CISCO-Pop., 10,-214; 1,620 feet above \* sea; good water; paved \* streets; A1 schools; 5 \* rail exits; minimum of \* malaria and typhoid. \*

#### THE CISCO AMERICAN TY-Area, 925 square . miles; pop., 60,000; cot- • \*, ton, fruit, poultry and \*

#### VOL. II-NO. 46

### D. J. Moss and Associates Buy **Reynolds** Cotton Gin and Will Make It Modern Every Respect

Anxious to Put Tobacco

"Every attack upon tobacco" Mr.

**Eastland City Commission** 

**Thinks More Streets That** 

will continue to pay for all street,

alley and highway intersections, but

the abutting land owners may be as-

sessed onehalf of the balance each.

less than pay for all intersections.

The main thoroughfares have been

paved, and if other streets should

now be paved, the opportunity is af-

here Wednesday.

coin.

forded.

From all indications Cisco is to have a modern uptodate cotton gin, Professional Agitators a most necessary adjunct to a growing city in the greatest cotton-grow ing country in the world.

D. J. Moss, of Sweetwater, and his associates of the Sweetwater Cotton Oil company, have purchased the Reynolds gin and will modernize it and increase its capacity to abou t sixty bales per day. Mr. Moss and family will move to Cisco from Sweetwater, which means the addition of another substantial family to the local citizenship. They will come to Cisco about June 1.

Mr. Moss and his associates have also purchased at Eastland and Ranger and in a sense Cisco will be headquarters for the operation of all three plants.

It has not vet been determined as to whether the local gin will be operated with steam or electricity. While the Eastland and Ranger electric companies have offered a fourcent electric rate, it is said the Cisco electric ompany is holding out for an additional one cent, which the gin people consider too high.

Mr. Moss wants the farmers of the Cisco country to know that it is the purpose of the local gin to serve them in every way possible.

#### To the Voters of Eastland: Starr's Holstein Cow Averaged 72 Pounds of urday, May 19, for the purpose of amending our city charter with refer-Milk Day For 10 Weeks

Highland Springs Farm, located seven miles southwest of Cisco, reports the finish of a ten weeks' test on their fine four-year-old registered Holstein cow, Gerster Pontiac Korndyke DeKol No. 545,396 during which time she gave 5,028.1 pounds of milk. Over 500 pounds per week, and an average of nearly 72 pounds per day. This is several times the amount of the entire yearly production of the average Texas cow. W. B. Starr, manager of the farm, says: "In spite of the oft repeated assertion that it can't be did' cows are bred that will give lots of milk in West Texas."

"Gerster" finished this test in splendid condition, carrying more flesh than she did at the start, and her last week's production was 496.4 pounds.

BUSINESS

### CISCO, TEXAS, THURSD AY, MAY 17, 1923

#### **Eldest Son Celebrated** Jay Gould Breathes His Last at Home in France

MENTONE, France, May 16-The death of George Jay Gould, the American financier and sportsman who died in his villa near here Wedthe bitter struggle of the heirs of Jay Gould for his fortune and the two matrimonial ventures of the deceased, the last of which cost him

Same Class as Whiskey \$3,000,000. WASHINGTON, May 16-Inten-sive drives against all forms of to-Vera Sinclair, the second wife, for whom he made the great monetary bacco have been inaugurated in all sacrifice to marry over a year ago, parts of the country, "with the was present when he died. avowed object of burying tobacco in Although Gould was rat

Although Gould was rated as sevthe same grave with John Barleyeral times a millionarire, he was corn" Jesse A. Block, of Wheeling, not nearly so wealthy as when the W. Va., president of the Tobacco great head of the House of Gould, Merchants' association of the United Jay Gould, the railroad builder, died States, told the 400 members of the in 1892, leaving an estate of \$75,association who met in convention 000,000 to thirty heirs. Beneficiar-

ies of Jay Gould declared the fortune had dwindled to \$25,000,000. A peculiar clause in the will of

Block said "brings forth an addi-Jay Gould caused many disputes tional flood of scientific authority testifying to the harmlessness of among the heirs. The elder Gould, tobacco. But while our victory in feeling, perhaps, that his children the recent anti-tobacco war has been might rush into marriage, stipulated almost complete, the menace has not that any heir who wed without the passed and it is not likely to pass so consent of the administrators of the long as the professional agitators are estate, would lose half of his share. able to pass their hats and collect the George Gould tried to enforce the provision on his brother, Frank, when the latter married Edith Kelly,

an actress. Sisters and brothers of the late financier became dissatisfied with the City Ought to be Paved way he had been handling the estate and sued for an accounting. In 1922 tions point to bumper crops with Gould was removed as trustee of the estate and three trust companies A city election is to be held Sathave handled the affairs since. Gould fought the removal order in ence to street paving. Heretofore, the city has paid for all street, alley vain. Later he sued the estate for \$644,904 for a share of the income from certain properties, but the apand highway intersections and onepellate division restrained him from third of the balance, the abutting land owners, paying one-third each. Un- pressing the suit. der the proposed amendment, the city

Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, a sister, was the only one of the heirs who ers not to go too far in their desire refused to join in the litigation to avoid local loans in favor of outagainst him. The Duchess of Talleyrand, another sister, was particularly active.

In other words, if the residents on a When Gould married Miss Sinclair street desire it paved and are willing over a year ago in Lakewood, N. J. to pay the expense, the city cannot do he lost two valuable pieces of property worth approximately \$3,000,000. The proposed amendment will re-He had given these to his first wife, quire no additional paving unless the who dropped dead playing tennis reople want it. No new obligations over two years ago. are incurred. No new laws are made.

The first wife left the properties to Gould with the provision that he never remarry.

#### SPECIAL GRAND JURY.

If we are to prosper and develop, The special grand jury summoned more streets must be paved. The by District Judge Davenport, as an- ing to comply with the law. city is financially unable to pay for nounced in the Cisco American of one-third of the main paving and all Any further paving has been in session since that time. must be done under the provisions of the proposed amendment. All citizens are urged to inquire fully into the design investigated, including the proposed amendment and vote in the death of Pet Brown, but nothing will be known until the body makes V. T. SEABERRY. Chairman of its report to the court, late Friday the City Commission, Eastland, Texas afternoon or early Saturday morn-

ing.

**Keystone of Prosperity** In Texas is Agriculture Says President of Bank DALLAS, May 16-Financing the livestock industry and what value

the intermediate federal banks are expected to be to farmers and catnesday, as a result of an attack of tlemen featured the discussion of the pneumonia suffered March 20, recalls afternoon session of the Texas Bankers' Association here.

Both of the subjects were said to be paramount in Texas right now and the financiers gave close attention to the addresses.

Dayton Moses, attorney for the Texas Cattle Raisers' association went into some detail regarding protecting cattle loans and the discussion brought out the situation in the livestock industry. It was pointed out that the cattlemen at times are rather dependent upon the bankers and that as a usual thing the bankers are fully protected on loans made.

The value of the new banking Institutions were discussed by H. M. Gessett of Houston. These banks are expected to provide sufficient credit for the farmers to enable moving crops or aid them in crop cultivation. The plan for organization and operation of these banks was discussed.

The general discussion for the fternoon left the bankers with the impression that in Texas the keytone of prosperity is the agricultural ndustry and that whatever comes this must be protected. The banks have been generally prosperous this year and report that present indicafair prices.

President Driscoll warned the cutside loans. He told them that if ance and banking, against the stockfind a way to finance their wants on Guaranty State Bank, of Desdemona. the outside and once they found the way it would be a sad day for the Texas bankers. He advised the bankside credits.

INCONVENIENCING TEACHERS, ber of adjoining counties. The at-The state department of education torneys filing these suits for the comat Austin is withholding \$350,676 missioner of insurance and banking state available school funds on account of failure on the part of certain counties to file bonds for depository for the ensuing two years. These bonds were due February 15 and the delay is causing serious inconvenience to teachers in those ounties. The warrants have been written and are ready to mail as

STAMFORD VISITS CISCO

# Thirty-Nine Students Graduate From Cisco High This Year; As Usual, Girls in Big Majority

#### **Arlington Mayor Falls** From Window of Baptist Hospital-Neck Broken

FORT WORTH, May 16-Mayor W. H. Rose, of Arlington, died here almost instantly Wednesday morning when he fell from a window in the Baptist hospital here. He was suffering from an operation for appendicitis and had been in the hospital since Friday afternoon, and had been delirious at times.

"Please get a damp towel and lay t over my eyes" Mayor Rose said to the nurse only a few seconds before the fatal fall. The nurse went into an adjoining room for the towel and returned to see the window screen slam after the body of the lelirious patient had fallen.

Mayor Rose suffered a broken seck and a fractured skull. He was dead when attendants reached him a few seconds after the fall.

#### 70 Suits New Record **Against Stockholders** of 2 Desdemona Banks

EASTLAND, May 16-Twelve additional suits were filed today with the district and county clerks' office making a total of 70 suits filed by J. bankers against actions which invite L. Chapman, commissioner of insurthe bankers ignore demands from lo- holders of the Desdemona State cal customers, these customers would Eank & Trust Company and the First These banks were closed some time ago and the suits are based on claims for stock assessments. There

are 50 cases in the district courts and 20 cases in the county court, aggregating something over \$210,000. against defendants residing in a num-

are Messrs. Goree, Odell & Allen, of Fort Worth, and Chas. C. Robey, of Eastland.

#### CAR KILLS WOMAN

BRECKENRIDGE, May 16-Mrs. Martha A. Orvis, 72, was almost instanly killed and her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Garner, 40, was severely insoon as the bonds are filed. Eastland jured after being struck by an automobile driven by an unknown person. The home of Mrs. Orvis was county is one of the counties fail-

at Arkansas City, Kansas. She was visiting here.

Thirty-nine students will gradute from the Cisco high school this year, according to Superintendent Joe J. Godbey.

EASTLAND COUN-

oil production

\$1.50 PER YEAR—TEN PAGES

As usual, the girls are numerically far in the lead of the boys, there being twenty-nine of the former and only ten of the latter. The graduates are

Abbott, Freda Mae Bacon, Billie Barbour, Jennie Barker, Pearle Britain, Joe Brown, Blanche Carroll, Michie Cook, Wade Davidson, Grace Day, Doris Elliott, Gladys Gould, Helen Hicks, Sye Key, Bernice Latch, Lela Latson, Mabel Magness, W. H. Maxwell, Florence Mayberry, Caddye Mayer, Olivia Mayhew, Mintora Moore, Wightman McCracken, Novella McWhorter, Allie Parker, Nell Preston, Hazel Price, Mary Grace Pritchard, Maude Simmons, Elizabeth Snoddy, Louise Stockard, Flora Mae Tomlinson, Floyd Watson, Sherman Watson, Travis Wright, Cleo

The calendar for the commencement exercises is as follows:

Monday night, May 21-Mrs. G. W. Griswold's graduates in recital at city hall.

Tuesday night, May 22-Mrs. G. W. Griswold's expression pupils in recital at city hall.

Thursday night, May 24-Mrs. G. mar school graduation exercises at Methodist church. Address by Rev. Gaines B. Hall, of the First Presbyterian church.

Friday night, May 25-Senior class, play at city hall.

Saturday night, May 26-High school choral club at city hall. Sunday morning, May 27-Joint

commencement sermon of high school and Christian college, at Methodist church, Dr. C. C. Klingman, of Comanche.

The upward trend of industrial activity has continued during the past month, and in nearly all important lines is reported close to capacity or restricted only by the labor supply, according to the financial letter of the National City Bank of New York.

The present output of construction materials, transportation equipment and manufactured goods generally Rate Tire Company, directed by has never been surpassed.

the activity of 1917-the year with street and will be managed by R. the greatest production record-was C. Hilgenberg, late of Elk City. largely expended upon war equip- Okla. Dayton tires and tubes will ment and supplies.

then going largely into guns and Hilgenberg has been a resident of automobiles and machinery.

The output of the textile industries was going largely at that time to advertisement in another column. clothe the armies, while now it is going to supply the general trade Mullins of Kentucky is demands. The use to which things are put has bearing in the long run. upon the level of prices. The present level is chiefly due to the fact that for several years our industries were busy upon production that added nothing to the necessary equipment of the country.

We were not building dwelling houses or railroad equipment to meet the growing needs of the country, and now we are trying to catch up. One of the reasons why farm products are not on as high a level as other things is that the demand for farm products is not cumulative.

The fact that consumption is stinted in one year does not make a larger demand in the next year; people do their eating for each year in that year.

### Students Texas Woman's College Pay Cisco Girl

Miss Ruth Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson, has been elected president of the student body of Texas Woman's College for 1924. This is the highest possible honor at the hands of the street between the Katy right of way more than 500 students of this great school and is especially gratifying Williamson says this paving will to Miss Williamson's many Cisco friends and ...latives.

Miss Williamson is completing her tion, the school year ending June 2, vacation with her parents.

intersections. election to be held Saturday.

#### CUT-RATE TIRE CO

A new Cisco enterprise is the Cut-Mesres. L. W. and R. C. Hilgenberg.

Moreover, it is worthy of note that The new business is located on Main be featured, but other makes and The outut of iron and steel was grades will also be handled. L. W.

shells, while now it is going into Cisco for several years and is well building material, railroad equipment, and favorably known and the addition of R. C. Hilgenberg to the citizenship is a distinct gain. See their

### Again President of the Southern Baptist Con.

KANSAS CITY, May 16-Aid for number of Southern schools and hospitals, including several such institutions in Texas, was asked in the report of the conservation committee of the Southern Baptist convention in the second session of the convention Wednesday afternoon at the Kansas City convention Hall. Dr. Lee R. Scarborough, president of the Southwest Baptist Theological Seminary, of Fort Worth, chairman of the committee, and made the report to the convention.

Dr. J. D. Sandefer, president of the Texas Baptist convention and also president of Simmons College at Abilene, was made one of the vicepresidents in the election of officers Wednesday morning. Dr. E. Y. Mullins, of Louisville, Ky., was reelected president upon his nomination Highest Possible Honor by Dr. George W. Truett, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Dallas.

#### EAST SIXTH STREET

Curbs and gutters are in and the brick and asphalt have been ordered for the four blocks on East Sixth and the T. and P. crossing. Mayor start just as soon as the material arrives. Residents of this street have

third year at the Fort Worth institu- and all are jubilant at the thought extend through a thirty days leave of city.

#### BRANNON RESIGNS.

Walter Brandon, popular secrery of the chamber of commerce Rising Star for the past year, has esigned that position and may locate elsewhere. It is probable that for a time at least there will be no effort made to fill the place made vacant by Mr. Brandon's resignation.

#### EASTLAND'S NEW BANKER.

J. H. P. Jones, formerly with the war finance corporation in Fort Worth, has been elected active vice president of the First State bank at Eastland. Mr. Jones was in the banking business at Childress for a number of years and is said to be a highly capable banker and a fine lature late Tuesday. The bill as fiman.

EASTLANDERS GO ABROAD. Eastland Rotarians will Brownwood Friday as guests of the that it will yield about \$5,000,000 Rotary club of that city. Brown- in deliquent tax collections. wood lunched with Eastland Tuesday. Eastlanders contemplating the trp to Brownwood are Scott Kretz. Jack Knox, Oscar Thompson, Chef Wilkins, W. E. Perry, Horace Butlatter the new secretary of the chamber of commerce.

#### PASEHALL SWORN IN

At the meeting or the city council Monday night Crigler Pasehall was sworn in as city commissioner and is now a full-fledged city dad. Other of Frank J. Huey as city auditor and the leasing of lands adjoining Christ- tilation." The ventilator will be placian college to that institution for a

be used for dairy and agricultural installed in Cisco.

Mrs. J. E. Pratt, of Cooper, is visiting the family of Judge S. W. Pratt.

been in the the mud for many moons, Paso and points west. His trip will that they are soon to possess one of absence. Mrs. Atkins will remain in for oil becomes when the other felwhen she will return home to spend the best brick-paved streets in the Cisco to close her studio after the low seems to be in a fair way to land . closing recital May 20.

Some twenty Stamford Rotarians were guests of Cisco Rotarians at today's meeting, the guests being in charge of the meeting. President Ily Pratt, of Stamford, made a most excellent address on "Rotary" while everal other Stamford Rotarians contributed to the rounding out of a gcod program, including Mr. Freely,

Mr. Cooper, Mr. Doyle and Rev. Frank Stedman, the latter now a resident of Cisco. Songs by five young men from Stamford were roundly encored and thoroughly enjoyed On request of Mr. Pratt, D. E. Liston, regaled those present with some of his very best jokes. Previous to the luncheon the visitors visited the dam and inspected Cisco's future great lake. Visitors and local Rotarians were grouped and photographed fol-

#### TAX BILL TO GOVERNOR

lowing the luncheon.

AUSTIN, May 16-Report of the free conference committee on the Bonham delinquent tax bill was adopted in both branches of the legisnally enacted varies very little from the measure as originally introduced by Representative Bonham. It is visit estimated by supporters of this bill

#### VISITS OLD HOME

W. F. Elkins left Wednesday to visit the scenes of his childhood, at Winston-Salem, N. C. While there he ler, Joe Weaver, Jack Williamson, will be the guest of his brother, J. Maurice Rubin and A. L. Burge, the R. Elkins, whom he last saw 51 years ago, when he departed to seek his Hale, compose the auditing commitfortune in the west. During this

time Mr. Elkins has seen none of his people living back in the old home.

INSTALL JUDIA VENTILATOR Capt. G. H. Judia today sold to the business tranacted was the election tilating machines, known as the washed air seabreeze system of ven- J. Scott and Paul Butler.

ed in the lobby of the hotel. This is period of five years. The land is to the first machine of the kind to be

> INTEREST ON METER DEPOSITS AUSTIN, May 16-The house has concurred in senate amendments to the Pope house bill requiring the payment of interest on deposits on water,

It is wonderful how wicked a race will be the beginning of the fund to & Trade Territory of Six Counties be raised for the ppe organ for the church. the prize-Detroit Free Press.

CAREY'S COTTON PROMISING C. C. Carey, who lives with his fother and mother on their 540 acre farm, four miles northwest of town, was shopping in Cisco Wednesday. He has 80 acres of cotton up to a

nice stand. Crop prospects are very fine out his way.

#### SACRED HARP SINGING

Rev. J. C. C. Evans announces a acred harp singing for May 27 at 2 clock in the afternoon, on the eastside, Cisco. Visitors from Eastland, Carbon, Rising Star, Cottonwood and Putnam are expected and a great time is anticipated.

MRS. HILGENBERG IMPROVED L. W. and R. C. Hilgenberg have just returned from Elk City, Okla., where they had been called to the bedside of their mother, who was reported very ill. However, she is now much improved.

#### W. H. Morse Was Named President of Lions Club Unanimously Wednesday

At the meeting of the Lions Club, Wednesday, W. H. Morse was elected president of the club by acclamation. Dr. Charles C. Jones won out for first vice-president in the voting, as did C. Merwin for second vice-presi-

dent and K. H. Pittard, for secrearytreasurer. New directors chosen are Messrs. H. I. Stock, George Darden and R. F. Halloway. Messrs. Guy Dabney, Paul Butler and Dr. Charles

tee. Present at the meeting were the

following Lions: H. I. Stock, Charles Yates, M. D. Odum, Dr. Charles Hale, J W. Mancill, R.F. Holloway, Rev. H. H. Holmes, George Darden, Rev. H. Gude Hotel one of his patented ven- B. Watts, C. Merwin, Guy Dabney, A. D. Anderson, H. B. Fullerton, K.

#### BAPTIST MUSICAL PROGRAM

Frank F. Walker, director of musfor the First Baptist church, announces a musical program in the auditorium of the church, Sunday evening, May 20, at 8:30 o'clock. The program will be under the direction of Mrs. C. W. Atkins. Members of the chorus choir of the church, with assisting voices from other choirs of the city, will participate. The silver offering received during the evening,

Monday night, May 28-Joint exercises of high school and Christian college graduates, at chautauqua tent. Address by Dr. Frederick Eby, professor of education at the University of Texas.

#### Big League Baseball Material Plentiful In and About Cisco

The baseball spirit waxeth warmer. East Sunday the Kilowatts under the management of F. H. Petty, and the Powell & Dossett Cleaners, under the management of Captain Frank Turner, met in mighty battle on the diamond and only the great work of Pitcher Rufus Petty, who struck out 5 men, and the good backing of his fellows, saved the day for the Kilowatts, with a score of 12 to 5 in their favor.

At Leeray, Sunday, the Pliers met their first defeat with a score of 2 to 1 in favor of Leeray. This was a fine game and played without an erfor on either side. It was a battle between Pitchers Roark and Knight, with complete backing by their men. They play at Leeray again Saturday, May 19. The visiting team will entertain with a dance at night

Last Tuesday the Pliers beat the Cleaners, 12 to 7, and during this double header defeated the Kilowatts 14 to 6.

The urge of the great outdoors is great. The call of the diamond is heard. "Play Ball!"

#### MCELREATH IN CITY

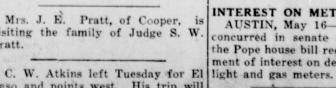
C. W. McElreath, who lives nine miles southwest of Cisco, was in the city shopping Saturday. He reports cotton and other crops growing fine.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\* THEN AND NOW

The old files of the Cisco Apert of March 1896 contain the following concerning Cisco enterprises: Two Gins A Compress Grist Mill An Oil Mill A Roller Mill Two Lines of Railway School and Church Buildings Splendid Waterworks Fire Department Telephone Exchange Cisco is the Center of a

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purposes.

#### CARBON

CARBON, May 14-Work on the havior. new Methodist church building is moving along rapidly and when completed the large local membership will have a building of which they at Breckenridge. may well be proud.

in Fort Worth.

Carl Graves and family of the Shady Grove community spent Saturday night and Sunday at the G. A. Mason home

J. W. Gage and wife were guests of relatives at Gorman Sunday.

A. D. Herring and wife and Mrs. Lee Poe, who have been making their Wednesday night with Mrs. Daughhome in De Leon for sometime, have erty. moved to Carbon.

J. E. Gilbert has returned from a business trip to Plainview. C. C. Swancy of Breckenridge was

here Sunday to see his wife, who is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Daniels.

Mrs. Johnnie King, of Hamilton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall.

E. F. James and family of Fort Worth, have returned home after a visit here to Mr. James' parents, Mr.

and Mrs. D. James. Mrs. I. A. Guy has gone to Phila-

celphia to visit relatives.

ROMNEY

ROMNEY, May 12-Frank Webb] Rev. Ellis filled his regular apand son, Brice, have been spraying pointment here Sunday. We are glad their apple trees. Several years ago to say there was a large crowd presthese progressive farmers set out ent. Come again. about seventy-five acres in fruit ful and have often taken prizes at Irish potatoes and other farm crops. the Texas State Fair.

Since the weather has cleared up some the farmers of this community are busy in the fields.

There is considerable interest in oil and gas leases around Romney Kimbrough and family, all motored now

C. L. Carmichael is driving a new Sunday. automobile.

Ed Miller, our solid old German farmer, has recovered from a recent severe spell of sickness. His many Saturday. friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery

Carl Halsell, assisted by Miss Mabel Falls of Rising Star, has just closed one of the most successful week. terms of school we have ever had in Jim Boatman and family left last Romney. The trustees have elected week for South Texas, where they them for another term and it is un- expect to make their home. derstood that they have accepted the offer.

T. J. Morris, one of our most progressive farmers, is turning his attention largely to melon growing, at this place on May the thirteenth, Mrs. Morris is the champion turkey was a marked success. The leading raiser in this part of the country but feature of the day was a delicious there are others who also make it luncheon served by the good dames profitable.

#### SABANNO

SABANNO, May 12 --Farmers are very busy plowing corn and planting cotton. Crop prospects for this folks in the earlier part of the week. section of the county are good.

our Sunday night singings. Sabanno ter part of last week. has an excellent singing class and some good leaders.

Basil Huntington ans Miss Estelle Fore were married in Eastland last Friday. They will make their home

Mrs. W. P. Howard is very ill at

this writing. L. J. Griggs is still visiting his son

E. R. Wagner and Dan Meador Mr. Roy Lasater spent Friday Dr. T. G. Jackson and Dr. W. H. have returned home accompanied by night with Mr. Jewell McCord, of Gay attended the medical convention Mr. Wagner's brother, who is sick. Cisco.

guests of Mrs. Lewis Sunday.

W. H. Wagner visited his son, E. R. Wagner, yesterday. Mrs. Seay and daughter, Nellie, McMillian home Sunday evening.

vere shopping in Rising Star. Mrs. Lewis and children spent

E. R. Wagner and brother, W. J. went to Rising Star yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Seay and daughter which these former Ciscoans ask that

Monday Mrs. Casler is improving fast.

day. L. H. Wagner visited Sam Seay mately return to Cisco as perman-Sunday

#### REICH

M. H. McCanlies was Cisco visitor Sunday R. N. Jackson and Mr. John Me-

Can motored over to Eastland Tuesday. on business.

Mr. Riddle, of Cisco, was out Montrees. They have been very success- day looking over his fine crop of Mrs. Parker is very ill at this writ.

ing with pneumonia. Mr. Barn Allen and family spent Monday in Cisco with relatives. Jim Dillion and wife, Mr. Mose

over to Cross Plains and other points Ed Callerman and wife were Cisco shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Rube Ivy was a Cisco visitor

L. E. Clark and family, of Pisgah attended church here Sunday evening Grandpa McConell, of Stephen county, visited his son C. J., here last

Mutt and Jeff.

PLEASANT HILL

The Mother's Day program given of the community. Many visitors of other communities and the near-by towns were present. Mr. Robert Tucker is sick at pres-

Miss Ruth Martin visited home

We are having good attendance at visited friends of this place the lat-Rev. J. Ponder and grand-daugh-

Rev. Altie Hardin and wife and

Did You Know?

Griggs. Large crowd and good be- Rev. Lawrence Troty, of Abilene, spent the week end in this community Miss Nell Carter was a guest of

Veda Martin Sunday night. Miss Grace Gentry, of Carbon, 1 visiting in this vicinity this week.

Mr. Wagner's brother, who is seen. They thought the change would help town, visited her father, J. H. Mar-S. A. Wagner and family were the tin of this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMillian, of Oak Grove, were guests in the Miles

#### **GUNTHER AND HERRING**

The American is in receipt of letters from W. D. Herring, at Waco, other cotton. and E. T. Gunther, at Dallas, in visited in the E. R. Wagner home the Cisco American be mailed to

them regularly for a year. Both Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stephenson at- gentlemen made good citizens while tended church at Long Branch Sun- here and many will join the Ameri can in the hope that they may ulti-

ent residents.

All first-class, all kinds. I am overocked on some feeds and will mak:

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# **Cisco Paint Shop**

In Connection with the Southwestern Motor Company





There will be an all-day singing, and dinner will be served on the ground here the third Sunday in May Everyone is invited.

Hoyt Brown and Miss Nellie Brown were married last Sunday afternoon.

Judge Duke performed the ceremony. Misses Willie Peters and Oma Bell were recently married to the Ir gram brothers of Nimrod.

#### GRIGGS

GRIGGS, May 15-We are having sunshiny days now and the farmers are sure fighting general green.

Mr. Schmidt, who is digging gold on the A. F. Luker farm, was working with a dynamite cap and exploded and lacerated his hands so badly the doctors had to amputate most of his left hand.

H. J. Stephenson had business at Cisco yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lloyd visited German Monday and Tuesday. S. A. Gardner returned home Sat-

urday night from Sherman where he went to attend he funeral of his sister. Mrs. A. F. White.

There was preaching Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night at

That eve strain, will cause headaches, nervousness, indigestion and constipation? It will, why? The same nerves that feed the muscles which control the eye, also feed the stomach and lower bowels.

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### W. I. Ghormley

#### 500 Main Street Cisco

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OR

#### WHAT ARE THE QUALITIES OF A REAL ELK?

(Bruce a Campbell, Past Grand Exhalted Ruler)

"I am an Elk"-you say. But if one for liberty and that permits the indi- How many folks in the passing throng asks you "Why?" "What for?" vidual, untrammeled and unrestrain- Saw the old man as he passed today "What is an Elk?" What will be ed, to pursue his own sweet way. He belives that when license is substi-your answer? Let us by elimination belives that when license is substi-tuted for liberation belives that when license is substituted for liberty, when the whim and avoid confusing the issue. By an Elk is not meant simply a member of the Order, not alone a member of duct, when we are permitted to do as a particular Lodge, who pays his dues regularly, who wears upon the lapel we please without regard to the 'Twould cheer his heart as he strugof his coat the emblem of our frathealth, comfort and safety of others, ernity and is entitled to be addressed as "Brother."

becomes the order of the day.

be happy. In other words, the true-

blue, real human, every-day Ameri-

can citizen, who, without frills and

without ostentation pursues the even

tenor of his way, trying to make the

world a little better place to live in,

seeking to aid those about him, en-

deavoring to do his full duty to so-

ciety and to his fellow man in every-

thing that comes to him to do, think-

ing well of his fellow man until com-

pelled to do otherwise, having his

faults and knowing that he has them

fighting for the right and against

the wrong, faithful to every trust

loving his God and his Country and

Putting it in another way, an av

ery-day, decent, God-fearing Ameri

PASSERS-BY

(The Rotarian)

I passed a man on the road today,

His back was bent and his hair was

Which worry and toil had written

He passed along with the crowd some

Bearing the weight of his deep dis-

Upon his old face were lines of care,

passed him by, but I'm wordering

I passed him by, as I hurried on

faithful to each even until death.

can citizen is the real Elk.

gray,

there.

gone.

where,

pair

now.

He may be the real Elk and he may only be a member of the Order without appreciation of either his duties or responsibilities.

Let us rather consider the real Elk, who believes in the Order who recognizes the responsibility of his membership and who does not evade the duties incident thereto, who considers his obligation something more than a prerequisite to membership, who believes in the fundamental principles, ideals and purposes of the Order and who endeavors in his own simple way to make them his.

Edgar Guest, who tells us so vividly and so well in verse the things we always knew but never thought of, once wrote a poem in which he told of his examination of the monthly school report of his little son. He said that the only mark he was particularly interested in was the mark in "Effort" for if he found that the little fellow was graded 100 percent in effort then the other grades were more or less immaterial because he knew that the boy had done his best.

So we come to the first part of our answer. The real Elk grades 100 per cent in effort. He may grade much less in results, but if he has done his best he can do no more. Maybe he has failed in this duty or that. Maybe he has upon occasions failed to be charitable, maybe he has failed to be just, maybe Brotherly Love has not always filled his heart and maybe he has not always been faithful to every trust, to every duty, and to

every obligation. Of course he has failed to grade 100 percent in results. So has the writer and so have all who head this article. If we had not so I failed we would not be human. We would be superhuman and this earth is populated with human and not with superhuman people. None of us has ever felt the sprouts of angel wings nor has the fit of our coats been ever been spoilt by the protuberances of superhuman attributes.

Furthermore the real Elk is charitable, just, loving and faithful; one who does his duty as he sees it, who believes in his fellow man and in humanity, who loves this world of ours and thinks it a mighty fine place to live in because people are here, who believes in his country, its flag and its institutions, who does his best whenever and wherever called, who loves his Order and its ideals and principles and who tries in his daily life to carry out these principles and ideals in a practical every-day way.

He believes law and shouldn't have stopped and THE STATE OF TEXAS, learned somehow County of Eastland

If there could say To help the old man along his way. COUNTY, TEXAS.

wonder now as I go along,

only guide and rule of personal con- A word, a smile, but 'twould help him ty, Texas, on judgment rendered in live,

gled on

good government fails and anarchy That fills at best the world's real C.

need The real Elk is one who is good It may be only a word or smile

to be human., who works enough to be useful and who plays enough to while.

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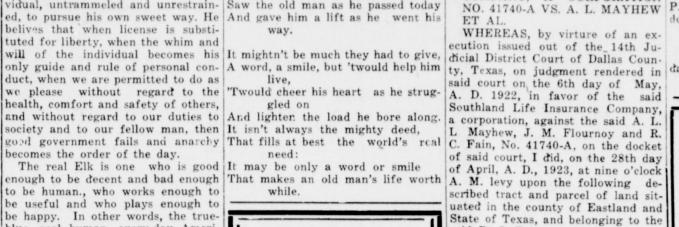
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S. B. line of said lot, for the S. E.

corner of this tract; THENCE, at

right angles, in a northerly direc-

tion, eighty-five (85) feet, a stake

sale, at public auction, for cash all

of the right, title and interest of the

said R. C. Fain in and to said prop-

in the N. E. corner of this tract;

THENCE, at right angles, in a wes-

terly direction, fifty (50) feet, a

stake for the N. W. corner of this

tract; THENCE, at right angles in

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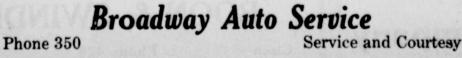


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f opening the new stock.

CARBON, March 6-Business isfew can express the anguish incident lively with us at present. The sound to the departure of a wife, and the of the hammer can be heard from number is still smaller when it be- of Joe Wilson. various points; four business houses comes necessary to say how much are now under progress, besides various dwellings.

Our corps of teachers are represented in the Rising Star Institute by Mancill brothers departed this life of stock last Saturday. Profs. Crance and Mahan.

Editor Randle made a business trip to Dublin Saturdey.

Prof. E. J. Stockton of Curtis wes among us Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Ravencraft and lady from Long Branch were the guests of Dr.

ve extend our heartfelt sympathy. Poe and lady Sunday. J. O. Shafer has moved his family

to Gorman. J. R. Stubblefield called on the

people here Sunday.

Sol. work.

Harris and Mrs. Cauble, who have been down with pneumonia are improving. Dr. Kimble of Gorman tells us that Mr. Lowell has measles in his family.

Mrs. Brown, wife of L. Brown, has a bouncing new girl baby that weighs

12 1-2 pounds, so they say. Mrs. R. S. Russell is sick with the

Stock water is very low and

cattle are looking very bad. School is doing tolerable well.

There was preaching last Sunday companied by Misses Irene Hodges The and Grace Parsons of Ranger, were by the Christian preacher. Baptists have no preacher. Meth- visitors in the city Sunday. odists have preaching every first Sunday. XX By recent action of the Prebyter-ian church, Rev. J. N. Ivy will devote

The Twentieth Century Club was invited by Mrs. J. J. Butts to spend scioon business in Cisco-Clark last Friday evening with her, and Brothers being the successor right royally did she entertain her Mrs. H. L. Wilson, of Des Moines friends. All the members of the lowa, is visiting the family of her club were present except Mrs. Ver- relative, City Marshal Pilcher. non, who was detained by a sick The Morris rock building has again

When all had arrived each mem- postoffice purposes for another term ber wes handed a card with cord of year and pencil atached, on which were questions for answers in twenty Wichita Falls, arrived in the city "familiar authors."

Then the president of the Mrs. Brannin, who assisted Mrs. ford, is expected to return soon and genial, happy manner that a prize again entertain us in her delightful would be awarded to the lady who correctly filled her card entire.

"Thinking caps" were quickly ad- Clegg, Wiley Hall and E. P. Alford, usted and in half an hour Mrs. J. T. Bilson held her card out for the stock inter-Wilson held her card aloft and exclaimed "I have finished!" and in a few moments more the agreeable kestess called for the cards. All Miss Rhoda Harrell, of the Deer were handed in, and all were entire Flains school, was visiting the home

"You must draw for the prize" explained Mrs. Butts. "And the last was among the teachers in Cisco last

Mrs. George Langston drew the highest card and was awarded a eautiful cloth-bound volume of

Eastland, have our thanks for cash highest card, was the recipient of a copy of Bryant's poems. Elegant refreshments were served now be found with his old associates consisting of banana cream, macar- in Cisco ocns, stuffed dates and salted al- C. S. Morris was in the city Monmonds, and the members of the day rather disfigured, having smash-Twentieth Century Club went away cd one of his feet by dropping: a firm in the opinion that with Mrs. large rock on it.

market and says everything new and up-to-date will soon be here ready for The State of Texas, County of inspection by the hundreds of customers.

prove-stony point is being topped 88th District Court of Eastland off with a nice five room cottage County, on the 16th day of April, which again demonstrates the pluck 1923, by Roy Nunnally, clerk of

they miss mother. All that was mor- Eddleman, Bullet Harris and Tom Hundred, Thirty Six and 76-100 tai of Mrs. Martha E., wife of Dr. Clegg composed a party that went up (\$2,436.76) Dollars and cost of suit W. E. Mancill and mother of the to explore Chicago with a train load in cause No. 9542 in said court, styl-

at the hour above named in her fiftyfifth year. The funeral service was was the occasion of a very pretty I, J. D. Barton, as Sheriff of Eastconducted in the First Baptist and unique home wedding at the land County, Texas, did on the 16th church in the evening of March 19th, residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. day of April, 1913, levy on certain 1899 by Rev. Chas. T. Alexander, D'Spain. The contracting parties were Real Estate situated in the city of and the remains laid to rest in the Mr. W. S. Whaley and Miss Fannie Cisco, in Eastland county, Texas and Cisco cemetery. To the bereaved ones D'Spain. Rev. Samuel Gay officiat- known and described as Lot 10, in ing in his usual very impressive man- Block No. 25, as shown by the map Among the teachers in Cisco last mer .- DeLeon Free Press.

Saturday to attend the institute were: R. R. Wells, the man who doesn't deed records of Eastland County, Prof. Mahan and Crance and wife of have to run for office, but whom Texas, and levied upon as the pro-Carbon, McAfee of Jewell, Miss "the office seeks" was in the city perty of said M. S. Stamps and on Langford of Ranger, Miss Dodd of yesterday parading in his usual good Tuesday, the 5th day of June 1923, vocal music which promises good Cozart, Everrett Brothers of Seran- mood. At present Mr. Wells is the at the Court House door of Eastland ton, Lane of Haskell, Carl Witt of county surveyor

Staff, Miss Julia Evans, Miss Cora JEWELL-Feb. 28-After the Johnson of Gorman, Miss Gardner of Georgetown, Texas, where he has a a. m. and four p.m., I will sell said cold spell things are improving. Mrs. Rising Star, Miss Chastain of Eastland and a number of others we fail- McMurray was called here by the re- cash, to the highest bidder as the ed to get their names. Quite a num- cent illness of his brother Fred, who property of said M. S. Stamps, by ber of the teachers were kept away died last week and was laid to rest in virtue of said levy and said Order of for various reasons-some on account the Cisco cemetery

The J. M. Radford Grocery Com- ] And in compliance with law, I give sickness, others because their schools were out, and others because pany has been chartered. Its places of this notice by publication in the Engbusiness are Abilene, Cisco and Colo- glish language, once a week for three Mrs. B. M. Fames and Mrs. Wiley rado, with principal office at Abilene. consecutive weeks, immediately pre-Daniels were slightly injured Sunday Incorporators, J. M. Radford, E. G. ceding said day of sale, in the Cisco by the harness on a surry team break- Batjer and D. P. Woodard. Capital the ing which caused a turn-over in a stock \$100,000.

#### FIRED FOR CAUSE

"Say, mamma, was baby sent down rom heaven?" "Why, yes.

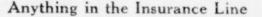
"Um. They like to have it quiet ian church, Rev. J. N. Ivy will devote up there, don't they?"-The Legion his entire time to his charge in Cisco. aire

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of said town and described in the

County, in the City of Eastland, Chas. McMurray returned to Texas, between the hours of ten

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an officer, your honor. I thought he was just a pedestrian"-New York Sun.

MARCHMAN'S BAD LUCK American, a newspaper published in Eastland County. C. N. Marchman, 6 1-2 miles south Witness my hand, this 16th day of town, was shopping in Cisco Saturday. He reports that the sandstorm of April, A. D. 1923.

usban'."

J. D. Barton, Sheriff, Eastland Friday killed his cotton and whipped County, Texas. his corn down for the third time. By Edward C. Battis, Deputy 47

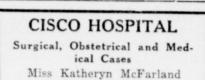
#### Mc CANTLIES ATTENDS CONVENTION

J. P. McCanlies arrived home Friday from Houston, where he went as a delegate from the local lodge to the state convention of the Knights of Pythias. The convention lasted four days and the attendance from over the state was large. One fact that impressed Mr. McCanlies during his absence was the large number of people

who knew Pet Brown and, as soon as they learned he was from Cisco, wanted the details of Mr. Brown's death. Without exception all praised the dead man in the highest terms as a first-class Christian gentleman and worthwhile citizen.

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Butts as hostess, a party without gentlemen present was a most enjoyable

Another home was made desolate J. A. Hamilton and family, of last Sunday at 12:25 a.m., when the Gorman, were visitors in the city last clock was stopped at the Mancill res- Friday. The junior Hamilton was very idence as the spirit of the wife and much interested in the Apert office.

Will Stanton, late of the artillery force on Sullivan Island, S. C., can

The home of O. T. Maxwell was the scene of a pleasant gathering. fair. Mrs. Connellee of Eastland, was the teachers that atended the insti-

mother departed at that hour-but J. F. Patterson has returned from

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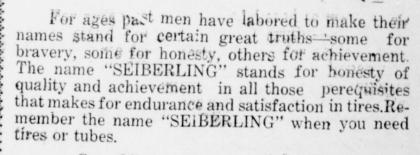


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#### ELECTRIFY THE FARM AND STOP DECREASE IN FARM POPULATION

The agricultural population in ru-, dro-electric development. ral districts of the United States de- In 1917, California had a total es creased approximately 460,000 per- timated investment in hydro-elecrite sons in 1922, as shown by a survey of of \$353,000,000, N.Y. state \$124,000. 10,000 representative farms and \$53,000,000; New York state, includgroups of farms made by the United ing Niagara development, \$124,000,-States Department of Agriculture, 000. California's population was This is a drop of about one and five- 3,100,000; New York, 10,000,0000. tenths per cent based on 1920 census California's per capita investment ir. figures, which placed the agricultural hydro-electric development was \$114; New York's was \$9.50. It is estipopulation in rural districts at 51,-359,000 persons. Not merely workers, mated that in 1921, California public utilities expended \$13.50 per capita but men, women and children are inon hydro-electric development. cluded in the estimate. And thereby hangs a tale. Cali-

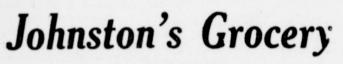
Among the geographic divisions the population movement away from the farm was relatively strongest in California produces enormous crops the Pacific States, and the percenper acre. Irrigation in California tage of loss was greater than the avhas been extensively developed by the erage for the United States in the use of the electric motor for pumping West, South, Central and New Engpurposes. land States as well as in the Pacific group. All other divisions were bepower for irrigation and has been cllow the national average.

ectrifying the whole farm. The movement from farms to towns and cities is estimated at about 2,discussing the problems of the farm-000,000 persons, partly offsetting ers. Electricity in California is solwhich was a movement of aproxi- ving the problems of the farmers by mately 880,000 persons from cities putting his farm on a business basis and towns to farms. This left a net which eliminates as far as possible the shift from farms to towns and cities hazard entailed by the elements thru of about 1,120,000 persons, or about lack of moisture during drouth perthree and six-tenths per cent of the lods.

rural agricultural population at the Electricity seems to do away with beginning of the year. Births on the tumbled down appearance of the applicants for the next convention, farms were 925,000 and deaths 265,farm. It does away with farm iso-000. The excess of births over lation through the telephone and deaths reduced the net loss in agriradio. It runs the food choppers, cultural population to 460,000 perpumps the water, lights the house sons, or one and five-tenths per cent of that population.



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These are some of the things that electricity is doing for the farm. In advantage of the offer of the governour discussion of agricultural pro- ment of April 24, when Secretary blems it would seem that much can Work threw open 275,000 acres of be learned from California and its public land in five western states for electrical development and its rela- entry by ex-service men. Several tion to lightening the load of the Eastland county young men have alfarmer

#### Eastland Took Second Prize In Reel Race

Messrs. Jonah Donovan, Bob Bettis, Lovell Wilson, C. O. Pass, fornia farm lands are probably the George Carmicheal and H. C. Wipmost valuable in the United States. pern, representing the Cisco fire department, report a fine time at the San Marcos convention, May 8, 9 and 10. Mr. Carmicheal atended as city fire marshall, it being a joint meeting of Texas firemen and fire mar- glars broke into the back door of the shals. Mr. Bettis was honored by being Pioneer Filling Station and carried appointed a member of the finance away the office safe, which contained committee. The atendance was lar- approximately \$235. At 4 o'clock The papers are filled with articles Marcos turned the city over to the reported that they had found the safe tage of his honor, are said to have miles northeast of the city. The con-There were 28 entrants in the reel safe itself a total wreck. This is the race. Victoria copped the first prize third time that the office safe at the while Eastland walked away with the filling station has been carried away second prize in handy manner. Cisco and looted within the last year. did not compete. There were many but McKinney was easily the favorite.

#### PISTOL BILL KILLED

AUSTIN, May 16-The house reand milks the cows. It is taking the fused to concur in the senate's drudgery out of the farm work and amendment to the Stroder bill. The shirts, as had been proposed by the East Texas or for the manufacture of California leads the world in hy- putting it on a business basis where bill would make it a felony to carry

arms while violating the prohibition laws. The senate amendment would make it a felony to "conspire or act with others in the matter of committing an assault upon any person or the taking of any person into their custody, or the threatening to inflict corporal punishment upon any person.

Declaring that the bootlegger was a gentleman beside the masked flogger, Mr. Patman urged the house to concur. Upon motion by Mr. Quaid the house refused and the speaker appointed house members of the free conference committee to iron out the differences.

SATURDAY ELK DAY Saturday will be Elk Day at Eastland and Elks of this and surrounding counties in large numbers are expected to visit the county seat on this ocasion. There will be a parade in which Eastland, Ranger, Cisco and other Elks will participate, and foilowing the initiation of a class of about 100 new members, there will be a barbeucue.

It seems impossible to frame an mmigration law that will keep out the Scotch .- New York Tribune.

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Many former soldiers have taken ready entered on desirable tracts and others are expected to do so

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WICHITA FALLS, May 16---Burer than usual and the mayor of San Monday evening city police officers visitors, who while not taking advan- near the Thornberry Bridge, twelve had the time of their young lives. tents of the safe were missing and the

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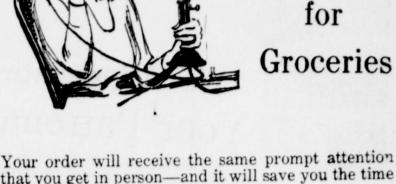
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Bill Mayhew, manager of the Broadway said: "Would like to get as many couples as possible and any one in the county can take advantage of this proposition as it is not intended for the town couples only as the more couples we get the better." No names will be announced if parties desire.' Address your application to the manager of the Broadway Theater not ater than Tuesday noon, so that the icense can be purchased.

#### MITCHELL

(Dan Horn) The Dan Horn Home Economic llub and the Girls' Gardening and Canning Club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. B. Starr. Although Mrs. Johnson was unable to there, they had an interesting meeting, as well as an interesting diner. During the meeting the Watkins alesman, Dock Kendrick, called and gave an entertainment which was

much enjoyed. We had a party at Starr's last iday night, the occasion being Will oe's birthday. It was enjoyed by a umber of young folks also several tonwood Sunday. f the older ones. Cake and lemonade

re served as refreshments. Several of the young folks attendat seven-thirty every Sunday. Come d Sunday school and church at Reich and bring some one with you. unday evening.

Next Sunday evening is our regu-Mrs. J. N. Rupe and Mrs. T. B. lar singing evening. Everybody inlarris, were visiting at Putnam Sun- vited.

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nicely. We meet every Sunday night

attended the all day singing at Cot-

meeting was held.

#### OLSON TO SWEDEN

A. J. Olson departed Wednesday for a trip to his old home in Sweden Mr. Olson has many relatives in the The Dothan and Dan Horn Club old country and anticipates a great boys met at W. B. Starr's last Satur- time renewing old ties and visiting scenes of his boyhood days. The best ing dairy cattle. A very interesting wishes of a large circle of friends accompany him on his long voyage.

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#### OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McCanlies and Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCanlies and family motored to Comanche Sunday.

Tom Bacon has returned to his heme at Wills Point after a short visit with his father, C. T. Bacon. Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Ziehr and chil-

dren of route 3, were shopping in Cisco Wednesday. Mrs. Ben Weatherby of Putnam

is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Eliza Little.

formerly of Cisco, was in Cisco Tuesday greeting relatives and friends.

Miss Esmus Rice of Strawn, is spending this week with her uncle. O. J. Tunnell.

J. W. Garlington, of Bowie, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Barker.



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M. E. Sherman of Guthrie, Okla. visiting his brother, John Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Taylor of Denton stopped over in Cisco Tuesay to visit Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. D. Barker. They were enroute to

W. Y. Rockwell, of Dallas, is in Ciso looking after business interests. The employes of the Jno. H. Garne

tore enjoyed a picnic and swimming party Monday night at Lake Strick Felix G. Lewis, of Thorp Springs, jland. Those present were Messrs

and Messdames H. S. Drumwright, Nick Miller, Fred Watson, Misses Havel Atkinson, Gertrude McCanlies, Ruby Love, Loma and Lucile Bedford,

Mrs. B. Bedell, Messrs. Harry How-ell, Sterling Drumwright ani Everett Estes. Sarter

C. N. Brown and family left Wednesday for Baird where they will reide in the future. Milton Miller, of New Orleans,

who has been visiting his neice, Miss Irene Heslin, left Sunday for a vist n Dallas. Newton Drury left Wednesday for

orsicana where he has accepted a has returned to her home in Fort osition with a motor company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Terbet and aughter, Miss Marguerite Terbet, a business visitor in Cisco Monday. of Thurber, are the guests of Mrs. Terbet's sister, Mrs. E. J. Barnes. E. G. Pierce and J. Lee Cearley on business were in Eastland Tuesday on busi-

less. F. D. Wright transacted business Weatherford.

n Eastland Tuesday.

friends in Cisco Tuesday.

ents in Bartlett. R. F. Holloway has returned from afternoon.

business trip to Dallas. W. C. Jackson, of Breckenridge, tored to Eastland Sunday.

was a Cisco visitor Tuesday. Miss Mable Tucker has returned

to her home in Dallas after a delightful visit with Miss Olga Beard. Miss Elsie Jane O'Neil, of Fort Worth, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C.

F. Fath. R. F. Hart of Brownwood was in day. Mr. and Mrs. V. E. McCharen, of Monday, Tuesday Cisco Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts, of De describe the appearance Leon, were Cisco visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Hollman, of Quincy, Fla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. W. H. Kennon.

Miss Alma Barton, of Whitney, visited friends in Cisco Sunday.

A. J. Thompson, of Moran, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wagnon, of Every speck of dirt, even Dallas, were in Cisco Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Philip Pettit and daughter, Miss Minnie Eleanor Pettit, and Miss Olga Beard motored to Eastland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Patterson have returned from an extended visit in and Milford. New Mexico.

Mesdames Wm. Reagan, G. B. Kel-ly and J. J. Collins attended a luncheon in Ranger Wednesday, given by the New Era club. Capt. G. H. Judia left Saturday on

a business trip to Waco. Mrs. E. B. Gude left Sunday for two week's visit in San Angelo.

visit in Dallas. Wednesday. Rev. C. G. Howard has returned Mrs. W. E. Chaney and son, Bus-

from Kansas City, Mo., where he ter, of Eastland, were visiting friends left Tuesday for Ennis where they Miss Ulala Howard, of Eastland, went to attend the Southern Baptist in the city Wednesday. convention.

F. C. Reimer returned Wednesday from a business trip to San Angelo. mons Bahan. F. A. Babcock has returned from Rev. and Mrs. O. F. Sensabaugh

a business trip to Weatherford. Leonard Simon made a business

trip to Caddo Monday.

J. P. Flynn has returned from New Orleans where he was called on ac- Cisco visitor Sunday. count of the death of his mother. Mrs. Flynn and little daughter, Dorothy, remained for a week's visit with

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith and lit- becoming personality to the fashiontle daughter have returned from a able woman, are to be found at Mrs. delightful vacation spent in San An- Ida Kennon's Style Shop. tonic

Miss Eula Estes, of Stanton, 15 in Cisco visiting her sister, Miss Mamie "Oh, go to Halifax."-Boston Tran-

Messrs. Forrest Newman, Carl script. Baird and Eddie Little attended the singing convention at Sabanno Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Southern have returned from a visit with Mr. Southern's brother in Dallas.

Mrs. Eva Gray, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben Mills. Worth.

W. E. Bradshaw, of Scranton, was Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Snoddy, of Weatherford, were in Cisco Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Merritt left Saturday to make their home in

The Junior Twentieth Century Miss Mattie Clark, of Hico, visited club will entertain with a picnic Sat- "THE NE'ER DO WELL" urday at Lake Strickland. All mem-Mrs. F. F. Jones is visiting her par- bers are requested to meet at Miss Addie Fee's at five thirty Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayden mo-

Frank Bell has returned to Dallas after a short stay in the city with relatives.

Miss Mary Bose, of Rising Star, is the guest of Mrs. Syl Dossett. Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones and son,

Crandell, motored to Eastland Sun-

De Leon, spent the week end in the city with Mrs. McCharen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ford.

Rev. E. H. Holmes spent/ Sunday in McKinney.

Mrs. R. H. Dorsey left Monday for Dennison, where she will visit her mother.

Mrs. A. J. Ward spent the week end in Dallas with her husband. Mr. Ward accompanied her home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bell motored to Eastland and Ranger Sunday. Mrs. G. B. Hall and daughter, Louise, arrived in Cisco Tuesday from a two week's visit in Austin, Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurray spent the week end in Abilene. On account of the commencement sermon at the Methodist church there will be no services, morning or evening, at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Winston motored to Eastland and Ranger Sun-

daughter

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morse and Mrs. J. N. Rupe of the Mitchell Roy Morrison, of Parks, spent the Messrs. Bobbie Mims, Everett Saraughter, Jean, have returned from community was shopping in Cisco week end in the city with his fam- ter, George Fee and Barton Cole atlily.

> Mrs. G. E. Campbell of Abilene and Mrs. William Weatherford. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Em-

her sister, Mrs. Kate Richardson.

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ent Tuesday in Cisco with relatives.

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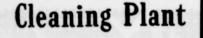
live this year. A large variety of

tyles in the latest shades that add the

tended the ball game at Eastland Mrs. Minter Womack and children Sunday.

will visit Mrs. Womack's parents, Mr. was in Cisco Monday, the guest of

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two week's visit in San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shockley mo-Mrs. J. M. Wood and Mrs. J. M. Wood and tored to Eastland Sunday. T. S. Rominger, of Rotan, is visit- Miss Opal Wood, of Lamesa, ing relatives in Cisco. shopping in Cisco Tuesday.

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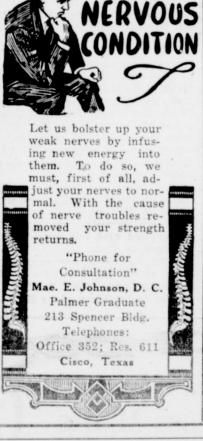
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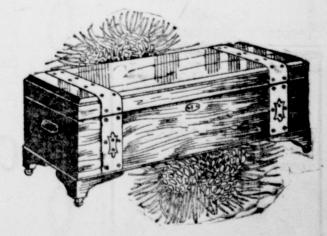
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thing is getting very dry out in this An infant of Mr. Case's died Mon-

are still at work and have not lost Prof. Crance closed his school at

with chills and fever. The mumps are C. S. Morris returned from Arkan-

E.

that would be interesting, as I am and H. A. Robinson as aldermen, the

turns

H.

Prof. E. J. Stockton, who has pur-

arug store, is here figuring on build-

fested in the city election up to two

days prior to that important event.

ing a new residence.

Carbon Saturday.

We are glad to state that sickness Rev. Boon, P. E., preached here

SCRANTON, April 3 .- Every- jing is the order of the day.

hopes of getting rain in due time. Centre Point Friday until July.

part of the country but the farmers day.

n a few days from Nashville, where

he has been attending medical lec-

tures. We welcome him home again.

residence in West Scranton, and is

Mr. Tuts Lovelady left last week

for Haskell county where he will re-

ide in the future. We wish him suc-

hunn, is visiting his daughter, Mrs.

ovelady, in Haskell county this

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Everett, Miss-

es Emily Jolly, Katie and Thulia

latton, were visiting in Nimrod

The school election was held here

ast Saturday for the election of

Mr. J. J. Henderson and Tom

Martin will leave Monday for Okla-

Mr. Miller from near Cisco has

School is increasing in attendance

Well, I don't gather much news

PETE JUGGLENOT.

NIMROD, April 3.\_\_\_We have had ome cold weather the past week. T. Maxwell, 69.

busy most of the time trying to keep

Some people have corn up, while

sick list last week, is convalescent. Died .- This morning at half past 256.

six o'clock, Eva Emily, the little

daughter of S. L. Teague. She was

taken sick four weeks ago yesterday.

She would have been three years

Mrs. Dr. Teague, who was on the L.

others have not planted yet.

dren that are very sick.

alive now, is improving.

some time.

trustees. J. J. Ray, Tom Ruther-

Dr. A. L. Johnson has built a new

his home in Alexander.

now an occupant of it.

iss in his new home.

or this district.

moved to Scranton.

after so much sickness.

the wolf from the door.

homa.

Our commissioner, Mr.

Mrs. W. L. Gattis is sick at present meeting.

Dr. J. Britain will be back home Worth Saturday.

(April, 1899)

as employment with a railroad. The Cisco Roller Mill is now i corporated and its business possibil ties brighter. The directors are C. H. Fee, president; H. L. Broadwell, v. o.; J. M. Sherman, business manager; George Reynolds and F. C. le Veaux.

The wife of Mr. G. F. Townsend died last Sunday night from measles and pneumonia at the home south- dering of All Kinds west of town. The remains were interred at Pisgah on Tuesday evening., C. L. Harrell wants the people to is subsiding somewhat in this com- Friday night while on his way to Pleasant Valley to hold a quarterly know he is selling feed and if you have not got time to call just ring up phone 67 at the stable. 2pd

about to run out in the community, sas with a car load of Arkansas cat- A hundred addressing capacity of the Methodist church on account J. E. Pruett came in from Fort of the revival now in progress.

The Cisco ladies will have a dinner on April 4th, election day, the chased an interest in the White Bros. proceeds to go to improving the city cemetery. They earnestly request all the citizens in and out of town to Prof. McKee, of Jewell, visited give them a call on this occasion.

J. M. Hartman and family now occupy the Porter property on the There was but little interest mani- east side.

#### SCRANTON BOY GRADUATES

but the more thought given to the The Christian Observer of May 16 subject the warmer it got, and Monarried a list of this year's graduates day evening the "ball" was opened, Kentucky Presbyterian Theorem and it dawned upon the people that cgical seminary, at Louisville, Ky., there was opposition for all the ofand among them was Hugh Elmer fices. There was no step made back-Bradshaw, son of W. E. Bradshaw, ward, however, and the steady ad-Scranton. Rev. Mr. Bradshaw is vance and progress of the city will well known in Cisco, having filled still continue with E. P. Alford as the pulpit of the local Presbyterian the young, progressive and agressive church on several occasions. He gradord and J. M. Wyott were elected mayor, who was elected for the third uated with an A. B. degree and was consecutive term. Mr. Alford's course awarded the E. L. Warren medal. as a conservative and progressive Mr. Bradshaw is expected to return man is borne out by the splendid vote to Texas and make his home in this he got, however there were several state.

of the old officers turned down. Among the newly elected are Mr. Dixon as city marshal, W. B. Clegg

CORONIONONONONONONONONONONO as assessor and collector, W. F. Turner as treasurer, and J. T. Yeargin

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Davies, 53. For Treasurer-J. M. Williamson, 109; Will F. Turner, 149. other cotton.

old the fifth of this month. She died O. T. Maxwell left Tuesday for with lagrippe and slow fever. Eigh-Abilene to attend Presbytery. teen days ago today their little babe E. P. Alford is in South Texas died with the same disease. We symwhere he took his little babe to see pathize with the bereaved parents her grandparents. **Cisco Grain & Elevator** 

latter gentleman was the valley can-

didate. There were over 270 votes

cast. Below will be found the re-

For Mayor-E. P. Alford, 185; O.

very much. Melvin, their only child The little son of Tom Martin at Ranger, was drowned in an old well Tom Ferguson, of Gorman, came up last Thursday and commenced work for T. J. Ferguson Friday, Sunday morning.

Cisco's cotton receipts to date are ver 25,000 bales, and nearly every where he will probably work for day there are a few straggling bales on the streets. T. W. Plummer sold W. W. Early

took place at 2 p. m. yesterday with

Died-Monday afternoon, April

services at the grave. To the bereaved ones we extend sympathy.

10th, at 5 o'clock, Mrs. Mary A. Bun-

nell, age 63 years. Funeral services

from the family residence Tuesday

efternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Bunnell

was preceded to the grave only the

short space of a few weeks by her husband. To the bereaved ones we

E. E. Kean and family are now loated in their recently purchased

G. W. Dunaway was down from

Moran last week and had his address

John Collins is now slinging bag-

gage at the depot for the T. & P

Died-Elbert. the two-year-old young mule Saturday for \$75son of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Clark, herses may be down, but that does on Tuesday morning very much like mules are

xtend sympathy.

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changed to Cisco.



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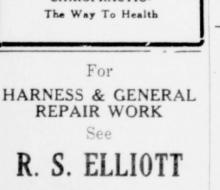
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es it? Richard Melton, who has been very low with pneumonia, is now improv-R. B. Hogin and family started

ist Saturday to visit his father near ansco lake.

The measles are getting well scatred here, and it is reported that hn Brown's children have got the

A few warm days and Mother. Earth will put forth her verdant car-

Monkey Wright will soon have his n done Rev. Woods, of Lamar county, and

Rev. Griffin, of Cottonwood, were the guests of Dr. Teague today BILLIE PIMPLE.

Chas. Currie and family have CARBON, April 30 .- Cotton plant- moved to Louisiana where Mr. Currie



#### New York State's Secession from the Dry Column

(Literary Digest)

the dry column, but "from the Union that has put prohibition into the constitution," is what the Schenectady Union-Star (Rep.) sees in the repeal of the Mullan-Gage prohibition enforcement law by the New York legislature in its closing hours. New York is the only state that has repealed its enforcement law, and we devote this article to the views of the New York state press, which can speak with information and authority upon the causes and result of this action. Turning again to the Schenectady journal we are assured that "if the repealer is signed by Governor Smith, and if the rummies get things to their liking, you are going to see such an orgy of law-breaking, crime and violence that New York state will be a spectacle before the nation." "The next thing to nullification and secession," is the way the Troy Record (Rep.) characterizes this repeal. By this legislative action agrees the Albany Knickerbocker the New York press outside of New costly in morals and money. Press (Rep.), "New York puts itself, York City, virogous up-state expoafter a fashion, in rebellion against nents of the opposite view are not the nation's laws." For "it virtually lacking. Thus the Rochester Herald says to the federal power: This is (Ind.) welcomes the repeal legisladoes not recognize it-it is your law an "oppressive law"; and it says in enforce it if you can." The result part:

'will be a condition of chaos," this Albany paper predicts.

absolutely a law for the enforcement could be tried, convicted and punishof the Eighteenth amendment by ed twice for the same offense, and state aid," notes the Syracuse Her-ald (Ind.). This repeal, if Governor compelled to prove his innocence in Smith signs it, says the Elmira Star- order to recover his property and re-Gazette (Ind.), "will serve to bring tain his liberty, some subsequent the prohibition question sharply to legislature would have done so. It is the fore again in the elections next unthinkable that the state of New fall"; and the Birmingham Press York would long tolerate these op-(Ind.) agrees that "it puts the liquor pressive restrictions, whether the isissue into the first place in the 1924 sue involved be one of liquor law encampaign, and neither presidential forcement or of the protection of candidate can evade it without risking life and property. So far as the memthe loss of New York's vote." All ory of any men now living, and of these New York state papers that we their fathers before them, runs backhave quoted agree that the repeal of ward, provisions of double jeopardy the Mullan-Gage law is a mistake, for the same offense and seizure of and they urge Governor Smith to property and person without sworn veto it. Other up-state papers that warrant have been abhorrent to all share this view are the Utica Press English-speaking peoples. They are (Ind.), Newburgh News (Rep.), Buf- no less so now, to men whom pasfalo Express (Rep.), Buffalo News sionate zeal for a single idea has not (Rep.), Syracuse Post-Standard bereft of an sense of justice and (Rep.)-which declares that "the sound legal principles." real issue involved is law vs. lawlessness"-Rochester Chronicle (Rep.), Watertown Times ing "An Obnoxious Law Dies," we (Rep.) and Rochester Times-Union read: (Ind.). The last-named paper re-minds us that the Mullan-Gage act 'Bootlegging received its first jarring setback when the legislature repealed the Mullan-Gage dry enthat its repeal therefore "leaves the forcement act. It was the bootleggers' state without any enforcement law." strongest ally. It made corruptionists, \* Even cities and communities that bribe-takers and low criminals gen-

traffic," it declares. And in the Utica cers, the enforcement law cost the Gage law; the use of police officers in repealing the Mullan-Gage law Observer-Dispath (Ind.) we read:

"If the governor approves this measure, his signature will throw the States would not be sufficient to proportionately true up-state. enforce the law in half the cities of this state, say nothing of the towns

the stern duties of citizenship. the police been foc "When we are brought face to in another direction.

face with what will follow the throwhaps begin to realize what is to be done.

"And when we finally realize that, thank God! and finish the job as it deserves."

Although these papers seem to represent the majority opinion of ly experiment for New York state-

"If this legislature had not resolved to rid the statute books of "Ours is the first state to repeal an enactment under which a man

And in Norman E. Mack's Buf-Democrat and falo Times (Dem.), under the head-

voted out the saloon before prohibi- erally out of men otherwise amention was established are left helpless able to the law. It created a nebulous

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confusion under which the bootleg- the enforcement law, many of them of New York. The members of the part of the police force from its

and for what? In New York City

"Meanwhile gunmen have been shooting straight and merrily; thieves the country and border rum traffic. have crosed the 'deadline'; banks and "To plunge into such conditions business houses throughout the state will be most deplorable; although it have been looted nightly by crimiis barely possible that we need just nals who would have been under the Governor Smith to sign the repeal federal government is free to emthat sort of shock to arouse us to watchful eyes of the police had not bill becausethe police been focusing their eyes

any police officer at any time for such help as they need.

"The Mullan-Gage law was a cost-

A poll of sixty-two New York papers by the New York Times (Dem.) your law-the state of New York tion as the inevitable reaction against tions, city and up-state. The Times ice of politicians when they are chal- York City." And in the Brooklyn reports that "regardless of political lenged by the anti-saloon league. affiliation, up-state newspapers gen-

"What with special policemen and on the graft, the blackmail and cor- voted against the repeal. Virtual secession, not only from to prohibit or prosecute the liquor 'dry' assignments for regular offi- ruption made possible by the Mullan- "The anti-saloon league claims that sympathy. In the performance of this

eral officer-holders within this state lished." in order to reduce the federal budget.

lature it could be indicted as a pub- moral responsibility in the enforce-

"The legislature that repealed this erally deplore the attempt to repeal law carried out the public sentiment law in this city was to divert a large who is to amputate-Dallas News.

gers were able to operate, smoothly fearing lawlessness by bootleggers, assembly and senate who voted to sential duty of protecting life and if they distributed bribes, and not especially along the Canadian bor- repeal it represented approximately property to assisting the federal govprecariously even though they re- der." Those papers favoring repeal, 2,000,000 more of the population of ernment in the enforcement of a fedfused to divide their prize money. it tells us, "base their arguments up- this state than did the members who

state of New York millions of dollars, for prohibition enforcement instead the legislature has tried to nullify of protecting life and property; the the constitution of the United States alone there were 13,000 indictments cost to the state of enforcing a fed- and has defied the federal authority and annoying respectable men and state wide open. The entire United and only 13 convictions! The same is double iconardy by making them such as defied the federal authority double iconardy by making them such as defied the federal authority for the same is double iconardy by making them such as defied the federal authority is the flimsiest of nonsense. double jeopardy by making them sub- Eighteenth amendment still stands a ject to prosecution in both the state part of the constitution of the United and federal courts for the same of- States. It was never part of the con-

stitution of New York. The Volstead Turning to New York City press, law still stands as the enforcement we find The World (Dem.) urging measure enacted by congress, and the

ploy every power that is vested in it "The state of New York is under to enforce this act. New York is neither legal nor political obligation doing nothing to hinder, nothing to "The bootleggers' law is dead-and to enforce the Volstead law for the obstruct, the federal authority. It is ing open of the state, we will per- good riddance. Now the enforcement United States government. It might minding its own busness and letting of the law is on the shoulders of the as consistently be asked to collect the the United States government attend federal officers, where it properly federal income taxes in order to save to its own affairs, which is the very belongs, their work simplified to a expense to the United States treas-essence of political principle on which we will go to work, man-fashion, great extent by their right to call on ury, or to pay the salaries of all fed- American institutions were estab-

The Morning Telegraph (Dem.) "If the Mullan-Gage law were any- approves the repeal, "not so much thing less than an act of the legis- because we believe the state has no

lic nuisance. Grand jury after grand ment of a section of the constitution jury has protested against it, and it it has ratified as because the Mullanseems to prove that the repeal bill has remained on the statute books Gage law has become a fruitful has divided the state into two sec- only because of the habitual coward- scurce of graft ad corruption in New

Citizen (Dem.), we read:

eral law with which nine-tenths of the people of this city are out of

duty the police force frequently outraged public sentiment by raiding reputable restaurants and harassing women who had gone to these restaurants in the confident belief that this was a free country in which police despotism had no place.

"In the last state election the voters of this state by a majority of 386,000 approved the Democratic stand against prohibition.

"There were thousands who voted against prohibition in the last state campaign who either do not touch intoxicating liquors, or who infrequently indulge in them. They voted as a matter of principle, and this is the underlying factor in the fight against this tyrannical law, a fight which will not end until the Eighteenth amendment is either eliminated or is regarded by the federal officials as a dead etter incapable of enforcement."

The difference between America's capitol and America's capital is that one is in Washington and the other in tax-free securities-San Francisco Chronicle.

The Sick Man of Europe has again ostponed the operation by tricking "The effect of the Mullan-Gage the specialists into a quarrel over

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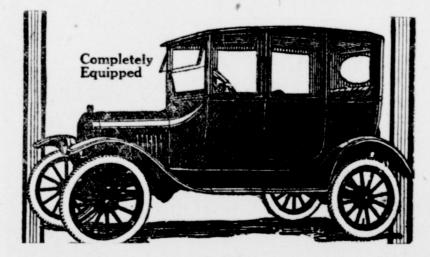
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#### THE COMMANDMENTS

ering fire of oratory, efforts to put the senate on record as opposed to further revenue-making measures were voted down Tuesday, while a resolution was adopted authorizing a joint legislative committee to work cut a plan to overcome the deficit between revenues and appropriations.

AUSTIN, May 22 .- Under a with-

This action followed the introduction of sine appropriation bills, eight of which were passed at the second called session, and which are now zwaiting approval or veto by the governor. The bills which were reintroduced carry the same sums at which they were passed.

When the senate convened Tuesday afternoon a flood of telegrams the Lord thy God in vain. and letters from chambers of commerce over the state were sent up keep it holy. by senstors who had received them. Others declared they had re- ther. ceived such communications, but would not send them up. These communications protested specifically the income tax bill, but praised all other tax measures in general.

The resolution authorizing a joint legislative committee to make an investigation of the entire situation, confer with the governor and heads of the state departments, was ent up by Senator Davis of Dallas. The committee will consist of five members of each house, and will be known as the committee on welfare of the state. It is to report back such bills and resolutions as it considers necessary to overcome the deficit. The resolution was adopted viva voce. William Jennings Bryan was defeat- Gurtz of Olden, who was drowned

tions be reduced to within available thesis from use of church funds. revenues.

and later on the Holbrook resolution. way department total 536,310. Mo-

provided spare parts for pedestrians. and 2,081 dealers. The number of -Minneapolis Star.

God has planted on either side of the pathway in our life the Ten Commendments like thorn bushes, buttresses and guards, that the pilgrim may be confined to the path that leads to prosperity, safety aed peace.

"Fear not; for God is come

to prove you, and that this fear

may be before your faces, that

ye sin not."-Ex. 20:20.

1. Thou shalt have no other Gods pefore me.

2. Thou shalt not make unto thee ny graven image.

3. Thou shalt not take the name of

4. Remember the Sabbath day, to

5. Honor thy father and thy molicenses.

- Thou'shalt not kill.
- Thou shalt not commit adultery.
- Thou shalt not steal.
- 9. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
- 10. Thou shalt not covet.

The church stands as a great re- eral discussion, and it is urged that training force against the violation every person who is interested in the f the commandments. try attend this meeting

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#### BRYAN LOSES FIGHT

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 22 .---

late adopted the senate then voted down tory when the general assembly of en to Venita, Okla., for burial. The After the Davis resolution had been ed and evolutionists scored a vic-17 to 7, a resolution by Senator Hol- the Presbyterian church of the U. S. brook delaring it to be the sense of A. defeated the commoner's resoluthe senate that no further tax meas- tion to bar schools permitting the ion atempted to rescue him and came ures be passed and that appropria- teaching of the evolutionary hypo-

Turbulent scenes were enacted 536,310 MOTOR VEHICLES TEXAS on the floor of the senate during AUSTIN, May 23 .- Registrations the debate on the Davis resolution of motor vehicles at the state hightercycles to the number of 2,460

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There are 6,000 doctors members is held here pending the arrival of of the state medical association and her father from Marshall. should the bill be enacted it would

yield at least \$15,000 annually. It would also permit persons to practice LONDON, May 22 .--- Woodrow who have not been licensed by the Wilson has cabled Ex-Premier Bonar state board of examiners, since it Law: would recognize that class by the

imposition of a tax upon them. "Having myself been hampered by ill health, I know how to sympathize There are numbers of physicians with you, and I do with all my heart. practicing in Texas whose services I trust your health may steadily reantedate the enactment of any law turn to you.

providing for the licensing of doctors and their status was recognized in the first enactments requiring

Both Ex-President Wilson and Bonar Law were delegates to the peace conference, and to a great exent both are victims of the strain

DROWNED AT BAIRD

WILSON CABLES LAW

"WOODROW WILSON."

A concession in Turkey is a small city hall. There will be several im- body of oil land entirely surrounded portant matters brought up for genby hot water .- Shreveport Journal.

development of the livestock indus- taking their course in domestic science at a shooting gallery.

Scientists say that of all colors reen is most quieting to the nerves.

But Ireland has never affected Eng-EASTLAND, May 22 .- The body land that way .- New York American.

of the ten-year-old son of Fred A running record has been broken by a man named Sudden. Comment

ning Post.

Financier says that the currency near losing his own life. Fred Gurtz, should be made more elastic. How the father, is yard superintendent of about making it a little more adhethe Magnolia Petroleum company at sive at the same time?--New York American.

It isn't probable that the world The cost of living has gone up BAIRD, May 22 .- Mary Lee Cow- ever will be bound together by any sixty per cent. in the last ten years, an, 14 years old, was drowned at 3 universal language except the one and life is still worth it .- Boston o'clock Sunday afternoon in Gates money talks .- Sioux City Journal. Transcript.

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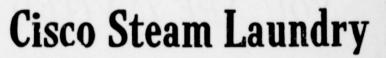
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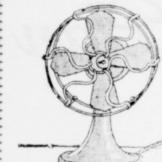
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ing open cages of wild animals is a

It is a strange feeling that comes jit; keep up in your community an inover me and envelopes me with awe, terest in your school and church and the cities for work, going from the you've got more land than you can country, abandoning farms, leaving handle, build a decent rent house-it through other channels, though shal- your brother in town a chance to the first time Friday afternoon. low it seems to me.

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beset him, as it always will when man is happy and prosperous, and lured by wiles of the devil, through the ig- COMING! COLE BROS.' WORLD. norance of his mate, he took the opposite direction, so lost his prestige and was forced to flee from the face of God into the wilderness, there to make his way as best he could.

Man is ever seeking to better his Show and Trained Wild Animal Excondition, but must always battle hibition arrives in Cisco-for this with sin. Men began to build cities, big, giant, threefold show has struck and the sinful began to envy the a solar plexus blow to the rest of righteous, and thereby make plans to the sawdust fraternity. Never in the was, and is, his. Man has made the collection of wild animals, marvel-Psalms 2:8. Everybody come. system through which he has fallen, he spread the net for his brother, and ponies and other performing domeswas caught in its meshes himself, and tic animals been brought together. is fast drowning. Thus civilization In fact, Cole Bros. have combined must go down with us, or rise with their big shows in one big gigantic us-which shall it be?

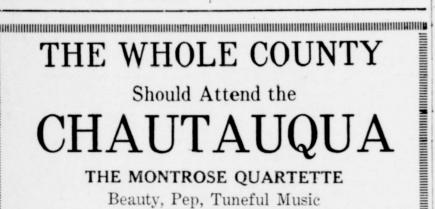
Farming and religion should go hand in hand with education, and they should never be forced into the background of dissipation and discontent.

So, let's have the farm. There is where America's greatest men and women have come from.

Ranchmen, when you brand, at and enjoyment of the first considyour annual roundups, as you ride cration of the Cole Bros., whose over those acres of God Almighty's, wonderful amusement institution is controlled by yourself, think, "If I educational as well as entertaining. would place this so people could have The best are none too good. The homes, how many happy children same applied to their blooded stock would see and love." That would be which consists of the largest variety genuine religion. Oh! how much of thoroughbred horses ever congreater would you be as man to man trolled by one management. High and not man to beast.

Those good country schools, never record holding high jumpers, a under seven months, should always lengthy array of gymnasts, aerialists. be nine, and the Sunday school and jugglers, tumblers and many other preaching all day, with dinner on the ebploits of dexterity and daring. This ground, and the good old gospel ser- mammoth caravan filled with the vices. We don't seem to have them wonders of the Arabian Nights, em- and complete performances in town, but there wouldn't be so ploys sufficient people to fill a vilmuch town, for religion in the coun- lage and transportation is made in in try would take all the stiffness out their own steel trains; while showof town.

Farmers, if you have a home, keep revelation in artistic trappings, gorit up; don't let the boy or girl leave geous chariots and superb horses.



SOLDIER WOUNDS CISCO MAN THEN KILLS SELF

EL PASO, May 21.-Horace L Coulson, 28, of Memphis, Tenn., Fort Bliss soldier, shot and wounded R. L.

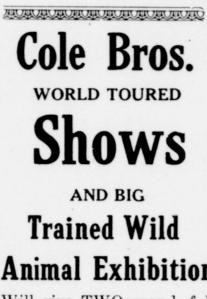
happy homes, seeking a living wouldn't have to be fine-and give Friday and he and Coulson met for paganda of interested groups?"

become identified as a good citizen, Rev. Wm. Lindley, who lives two Adam was the first farmer, and in full partnership with God. What a wonderful teacher he had! But sin crops in his section. between men for the good of all.

#### MISSIONARY RALLY

There will be a great rally at Oak to return, but does that mean that Grove school house, 31-2 miles of the people have come upon a time It will be an event long to be re-Carbon, at 7 o'clock p. m., May 27th. when they will accept a statement membered when on Monday, May Rev. Mrs. H. H. Warner and her of an interested group rather than faithful workers have put forth ev- the bold assertions of an independ-28th, Cole Bros., Big World-Toured ey effort to make this hour both in- ent thinker? teresting and profitable to you. Program rendered by our Sunday school. Special music by Rev. Mr. Campbell and workers of Sweetwater. All have Blythes, Clarence Ousleys, Joe Taya cordial invitation to attend. Mrs. lors, Jim Lowries, George Baileys, destroy and to rob him of all that history of showdom has such a varied Warner will preach at 3 p. m. from et al? cusly educated and trained horses,

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#### WHO EDITS THE **ABILENE REPORTER?** (Texas Commercial News)

A few weeks ago there appeared er consider what others would have communication further says Mrs. in the editorial columns of the Abi- us say; for our editorial utterances Duncan's maiden name was Mar-Springer of Cisco, Texas, Friday lene Reporter a paragraph in which are not for sale, nor could a man or garet McIntyre, and that any infornight and then shot and killed him- it said that "The world is too busy group of men pay us enough to write mation concerning her whereabouts self. The shooting ocurred on the to read personal emanations any and send out to the world that with will be thankfully received.

lawn of the home of Mrs. H. E. more!" which provoked us to ask, which we could not agree, for we Rolfe as Mrs. Rolfe and Springer "Does it (The Reporter) wish to have believe that it is as dishonorable to when I see the multitudes flocking to let farming temperature run high. If returned from town in a taxicay, us understand that the world has sell one's editorial opinion as to sell stove. Good as new. Wood, coal or Coulson formerly lived at the Rolfe turned from the utterances of out- one's suffrage at the polls-an edi- gas. 701 Ave. A, Cisco, Texas. home. Springe came to El Paso standing men to the syndicated pro- torial opinion is a sacred thing, and no reader should ever have to ask,

group.

"Who wrote that?" And in a come-back, the Reporter replied, "Precisely!"

#### SEEKS NEWS OF SISTER

sons, the Northcliffes has "flickered in which she asks information of her sean.

When writing an editorial, we nev- formerly Box 688, Cisco, Texas. The

ter says Mrs. Duncan's address was

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There will never be a war between the United States and Canada. The bootleggers would never allow it .---New York American.

These non-stop dancers must be son, whose address is Aldersyde, strong and vigorous people-from Careloch, by Helensburgh, Scotland, the neck down .- Nashville Tennes-

the opinions of any other person or sister, Mrs. John Duncan. The let

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### What of our H. G. Wells, Arnold Bennetts, Edward Boks, Horace Lorimers, Bruce Bartons, Samuel G.

We believe that the Reporter is wrong.

We know their era has gone, never

out forever!"

Who edits the Reporter anyway? Journalism can never be an impersonal thing, for journalism is the wave lengths of great personalities spreading over the land quickening the hearts and consciences of men. Could a people ever be quickened by the utterances of "The Abilene Printing Company?" But how quick would they respond to the utterances of one of her members who would sign the article which had dripped from his pen in a spirit of uncompromising devotion to the ideals he championed?

We feel that the Reporter has confused journalism with one of its divisions-the newspaper. News should be reported in an impersonal way, but no opinion or editorial can ever be impersonal.

No paper that is unwilling for the Animal Exhibition public to know who wrote its editor-ials should dignify its pages with an "editorial column.

The most frequent question asked when matters of opinion are under consideration is: Who said that?

I place my name at the top of this column-not that I may dignify Texas Commercial News nor that it may dignify me-but I place it there that you who read this page may know that they are my opinions, and not

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ieve eye-strain and remove the cause of many headaches.

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PLEASANT HILL Bro. I. W. Lawrence filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday evening. J. H. Martin was a Cisco shopper Tuesday last. Little Miss Lorea McMillan of Oak Grove has been visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. M. M. Carter of this ommunity. Mise Mabel Kinard, Lula and Veda Martin called on Mrs. Miles McMillan Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carmichael of isco were dinner guests in the N. S. Kinard home Sunday. Miss Ruth Martin of Cisco, is pending this week with home folks f this community. Messrs. Parks Poe, Truly Carter and Misses Nell Carter and Veda Martin attended the party in the Ballard community Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Trott visited in the M. M. Carter home Sunday. Miss Mabel Kinard visited Mrs. Herman Reich Tuesday afternoon. Miss Gertie and Ione Lamb have returned home from Olden where they have been attending school. Quite a number of the people from Pleasast Hill attended the play at Carbon Friday night. Grandmother O'Brien is visiting her son, Norman O'Brien, of this community. PUBLIC NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Kleiman, M. Kleiman and W. D. Wilner, of Cisco, Eastland county Texas, under the firm name of Klei man's Dry Goods Co., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 21st day of May, 1923 ,and all debts owing to aid partnership are to be received by the said L. Kleiman and M. Klein:an, and all demands on said partnership are to be presented to them or payment and paid by them. The business will continue to run nder the firm name of Kleiman Dry

Goods Company. Witness our hands this 21st day f May, 1923. L. KLEIMAN.

M. KLEIMAN. B. D. WILNER.

#### PEACHES PROMISING

Rev. S. A. Lamb, who lives 8 mile \*\*\*\*\*\* outh on the Rising Star road, was Cisco this week and reports that on his farm of 140 acres he has 10 acres in fruit that is more valuable than any other part of his farm. He put out 114 Mayflower peach trees last year and will have fresh peaches That eye strain will cause head- on the market by June 1 of this year.

#### MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

The annual Memorial Day services It will. Why? The same nerves of John William Butts Post No. 123, he eye, also feed the stomach and First Methodist church, Cisco, May 27, at 8 p. m. Rev. J. F. Isbell, ex-army chaplain,

Properly Fitted Glasses will re- will deliver the memorial address. All ex-service men and relatives and friends of ex-service men are expected to attend.

was in Cisco Saturday.



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#### OIL TAX BILL

AUSTIN, May 22 .- The Coffee gross production oil tax bill was cut from 5 to 3 per cent and reported favorably, 4 to 3, by the house committee on revenue and taxation.

The Patman gross receipts bill, levying 5 per cent tax on relinery products, was reported favorably larly engaged at Electra. with an amendment permitting counat feed the muscles which control American Legion, will be held at the ties to levy one-half the state tax. The bill to increase the salary of

the state tax commissioner to \$3,600 was reported favorably.

Millinery and Mid-Summer dresses of the moment can be found at Mrs.

Judge Ed Pritchard, of Eastland, be had in the city because the qual- day. ity assures the vogue.

BRADSHAWS RETURN HOME

Misses Charlotte and Ruth Brad shaw, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. E Bradshaw, of the Scranton community, are now at home with their parents for the vacation period. Miss Charlotte taught school at Memphis this year, while Miss Ruth was simi-

The Modes of Fashion demand an attractive style outline for summer. Faithful attention is paid to the latest styles of millinery and dresses at Mrs. Ida Kennon's Style Shop.

Ida Kennon's Style Shop. Our new line of Sammer hats are the best to Abilene, were Cisco visitors Wednes-

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