

CISCO DAILY NEWS

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ASSERT MELLON BLOCKS OIL TARIFF

Hiacker Plies His Trade Within Walls of Courthouse

EMPLOYEE OF COUNTY IS THE VICTIM

Janitor Slugged and Robbed of Money Early Today

EASTLAND, Jan. 7.—George Parrick, Eastland county employe in charge of the lighting and heating plant at the county court house, was slugged and robbed early this morning. His assailant hit him over the head, but other than knocking him out for a while and causing him to lose considerable blood, did not hurt him seriously.

After knocking Parrack unconscious the hijacker rifled his pockets, taking his purse which contained \$44 and a few cents and a number of receipts. The purse was later found by officers behind a steam radiator a short distance from where the attack was made.

Constable Marion Seaborn found Parrack still unconscious, when he came to his office this morning. He summoned help and called a doctor. It was several minutes after Seaborn found him before Parrack regained consciousness.

Came to Courthouse Early. Parrack said that he came to the courthouse this morning about six o'clock, which was his habit. He found the west entrance door to the ground or basement floor, unlocked and entered the building there. He proceeded to the boiler room and spent some ten or fifteen minutes there before he went to turn on the lights in the basement. He turned off the outside lights before he entered the building.

"Just as I turned the corner in the basement and started to turn on the lights, I saw, in the darkness, the form of a man and the movement of his arm as he started to strike me. I dodged and felt a blow upon my head. This is about all I can remember. When I regained consciousness Mr. Seaborn and Dr. F. T. Isbell were working over me," Parrack said.

Constable Seaborn said he was unlocking the door to his office, which is on the ground floor, when he saw Parrack lying on the floor. "My first thought was that he had, in some way, become entangled in the machinery in the boiler room and was injured and had gotten out of the boiler room and was unable to go further. I ran to him and attempted to lift him from the floor. He began to struggle and kept muttering something and pointed toward the west entrance door. I finally understood the words, 'he went out that door,'" Seaborn said.

Seaborn called J. C. Ernest, groceryman who was opening his store across the street and called the doctor. Parrack was taken to his office and soon was recovering from the effects of the blow, which was evidently struck by a sand bag as it did not break the skin on his head. Parrack bled freely at the nose, however, and the floor was stained with blood where he fell.

The officers, in searching for evidence as to the identity of the hijacker, found Parrack's purse, with all of his receipts in it but minus his money, even to the small change, behind the steam radiator at the west entrance door. Parrack had, a few days ago, gotten his pay check from the county and officers are of the opinion that the man who hijacked him knew that he had some money on him; that he was familiar with Parrack's habits and came to the courthouse early this morning to rob him. They believe that he waited outside until Parrack went in the building and then while Parrack was at work in the boiler room, took up a position near the light switch where he knew Parrack was to come to turn on the lights and sandbagged him as he started to switch on the lights.

RADIO

WEDNESDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES
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WEAF (NBC network) 6:00 p. m.
CST—El Tango Romantic.
WJZ (NBC network) 6:15 p. m.
CST—Three Mustaches.
WABC (CBS network) 6:45 p. m.
CST—Vaga Bonds.
WEAF (NBC network) 8:30 p. m.
CST—Palmolive Hour.
WABC (CBS network) 9:00 p. m.
CST—The Threshold.

Home Values Are Increased by Trees

By E. H. VARNELL
One good way to increase the value of your Cisco home is to plant more trees and shrubbery. A prominent home owner recently made this statement: "The best part of my investment of about \$5,000 in my Cisco home is the \$75 to \$100 spent for trees and shrubbery. While the value of my home has been decreasing with age, that of my trees and shrubbery has greatly increased."

Trees may be planted either in the spring before the buds start to swell or in the fall after the leaves are shed. They may be successfully set in this locality at any time between these two extremes, except during very cold weather. Evergreen trees of all kinds should be planted in the spring. They may be planted in early fall if given extra good care, so their roots start to grow before winter sets in but due to constant loss of transpired moisture during the winter which may not be replaced by the roots, it is best to wait until spring.

If possible, it is well to select a still, cloudy day for planting so that exposed roots, especially the small fibrous feeders, will be protected from drying effects of wind and sun.

FRANCE MOURNS "PAPA" JOFFRE AMID SPLENDOR

By RICHARD D. McMILLAN
PARIS, Jan. 7.—France mourned her "savior," Marshal Joseph Joffre, with all the splendor due one of the generation's outstanding heroes as the old soldier's funeral procession passed through the streets of Paris from Notre Dame cathedral to the Invalides today.

Joffre's body was placed in a circular sarcophagus in a square tent, draped with black and violet, at the Invalides. Battle flags were arranged in the formation of mounting guard. The three remaining marshals of France, Henry Petain, Hubert Lyautey, and Louis Franchet D'Esperey, with United States Ambassador Walter E. Edge, bore the marshal's funeral pall. Joffre's body will remain at the Invalides until a mausoleum is constructed on his country estate near Paris.

Princes, generals, and statesmen whose names are famous throughout the world marched in the procession with maimed privates who served Joffre in the trenches. The marshal's body was carried on a gun carriage while ex-soldiers and men and women who lost relatives in the world war knelt in pious tribute. A million persons lined the route followed by the marshal's cortege in its journey across the city. Many had stood silently for hours waiting for the procession to start.

Farewell Voiced. The grateful farewell of France was voiced by Minister of War Louis Barthou in a funeral oration at the Invalides. Requiem mass was celebrated at Notre Dame cathedral, where Joffre's body had remained during the night. The marshal's widow sat between her daughter, Madame Lafitte, and Gen. Issaly. During the ceremony Joffre's charger stood at the cathedral doors, covered with a pall and with the saddle stirrups reversed. The love and reverence of France for her heroes, evidenced in the funeral of Marshal Ferdinand Foch, was seen again in the streets of Paris today. Frenchmen of all ranks stood bare-headed as they paid final tribute to the hero of the Marne. Many in the crowd wept without restraint as the funeral procession passed.

Most of the kings and presidents of the world were represented. Ambassadors, Edge and Gen. Stanley Ford, American military attaché, represented the United States. A detachment of 24 American officers marched between the Belgian and British troops.

Spencer on Texas Oil Committee

J. E. Spencer, secretary of the chamber of commerce, was named by Gov. Dan Moody as one of the committee to represent Texas at a nationwide conference in Washington Jan. 15 to consider means of stabilizing the oil industry. The committee was named by the governor at the instance of Tom Cranfield, president of the Independent Petroleum association. F. D. Wright, Cisco attorney, and Mr. Spencer attended the meeting of directors and executives of the association at Fort Worth Monday.

DETAILS TOO INTIMATE MONTE CARLO, Monaco, Jan. 7.—

Because it contained too intimate details concerning the private life of Princess Charlotte, of Monaco, the Council of Ministers has suspended from publication the monthly magazine, "Gull-lemets."

AMPUS, France, Jan. 7.—This little village is unable to find a man who wants to become mayor. No mayoralty candidate appeared nor did a single citizen cast his ballot in the recent elections. The village remains mayor-less.

REHEARING OF MOSELEY CASE IS SOUGHT

"My Duty to Protest" Unpaid Attorney Tells Court

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—"I feel that it is my duty to protest," said J. A. R. Moseley of Texarkana, who came before the court of criminal appeals here today as an unpaid attorney to seek a rehearing for Dave Goodwin under death sentence as the slayer of Lloyd Elliott in Bowie county. State Attorney Lloyd Davidson, who says there are at least two reversible errors in the case, but doubts the power of the court to now consider them, did not offer arguments against the rehearing.

Moseley's appeal to the court was made at noon. The application will be based on the contention that precedents have been established by which the appellate court may order a new trial for failure to change venue even though no application for such a change of venue was made to the trial court.

He was prepared to cite cases both in Texas and other states at this point that were not submitted to the appeals court here at its original hearing. Then the appellate court held that it is powerless under statute to order a new trial.

Plenty of Officers

Six sheriffs, five deputy sheriffs, three constables, three deputy constables and one U. S. marshal sat inside the court rail at the trial. Moseley says the record shows, giving mute evidence of the feeling that existed. He says the official statement that mob violence was not feared is negated by the fact that the prisoner was spirited from jail to jail before trial.

Attorneys acting for Goodwin at his trial had no opportunity to talk to him until half an hour before the trial, Moseley pointed out. One of them tried to get the necessary two signatures to add to the defendant's application for change of venue, Moseley says, but the feeling was so intense the signatures could not be obtained. Moseley is not relying on errors in the trial court's charge, which the appellate court has held cannot be considered because of a statute requiring objection to the charge before delivery. Feeling was so strong, he said, death was assured regardless of the charge. If the state court continues its refusal to intervene, Moseley said, the case can be taken into federal court by a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that Goodwin has been deprived of his constitutional rights. He cited cases in which federal courts have acted after state courts refused change of venue.

DROUTH BILL IS "BOTTLED UP" IN HOUSE

By THOMAS L. STOKES
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Speaker Longworth of the house held the drouth relief bill, figuratively, in his pocket today to forestall any action by those who, contrary to administration wishes, seek to include in it a provision for food loans.

Longworth plans to hold the bill possibly for several days, and then permit it to come up in such a way that his forces may defeat the senate proposal to add \$15,000,000 for food loans. The measure now is on the speaker's desk. While the measure is being bottled up temporarily in the house, there continued to come from the senate threats of filibuster unless the food loan provision is included. Interspersed with this talk are frequent references to food demonstrations in Arkansas and reports of distress elsewhere.

The administration, vigorously opposed to federal food loans as a "bad precedent," insisted that the Red Cross is equipped to care for cases of human distress. A minority leader Robinson of the senate is awaiting a reply from Governor Parnell of Arkansas whom he asked to describe what local relief measures are being taken. Robinson desires the information as a guide for those here who are trying to aid the drouth sufferers.

Business Conditions Subject for Lions

J. T. Eggen was chairman of the program for the Cisco Lions club luncheon today noon. The program consisted of talks on pertinent subjects by members of the club. Jake Leach spoke on the business outlook for 1931; A. D. Anderson talked on the automobile industry locally; E. O. Elliott spoke from the standpoint of the drug store owner, and P. B. Glenn, representing the dry goods merchant, declared that business will be better in 1931 in a talk which radiated optimism. Clayton Orm spoke on the economic conditions. He made a splendid address which the club heartily applauded. W. H. LaRoque will be chairman of the program for next week.

KITTENS GOING TO OKLAHOMA FOR CONTEST

The Randolph college Kittens basketball squad, accompanied by Coach H. E. Garrett and Manager Eisworth Mayer, will leave either Thursday afternoon or Friday morning for Durant, Oklahoma, where they will play the Oklahoma Presbyterian college Friday night. The team will return Sunday. A game in Oklahoma City has been tentatively arranged. The trip will be made by automobile.

"Pat" Patterson, captain; Gladys Johnson, co-captain; Jackie Fowler, Irene Fulford, Edith Qualls Mayer, and Romaloe McGeehee are the regulars making the trip. Several other ranking members of the squad will also go.

The Kittens defeated the strong Eliasville girls 32 to 18 at the high school gymnasium last night. McGeehee with 16 points and Fulford with 14 were the high scorers for the Kittens while Vestal with 14 led the tally-making for the Eliasville team.

CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS MOSCOW, Jan. 7.—

Christmas was celebrated according to the old Russian calendar in Orthodox churches today while Altheists held lectures denouncing religion, and Christmas services were burlesqued in theatres and other amusement places. Workers joined Orthodox in demonstrating their contempt for Christmas celebrations.

DAUGHTER IN STABLE RENNES, France, Jan. 7.—

Believing their 22 year old daughter was insane, a farmer here placed her in a stable where she was kept a prisoner for months. The police finally released her.

Mrs. Ogden Armour Recoups Dissipated Fortune by Sale of "Worthless" Patent

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—The sale for more than \$22,000,000 of an oil "cracking" patent which long has been regarded as worthless today restored Mrs. Lolita Sheldon Armour to the commanding position in American finance once held by her husband, the late J. Ogden Armour. The news that Mrs. Armour and a number of other persons suddenly had acquired unexpected millions became known late last night when the Shell Union Oil corporation and the Standard Oil company of California announced purchasing the Universal Oil Products company for \$22,249,000. Mrs. Armour owned 400 of the 1,000 shares of Universal products, and will receive \$6,216,658. Included in the sale was the Dubbs "cracking" process of producing gasoline. It was the patent for this process that the purchasing companies wanted chiefly, it was said. P. C. Dubbs of Chicago, who invented the "cracking" process which Armour backed for several years without success, will receive \$3,582,045 of the money derived from the sale, it was said. Some others who will benefit by the sale are Hiram J. Halle of New York and the Natoma corporation, who will receive \$3,219,411 each. Attorney Alexander F. Reichmann will receive \$1,402,794 and Attorney Frank L. Belknap will receive \$755,350. Other stockholders will receive smaller shares.

Amazing Story

Behind the announcement of Mrs. Armour's fortune is one of the most amazing stories in the history of American finance. Years ago, J. Ogden Armour, then at the height of his financial career as a meat packer, became interested in oil "cracking" experiments. During the world war, Armour "plunged" and obtained large government contracts for delivery of meat to Europe. He then was reputed to be worth \$150,000,000. The end of the war brought about his financial downfall, and his company was caught with millions of dollars worth of high priced meats on their hands and no market for them. It was said that Armour's personal fortune shrunk at the rate of \$1,000,000 a day for months after the armistice. When his estate was closed in probate court a year ago, an insolvency of \$1,805,000 was shown. In 1926, Mrs. Armour lent her husband \$1,000,000, which, it was said, he needed to fulfill an obligation in the west. He gave her the 400 shares of Universal products stock as security. It was said he originally had invested between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 in the "cracking" process experiments. After Armour's death in 1926, Mrs. Armour listed her Universal products stock as an asset, but the creditors refused to place any value upon it.

STERLING TO OPEN AUSTIN OFFICE SUN.

Governor-Elect Is in Austin Today for Conferences

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—Governor-Elect Ross Sterling came to Austin this afternoon to hold conferences with highway officials, the board of control and a number of other state officers. The Gov.-Elect said he had no additional appointments today. He expects to return to Houston tonight.

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press Staff Correspondent
AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—Texas "little capitol" will open Sunday with the arrival of Governor-Elect Ross Sterling and establishment of an office for him in the Stephen F. Austin hotel.

It is likely that the ground floor formerly occupied by the Sterling-for-governor club will be used as office quarters, unless the governor-elect asks space nearer the governor's suite of the hotel.

Possibility that the governor-elect might reach Austin before Sunday existed, but J. C. Clopton, manager of the hotel and close friend of the incoming governor, did not expect him until Sunday. Mrs. Sterling and other members of the family are not expected until just before the inauguration, which takes place on January 20.

The opening of pre-executive offices is taken to indicate that Sterling proposes to be an understanding man with the legislature. One reason assigned for Governor Dan Moody's frequent tiffs with the legislature was lack of unofficial contact with a large part of the members. While the governor and his close friends in the legislature with whom he played dominos and was "Dan Moody" rather than "Governor Moody," that circle was limited.

Personal Contacts

The unofficial headquarters, open a full week in advance of Sterling's inauguration, will give him an opportunity to start with useful personal contacts. The step is also taken to indicate that the Sterling plan of a statewide road bond issue is to be given a vigorous legislative campaign. Official recommendation for such an issue is expected to start the movement.

Lieutenant-Governor-Elect Edgar Witt is expected to be here today or tomorrow. It was rumored that Lieut. Governor Barry Miller will not be in Austin to open the 42nd Session of the legislature next Tuesday. In that event, Bob Parker, for years secretary of the senate, says the opening gavel will be swung by Senator Joe Moore of Greenville, interim president pro tem.

No Smoking Capitol Rule

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—"No smoking" rules are going into effect in state offices. The order has already been issued in the state highway department. Getting "weaned" from cigarettes is a hardship, some of the men employees say, but the women workers endorse the order heartily.

DR. SELECMAN IS SPEAKER AT INSTITUTE

The Missionary Institute of the Cisco District of the Methodist Episcopal church met at the First Methodist church of Eastland this morning at 10 o'clock at which time an interesting program was rendered. Dr. C. C. Selecman, president of Southern Methodist university was the principal speaker.

At the opening of the meeting Rev. T. Edgar Neal, presiding elder of the Cisco district, led a devotional service. Dr. Neal said that the challenge for leadership is the white field of service. Prayer was led by Rev. C. N. Morton of Strawn. Rev. S. A. Ashburn of Fort Worth, conference missionary secretary, made an introductory talk in which he explained the purpose of the meeting.

Rev. J. W. Shuler of Itasca spoke in the interest of the conference benevolences. Rev. Shuler expressed the belief that something was wrong with the world. He said that the devil was loose in the world and that this was no time for pleasure but a time for prayer and a time to give.

Dr. C. C. Selecman, who spoke in the interest of the general board of benevolence delivered an interesting and instructive address which was attentively followed by his listeners. He said that the church has the broadest program of service of any institution in the world. "The world is off the track," Dr. Selecman said. "The last generation made a mess of things—God grant the present generation will do better with the world. There is a spirit today to do away with authority," he added.

He said that a great number of people have just a label of Christianity and that an attitude toward property was pagan. He mentioned that it was almost impossible to tell the difference between Christmas and non-Christians because of the present day attitude toward money and that the danger to the American people was not poverty but wealth.

"The Christian church can not grow in a missionary atmosphere," the speaker remarked. "That very atmosphere will cause a church to shrivel and die. If the men of the church were as well informed as the women the church," he concluded "could get along much better." The afternoon session was taken up with routine matters and with the formation and discussion of plans for the future.

Demonstration in Beef Canning Here

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, will conduct a beef canning demonstration at the F. E. Harrell place three miles west of Cisco beginning tomorrow morning at 3:30 and ending at noon. Any Cisco woman who is interested in this demonstration is invited to attend. The demonstration will include the making of roasts, steak, chilli, soup stock and so forth.

Blaffer Judgment Is Made Final

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—Judgment was made final today in the state supreme court for R. L. Blaffer of Houston and numerous other holders of interest in the Harris county oil field by the refusal of a rehearing which the state sought in its suit against them. In a district court trial the state was awarded 237 acres in the heart of the oil field and \$1,287,271 for value of oil already taken. The higher court reversed this judgment. The Texas company, by the decision of \$154,000 and others of lesser amounts.

CHARGE MADE BY ROYALTY ASSOCIATION

Wilbur Renews His Attack Upon Tariff as Solution

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Directors of the Midcontinent Royalty association, in a telegram to Senator Thomas, Oklahoma, democrat, today charged Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, whose family controls the Gulf Oil company, with using his influence as a cabinet member against enactment of an oil tariff. The Gulf company is a large importer of oil from South American fields. Senator McGill, democrat, Kansas, estimates 20,000,000 barrels of oil are imported from Venezuela annually.

The telegram said Mellon was opposed to the interests of independent petroleum producers and royalty owners. The directors asked Thomas to force an extra session of congress if necessary to obtain relief to the industry. They suggested the federal trade commission investigate the situation.

At the same time Secretary of Interior Wilbur renewed his attack on the oil tariff as a solution of the problems of distressed petroleum producers in the mid-continent field. Immediate markets of oil and not a tariff is what is needed, Wilbur said.

In a recent interview Secretary Wilbur outlined his views on an oil tariff, saying the only result of such action would be "to no advantage" to the small distressed producer.

Numerous protests against his stand come today from chambers of commerce and other organizations interested in the mid-continent situation.

WARREN WELL MAKES HEAD OVER DERRICK

Casing is being run in the Warren, et al. No. 1, Hall in southeast Callahan county preparatory to drilling further into the sand after the well made a head over the derrick yesterday morning. The well flowed for several minutes during this head.

L. A. Warren, of this city, contractor on the test, said that all of the five-inch casing would probably be in place today and the hole would be deepened. The flow was from a depth of 4,190 feet, with the bit two feet in the sand. A good showing was encountered last Friday. The well, four miles east of Oplin, is about six miles from the Overall pool in Coleman county. It is one-half mile south of the Empire Johnson well which came in in 1927, producing a recorded 27 million cubic feet for 1,000 barrels of oil daily but production was stopped by the loss of a string of tools in the hole.

The flow is from the same horizon as the old Empire well. The new location is in the northeast quarter of section 146, G. H. & H. railway survey.

Poultry to Be Taken From Forbidden List

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Poultry will be removed from the forbidden list for Orthodox Jews tomorrow when the Shochetim, the union of Kosher poultry killers, will resume its standing with the Kehillah, the Rabbinical ruling board, after a ten-day severance over charges of union racketeering. The union has installed new officers, yielding to the Rabbinical objections to the former organization and promising to abide by the Mosaic law which requires that all Shechels be examined periodically.

WEATHER

West Texas—Fair and somewhat colder tonight. Fair Thursday. East Texas—Partly cloudy and colder; rain and little temperature change in the extreme east portion tonight. Fair and somewhat colder Thursday.

A STORE WIDE CLEARANCE

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS and OVERCOATS

Men Read These Prices on SUITS and OVERCOATS

Then Hurry to This Slaughter Sale

You can't dodge buying that SUIT or OVERCOAT any longer, when such Bargains as these are offered. Over 300 up-to-date Suits and Overcoats to choose from, including HART SCHAFFNER & MARX and other fine makes. This SALE includes every garment in our big stock, not one single suit or overcoat reserved.

Men's and Young Men's TOP COATS AND OVERCOATS

Must Be Sold

Be sure that you come early, for these COATS will not last long at such drastic reductions.

CHOICE --- HALF PRICE

\$22.50 Top and Overcoats	\$11.25
\$25.00 Top and Overcoats	\$12.50
\$27.50 Top and Overcoats	\$13.75
\$30.00 Top and Overcoats	\$15.00
\$32.50 Top and Overcoats	\$16.25
\$35.00 Top and Overcoats	\$17.50
\$39.50 Top and Overcoats	\$19.75
\$42.50 Top and Overcoats	\$21.25
\$49.50 Top and Overcoats	\$24.75

These Coats come in all the latest styles and fabrics. Plain and fancy.

STUDENTS SUITS

(With Two Trousers)

CHOICE --- HALF PRICE

Be sure that you get one of these great values; they will not last at these prices. Be here when the doors open Friday morning. All sizes 32 to 36.

\$27.50 Suits (with two trousers)	\$13.75
\$30.00 Suits (with two trousers)	\$15.00
\$32.50 Suits (with two trousers)	\$16.25
\$35.00 Suits (with two trousers)	\$17.50
\$37.50 Suits (with two trousers)	\$18.75

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THREE PIECE SUITS

The greatest reductions that this store has ever made on such fine clothing. Buy your year-round suit during this sale. All sizes 35 to 44. All Models; Regulars, Stubs, Slims and Stouts.

\$30.00 Three Piece Suits	\$17.85
\$32.50 Three Piece Suits	\$17.85
\$35.00 Three Piece Suits	\$18.85
\$37.50 Three Piece Suits	\$20.85
\$39.50 Three Piece Suits	\$22.85
\$42.50 Three Piece Suits	\$25.85
\$47.50 Three Piece Suits	\$27.85
\$49.50 Three Piece Suits	\$27.85

Extra Trousers with these Suits, for small Additional Cost.

MEN'S and BOYS SWEATERS

Now is the time to buy your sweaters. We have a large stock to select from, they come in all the newest styles and colors, while they last.



CHOICE --- HALF PRICE

BOSTONIAN OXFORDS

Regular \$8.50 Value—CHOICE

\$6.45

MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS

BLACK, BROWN and SPORT Regular \$6.00 Value—CHOICE

\$3.95

MEN'S OUT DOOR AND WORK SHOES

We have grouped our entire stock in four prices, regular values from \$2.95 to \$5.85; Clearance Sale Prices

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.45

OUT DOOR CLOTHES

Our large stock of Out Door Clothes will be greatly reduced for this sale—Leather Coats, Suede Jackets, Sheep Lined Coats, etc.

Edwin Clap Shoes and Oxfords

Regular prices \$14.50 to \$16.00—CHOICE

\$10.85 Pair

BOSTONIAN OXFORDS

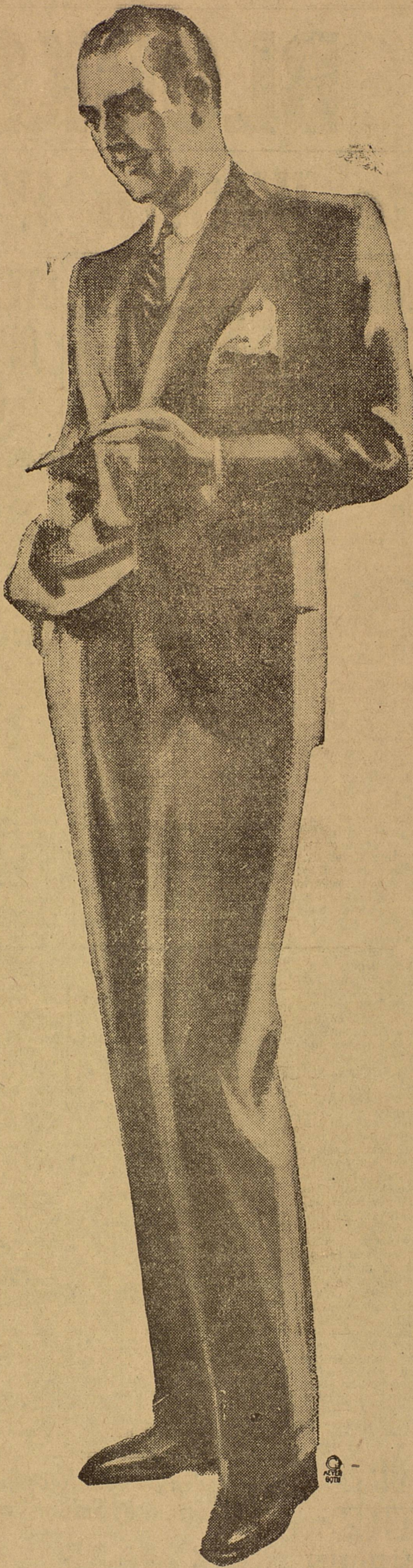
Regular \$10.00 Value

\$7.45

EXTRA SPECIAL

Odd Lot Broken Sizes 100 Pair in this lot—CHOICE

\$2.95 Pair



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The Downfall of Prices on All Furnishings for Smart Dressers

Any store can announce a SALE of MEN'S WEAR but not every store can offer splendid quality merchandise as these are, at such big price concessions. Better stock up men, you'll thank us afterwards. Here's a partial list of the money-savers.

Manhattan and Perfecto Shirts

CLEARANCE PRICES

\$2.00 SHIRTS, Sale Price	\$1.49
\$2.25 SHIRTS, Sale Price	\$1.69
\$2.50 SHIRTS, Sale Price	\$1.89
\$2.75 and \$3.00 SHIRTS, Sale Price	\$1.95
\$3.50 and \$4.00 SHIRTS, Sale Price	\$2.69

Manhattan and Sheik Pajamas

\$2.50 PAJAMAS, Sale Price	\$1.79
\$3.00 PAJAMAS, Sale Price	\$2.19
\$3.50 and \$4.00 PAJAMAS, Sale Price	\$2.45

All Men's Underwear, Sox, Ties, Belts, Supporters, etc., will carry big reductions for this Great Clearance Sale.

A Sweeping Clearance of Boys Two-Knicker and Long Trousers Suits.

\$ 7.85 to \$10.85 SUITS—CHOICE	\$ 5.85
\$11.85 to \$13.85 SUITS—CHOICE	\$ 7.85
\$14.85 to \$16.85 SUITS—CHOICE	\$10.85
\$17.85 to \$24.75 SUITS—CHOICE	\$12.85

DRASTIC REDUCTIONS

Men's and Boys Dress Pants

We have seventy pair of Men's and Young Men's Trousers, most odd numbers, one and two pair of a kind; while they last

Choice --- HALF PRICE

All Regular Stock of Men's and Boys Trousers will carry big reductions for this GREAT CLEARANCE Sale.

Men's and Young Men's Newest Fall Hats

We will place on Sale Friday Morning our Entire Stock of Men's Hats. This Sale will include all Standard makes such as STETSONS and others, be sure that you buy during this sale. GREAT SAVINGS.

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

You will find here the most complete stock of luggage that we have ever had. Buy what you are going to need for that trip. Stock complete in every line, Gladstones, Hand Bags, Auto Trunks, Wardrobe Trunks and Fitted Cases.

25% Off

BLANKETS! BLANKETS!

FINAL CLEARANCE

ALL WOOL—PART WOOL—COTTON Buy what Blankets you are going to need during this Great Sale.

\$2.75 Solid Color Cotton Blankets	\$1.99
\$5.85 Part Wool Blankets	\$4.11
\$7.85 Part Wool Blankets	\$5.49
\$8.95 Part Wool Blankets	\$6.26
Oregon City Wool Blankets Made from Pure Virgin Wool.	
\$13.85 Oregon City Blankets	\$9.69
\$14.85 Oregon City Blankets	\$10.39
\$16.85 and \$17.85 Oregon City Blankets	\$11.79

DRESS GOODS

Great Clearance

During this GREAT CLEARANCE SALE every reduction that we have offered in years. Make your selections now to need the next few months. BARGAINS!

Final Close Out All Wool Goods

We will offer choice of our entire stock of wool goods for this Great Clearance Sale

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\$3.75 Wool Goods, HALF PRICE	\$1.87
\$3.95 Wool Goods, HALF PRICE	\$1.97
\$4.95 Wool Goods, HALF PRICE	\$2.47
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We have about twenty pieces of these Dress Velvets while they last

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Springtime is coming, and you will be needing some are going to need the next few months. The prices next eight days. Buy during this GREAT CLEARANCE

We will place our entire stock of Staples on SALE, MESTIC, SHEETS, PILLOW CASES, UNBLEACHED, ETC. Buy what Staples you are going to need this

Sale Starts Friday Jan. 9th.



SHARKEY MAY EMERGE WITH RING CROWN

By HENRY McLEMORE
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW YORK, Jan. 7. — Jack Sharkey of Boston, the unluckiest and at the same time the luckiest fighter in the business, may emerge from the tangled heavyweight situation as champion of the world. That is, the portion of the world ruled by the New York Boxing commission.

When the commissioners took it upon themselves yesterday to suspend Max Schmeling and strip him of his royal robes, they paved the way for Sharkey's ascension to the throne. And to make it all the more ridiculous he might get the championship without so much as striking a blow.

Sooner or later the commissioners will lock the doors and name a successor to Schmeling. Naturally they won't name the German to succeed himself. Stribling isn't likely to be available, for as soon as he even so much as dickers with the Schmeling interests he will be suspended. With Stribling and Schmeling out of the picture Sharkey would be as conspicuous among the contenders as a water lily in death valley and in all probability would be named as the new champion.

Not Excitable
If he did wake up some morning and see in the papers that he was the new champion, Sharkey would probably go right on making the breakfast toast, for he has had entirely too many ups and downs to become excited over which way the wind blows.

The Boston sailor has had more than his share of breaks, both good and bad. His bad breaks include a knockout at the hands of Jack Dempsey after he had all but decapitated Jack in the rounds preceding the kayo. He got another tough break when Tunney chose Henney as an opponent for a title match, and still another when he fouled Schmeling with the heavy-weight title all but in his grasp.

If Sharkey should be named champion by the commission and Stribling and Schmeling fight for the title in Illinois under the N. B. A. banner, the world, whether it wants 'em or not, will have two heavyweight champions, or "half-champions."

TYLER PAYS HOMAGE TO GRID CHAMPS

TYLER, Jan. 7. — Several hundred fans who followed the Tyler schoolboy eleven through a hectic crusade that brought them the state championship, gathered here Tuesday night to pay honor where honor was due.

With words and gifts Tyler paid homage to its gridiron eleven at a banquet in the Blackstone hotel. Among the speakers of the evening were Roy B. Henderson, secretary of the Texas interscholastic league, and Paul Tyson, mentor of four Waco eleven which have won the coveted schoolboy title.

Henderson's speech was a praise and a protest. A praise for a clean football squad whose chief asset was pure old "scrap." A protest against rumbling mumurs that high school athletics are being over-emphasized in Texas.

"Our youth needs a hardy, rough game like football," Henderson declared. "Many mothers wonder if it is safe for their sons to play. Instead they should wonder if it is safe for them not to play."

Even as Henderson spoke, a resolution was in the process of formation down at Austin, condemning commercialism in interscholastic sports. The complete resolution which is expected to be passed by regents of the University of Texas and followed by a muffled "amen" from the state board of education, will deplore the sacrifice of all-round physical development on the altars of gate-receipts and super-football machines.

Dave Wilcox, all-state Tyler tackle was voted the most valuable member of the team.

Arkansas Cagers Arrive at Austin

AUSTIN, Jan. 7. — University of Arkansas' basketballers, five times champions on southwest conference courts, arrived here today to open the 1931 conference season with the University of Texas. The cagers from the Ozarks play a double bill here, facing the Texans Friday and Saturday nights.

Ten men accompanied Coach Charles Bassett to this capital city. Besides the starting lineup of Murphy and Pickren, forwards; Holt center; Creighton and Sexton, guards; Bassett brought along a five-man reserve. The subs are Jells and Trapp, forwards; Erin and Gibson, guards; and Kendall, center.

SHEPPARD GETS TROPHY

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—State Camp-troller George Sheppard, formerly of Sweetwater, has been awarded the annual trophy offered by the Austin American-Statesman and a local sport goods dealer for the largest buck killed by an Austin resident each season. Sheppard's buck weighed 190 pounds. Mrs. Will Tucker, wife of the secretary of the state game commission was second with a 149 pound buck.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment — Phone 80 or 81.

Robins Book 31 Exhibition Games

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The Brooklyn Robins will play 31 exhibition games in preparation for the 1931 National league baseball season. Five of the games will be played in Havana.

The Robins will open their exhibition season in Tampa, Fla., on March 8 in a game with the Cincinnati Reds, and close with a brace of games against the New York Yankees April 11-12 in Brooklyn.

Will Outline Athletic Views

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—Regent R. L. Holliday of the University of Texas, will prepare an outline of the views of the university regents on athletics, upon arrival at his home in El Paso. The general policy outlined at the regents meeting here opposes development of football as a major activity at the university, because of the expense of producing financial income. A student committee has resolved against "booming" at basketball games.

WRESTLING IS GAINING FAVOR WITH TEXANS

DALLAS, Jan. 7. — The gentle art of bending necks, mutilating nerve centers, and warping backbones seems to be coming into its own in Texas, led by the Manassa mauler, Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion who enters the wrestling ring only as referee.

Two mat battles in central Texas over which Dempsey will preside have taken precedence over other forms of sport, judging from ticket sales and the hullabaloo that greets the man on the street.

After a visit in Galveston today, Dempsey arrives in Fort Worth Thursday to referee an athletic show at the coliseum in Fort Worth. The following night in Dallas Dempsey will judge the combat between Billy Edwards, chiropractic headlock artist, and Jim O'Dowd of Chicago, a contest that has the ingredients of a "razzle" battle.

Edwards is reported to have a set of ethics all his own in the mat ring. Twice before Dallas fans have rumored that fear of Edwards was mixed in the logic that gave him the referee's decision. When on the mat, Edwards' policy is to "get his man." But there's little choice between the referee and his carded opponent of the evening. He usually ends by getting both.

With Dempsey in the ring Edwards' tactics are doped to be different, with no haymakers to spoil a clean-cut wrestling match.

To reports that following his tour of refereeing, which started in Chicago last Monday, Dempsey will start training for a feature bout, the manassa mauler has neither a "yea" nor a "nay".

Carideo Guest at New York Reception

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Frank Carideo, all-American quarterback of the 1930 Notre Dame football team, today found himself in the category of New York's city hall heroes that includes arctic explorers, channel swimmers and trans-Atlantic fliers.

He was received at the city hall yesterday afternoon by Mayor James J. Walker and in the evening was the guest of honor at a dinner given by 650 citizens of Mount Vernon, Frank's home town.

At the city hall reception, Carideo, as a representative of the Notre Dame team, received from Mayor Walker the Albert Russell Erskine award, a large cup, emblematic of the national football championship.

A committee of Mount Vernon citizens presented Carideo with a check for \$1,000 which he turned over to his father and mother after briefly thanking his "friend."

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCORES

Sherman 36, Greenville 15.
Denton 28, Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) 5.
Prep School B. B. Scores
Decatur college 20, Jermyan High 13.
North Texas Aggies 44, Dallas Y. 15.
Stephen F. Austin 25, College of Marshall 20.

TO MAKE DEBUT

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Natie Brown, San Francisco heavyweight, will make his debut as a member of Jack O'Keefe's stable tonight when he meets Tom Jones, Chicago negro, at Cicero stadium. Tuffy O'Dowd, Pocatello, Idaho, and Mickey Patrick, Chicago, will meet in the six round semi-final.

BETHANY WINS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 7.—The Bethany college basketball team from Lindsborg, Kansas, defeated the Oklahoma City university squad 20-19 in a torrid battle here last night. Pack, Oklahoma City university forward, was high scorer of the game, sinking four baskets.

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LOST-FOUND

Lost-Found-Strayed1
STRAYED or stolen? No matter which you want it returned, and the best way to get results is with a News classified ad.

WANTED

Wanted to Buy3
PEOPLE — will buy when the price is right but price cuts a bigger figure than ever this year. A cheap classified ad in the News work because folks want bargains.

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BEST advertising for the money spent is on the News classified page.

MISCELLANEOUS

Miscellaneous Service7
HAVE you lost something? If you have the best way of finding it is to insert an ad here.

LEGAL NOTICE

CONSTABLE'S SALE.
THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF EASTLAND.
By virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland county, on the 23rd day of December, 1930, by W. H. McDonald, district clerk of said court, upon a judgment in favor of John H. Garner, H. S. Drum, Wright, Ruby Love, and Ellen Bacon for the sum of Thirteen Hundred One and 70-100 (\$1301.70) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 14557 in said court, styled John H. Garner et al versus Mrs. N. E. Deal, and placed in my hands for service, I, R. L. Wilson, constable precinct No. 6, of Eastland county, Texas, did on the 1st day of January, 1931, levy on certain land and real estate and minerals situated in Eastland county, described as follows, to-wit:
An undivided 1-2 of the oil and gas and other minerals, being an undivided 1-2 of the royalty on the following described land: 100 acres of land situated in Eastland county Texas, and being a part of the Abraham Winfree survey in Eastland county, Texas, and being that certain 100 acres described in a certain deed executed by Mrs. N. E. Deal et al to Andrew J. Pope of record in the Deed Records of Eastland county, Texas, in Vol. 308, page 198 and being that certain 100 acres of land deeded to J. A. Deal by W. L. Sessions and wife, dated August 13, 1890, recorded in Vol. 5, page 320, Deed Records of Eastland county, Texas, and being all of the minerals owned and retained by the said Mrs. N. E. Deal in the said deed of conveyance above described, to Andrew J. Pope, and levied upon as the property of said Mrs. N. E. Deal; and on Tuesday, the 3rd day of February, 1931, at the Court House door of Eastland county, in the City of Eastland, Texas, between the hour of ten a. m. and four p. m., I will sell all the interest of Mrs. N. E. Deal in said land and minerals at public vendure, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. N. E. Deal by virtue of said levy and said execution.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Cisco Daily News, a newspaper published in Eastland county. Witness my hand, this 1st day of January, A. D. 1931.
E. L. WILSON,
Constable, Precinct No. 6, Eastland County, Texas.

CHOSEN CAPTAIN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 7.—Harold (Dummy) Anderson, versatile quarterback, was chosen captain of the 1931 Oklahoma City university football team at a meeting here last night.

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RENTALS

Apartments for Rent27
FOR RENT — Two rooms and garage. Very reasonable. 305 West Fifth.
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 305 West Eighth street.
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FOR RENT — Desirable apartment, cheap. call 305.

BOARD ROOMS

Board and Rooms28
FOR RENT — Two light house-keeping rooms. Phone 183.
DON'T wait hopefully for these boarders to come to you. You'll fill that empty room much quicker when you use the News Classified columns.

Houses for Rent

FOR RENT — To couple, very nice little home, well furnished. Very low rate to desirable party. Apply C. M. Nichols, 612 West 4th.
FOR RENT — Nice unfurnished 4 room house. Apply 1508 Ave D.

WANTED

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IF you don't find what you want in this column, why not try an ad of your own. Somebody, somewhere wants what you have or has what you want. The Daily News reaches West Texas readers.

REAL ESTATE

Farms and Lands for Sale.....37
TELL them what you have be specific! The West Texans are interested readers. You may find a buyer for that ranch.... or that herd of cattle or for that C Melody saxophone that the neighbors like so well. Try it!
Houses for Sale39
FOR SALE — House four rooms, two porches, bath, good location, near pavement, on west side. If interested in buying a good little home write Box-X care of Cisco Daily News.

NEW CHARTERS

AUSTIN, Jan. 7. — Chartered: Fields, Inc., Beaumont, capital stock \$5,000, merchandising, incorporators J. Edgar Jones, Alvan Solinsky and Geo. M. Sonfield.
Lee-Taylor Oil Co. Inc., oil development, Tyler, capital stock \$100,000, incorporators Lee Taylor, David M. Lide and W. H. Rowe.
Barnes Specialty Co., Waco, capital stock \$1,500, manufacturing, incorporators N. B. Williams, Melvin S. Barnes and H. B. Williams.
Silkenson & Co., Inc., Galveston capital stock \$10,000, merchandising, L. L. Silkenson, K. C. McMillan and P. H. Cambell, Jr.

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Real Estate

CONNIE DAVIS
Real Estate
RENTS, LOANS AND INSURANCE
700 1/2 D. Gray Building.

Insurance

J. M. WILLIAMSON & CO.
General Insurance
City Hall Bldg. Tel. 111

Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, LEON MANER; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. P. B. GLENN, president; O. E. YATES, secretary.

Cisco Lodge No. 55F, A. F. & A. M., meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. HAYWOOD CABANESS, W. M.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; JOHN F. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, K. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

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703 Main Street.

MEN TRAPPED.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 7. — Two men who were trapped by ice floes in their boat on Niagara river were rescued by a United States customs boat, the border patrol station announced today.
The men were taken from the river sixteen miles above Niagara Falls after having drifted for two hours.

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE

Your Greatest SAVINGS!

Final Clearance Sale Ladies' and Misses' Coats, Suits, Dresses, Sweaters, Kimonas and House Dresses.

HALF PRICE

PHENOMENAL PRICE REDUCTIONS BARGAINS BARGAINS BARGAINS!

This is the final Clearance of every Garment in our Big Ready-to-Wear Department. Wonderful Bargains are here for your selection, every garment will be placed on sale at HALF-PRICE, not one single thing reserved. Be here when the doors open Friday Morning 9:00 o'Clock.

COATS COATS COATS

WOMEN'S and MISSES NEW FALL COATS

Only a few times in our history have we offered such remarkable values in coats. We know our customers expect the unusual in a Sale like this, and we will not disappoint them. Be here the first day of Sale.

- \$12.85 COATS and SUITS \$ 6.43
- \$19.85 COATS and SUITS \$ 9.93
- \$29.85 COATS and SUITS \$14.93
- \$39.85 COATS and SUITS \$19.93
- \$49.50 COATS and SUITS \$24.75
- \$54.50 COATS and SUITS \$27.25
- \$59.50 COATS and SUITS \$29.75
- \$69.50 COATS and SUITS \$34.75
- \$89.50 COATS, Sale Price \$44.75
- \$98.50 COATS, Sale Price \$49.25
- \$119.50 COATS, Sale Price \$59.25



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- \$12.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$ 6.43
- \$14.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport 7.43
- \$16.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$ 8.43
- \$19.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$ 9.93
- \$24.50 Dresse --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$12.25
- \$29.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$14.93
- \$39.85 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$19.93
- \$47.50 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$23.75
- \$49.50 Dresses --- Silk, Wool or Sport \$24.75

AMAZING VALUES IN OUR MIGHTY CLEARANCE SALE WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN SHOES

Rarely are shoes of such last-minute styling and such marvelous materials offered at such drastically reduced price. We must reduce this big stock of WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES, and we have made prices that we are sure will move them during this GREAT CLEARANCE SALE. IT IS YOUR GREATEST OPPORTUNITY.

GROUP NO. 1

500 pair all styles and colors, including ENNA JETTICKS, all sizes; Regular Values \$4.95 to \$6.00.

CHOICE

\$3.45 Pair

GROUP NO. 2

250 Pair all the newest styles for this season, all colors; regular values \$6.85 and \$7.85

CHOICE

\$4.45 Pair



GROUP NO. 5
SPECIAL CLOSE-OUT CHILDREN SHOES

We have about 150 Pair of these Shoes, while they last.

CHOICE

95c Pr.

GROUP NO. 3

250 Pair Peacock and other fine makes, all colors, and lots of styles; regular \$9.85 and \$10.85 values.

CHOICE

\$5.85 Pair

GROUP NO. 4

125 Pair J. & K. Fine Arch Shoes, in all the latest styles and colors; regular \$12.50 and \$13.50 values.

CHOICE

\$8.95 Pair

EVERY PAIR LADIES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES IN OUR BIG STOCK ON SALE, NOT ONE SINGLE PAIR RESERVED.

CLEARANCE OF CHILDREN'S SHOES BUY DURING THIS SALE

These shoes are of makes that never fail to retain their stylish lines and stand up well under good hard service. They're the ideal shoes for children for school and Sunday wear. It will be a long time again, if ever, before you will have a chance to purchase them at these reductions; they are so unusual of such splendid shoes. Therefore provide well for the present and future needs now.

Equal in Our History

VALUES, SWEEPING IN SCOPE, and shattering anything ever attempted by this going at a tremendous sacrifice—that's the story of this sale. THIS SPELLS OP- timal winter apparel—and other winter needs. The economical is not only looking ahead a vast array of every-day necessities—that mean money saved every-day during the sale. Read the price tags. See the great mountains of merchandise on display. You will see this dollar-saving announcement.

Investigate. Look for Values!

Conditions of Sale

Owing to the extremely low pricing during this event every sale must be positively for cash! No approvals! No mail orders! Purchases will be cheerfully exchanged if goods are returned within 24 hours.

9th at 9 a. m. RUNS 8 DAYS ONLY

The Big Sale Starts! "Strike While the Iron Is Hot!"

\$1.00 HAT SALE

LOOK LOOK LOOK

Again that final Clearance of Ladies Hats. We have about 150 of these, while they last

CHOICE

\$1.00 each

LAST CALL LADIES WINTER HATS

We have about 100 of these fine Hats left, and in order to sell every one during this Sale, we offer values from \$7.50 to \$14.50

CHOICE

\$4.95 Each

EXTRA SPECIAL LADIES COATS

OUT THEY GO

We have about fifty Ladies and Misses Coats that have been carried over from last season. In order to sell every one during this Sale, we are pricing them at a fraction of their cost.

Group No. 1

20 Coats, values from \$12.85 to \$24.50

CHOICE

\$5.85

Group No. 2

22 Coats, regular values \$29.85 to \$69.50

CHOICE

\$8.95

Washable Spreads

We have six dozen of these ideal Bed Spreads, assorted colors. While they last; size 80x105

CHOICE

98c Each

Phoenix Hosiery Special

We have about fifteen dozen of these regular \$1.65 and \$1.95 Hose; they come in most all shades and sizes. Discontinued numbers.

CHOICE

98c Pair

Dress Linen

(Guaranteed Fast Color) This Linen comes in about twenty colors; regular 95c value

CHOICE

69c Yard

Extra Special Ladies Silk Hose

Phoenix & Bemberg. Regular 98c value;

CHOICE

69c Pair

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Department of Staple and Fancy Piece Goods will carry the greatest bargains now to attend this GREAT SALE, buy what you are BARGAINS! BARGAINS.

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Never before have you been offered such values in plaid and fancy silks, we have marked every piece at rock bottom prices for this sale. Buy Now.

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- \$1.95 Silks, SALE PRICE \$1.39
- \$1.75 Silks, SALE PRICE \$1.19
- \$1.49 Silks, SALE PRICE \$1.10

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Regular Values, \$1.49 to \$2.45, arranged in two groups.

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98c Yard

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\$1.39 Yard

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New curtains for the house, we advise you to buy what you want that we have marked these goods are sure to sell them during the GREAT SALE.

Prices that they have not been offered in years, HOPE DOMESTIC, PILLOW TUBEING, OUTING, TOWELS, next few months.



Sale Starts Friday Jan. 9th.

NOTICE! IMPORTANT! Store Closed all day Thursday, arranging stock for the BIG SALE!

About Cisco Today

LOUISE TRAMMELL, Society Editor Phone 535 or 80

CALENDAR

Thursday
Pivot club will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Brown at 2 o'clock.
Mothers' club will meet at 10 o'clock with Mrs. M. L. McCannan, cottage 19, Humboldt town.

E. R. McDaniels of Abilene was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Frank Henderson of Abilene was a visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Logan of Coleman is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Mancill.

Odwin Cate arrived in Cisco yesterday from San Antonio.

Miss Laura Lou Waring has returned from a visit with relatives in Comanche.

Mrs. Mary E. Townsend of Moran was the guest of friends in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. J. D. Blankenship of Eastland was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Herbie Ward of Moran spent yesterday in Cisco.

W. J. Armstrong returned last night from Fort Worth where he accompanied Miss Minnie Robinson on her return to Shawnee, Ok-

lahoma after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong in Cisco.

Joe Earnest visited his sister, Mrs. Don Sivalls here yesterday en route to New York from Colorado City where he spent Christmas with his parents.

Chas. Trammell is transacting business in Coleman today.

Miss Leota Pettus, accompanied by her brother, J. T. Pettus, of Moran spent yesterday in Cisco.

Chapman Williamson has returned from a visit in Amarillo.

V. Osborne of Moran was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bowman of Wink were business visitors in Cisco yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Alken are leaving this week for Hico where they will visit Mr. Alken's father, who is very ill.

Mrs. J. R. Burnett was a visitor in Eastland this morning.

C. E. Williams of Wink transacted business in Cisco yesterday.

W. A. Ratliff of Dallas was a business visitor in Cisco yesterday.

J. E. Hodges is reported to be

quite ill at his home 309 West Sixteenth street.

Mrs. Paul M. Woods is spending today in Abilene.

Roy Sandeford and Mr. Flanagan of Wink were transacting business in the city yesterday.

Glenn Luttrall of Moran was a business visitor here yesterday.

Homer D. Wade of Dallas was the guest today of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Green. He was accompanied home by his niece, Miss Dorothy Harlan, who will visit there during the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Nelson Burton has returned to her home in Dallas after a visit in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Anderson.

Home Values

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it is being conveyed to its permanent location. A few minutes exposure of the small fibrous roots to the sun and wind will dry them out to such an extent that they may die.

In setting a tree, perhaps the most common mistake is in not packing the soil well about the roots. This should be done with a smooth round ended tool and care exercised not to damage the roots. When the hole is filled to within about two inches of the top, water should be added until the soil is saturated. Then the hole may be filled with dry soil and rounded up a couple of inches above the ground.

Some nurserymen recommend that the tops of transplanted trees be cut back, others contend that this is unnecessary if the tree is quickly and carefully transplanted.

Water Regularly
In caring for trees after they have started growth, they should be watered regularly and the water spread over a considerable area around the tree. Too much water is often applied in a small hole at the base of a tree and not enough water given the roots in their feeding area at a distance from the tree. For a large tree, use a lot of water, not merely near the trunk but beneath and beyond the entire spread of its top so that the fine feeding roots most abundant far out may be able to absorb it.

Where the sub-soil is tight, so excess moisture does not soak in readily, care must be taken not to water excessively, for too much water will cause as much damage as not enough. Some species of trees, like the Chinese Elm, do not require much moisture and are better left to themselves, except during dry seasons.

If your trees are not in a healthy state of growth they may need a more fertile soil. This may be supplied in a number of ways.

A common practice is to dig a number of post holes in the area about the tree and fill these nearly to the top with well rotted manure or leaves or both. Finish filling with top soil. The numbers of these holes may vary from two or three for a small tree to twenty or more for a very large tree. They should never be located closer than four feet to the base of a tree and well scattered about the feeding area of the roots. Water applied through these holes carries much plant food into the soil.

Commercial Fertilizers
Commercial fertilizers may be used successfully if applied in a careful manner. One to ten pounds per tree is usually sufficient. It should be scattered over a wide area about the tree and well watered immediately after the application is made.

Soil improvement and careful watering is the "ounce of prevention" in growing trees. An abundant flow of sap, rich in plant food, to every part of the tree renders it immune to many tree troubles. The sap is the blood of a tree. If it is rich in plant food and abundant, the tree will take care of itself and may, in spite of many enemies, survive and flourish. Cisco, with its splendid supply of water should have many more trees.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Eggs: Market firmer; receipts 3,831; extra firsts 26½c; firsts 24 to 24½c; ordinaries 18 to 21c; seconds 12 to 15c.

Butter: Steady; receipts 4,448 tubs; extra firsts 25 to 25½c; firsts 24 to 24½c; seconds 23 to 23½c; standards 20½c.

Poultry: Market firmer; receipts 4 cars; fowls 22½c; springers 23c; leg-horns 15c; ducks 21c; geese 14c; turkeys 22 to 25c; roosters 14c.

Cheese: Twins 15¼ to 15½c; Young Americas 16c.

Potatoes: On track 174; arrivals 45c; shipments 724. Market steady.

Wisconsin sacked round whites \$1.40 to \$1.60; Minnesota round whites \$1.30 to \$1.40; Idaho sacked russets \$1.70 to \$1.85; Colorado McClures branded \$1.80 to \$1.90.

Perryton — Contract let by Santa Fe for extension of Perryton branch on from Spearman, 20 miles southwest to Morse.

LOBOES DROP FIRST GAME TO ELIASVILLE

Cisco high school's Lobo basketball team discovered to their sorrow last night that only five men are required to form a basketball team. The boys from the "forks of the creek" who spot squirrels two jumps and then kavo them with pebbles, taught them an object lesson about chunking the leather through the hoop at the high school gym last night and the pretty gold uniforms of the Cisco contingent faded into a dull yellow before 15 minutes of the contest with the Eliasville marksmen had elapsed. Cisco won't mention "little red school houses" very much for several days now. Eliasville is one up on the locals in the oil belt cage league by virtue of an 18 to 13 defeat in their own ballroom and the Lobos are not overly anxious to repeat the fray on the Eliasville court.

The Lobos found themselves in the position of being unable to hold the ball. Their team play was irregular and ragged.

The game was the first conference contest for the locals and leaves them with exactly nothing in the percentage column.

Friday night the Lobos entertain the powerful Abilene team which has swamped both Eliasville and Ranger in successive games. The game will begin at 7:30 at the high school gym.

Muscle Shoals Deadlock Broken
WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The deadlock in disposition of the government's Muscle Shoals power plant was broken today when a conference between committees of the two houses of congress reached tentative agreement on government distribution of electric power from the great plant on the Tennessee river.

Representative Wurzbach, republican, Texas, who has been holding

out against the government-distribution provision of the senate bill, changed his stand.

A report will be submitted to the house, probably early next week. House conferees must agree first on their stand on the proposal to lease the nitrate-fertilizer plant to private operators.

fought in the house by administration leaders.

Graham — Number of buildings under construction in city rushed to completion.

Sierra Blanca — Second water well being drilled for Denver company near other well.

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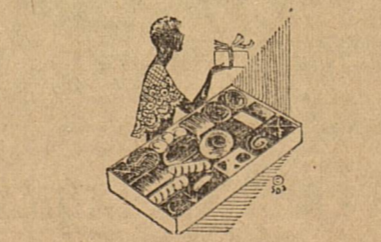
Nineteen for Christmas dinner! Yes, two turkeys. But I didn't get nearly enough. So excited over seeing everyone and all the presents — then afterwards, well, there weren't any leftovers. But we've planned a treat for Sunday a dinner at the ALEXANDER HOTEL. I know there will be plenty this time, and plenty of excitement too on account of the excellency of the "trimmings" but that will only make for a keener appetite. Won't you come with us Sunday? It's just 50c.



Have you bought your new spring bonnet? Well, of course you've been thinking about it during these beautiful sunny days so let me describe those adorable new creations at JNO. H. GARNERS. There are tweeds — in ravishing colors of browns and tans and reds and blacks — in the tri-corn shapes or with brims. There are beautiful Bakus in blacks and naturals — those seem to be the predominating colors. There are braid hats, ribbon hats, and new straws. And would you believe it? They are to be worn several inches higher off the forehead this year than last!

To rather badly pun, it can be said that we are laced into fashion these days and nights. It is actually so. In the morning we start the day off in wool lace. Afternoon finds us in a gown either entirely composed of lace or with a trimming of it. And then with the dark, we go to romantic lengths in still more of the same gossamer medium.

\$12.75 will buy a new spring frock at THE SPORT SHOPPE! Now, if you've recovered — This is a special price on a limited number of dresses to last only a limited number of days. These dresses — print frocks they are, and you know what a print spring this is to be — are Movie-tone models in colors perfectly chosen and combined into the neatest designs and most becoming styles. You can't realize what a value they are unless you see them and see them today. There's room for two, maybe three, of these in your wardrobe.



For you femmes who need not count calories or step lightly on scales and whose conscience does not tinge when you spend an evening with a book and a plate of bonbons, here is a sweet bit of news. PERRY BROTHERS are offering as a weekly special all candies at 20c per pound including even their regular 40c chocolates. The candy is fresh and of so many varieties that you will find yourself saying, "And some of this — and this — a little of that over there — and a whole lot of that —" until you have almost a potato sack full. It's just this week so remember to visit them.

Milk and cream are among the most important foods for mankind — all ages of people, from the very young to the old and feeble, are benefited by a more or less milk diet — but it must be pure — government inspected and tested if it is to be always safe. Such is the case with the DEEP CREAM DAIRY — one of the largest in this section, with a guarantee to you that it is always clean and perfectly sanitary. If you are not using their products, telephone them and try their accommodating service. The number is 399.



There is one phrase that is a plague and a pest — "My hair never looks nice — I can't do a thing with it!" Such a statement is altogether inexcusable for it takes such a wee bit of time and expense to run by THE ELITE BEAUTY PARLOR for a shampoo and wave set. And a real shampoo, I mean, when your hair is soaped and re-soaped and then thoroughly rinsed. If its another permanent you have decided upon, then Mary Lou would certainly recommend those given here or if its a haircut, Mr. Key can give you a splendid one — personality bobs, I believe he calls them, anyway they especially suit your type.

Sequins lend a worldly glitter to even the most naive gown. And such is the case when they are used to spangle lace. Laces can be demure or sophisticated at will when they remain alone — but add a band or two of sequins and the personality changes astonishingly. This gleaming bit of trimming is being used to great chic upon many of the newest frocks. Especially those for the very formal winter gaities.

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