thirteen hundred and forty-four nets," writes Dr. Beebe in the National Geographic Magazine.

It was in the waters surrounding Bermuda that Dr. Beebe descended to levels hitherto unexplored by man in a sealed steel sphere specially constructed for the purpose.

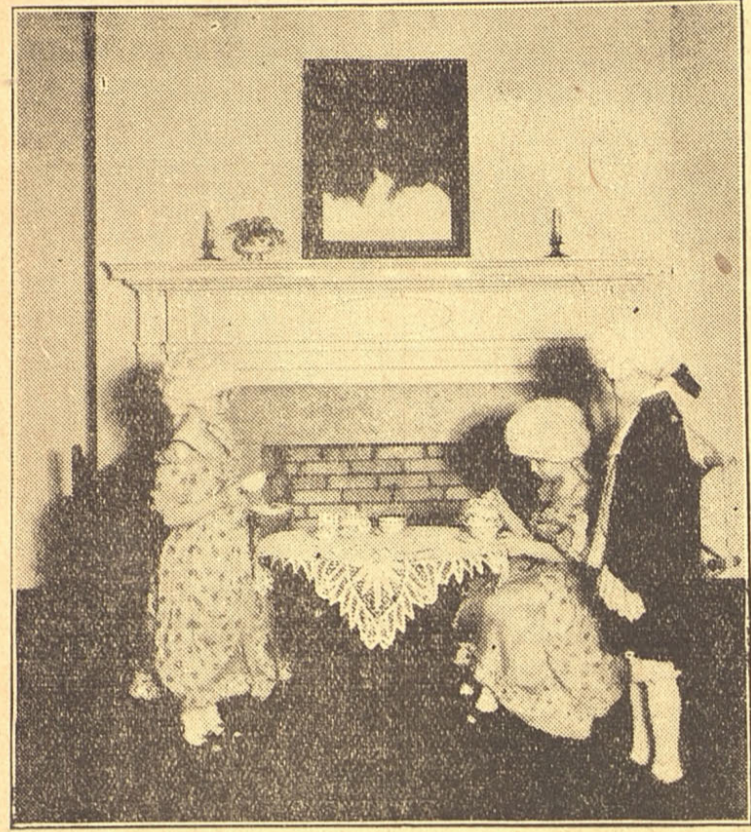
The "bathy-sphere," as the diving sphere was called, enabled him to study the actions of luminous fishes in their native habitats.

"It is difficult vividly to picture the conditions a mile below the surface," writes Dr. Beebe. "Darkness so intense, so absolute, that our blackest midnight in comparison is light; silence and almost complete cessation of movement; cold which lies somewhere between the freezing points of fresh and salt water, and an all-encompassing pressure of a ton on each square inch. We cannot call the darkness night, because for more than a thousand million years since ocean first existed, there has never been any succeeding or preceding day."

"The inhabitants have all come to this unbelievable region in one of two ways: either their forbears have crawled down the slopes of continents and islands' little by little, or upon becoming accustomed with infinite gradualness to the increasing darkness, rigidity and pressure, or they have, ever more slowly, sunk gently from the surface down through the waters of the open sea—who can ever say with what speed, or lack of it, or who can ever imagine the uncountable hosts of failures which have given place finally to the few successful penetrators of the watery abysses."

LOW ROUND TRIP FARES TO ALL TEXAS CITIES BY GREYHOUND LINES. Includes a list of cities and fares: Abilene \$2.00, Fort Worth 4.55, El Paso 19.00, Dallas 5.50, Houston 14.70, San Antonio 14.70.

WOODMAN CIRCLE ORPHANS GIVEN NEW COTTAGE HOME AT SHERMAN



The George Washington bicentennial is observed by orphan children in the new Pennsylvania cottage at the Woodmen Circle Home for Aged Members and Orphan Children, Sherman, Tex.

Twenty-two little orphan proteges of the Woodmen Circle have just moved into the recently completed Pennsylvania cottage at the Society's Home for Aged Members and Orphan Children at Sherman, Tex. "Moving day" was exciting at the Home. Previously, the children were cared for in the two-year-old administration building, now occupied by the aged guests.

The generosity of the Pennsylvania members is responsible for the new building. Texas members expect to build the next cottage at the Home. Mrs. Jeanie Willard, Denison, is national vice president of the Society. Mrs. Etta Davidson, Houston and Mrs. Margaret G. Meadows, Fort Worth, national directors. Mrs. Henrietta A. Snider, Fort Worth, junior past national president and Miss Bessie Dolan Taylor, a member of the national legislative committee.

To say "Pennsylvania cottage" glorifies the word "cottage," for the one at the Woodmen Circle Home is a stately two-story, stone-trimmed brick companion to the administration building, of harmonizing architecture. Tall columns grace the front.

The cottage is a complete home in itself. It has living room, dining room, kitchen, sewing room, music room, study room, playrooms and bedrooms. The study room is furnished in cheerful warm tones. The lights are of modern daylight design, both beautiful and scientific. A huge staircase landing window draped with monk's cloth, gives a view of miles and miles of horizon. The landing lighted by a hanging electric light fixture of lantern design, flecked with brilliant color, is one of the beauty spots of the new building.

No one can take the place of mother and dad in a natural home but when a child is an orphan some one must try. The Woodmen Circle is trying.

Recently a little nine-year-old orphan girl traveled alone from the state of Virginia to the society's Home at Sherman. Wherever her train made a stop of any length, wherever she had to change trains there were Woodmen Circle members to cheer her and bid her God-speed.

DESDEMONA

Mrs. Clara Beamer and her daughter, Miss Irene Whiteshot, visited Mrs. J. B. Gallagher and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Gallagher at Cisco Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawley, of Caddo spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henley.

Miss Alene Walker left Saturday for Okla.-Union where she will spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Knox Kinard.

I. N. Williams drove up to Eastland on business Monday.

W. C. Bedford drove up to Carbon Tuesday to get his baby chicks from the hatchery.

W. F. MacDermott of Fort Worth was here Thursday looking after his gasoline property.

Mr. and Mrs. Plummer Ashburn spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Plumlee at Rising Star. While there, Mrs. Ashburn attended the meeting of the Eastland County Federation and served as secretary pro tem.

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the parsonage the hostesses being Mrs. R. A. Walker assisted by Miss Mollie O'Rear. After the singing of America, Mr. Ray Ashburn read the 91st psalm and Mrs. W. C. Bedford led in prayer. In honor of the birthday of George Washington, an appropriate program was given. Miss Mollie O'Rear had a new paper published in Georgetown, Maryland, in January 1890, in which was an account of the death and burial of Washington which was read to the society. A poem, a tribute to Washington, from the same paper was read by Mrs. I. N. Williams. Next Mrs. Charles Lee and Mrs. Gifford Acree gave a dialogue "George and Martha Return," published in the "Country Gentleman" a contest was then held in which words were made from the letters in the name George Washington. At the end of 5 minutes it was found that Mrs. I. N. Williams had written 43 words the largest number. On account of rain and dark clouds outside the house was lighted with electric lamps with shades typical of the day. Delicious cherry pie topped with whipped cream and coffee with hatched favors were served to Mrs. G. S. Bruce, Charles Lee, Gifford Acree, Roy Ashburn, I. N. Williams, S. E. Snodgrass, W. C. Bedford and the two hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Richardson accompanied by Mrs. Plummer

Ashburn, Mrs. Bill Parks and Mrs. Marion Williams attended the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Inter-City meet at Stephenville Tuesday night. They report a very interesting program.

Art Williams of Parks was here Friday making arrangements for the staging of a play "The Angel of Hell's Valley" to be presented by the Parks "Little Theater" and sponsored by the "21" Study club.

Mr. Williams and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Chock are former citizens of Desdemona and all have important parts in the play. It will be presented at the high school Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Walker, Mrs. W. E. Barren, Mrs. Gifford Acree and Guy Bruce attended the meeting of Methodist workers of the Cisco district at Gorman last Tuesday. Mr. Barren was on the program for a talk on work of the missionary societies in the district and Guy Bruce who is District Secretary of Young People's societies spoke on the work in his department.

The Desdemona Embroidery club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marion Williams. The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Plummer Ashburn after the business session, the club adjourned for an enjoyable social hour. Those present were Mrs. Mmes. Charlie Richardson, John Mendenhall, Plummer Ashburn, Earl Lane, Mattie Henry and Miss Margaret Patterson of Ranger. Bad roads and sickness prevented several members from being present.

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Miss Eunice Hamilton spent the weekend with her parents at Oden.

Many friends of the family are extending sympathy to Ralph Burrow on account of the death of his father which occurred at Ranger a few days ago. The reporter failed to get detail of the death except that Mr. Burrow was found on the highway near Ranger unconscious and died soon after being taken to the hospital.

The 21 Study club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B.

Henslee instead of the clubhouse as the road to the club house was impassable. Mrs. A. C. Robert, president, called the meeting to order. After reports of committees and other items of business the program was led by Mrs. Aaron Henslee. The subject was the Rocky Mountain region one of the "Seeing America First" programs. Mrs. Mattie Henry gave a very interesting account of her trip to Pike's Peak the Garden of the Gods and cave of the Winds. Mrs. W. C. Bedford told of her trip to Salt Lake City. Mrs. Charlie Richardson gave an interesting description of Yellow Stone National Park. Mrs. Hugh Roe described noted waterfalls and Mrs. A. C. Robert described the Western Black Belt or farm lands. Those present were Mrs. Mmes. S. E. Snodgrass, A. C. Robert, H. H. Roe, Earl Lane, Mattie Henry, John Mendenhall, W. C. Bedford, Aaron Henslee, W. H. Davis, Roy Ashburn, Plummer Ashburn, Gifford Acree, J. W. Griffin, Robert Weil and A. B. Henslee.

One of the most unique and enjoyable parties of the season was held Thursday night when Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashburn entertained a large number of friends with a colonial costume party. The Ashburn home was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting in the national colors. The guests were not masked but hair wigs, powdered hair and colonial costumes changed their appearance so they were hardly recognized. A contest was held in which the name Washington was used many times and the winner was Mrs. George Kirkwood who also made high score at bridge. Her prizes were a box of chocolates in a cherry log box and a Washington pillow. Otto Kountze received a smoking set as high prize for the men. Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, toasted saltines, individual strawberry pie topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to Mrs. Mrs. and Mrs. Carl Law, Claude Lee, I. N. Williams, Bill Parks, A. B. Henslee, George Kirkwood, D. E. Hoover, Mrs. C. M. Bratton, Miss Alene Walker and Otto Kountze. Favors, tallies and table decorations all carried out the Washington motif.

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F. Brothers of Hulsa were welcome visitors here Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McCoy of Kilgore arrived Saturday night at 10 o'clock for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hansen. Mr. and Mrs. McCoy were married January 30th at Sireveport and this was their first visit here since their marriage. The bride was formerly Miss Kines Hansen one of Des-

demona's prettiest and most ambitious girls who after finishing high school, took a business course at Ft. Worth and has held good positions since then. Her husband was reared at Kilgore and comes of a splendid family though quite a young man he has a responsible position with the Midco Tool company. On arrival they were greeted by a large crowd of friends and neighbors who came

to extend good wishes and bring gifts which were presented to the happy couple at the end of a treasure hunt. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to the guests and honorees. They are keeping house in a nice bungalow on the lease of the Midco at Kilgore.

Electra - First Methodist Men's Bible building enlarged.

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## FRENCH PUSH WALL OF STEEL ON FRONTIER

By RICHARD D. McMILLAN  
United Press Staff Correspondent.  
PARIS, Feb. 25.—Whatever arms cuts may, or may not, be decided upon at Geneva, France is taking it for granted that her present vast scheme of frontier fortification will not be affected and is pushing ahead the building of the country's great steel wall.

Stretching from the English Channel to the Mediterranean, the chain of modernized forts and pill-boxes is due for completion in two years, at a cost of \$100,000,000. The father of the extensive defense defense chain was the late M. Andre Maginot, Minister of War.

**Other Walls**  
The great Hadrian Wall in England, dating from the time of the Romans, the Great Wall of China, even the World War Hindenburg Line, were mere straw defenses compared with the barrier. France has set up as her protection from foreign foes. One of the mightiest forts in the chain, at Hackenberg, facing Germany, has been described as a man-made Gibraltar.

Deep down in the earth, the engineers of the French army have dug out an underground arsenal, fitted with mechanical appliances, whereby shot and shell can be rushed to any of the smaller, subsidiary posts in the scheme of defense. The Hackenberg defends the great industrial area of Metz.

There are other big mountains of steel like the Hackenberg fort, but some of them are above ground, like the Hocwald.

These and half a dozen other big forts keep guard over the 220 miles of frontier from the edge of the tiny territory of Luxembourg down to the Swiss border. Linked with the big forts are numerous smaller pill-boxes, or machine-gun posts, some sunk even in the marshes of the Rhine.

**Mounds of Steel**  
Going along northern France by road, the traveler passes at regular intervals these mounds of steel, small or large, peeping from the earth, each with its gun, or guns, ready.

Cross-fire between the forts would result in the creation of what, the French General Staff believe, would be an impenetrable barrier in which no human hand could live.

From the English Channel down to Luxembourg, the defenses are not so important, being composed mainly of machine-gun nests. A break in the link occurs down the Franco-Swiss frontier. Below this line, the forts begin again, some perched amidst snowbound crags, cut off sometimes in winter for weeks at a time. The steel line runs down almost to the sea to protect Nice.

At railheads and important crossroads, large concentrations of moveable defense material have been installed as part of the defense plan.

**U. S. Ships Lead Classification**

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The United States has 92 more war vessels in the chief naval classifications than the combined fleets of the British Commonwealth of Nations, according to statistics in the naval Blue Book just issued by the British Admiralty.

According to the Blue Book, the United States Navy possesses 369 war vessels in the eight major classifications the British Empire 277 Japan 217, Italy 187 and France 172.

The comparative strength of the five largest fleets in these eight classifications is given as follows:

British  
Empire U. S. Jap. It'y Fr'ce  
Battleships . . . 12 15 10 4 9  
Battle Cruisers . . . 3 . . . . . 3  
Cruisers . . . . . 52 19 27 17 19  
Aircraft Carr's . . . 8 3 3 1 1  
Flotilla Leaders 16 . . . . . 20 13  
Destroyers . . . . . 134 251 110 66 61  
Torpedo-boats . . . . . 23 4  
Submarines . . . . . 56 81 67 46 65

Soviet Russia's fleet includes three battleships and four cruisers, while Germany has four battleships and six cruisers.

Realtors—Work nearing completion on new highway bridge at this place.

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How would you like to safely and harmlessly lose 15 pounds of fat in a month and at the same time increase your energy and improve your health?

How would you like to lose your double chin and your too prominent hips and abdomen and at the same time make your skin so clean and clear that it will compel admiration?

Get on the scales today and see how much you weigh—then get a bottle of Kruschen Salts that costs next to nothing and which will last you 4 weeks. Take one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water in the morning—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—and when you have finished the contents of this first bottle weigh yourself again.

After that you'll want to walk around and say to your friends, "One bottle of Kruschen Salts is worth one hundred dollars of any fat person's money."

But refuse imitations—safeguard your health—you lose fat SAFELY with Kruschen.

Leading druggists America over sell Kruschen Salts—you can always get it as Moore Drug Co.—Adv.

## Getting a Kick Out of Life



The famed "million-dollar" legs of Mlle. Mistinguette haven't anything on the shapely limbs of Mlle. Cherie Langlois, who gets a great big kick out of life. She steps high, wide and handsome about Europe, and her beautiful legs have won prizes in 27 cities in eight countries. She is shown above exhibiting half of the championship combination.

## AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION NEWS

From the Office of the County Agent and The Home Demonstration Agent.

**PREPARING THE SEED BED**  
Luck plays an important function in farming operations. But the planter who depends entirely on luck is finding it more difficult from year to year to make both ends meet. To plant a crop on an improperly prepared seed bed and then expect that crop to be a profitable one is leaving too much to Lady Luck who the past several years has failed to make good.

When Eastland county takes proper place as one of the leading agricultural counties of the state the practice of merely scratching the surface of the ground instead of proper seed bed preparation will have passed into the discard. In any discussion of correct farming methods every one will admit that we need some deep plowing; that the soil should be stirred down deep. Yet two to three inches is the average depth that the soil is scratched. This is not seed bed preparation. It is merely trusting to luck to make a crop.

Ever since pipe lines were first laid across Eastland county farms attention has frequently been called to the extra height and unusual high yields of crops planted over the pipe lines. Also it may be noted that a row planted on terraces will outyield by far any other row in the field. Storage of moisture accounts for part of but not all of the additional yield. There must be a reason.

Here is a beautiful theory that begins to look like a fact. For ages past our plant food has been leaching out of the top soil and accumulating below the surface of the ground in the clay base or the hard-pan. That plant food is

there yet for our use if we will go down after it.

In digging for the pipe line or in building a terrace this layer of rich soil below is dug out and mixed with the top soil and weathered and made available to the growing crop. And this accounts for a part of the extra growth of growing crops over pipelines and on new terrace ridges.

Also with the subsoil or hard-pan having been broken up the moisture is allowed deeper penetration into the ground, we do not lose so much of it, the moisture lasts longer; after a rain and does not dry out so quickly in an extended dry spell. Plants stay green longer and keep growing, in fact long enough so that sometimes a crop is made that otherwise would be blasted and killed by drought.

Now why not put a pipe line under every row and increase crop yields over the entire field? Couldn't we dig the ditch but leave the pipe out and get the same results. Richer soil—more moisture—a longer growing season—better crops—sure crops and more farm income. And that is what it is all about.

But for 13 years we have watched the pipe line improve a narrow strip of crops and have made no use of the observation. One recommendation for 1932 farming is to make use of the practical demonstrations all around and quit trusting to luck in farming. In lieu of real subsoiling machinery a bull tongue or other narrow long pointed plow might be used if the land is bedded first then the sub soil plow run in the furrow ten to fourteen inches deep, bedding back on this then opening up this ridge for planting thus placing the seed just

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The goals for the 1932 program are:  
1. Each member draw a definite planting plan for beautifying yards and plant the plan as near as possible, or at least make a planting of five foundation shrubs and five screen plants.  
2. Grade yard and start grass lawn.  
3. Build necessary walks—using native rock.  
4. Keep records of own work and that of cooperators.

The following women and girls are yard demonstrators:  
Name of Demonstrator and club.  
Mrs. Henry Wilson, Flatwood.  
Mrs. Scott Nobles, Carbon.  
Miss Eula Hill, Okra.  
Mrs. Claude Hill, Okra.  
Mrs. J. T. Coursey, North Star.  
Miss Alma Townsend, Cook.  
Mrs. J. E. Stansell, Nimrod.  
Mrs. Ed McCanlies, Friendship.  
Mrs. H. O. Hearn, Reagan.  
Mrs. L. C. Owens, Grapevine.  
Mrs. R. H. Walker, Grapevine.  
Mrs. O. C. Bowen, Colony.  
Mrs. E. C. Shipp, Ranger.  
Mrs. Barney Todd, Bass Lake.  
Mrs. J. E. Wright, Elm.  
Mrs. W. E. Clements, Kokomo.  
Girls:  
Eva Tucker, Alameda.  
Neva Wilson, Flatwood.  
Beulah Walker, Cook.  
Pearl Lamb, Pleasant Hill.  
Jefferie Burns, Okra.  
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News want ads brings results.

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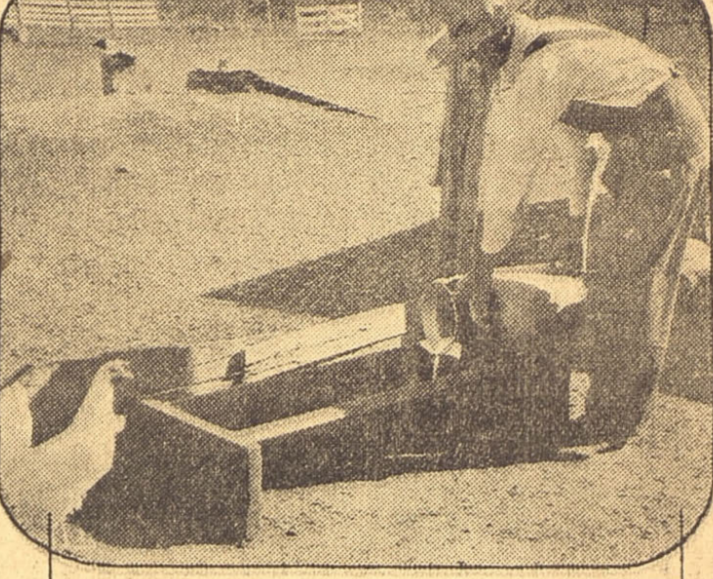
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## Faith in Poultry Revived



Skim milk is only one of several home produced poultry feeds that helped H. H. McClarty of Bomarton Bayler county, to make a profit of almost \$100 last year from 92 hens. About to quit the chicken business in disgust in the fall of 1930, County Agent P. C. Cole induced Mr. McClarty to try a better system for 30 days before selling off the 25 old white leghorn hens and 114 pullets. A change in the ration resulted almost immediately in more eggs from the flock and Mr. McClarty became a poultry demonstrator. He culled in May and August and at the end of the year there were 90 hens in the flock with an average production for the first 11 months of 172 eggs per bird.

The McClartys say the poultry income helped a lot last year and that the demonstration has convinced them that a farm flock can pay very well. Close culling and a good cheap farm-grown ration are two of the most important points in securing profits, Mr. McClarty believes. He has also recognized the importance of good housing by recently improving the old poultry quarters and separating chickens and tur-

**BANNER ICE YEAR**  
AKRON, O., Feb. 25.—Nineteen thirty-one was a banner year for the ice industry, despite the increasing use of electric refrigeration and the depression, according to Leslie C. Smith, national secretary of the National Association of Ice Industries. More ice was sold that year than in any other year in history, Smith said.

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to anyone if that's what you're asking. At the moment she was too confused to know clearly what she would be if only she could say the one word!

Three Famous Coaches at School

MINERAL WELLS, Feb. 25.—Howard Jones of the University of Southern California, Dr. C. W. Spear of the University of Oregon and Jimmy Kite of Athens, Tex. are the three outstanding football and basketball coaches on the staff of Dr. R. N. Blackwell's school for coaches to be conducted in Mineral Wells for two weeks beginning June 6.

TEDDY, JR. INVITED.—Portland, Ore., Feb. 25.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., governor-general of the Philippines has been invited to attend the American Legion national convention here next September as delegate-at-large from the Philippines.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON—The season has turned into a winter of discontent for the politicians of Washington. Republicans, Democrats and Progressives share in the general misery.

The Republicans have been increasingly unhappy ever since the Democrats, in 1930, began to win all the Congressional elections.

But in the last month or so their spirits, although still very low, seem to have halted in their downward plunge. As one Republican official said recently in that very connection: "When the thermometer reaches 20 below zero, I never feel it if it gets any colder."

Progressives Sick.—The Progressives, who looked forward to a lovely session of achievement, find small cause for jubilee. They probably will see their old favorites, the Norris lame duck amendment and the Norris Muscle Shoals bill, passed at this session—although it is doubtful whether the latter can be carried over the Hoover veto.

But except for the fact that their best men in the Senate have made a brilliant attack with the LaFollette-Costigan hunger relief bill, a leadership barred by Democratic co-operation with the administration, they have been unable to make their balance of power in both houses noticeably effective.

The national crisis has sobered them. The likelihood that the presidential campaign will present to candidates whom they can support without the severest strain makes many of them sick.

Democrats Lose Cheer.—And what about the Democrats. Until recently so enthusiastic about themselves and their probability of victory? It has been the recently Democratic doctrine that any Democratic nominee—except perhaps Al Smith—could defeat Hoover.

But now hideous misgivings begin to assail them. They still stick to the belief that this is almost surely a Democratic year.

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Train Schedule. RAILROAD TIME TABLE. New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m., June 7.

CLOSING TIME FOR MAILS. Waco and Rotan train No. 35 (S. Bound) 7:50 a. m.

All Faiths Plan National Seminar. WASHINGTON, W. C., Feb. 25.—Unique in the religious annals of the New World, Catholics, Jews and Protestants will join in the first nationwide seminar directed toward better religious understanding and increased tolerance of faiths here.

DOG KNEW HIS NEEDS. LOUISBURG, N. C., Feb. 25.—Jack Dr. A. H. Fleming's pet bulldog, known when he needs a dentist. Dr. Fleming put a gold crown on one of Jack's teeth.

SURVIVES 900-FOOT FALL. LENOIR, N. C., Feb. 25.—Still living after a 900-foot fall, Roy Hunter, Rutherfordton, is on the road to recovery in a hospital here.

Grave of Texas 'Paul Revere' Sought. VICTORIA, Feb. 25.—Search for the grave of Mrs. Angelina B. Eberly, Texas "Paul Revere" is being made in the vicinity of Indianapolis by L. W. Kemp, expert in historical research.

HAIR AS EVIDENCE. HARTFORD, Conn., Feb. 25.—A new version of the Samson and Delilah story was brought out in superior court here. A suspicious wife testified she crept into her husband's bedroom and clipped a lock of the "other woman's" hair while she slept, as evidence.

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Comic strip 'OUT OUR WAY'. BOO-HOO-HOO I-I-HAVE THE WORST LUCK—MY BRAND NEW DRESS TORN ON A NAIL AND ONLY THE SECOND TIME I'VE WORN IT HO-HO WHOO HOO.

MOM'N POP.

Comic strip 'MOM'N POP'. I'D LOVE TO GO MOM, BUT I REALLY OUGHT TO STAY HOME AND CLEAN THE HOUSE.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.

Comic strip 'FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS'. BORSON, ALIAS MELLINGER, THE TICKET AGENT AT SHADYSIDE, IS MAKING A CLEAN BREAST OF HIS ASSOCIATION OF FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, WITH ED REPFIELD.

WELL, I PROSPERED IN THAT LITTLE BUSINESS UNTIL I HAD TO GET A BIGGER PLACE...

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IT'S TRUE I'M POOR, BUT...WELL, ANYWAY, TO GO ON WITH MY STORY...

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GRAY CELEBRATION. HOQUIAM, Wash., Feb. 25.—Elaborate plans are being made here in May for the celebration of the Discovery of Grays Harbor and the Columbia River by Capt. Robert Gray, in 1792.

Announcements. The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15.

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# J. C. PENNEY

## FIRM EARNINGS

### \$3.13 PER SHARE

Net earnings of J. C. Penney company after all charges and taxes and after deductions for preferred stock dividends for the year ended Dec. 31, 1931 totaled \$7,718,939.

This was equivalent to \$3.13 a share on the 2,468,861 outstanding shares of common stock, after allowing for the year-end.

Investment at the close of 1931 was carried at \$6,329,471 after having been fully appreciated to \$6,329,471.

The total number of shares in operation at the close of 1931 was 1,457,727.

Net earnings of 1931 were \$7,718,939, or 97 per cent. of the total sales of \$7,929,443.

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