

FOUR TEEN YEARS AGO

January, 1910.

Tax Collector John F. Patterson included in his monthly report January the first as follows: Total assessments including all the state and county taxes and all poll taxes assessed \$82,044.39; and the amount collected was \$33,191.93. The number of poll taxes assessed were 4,475; the number paid to January 3 was 1,721, little more than one third. The people had better busy themselves else there will be scores delinquents.—Eastland Chronicle.

The following officers were elected at a recent meeting of the Cisco Cemetery association: President, Mrs. J. D. Alexander; first vice president, Mrs. Lizzie Holcomb; second vice president, Mrs. Frank Meadows; secretary, Miss Stella Caldwell; treasurer, E. E. Kean; trustees, Prof. S. R. Thompson, M. V. Mitchell, Frank Meadows, J. W. Watson, G. S. Williams; lady trustees, Mesdames Charles Daniels, J. Strickland, S. E. Thompson and G. S. Williams.

Miss Velma St. John entertained last Saturday night in accord with invitations that read: "Won't you come over tonight and play with me dressed as a child once again." In response there were forty-two present, dressed in accord with the occasion. Many games, music and other pleasures were indulged in, after which refreshments were served and the final farewells spoken before the midnight hour arrived. It was reported a delightful affair at the St. John home on Broadway.

City Secretary Eppler says people subject to street tax can save \$2.00 out of the five dollars by paying before February 15th.

Miss Susie Gracey, whose charm of manner has made her a great favorite in Cisco, left Sunday for Abilene to accept a position as stenographer with the Radford Grocery Co., but we hope to see her back in Cisco to stay when the new building for that firm is completed here.

T. J. Clark and wife celebrated their golden wedding on January 5th and in addition to the home bunch the following out of town guests were present: C. S. Clark, of Rochester, N. Y., Miss Florence Clark, of Dallas, Tex., J. Q. Clark and family of Albany, Tex., and Mrs. Werner of Dallas. Numerous valuable gifts were presented in remembrance of their 50th anniversary.

Messrs Wm. Butts, Cowen Holcomb, Charlie Gray and Gilford Eppler left Monday night for College Station.

There was a quiet home wedding at the Shelton home last Sunday, when Miss Lillie May Shelton was claimed by Mr. E. L. Yoder as his bride. The happy couple left soon after the marriage for the plains country to reside.

Mesdames W. P. Lee and N. K. Wilson entertained formally on Saturday (New Year) afternoon. It was a come and go reception, the hours ranging from 2 to 6. The guests numbered more than 100, and report a delightful time.

There were a number from Cisco and vicinity that attended the golden wedding of Uncle Billie Armstrong and wife at Eastland last Sunday—gold dollars were one of the features of the occasion in which not a few participated.

Denying that they had eloped and affirming that there was no legal or other kind of objection to their becoming husband and wife, Colonel H. H. Andrew, aged 68 years and Mrs. Susie Blair, aged 41 years, both of Dublin, Texas, were married in County Clerk John A. Kee's private office on Tuesday morning. Justice T. J. Maben officiated in the presence of a crowd that filled the county clerk's office.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Real estate changes continue active in Cisco. Ernest Gude sold his residence to G. W. Troxell and in turn bought the Stoneham residence on the hill, also Mr. Gibson sold two places in south Cisco.

Mrs. E. P. Turner of Dallas has been invited to deliver an address in Cisco on Civic Beauty at which time a Junior Civic League will be organized.—Mrs. George Langston, Press Reporter XXth Century and First Industrial Arts Club.

A boy babe arrived at the home of T. A. Collie on Tuesday.

A new girl babe arrived at the home of Ruff Russell last Monday.

Walt Clegg has got one of his old time blacksmith grins on him—you see a new boy arrived at his home last Monday night.

Mr. Phil H. Gates, Jr., and Miss Bertha Eppler were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Eppler, Wednesday evening, December 29th. Rev. K. P. Barton, Methodist pastor officiating.—Gorman Progress.

We are glad to note that W. G. Mancill is improving in health, and he states that his hardware business is to have additional new life, capital, push and vim, and that he expects to soon be in touch with the trade in person. He has some hardware remarks in another column.

Mrs. Alex Ward is home from Thorp Springs.

Mrs. Dr. Howell has been visiting her daughter in Hamlin.

Miss Poe of Carbon visited her sister Miss Bessie last week.

Roscoe St. John and Will Bucy of Rising Star were in town last week.

Mrs. J. B. Ammerman of Fort Worth was a visitor in the city this week.

The poll tax paid in Eastland county number 3,620 against 3,441 last year, a gain of 180. This does not include exemptions.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Chandler and Mrs. Lizzie Slusher left Saturday for Rising Star, for a short visit.

Miss Elizabeth Butts entertained with a "Kimona" party Friday evening. The guests were Misses Ula Howell, Joyce Langston, Margarite Smith and Norma Patterson.

Claude Alvis has about completed one residence on the corner of 6th street and H avenue and has the foundation laid for the second one.

Guy Dabney of Thorp Springs is visiting Mrs. E. J. Ward.

Miss Mabel Dodson entertained informally Saturday night.

Miss Bertha Martin returned to Arkadelphia, Ark., Saturday.

Misses Eula Ward and Mary Butts returned to Austin Sunday.

Ex-postmaster Triplett of May was in the city last week visiting his son J. W. Triplett and family.

Mrs. R. R. Gracey and Miss Olga returned Sunday.

Mrs. Dean and Jones entertained Friday evening with "42."

Miss Lizzie May Calhoun returned to Abilene Sunday.

Miss Ida Maxwell entertained Thursday with "42."

Joe Goodwin who resides in Stephens county on Little Cedar east of Breckenridge, was reported assassinated in his home Tuesday night. It is said the shot was fired through a window.

W. S. Michael formerly of Rising Star, but now more recently of Ran-

ger, is one of our new citizens, having accepted the position of cashier of the Citizens National bank. We welcome him to our midst.

D. W. Crawford wears one of those lonesome looks since his wife has gone to visit her parents at Gainesville.

A new boy is reported at the home of S. H. Lisenbee, also a girl at Geo. Hall's and G. W. Lisenbee says business is picking up in the Masonic building.

The Citizens National bank at its recent annual meeting made some slight changes in stockholders, in that W. S. Michael was elected cashier as successor to A. H. Johnson. The directors remain as follows: G. H. Bohning, William Bohning, W. S. Michael, J. J. Winston and M. S. Stamps.

Luke McCoy has tendered his resignation as marshal to be acted on at the next meeting of the city council.

The city is now operating the water works on its own account, with Fred Davies and Nolen Malone in the city's employ.

Among the charters granted at Austin this week was the following: Davis-Garner company of Cisco, capital stock \$50,000. Purpose, merchandising. Incorporators, John H. Garner, C. E. Alvis and R. F. Davis. J. V. Smith is again manager of the water works and took charge Tuesday.

Lee Owen is now associated with the local telephone exchange with Henry Benham.

There is a 10-pound boy at the home of C. M. Jones that arrived several days ago.

Sim Shelton and wife were in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Starr of Seranton were in the city Tuesday.

From the present indications enough newspaper men are going to get into the next legislature to have a decided influence in shaping the "right of contract" law to their liking, despite the fact that former editor Dick McCarty of the Albany News, now engaged in boosting Cisco, thinks that an editor isn't "fitten" to go to the legislature and that nobody but lawyers should be allowed in that body. Editor Dick, in a recent issue of the Cisco booster, appears to want to turn the whole state government over to the lawyers, or at least the little balance of it that they do not now control.—Brownwood Bulletin.

THE TIE THAT BINDS.
The Cisco American, Cisco, Texas.

Gentlemen: In reading over the last issue of the Cisco American I notice that you are still gathering and distributing news worth while to our community with reference to the various advancements, also calling attention to the fact that our farmers are realizing the fact that the necessity of conveniences in the home in the way of running, hot and cold water about the premises is as necessary to their development and pleasure as to those living in the city. Would you not consider it in good keeping along with this information to the public to mention in an indirect way the fact that certain materials were bought or sold or installed by Cisco firms, especially those who advertise in your columns continually? I particularly make mention of the item referring to Ben Waters and his wife, as we installed this job for him a few years ago, and we have also put in a number of other installations in that community. We would not have you think it presumptuous on our part, or that you should carry free advertising in the interest of our business, but we do believe that these little thoughts dropped here and there help to bind the tie a little more closely between the city and rural life, showing that their patronage at home helps to keep established in their midst reputable business firms that can supply their needs at just as reasonable prices as they can send away and get the material themselves, and will also enable them to keep a force of employes who in turn can also install such material correctly and in turn live together, giving them a better market for their products. Trusting you may use this suggestion for whatever you think it is worth, we are yours for cooperation for a bigger and better Cisco.

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HUGHES IS RIGHT.

Russian propaganda, like that emanating from Germany, continues to find its way into certain American newspapers. The one is part of the other, as a matter of fact, although some people may not realize it.

The Cisco American stands with Secretary Hughes on the question of Russian recognition. We uphold him all the way through in his contention that it would be absurd to talk of extending the hand of fellowship to a bunch of cut-throats and murderers, which is all the Lenin and Trotsky crowd amounts to. They are a sad lot, and there is no getting away from the fact.

The United States of America is not in the business of putting a premium upon assassination, property confiscation and wantonness, and people should not allow themselves to be fooled by the slimy propaganda that finds its way into this country telling us that the leaders of the Russian bolshevik are pure and high-minded patriots, with unselfish service as their motto and the uplift of Russian civilization their only aim.

They may have modified their original program in certain respects, as is now claimed, but it was only because their wild ideas could not be made to work. At heart they are still the same old gang, so gross and cruel in their methods that even the notorious Emma Goldman could not stand for them, but was glad to get out when she could and resume her more or less questionable relationship with the civilization she once professed so to hate.

THE SKY-SCRAPER GARAGE.

A twelve-story garage, to be erected in the heart of the down-town business district, is expected to relieve San Francisco's parking troubles to a certain extent. Five thousand machines will be accommodated.

This is probably the way the city parking problem will have to be solved, ultimately. It is cheaper to build up into the air than to extend out over the ground, and some way will have to be found to get more of the automobiles off the streets. In most cities, where real estate is usually very valuable, to talk of building a garage extending over a block or more, all on one floor, is out of the question. The cars will have to be piled on top of one another.

There seems to be no reason why a garage should not carry as many stories as any other commercial building provided the business is there to make the investment a paying one. Automatic elevators, and runways connecting the different floors, should make the handling of cars little more difficult in a sky-scraper garage than in those of two or three floors, which are already quite common.

DOHENY'S NAME STRICKEN OUT.

No longer will the name of Edward L. Doheny grace the membership roll of the Democratic State central committee. At a meeting in California recently he was asked to resign and he was relieved of his duties as vice-president of the executive committee. In other words, Doheny was thrown out, bag and baggage. Oil and politics will not mix. There has been too much talk. Once an asset, and a valuable one, Doheny had become a liability and had to retire.

So it goes in politics, as in pretty much everything else. The man who can no longer be of service, or whose presence becomes undesirable, is shouldered aside, regardless of past performances.

The name of Doheny was a good one to conjure with in politics until the disclosures came out regarding the oil leases. It stood for something, and looked particularly well on a check when the time came for gathering funds with which to carry on the campaign—for political campaigns cannot be conducted for nothing. There is always a need for real money with which to meet expenses, and this is usually contributed by friends of the cause.

And sometimes it is contributed by men who expect and intend to get something in return. This is particularly true of the larger contributors in national campaigns. Men representing important interests have been known to contribute to the campaign funds of both parties, in order to make sure of having a right to be heard, no matter who might be elected. Doheny is not charged with anything of this kind, and has always been a consistent Democrat, so far as anybody knows. But he is also in the oil business, and recent disclosures have made it undesirable that his name be used in connection with party affairs—for a while at least. Doheny may "come back," but it is not likely. In all probability he will decide that he is through being a Democrat.

IRISH SELF-DETERMINATION

Ireland wants a separate immigration quota of her own. Ireland also wants a separate representation at Washington. Ireland is taking self-determination seriously. It is hard to see how the British government can object to either of these demands, after all its insistence that Ireland was to be practically autonomous, and with an extremely liberal group in power. Separate diplomatic representation for "self-governing dominions," of which Ireland is now one, has been conceded in the case of Canada, and thereby a precedent has been established. The immigrant quota business may be waived by Great Britain as a matter to be determined in Washington rather than London, although under the present law it would give Ireland an advantage over the people of England, Scotland and Wales in the proportion of citizens eligible to entrance in the United States.

The United States can have still less cause than Great Britain to object to these proposals. They are therefore likely to go through, after the usual diplomatic delay. Then even the most stubborn foes of the Irish Free State, in

America as well as in Ireland, may realize how great is the measure of the new Irish freedom and how sound was the settlement that brought peace to that island after so many centuries of war.

TAXING AMERICAN TITLE-HUNTERS.

It is just as well that Congressman Blanton's bill to foil fortune-hunting European noblemen has been quashed in the house of representatives. He wanted every American father whose daughter marries a foreign title to pay to the United States government a tax equal to 99 per cent of the daughter's marriage settlement and proposed also that, at the father's death, his estate should pay an additional tax of 75 per cent of the amount to be transferred to the expatriated daughter.

This would be going pretty far, in spite of the temptation to such action. The traffic of American women in

foreign titles, disgusting as it becomes at times, may do great harm, provided the American public preserves a view of titles and recognizes them for the baubles they are.

It is an absurd title-worship, in this land of supposed democracy, that has turned so many pretty but silly heads and made both heads and hearts susceptible to the blishments of foreigners with nothing but a past to recommend them.

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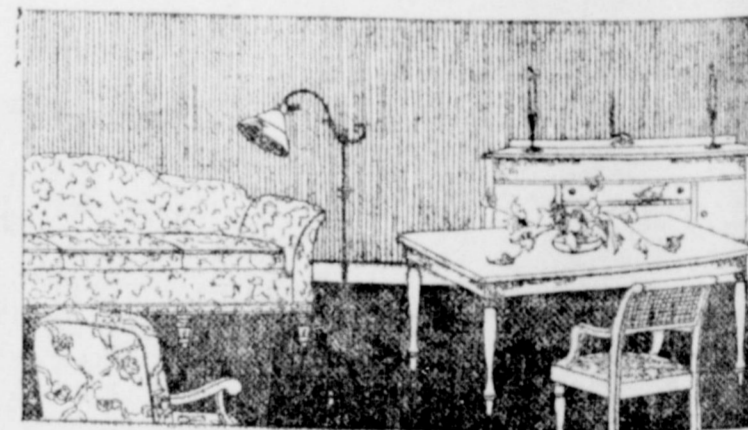
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It was hard for the Greeks to conceive of the goodness of Socrates, the philosopher, because he was so ugly

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INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT OF C. H. S.

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Miss Dorothy Jenkins spent the week-end in Dallas. Rev. Walter Boyd will preach at Reich schoolhouse the third Sunday in March, at 3 p. m. Sacred heart singing at the Methodist church in East Cisco Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Bring your books and sing the modern music. Miss Nina Whitfield of Eastland, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. Kate Wilmoth. S. B. Carter, of the Gray Hardware company, left Sunday for Fort Worth to attend the Fat Stock Show. He is expected home today. Miss Ruth Williamson has returned to T. W. C., Fort Worth, after having spent the past week-end in Cisco with her parents, Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Williamson. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Snoddy of Weatherford, were business visitors in the city Tuesday. E. J. Stevens has returned to his home in Arizona after attending the funeral of his father, Albert Stevens. Chester L. Cain, postoffice inspector with headquarters in Abilene, was in Cisco Tuesday. Mrs. J. S. Hayden of Dallas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayden, in Hambletown. W. T. Malone has as his guest his son, Horace Stevens, of Oklahoma. Paul Boaz and Cecil Lotief attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth this week. Mrs. G. C. Richardson has returned from a short stay in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Keathley returned Monday from a visit in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cole of Wayland, were Cisco visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Campbell motored to Breckenridge Monday. Mrs. W. A. Cunningham spent the week-end in Ranger. Bob Fee, of Colorado, spent the week-end in Cisco with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fee. Miss Mary Kaufman has returned to her home in Abilene after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. B. S. Tracy. J. A. Marsh has returned from a business trip to Brownwood and Coleman. Charles Curry, of Breckenridge, visited friends in Cisco Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Moss and family spent the week-end in Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodlow, of Putnam, spent Sunday in Cisco. C. E. Summerlin spent Sunday in Comanche. Alton Gardenhire spent the week-end with relatives at Dothan. Mrs. Audrey Fields, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Noell left last week for her home in Gainesville. Mr. McCrea has returned from a visit in Rotan. H. E. Grantland, of Colorado, spent the week-end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Grantland. Mrs. A. M. Mitchell spent the week-end in Fort Worth. L. G. Bataille has returned to his home in Waco after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Young. Theresa Weddington returned to Baird Sunday after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weddington. Hazel Orr and Claude Cundiff, of Putnam, motored to Cisco Sunday. Fountains, of Fort Worth, spent the week-end in Cisco this week. Armstrong left Monday for Oklahoma, on business. Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. William of Brownwood; spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dabney. Mrs. G. D. Dabney's mother, Mrs. G. D. Dabney, accompanied them to San Antonio for a month's visit. Mr. Patterson was in Eastland this week. Mrs. Grade Calloway, formerly of Cisco, are now located in Dallas where Mr. Calloway is practicing law in the firm of Calloway, Calloway. Their many friends in Cisco wish them every success. Juanita St. John will leave for a week-end visit in Dallas Sunday. Mrs. G. B. Adams, formerly of Rising Star, are now located in the W. C. Shelton home on Eastland. Mr. Smith of the Birmingham Pipe Co., of Dallas, was a visitor in Cisco this week. Scheffy of Abilene, visited relatives in Cisco during the week-end. Sarah Lee and Dorothy Jenkins spent the week-end in Dallas.

SCRANTON.

Miss Verda Harlow spent the week-end in Scranton with her parents and friends. Mrs. Sifton Slaton and little daughter from Mexico, came in today to spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams. L. C. Harlow, Will Gattis and Bill Sprawls went to Fort Worth Saturday night to attend the Fat Stock Show.

Luther Hall and family of Loraine, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown. Some of those shopping in Cisco Saturday from Scranton were Miss Teddie Bell, Miss Verda Harlow, Bill Rutherford and Cornelia Rutherford.

Mrs. Taylor Jobe of Tahoka is visiting her son and family of this place. Miss Margerie Jobe and her friends, Mr. Alexander, Miss Wood, Miss Walker and Mr. Foy, from Abilene, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sprawls. A party was given at the Sprawls home in their honor.

Miss Teddie Bell had the following guests to dinner Sunday; Miss Verda Harlow, Leo Williams and Miss Willie Rutherford. Mr. Stell who has been ill for several months, is no better.

POULTRY SHIPMENTS.

WEATHERFORD, March 12. — The volume of shipments of poultry and poultry products from this city since January exceeds that of any previous year, according to statement made by produce dealers here. Three carloads of eggs were shipped during the month of February alone and a total of eight cars of eggs and six cars of hens have been shipped since the new year began. A falling off in the number of eggs offered for market has been noted during the past few days, due possibly to use for hatching purposes.

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CURTIS.

There are several cases of measles in the community at this writing. Misses Hazel and Nettie Hayes, who have been attending school at Sabano, have been at home for the past week with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carr, of Eastland, visited her sister, Mrs. Will Crawford, Thursday.

Thelma Notgrass, of Cisco, spent the week-end with her cousin, Hester Notgrass.

Bertha Livingston, Hester and Thelma Notgrass visited at Nimrod Saturday afternoon.

The young folks from this place attended church at Cook Saturday night.

O. E. Pierce had business at Cross Plains Tuesday.

Irving Hayes visited U. B. Shrader at Sabano last week.

H. M. Hayes went to Pioneer last Tuesday.

Misses Bertha Livingston and Venus Pierce spent Sunday at the Notgrass home.

Lee Bell had business at Merkel this week.

Mrs. U. B. Shrader of Sabano, visited at the Hayes home Monday.

Major Notgrass of Nimrod visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Grisham of Sabano, spent Friday night in the O. E. Pierce home. ME.

Neil Goggans, of Lubbock, stopped over in Cisco today to visit C. H. Stagner of the Corner Drug. Mr. Goggans attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

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I used one ton of above named fertilizer on 10 acres of the thinnest land I had with the hope of making this poor land produce as much as my better land, and the results were that on this 10 acres fertilized I gathered 7 bales all weighing more than 500 lbs. and on balance of my crop consisting of 55 acres, I gathered 14 bales.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) JOHN W. FREY, Cashier.

This excerpt of above letter shows that Mr. Frey evidently cleared about \$70.00 per acre extra by use of Swifts Red Steer Fertilizer.

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We are receiving merchandise daily and placing it on sale at a price that means a saving of money to the people of Cisco and surrounding trade territory.

We Quote Only a Few Items Below:

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| Flock Dots Voile, worth 75c; this sale, per yd. 48c | 36-in. Bleach Domestic, good value, 8 yds. for. \$1.00 |
| Marguerite Curtain goods, at per yard 24c | Ladies light weight knit Union Suits, worth 75c; this sale 45c |

WE ARE CLOSING OUT THE LINE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND THEREFORE CAN OFFER YOU A SAVING OF 33 1-3 TO 50 PER CENT ON ALUMINUM DISHES, ETC, IN FACT, ON ALL KITCHEN NECESSITIES.

If we didn't have what you called for last week, please call again for our stock has been and is being replenished daily with new merchandise.

We Buy 'Em for Less;
Sell 'Em for Less

BAKER-POSTON & CO.

Farmers of Scranton Will Add To Flock if Market Can be Found

Milton J. Dawson, who lives near Scranton, was in Cisco Friday looking for an outlet for his eggs. He has several hundred hens and gets large numbers of eggs each week. He said he understood that the merchants had made arrangements to ship eggs from this point and if so he wanted in on the pool.

Many of his neighbors would like to increase their flocks if a market could be had that would be worth while. The nature of their land is such that an abundance of feed can always be depended upon, and hence there would be no trouble from that standpoint.

He tells of his experience with

turkeys last year. He bought a tom and three turkey hens to start with. They laid 147 eggs and he did not allow them to sit, but placed the eggs under chicken hens to be hatched. One hundred and thirty-six eggs hatched, out of which he raised one hundred and thirty-one turkeys. He secured an average of \$2.65 for those sold.

Allowing that as a fair price for the entire lot, he would have secured a profit of \$347.15 had he sold them all. Of course, this did not include the feed, as he raised that on his farm. He thinks that a pretty good return for an investment of \$35, which was the cost of his pen of turkeys.

WHY I AM PARTIAL TO THE SILVERLACED WYANDOTTES (W. C. SMITH)

In answer to your question "Why I like the S. L. Wyandottes," there are three reasons:

First—There is none more beautiful than a flock of well bred Silver Laced Wyandottes with their dark color, with their silver lacing and yellow shanks with their plump shape. Second—There is none that will beat them at the final test on the table. There is none better there because they grow quick, their flesh is very tender and juicy.

Third—They class with the best for egg production. We have raised them for twenty-five years and we are never without eggs. They are good winter layers. They also are good

mothers, being of a gentle disposition. When they become broody if they are cooped at once they will begin laying again in a few days. They are hard to confine while they are mothers. Some of my pullets range with my turkeys on a 100-acre farm. The pullets will commence laying at 6 months old when properly cared for. There is one, and only one objection I have to them and that is their eggs are not of a uniform color, varying from a light brown to a dark brown with specks on some of them similar to a turkey egg. So you have my verdict. An all purpose fowl is the Silver Laced Wyandotte.

CARBON

Carbon Masonic lodge is taking on new life. Recently the organization bought the White store building and site on the east side of Main street and work of razing this old structure preparatory to erecting a modern two-story frame building is under way. The upstairs will be used by the lodge, while the downstairs will be rented for commercial purposes. The former home of the Masons was destroyed by fire more than a year ago, since which time they have been meeting in the First State bank building.

Renewed activity in the oil fields surrounding us is giving this little city considerable new business and a decided air of prosperity. In fact, business has picked up thirty per cent during the past month. Debating contestants held their final meeting at the school auditorium and chose representatives to the county meet at Eastland. It was a spirited affair and very interesting to the large crowd present. The first discussion was by the boys. The question was whether the United States should join the league of nations. The affirmative was represented by Dillard Elliott and Ben Comalander; the negative by Weldon Tate and Grady Morton. The judges for the boys were Dr. S. P. Rumph, W. C. Gorman, and Lewis Crossley. The decision was for the negative. Weldon Tate won first place, Dillard Elliott, second; Grady Morton, third. Then followed the debate by the senior girls on the same subject. The affirmative represented by Zella Guy and Mary Sue Rumph; the negative by Edith Boyd and Vickie Stone. The judges were Rev. L. U. Comalander, Rev. Bascom Morton and J. T. Elliott. The decision was for the negative with Zella Guy, first; Edith Boyd, second; and Mary Sue Rumph, third.

Mrs. W. L. Spencer and Mrs. P. P. Holbrook entertained the Woman's Missionary society in the home of Mrs. W. L. Spencer. The home was beautifully decorated in Texas colors and each guest was given a Texas badge. The program consisted of music and games. One of the most appropriate games was a contest in drawing a map of Texas. Mrs. Henry Johnson was prize winner in this contest. Angel food cake bearing a miniature Texas flag and jello with whipped cream was served for refreshments. Members present were Mesdames Holbrook, J. C. Gorman, Wilson, Reese, Guy, Camp, Morris, Adams Barnett, Puett, T. E. Gilbert, A. A. Tate, Davis; visitors Mesdames J. E. Brewer, Gorman; Mitchell, Eastland; Ike Dangler, Rumph, Stovall, and Johnson.

Mrs. Elmer Bethany returned Monday from the Blackwell sanitarium, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. Jim Tommie of Cleburne, visited Mrs. Lula Thurman and family last week-end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hines Saturday, March the 1st a girl.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Green Feb. 22 baby girl.

W. L. Harris of Wichita, Kansas, came in last week to visit his sister, Mrs. Scott Seastrunk.

Mrs. Cleveland Brewer of Gorman visited her sisters, Mesdames Rumph and Spencer, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Joe M. Hearn of the Long Branch community was shopping in Carbon Wednesday.

George Tate of Sipe Springs, was here Tuesday and Saturday visiting his brothers, W. A. and Fred Tate.

Lee Lieske of Route 3 Will More Than Double His Cotton This Year

Lee Lieske, a prominent farmer of route 3, and his brother, A. E. Lieske of Crosbyton, were shopping in Cisco Saturday. Lee says he will plant about 50 acres of cotton this season. He made six bales on 18 acres last year and hopes to do as well this year. Having just finished sowing oats, he is now ready to begin with his other spring plowing.

His brother, A. E. Lieske, is visiting here and will return to his home in a few days. He says the plains country is cutting down heavily on its grain acreage and is strong on cotton. A large acreage of cotton will be planted in the extreme north plains country, where it has never been planted before. The grain that has been planted looks well.

BAIRD

Baird is steadily looking up from an oil viewpoint, a number of shallow producers being brought in every week. Several deep tests are under way and those who claim to know say there is good probability of a producer at an early date. We may never rival the Teapot Dome country, but as a steady, economical producer this section is all to the good.

Alvin Brown and Miss Nettie Strain were united in marriage at the home of Rev. Charles Loveless, pastor of the Baird Baptist church.

County Tax Assessor W. J. Evans, who recently lost his appendix to Drs. Powell and Griggs, is doing nicely. Mr. Sargent of the Hickman ranch had the same experience and is also doing well.

Sheriff Charlie Bray is expected home from California, where he went to secure a forger arrested in that state.

Miss Winnie Finch has returned to Arlington where she is attending school.

The Callahan county ballot boxes—sent to Washington to be used in the Paddy-Mayfield senatorial fight—have been returned to County Clerk Respass.

The giant Sequoia, thirty-two feet in diameter and 280 feet high, which is the second largest tree in the world, was dedicated to President Harding's memory as the Warren Harding tree. The giant redwood is 5,000 years old and is second in size to the General Sherman tree.

Mme. Curie, the discoverer of radium, is living in poverty in Paris. She has devoted every franc she possessed to scientific research. The French parliament has granted her a state pension of \$2,200 a year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco American is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of July, 1924:

State Senate, 24th District—
B. L. RUSSELL, of Baird.
Commissioner Precinct Four—
BIRT BRITAIN
County School Superintendent—
MISS BEULAH SPEER

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SPECIAL CLUBBING OFFER
in this land of supposed many pretty but silly heads susceptible to the blandishments of a past to recommend itself.

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AND THEN YOU DO NOT WEAR OUT YOUR BATTERY TRYING TO START YOUR CAR EVERY COLD MORNING. JUST STEP ON THE STARTER AND YOU'RE OFF.


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LOOK FOR THE LARGEST AND MOST CONVENIENT PLACE IN TOWN.

Carroll Auto Supply Company

ECZEMA!




THIS isn't one of those false free treatment offers you have seen so many times. We don't offer to give you something for nothing—but we do guarantee that you can try this wonderful treatment, entirely at our risk, and this guarantee is backed by your local druggist.

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) has been sold under absolute money back guarantee for more than thirty years. They are especially compounded for the treatment of Eczema, Itch, Ring Worm, Yetter, and other itching skin diseases.

Thousands of letters testify to their curative properties. M. Timberlin, a reputable dry goods dealer in Durant, Oklahoma, says: "I suffered with Eczema for ten years, and spent \$1,000.00 for doctors' treatments, without result. One box of HUNT'S Cure entirely cured me."

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Another Home-Cleaning Triumph

The owner of a Hoover has always enjoyed advantages which are denied the owner of the ordinary electric cleaner. For the Hoover "BEATS . . . as it Sweeps, as it Cleans," and what other cleaner do you know of that does all these essential things? And now, if you own a Hoover, you can enjoy the further benefit of using

The most remarkable set of air-cleaning attachments ever made

With these new attachments you can clean your draperies, and dust the fixtures and furnishings of your home, as easily, as quickly, and as thoroughly as you can beat, sweep and clean your rugs. It's only a moment's work to connect them, and no effort! You'll like the way they snap together, and lock. There's no chance of their working loose or parting at the joints. And they fit so easily, and snugly. You'll be delighted with the swivel connection, another new feature, that permits the cleaning tool to glide around curves and relieves your hand of any twisting strains. You'll be amazed at the force of air that flows through these new attachments. Newly designed joints, without obstructing shoulders, allow free passage to Hoover powerful suction. And another thing! Even their use has been simplified! With one combined cleaning tool—the nozzle-brush—you can brush loose and suction away the dirt from almost every conceivable resting place. As an example of the completeness of these new attachments, this nozzle-brush is encircled with a heavy rubber bumper that it may not mar any highly polished woodwork. Other cleaning instruments are of course provided. There are, for instance, two metal tubes which enable you to reach places ordinarily inaccessible, as well as a flat fibre tool for cleaning radiators, the plaits of upholstered furniture and the like.

You'll want to see these new attachments, and there's no better place than in your home, and some one of our employees will gladly demonstrate them. And even though their cost is almost unbelievably low, it will be divided into monthly payments if you so desire.

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We believe in the future of Cisco as a city; we believe its wealth-producing farms will continue to produce. We believe in its churches, its schools and its prospects, and we hope to make our bank a vital, helpful part of the development of the future.

Our officers and directors are home people, who are actuated by a wholesome desire to help, in a frank and friendly way their own town and country, their neighbors and friends.

This bank believes in YOU; wants you to believe in IT, and invites your confidence and patronage.

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THIS IS THE BANK THAT SERVICE IS BUILDING.

Uncle Sam is Again On The Warpath!

Read 'Em and Weep, if You Don't Need 'Em

WE ARE GOING TO PUT ON OUR REGULAR SATURDAY SPECIALS THIS WEEK. OUR PRICES ON EVERYTHING IN THE HOUSE THAT DAY WILL BE SPECIAL PRICES. NOTHING RESERVED.

YOU WILL SAVE BIG MONEY BY MAKING YOUR PURCHASES ON THAT DAY. COME EARLY AND BUY HEAVY. GET ENOUGH TO DO YOU WHILE THE PRICES ARE BEING SLAUGHTERED AT OUR STORES.

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Phone Nearest House.

MITCHELL

Mrs. A. C. McCarver and children of Scranton, visited Mrs. Sam Hull Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth McMullen spent the week-end with Mrs. A. G. Speegle of Dothan.

Mrs. O. N. Lasater is on the sick list.

J. D. Livingston, Jack and Henry Marchman and Ervin Chandler, were Sunday dinner guests of the Starr brothers.

Little Wilma Threest is very ill at this writing.

The patrons and teachers met at the school house Thursday night. They will meet every-two weeks until school closes. W. B. Starr, president. The purpose of the meetings are to better the school and community.

Johnie Speegle was absent from school last week on account of sickness.

Joe Wyatt and family of Coleman City, spent Thursday night with Mrs. Sam Hull. They were moving to Vernon, Texas.

Mrs. P. C. King and children spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Speegle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey visited relatives at Scranton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cheatham of Casper, Wyo., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Anderson.

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WITH the coming of the warm days, every man wants some new Shirts and Ties, and here are styles, patterns and fabrics that will please.

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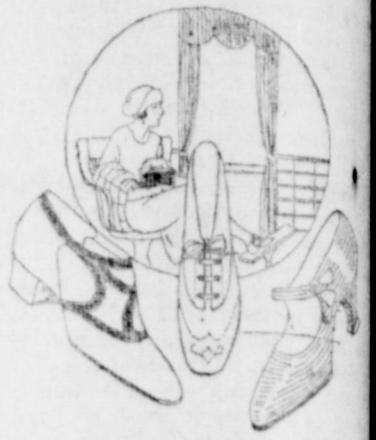
Kleiman's Week End Specials!

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday we are offering these extra special bargains. They will not appear again at anything like this price.

Ladies' Satin Slipper Special!

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Linen, all colors, per yard.....
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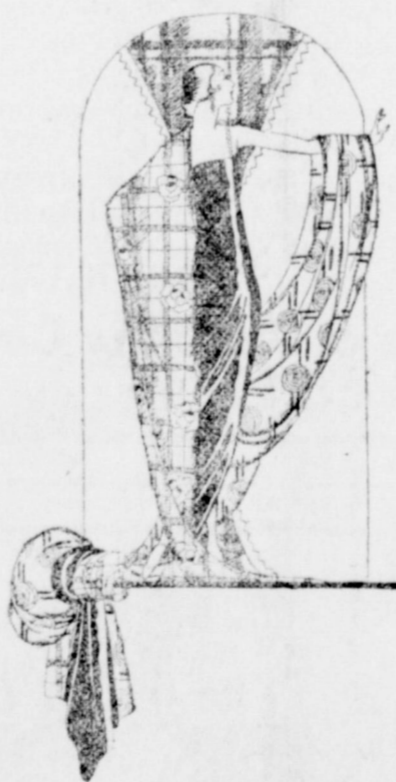
"THE HOUSE OF ACCOMMODATION"



Spring Silks Promise a Gay Season

New prints with fanciful floral patterns, shiny moire, lustrous satins and crisp taffetas are among the newest and smartest Silks in the Spring display. The new frocks have such simple lines they are no trick at all to make at home. If you like to express your own originality and have your Frocks a little distinctive and different, you will be delighted to choose from these beautiful silks and then plan your own Frocks for Spring.

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| Crepe de Chine | \$1.95 to \$2.25 | Sport Silks | \$2.98 to \$5.98 |
| Canton Crepe | \$3.50 to \$3.98 | Printed Silk Mixture, Special..... | \$1.98 |
| [Satin] | \$1.50 to \$3.98 | Taffeta Silk | \$1.98 to \$3.50 |
| Printed Crepes | \$2.75 to \$3.98 | | |



Spring Cottons and Linens

A crisp lettuce green linen, a cosmos pink ratine, a delicate lavender voile, are a few of the lovely new Cottons and Linens that suggest charming cool frocks for warm Spring days. For Sports frocks there are many new novelty weaves, unmistakably Parisian in origin. This new display of Cottons and Linens offers a fascinating selection and you will have lots of fun planning your Spring Frocks with their inspiration.

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| 36-inch Pure Linen, fast color and shrunk | 75c and 98c | 36-inch Ratives, plain and fancy; per yard | 59c to 1.98 |
| 32-inch French Gingham | 45c | Dots and Printed Voiles, yd..... | 39c to 75c |

Plaid and Striped Woolen Fabrics Smarter than Ever

Striped flannels for jaunty Sport Frocks pin striped twills for the boyish Tailleur, covertine for street frocks, and kasha in striking three toned effects for Spring Wraps are among the smart Wool Fabrics in our Spring display. Do come in and make your selections while our stock is complete. It takes a little time to plan a smart wardrobe and when the first warm Spring days arrive you will want to have it all in readiness.

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| Wool Crepes | \$2.75 | Tweeds, Checks and Stripes, Priced | \$1.98 to \$3.98 |
| Check Velours | \$1.75 to \$5.98 | | |

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