

Population Eastland county, 60,000. Population Cisco, 10,217. Altitude, 1,714 ft. above sea level. Mild winters. Nights always cool and refreshing. Typhoid and malaria practically unknown.

CISCO DAILY NEWS

Three railroads, paved streets, natural gas, modern schools, churches, three banks, machine shops, steam laundry, broom, mattress and candy manufacturers, \$1,000,000 water reservoir under construction.

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EIGHT PAGES TODAY

ACREAGE NEAR GORMAN SOLD; TO DRILL SOON

The long desired move has come about finally, says the Gorman progress. T. E. Welch, and associates have a representative in Gorman at this time getting together some acreage for a well on the east side of town. We and a lot of other citizens have for a long time wanted to see a well drilled near town on that side and they have the same spot of ground in view. These people want the citizens to furnish them at least a hundred and twenty-five acres to drill upon and when the time comes they will have their geologist to spot the place. It will, however, be some place within a mile of the east side of town and will be drilled to the bottom of nowhere or get oil. Only a few more acres are needed to make the proposition a go. The man on the ground has the matter well in hand and is looking to be able to spud in in a very short time. Any citizen who has acreage in the desired territory and wants to see this well put down will do well to let someone know about it. If there is a place in the country that has never had a test it is this immediate strip of country. It is close to the highest point in the county and is situated in a seemingly good formation. Gorman ought to all get behind the proposition and help put it over.

TEXAS WIDOW PROSECUTOR IN ARREST OF CHAUFFEUR.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Herman Vogel, a chauffeur, was arrested and held without bail today on charges of having attempted to extort \$5,000 from Mrs. N. League, widow of a Texas oil man, for whom the town of League City was named. Mrs. League said Vogel had written her letters threatening violence should she refuse to pay.

NEGRO STOPS AT THREAT OF ROPE HALTER

Threats of a cowman to use a rope and "jerk his head off" unless he gave himself up Saturday evening brought to a halt the attempted getaway of Curtis Ray, one of a pair of negroes from Abilene who were wanted by Cisco officers for shoplifting. Ray and H. L. Wiley, both claiming to be from Abilene, had been quite busy during the afternoon, it is claimed, picking up goods from various stores without going to the trouble of being waited on by the clerks or depositing any money for the merchandise. At Garner's, it is stated, their specificity was under way; at Barnes' a skirt was missing from the counter after their visit to the store, and at Nime's two fur pieces and another skirt disappeared. They came their undoing. The pair of visitors made their way to the Johnson Cafe, a negro eating house near the union station, and while there, it is alleged, secured possession of an automatic pistol from J. J. Sneed, a colored man. The acquisition of the "gat" was without the owner's consent, and the deputy sheriff's office was notified. Deputy Sheriff C. S. Looney and a man named Vick answered the call, and found the two strange negroes at the passenger station waiting for a train. At the sight of the officer, the pair took to their heels. Wiley dropped off at the old oil mill, but Ray continued his flight toward Britton Hill. It was on the road leading north of the hill that Bedford Mashburn, who was driving a bunch of cattle, stopped the attempted getaway of Ray. Seeing the deputy sheriff in pursuit of the negro, Mashburn loosed the lariat from his saddle, and called on Ray to halt. The colored man was inclined to treat the matter as a joke until Mashburn began swinging his rope and threatened to jerk his head off his shoulders. With Ray in tow, Looney came back to the oil mill and picked up Wiley, who had hidden in a pile of hulls. The stolen goods were recovered, and both negroes were taken to Eastland Sunday to await action by the grand jury, which reconvenes Tuesday.

WINDROW'S SUCCESSOR MAY BE NAMED TODAY

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—The successor of Rollin J. Windrow, state highway engineer who recently resigned probably will be selected by the state highway commission today, according to advices here from the regular monthly meeting of the commission this morning. The commission has also a large number of applications for state and federal aid for highway work to consider. It is considering a reduction in the salary of the highway engineer, now \$9,000.

POPE BENEDICT DIED SUNDAY NOT SATURDAY

ROME, Jan. 23.—In the Basilica at St. Peter's, the historic church of his father, the body of Pope Benedict lay in state today while vast crowds passed reverently before the catafalque.

ROME, Jan. 23.—The meeting of the Sacred College in conclave to elect a successor of the late Pope Benedict will open February 1 or 2, it was stated today.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—Benedict XV, sovereign pontiff of the Roman Catholic Church, passed into the valley of death at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, according to a telephone dispatch from Rome. Amidst a scene of profound solemnity and grief, the Pope of Rome ended his valiant fight for life. Surrounding his death bed, on bended knees, were grouped the cardinals and his personal attendants in the Vatican.

For several hours previous to his death his holiness had been in a continuous state of coma. Before passing into unconsciousness he readily recognized those about him. The pontiff had suffered almost continuously for 30 hours, and his aches and pains were distorted by the severe pain which he suffered. Resident cardinals and other high prelates of the Roman Catholic Church maintained a death watch throughout the night. Prayers were uttered continuously in an anteroom adjoining the death chamber. At no time since Saturday morning had any hope been held out for the recovery of the Pope. The physicians concentrated their every effort on prolonging life and easing the pain as much as possible. There were frequent injections of stimulants.

REPORT ISSUED SATURDAY DUE TO CARDINAL GASQUET

Saturday afternoon papers throughout the country were the victims of a false report sent out by the Associated Press and other newsgathering agencies that Pope Benedict XV had died at Rome late that day. Sunday morning papers received a correction on the story. The mystery of the origin of the false news of the death of his holiness has been cleared. The news was flashed to London from Rome Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock by the English Cardinal Gasquet. The report of the death of the Pope reached the newspaper men in the press room at the same time the message was sent by Cardinal Gasquet. The press representatives who were anxiously waiting for every word from the sick chamber hastily filed their flash messages to papers and news associations throughout the world. According to a statement Sunday the official censors stopped all the press messages bearing the news of the death from leaving Rome. But the censors were unable to intercept the private messages from Cardinal Gasquet. The Pope died at 6:05 Sunday morning after having himself predicted the exact time of his death at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. At that time, arising from a long coma, he suddenly addressed the surrounding cardinals and physicians, saying: "What are you doing here, especially you, Dr. Battistini, who are so old. All go to bed. There is plenty of time between 11 and 6 a. m."

ELECTION OF NEW POPE MAY BE DELAYED MONTH

LONDON, Jan. 23.—The date of the election of a new Pope will not be determined until the arrival in Rome of the two American cardinals. They are not expected to reach the Vatican before ten days. Upon their arrival nine high masses will be held before all of the delegates are locked in the chamber for the election. It is expected that a month will pass before the final selection of a new sovereign pontiff.

SUIT TO MAKE WARRANT GOOD TO BE TRIED SOON

EASTLAND, Jan. 23.—Judge Davenport on Friday afternoon continued the suit of Burkett & Orr against County Treasurer Pritchard until the following week. This is the suit brought by the law firm for the purpose of having the court to direct Pritchard to allow a warrant to be paid. The warrant was issued to Burkett & Orr in payment of legal services rendered to the county. The continuance was granted by Judge Davenport to allow the defendant time in which to prepare for the presentation of his side.

THE WEATHER

West Texas—Tonight, cloudy and colder in the extreme southeast portion. Tuesday, cloudy; not much change in temperature. East Texas—Tonight and Tuesday, cloudy; probably rain in east and south portions; somewhat colder to night in the extreme north portion.

REV. G. B. HALL COMES TO CISCO FEBRUARY 1ST

The Rev. Gaines B. Hall of Weatherford, who has accepted the call to become pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, arrived in Cisco Sunday night from Breckenridge.

He spent this morning in company with members of the local congregation, and looked over the Presbyterian manse with the idea of adjusting his household possessions to the requirements of the house in which he is to reside in Cisco. He left for Weatherford at noon today. The Rev. Mr. Hall announced while in the city that he would preach his first sermon to the Cisco congregation the first Sunday in February.

ANTI-LYNCHING BILL IS UP FOR HOUSE DEBATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Proposed amendments to the Dyer anti-lynching bill were discussed Saturday night at a caucus of house Democrats. Debate on the measure during the last few weeks disclosed that Democrats were virtually unanimous in opposition.

A tentative program of legislative business for the coming week, announced by Representative Mondell, Republican leader, called for the completion of debate on the bill Tuesday. It is planned then to take it up Wednesday under the five-minute rule, giving members an opportunity to offer amendments.

Representative Garrett of Tennessee, Democratic leader, who has been leading the fight on the measure, declaring it vicious in principle, said he thought it would be impossible to take the teeth out of it by amendments. Democrats are counting on a number of Republicans joining them in the battling on amendments and the final vote, but admitted they did not believe they could muster enough strength to defeat the measure.

RAILROADS MAY HAVE TO ISSUE MILEAGE BOOKS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The interstate commerce commission would be directed to order railroads to issue railroad mileage books under a bill passed Saturday by the senate and sent to the house. The measure would leave to the interstate commerce commission authority to prescribe fair and reasonable rates. The measure as passed was a substitute offered by Senator Cummins (Rep.) of Iowa for the original bill of Senator Watson (Rep.) of Indiana, which provided for 5,000-mile books at 3 1/2 cents per mile. The senate adopted an amendment providing for books from 1,000 to 5,000 miles and struck out a clause to provide mileage books for travel within a state. The mileage book legislation was urged by commercial travelers and other organizations. Senate debate was featured by general demands for reduction of railroad rates. Reduction of railway wages also was advocated by Senators Nelson (Rep.) of Minnesota and Dial (Dem.) of South Carolina, the latter urging abolition of the railway board.

REPORT ON COTTON GINNED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Cotton ginned prior to January 16 amounted to 7,913,971 bales the census bureau announced today. In Texas 2,121,161 bales were ginned.

RISING STAR TO HAVE GAS

RISING STAR, Jan. 23.—The city council of Rising Star had an agreement on Thursday with Parks & Roddy for a gas franchise and an agreement was also reached with the Humble Oil Company, for the gas at the same time, their representative being present at the council meeting. The Humble Company is to furnish gas at the city limits and Parks & Roddy will handle the proposition in the city. The Humble Company representative announced that work would begin next week on laying a pipe line from Goss No. 2, five miles east of town, and said only about 15 days would be required for the job. Rising Star citizens will yet get to use gas for heating this winter.

Here's Another Way to Evade Paying Debts

MOSCOW, Jan. 23.—The foreign debts owed by Russia and the claims of other governments against the soviet regime will be as nothing compared to the amounts Moscow has chalked up against England, France and America.

The Alabama claims upon which the United States was successful after the civil war for the chief precedent upon which the Bolshevik government will present its claims.

Death Lurks in White Corn Liquor Says Pro Agent

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 23.—"The face on the barroom floor should be a skull, with crossbones under it, these days," declares George H. Blincoe, federal prohibition agent. "Death lurks in white corn liquor," he says. "It all contains fusel oil, one of the most deadly poisons. First-run moonshine is 'rank poison' yet the moonshiner who makes the stuff—'first shots' it is called by the legitimate distiller—doesn't trouble himself to distill it again, but sells it as it is for drinking purposes." Double distillation and aging in charred barrels for at least four years is necessary to remove the fusel oil, Mr. Blincoe says. "No moonshine I have ever seen in my experience as a prohibition enforcement officer has aged. The bootlegger's motto seems to be 'full speed ahead' and never safety first."

Male Flirt Thrown Into Hubby's Arms By Revolving Door

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—This story revolves around a moral. Do not flirt in a revolving door is the moral.

Carl Fisher, 24, of Brooklyn, stepped into the door of a restaurant. As he did so Mrs. Hannah Keith entered from the opposite side on her way out. Police say Fisher looked at Mrs. Keith, smiled and blocked the door with his foot, holding her captive. But she did not remain captive. Becoming incensed she threw her full weight against the door, and Fisher was propelled inside the restaurant—into the arms of the husband, who had waited to pay the check. Fisher was given a suspended sentence.

Kentuckians Are Required to Take One Bath a Year

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 23.—The first "joke" bill of the 1922 session of the Kentucky general assembly has been approved in the house. Representative T. O. Holder introduced a message requiring every Kentuckian to take a bath once a year under penalty of \$1,000 to \$5,000 fine and two to five years in prison. The bill establishes the position of bathing commissioner, and instructs that he build a bathhouse for men on the Pacific coast, women on the Atlantic coast and for children under 12 years old on the Gulf of Mexico. It was referred to the committee on banks and banking.

Nine Convictions Out of Ten Cases in Criminal Court

EASTLAND, Jan. 23.—Ten criminal cases were heard in district court here the past week, and there were nine convictions and one hung jury. Robert Lee, negro, convicted of manslaughter in connection with the killing of another negro in Eastland about five weeks ago. There were two cases of automobile theft, one of which resulted in the hung jury. (Other convictions were two for theft, one for burglary, three for forgery and one for swindling.)

ASK MORE FOR SHIP CHANNEL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—A delegation from Houston, Texas, headed by Mayor Holcombe and H. Hall, a former member of congress, appeared today before the house rivers and harbor committee to urge an increased appropriation for dredging the Houston ship channel. The federal allotment of \$200,000 should be doubled, the delegation asserted.

IMPORT OF ARMS INTO CHINA MAY BE STOPPED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—As one means of giving effect to its declaration last week in favor of the reduction of the Chinese arms, the arms conference is considering another resolution looking to the prohibition of the importation of arms into China.

MEETINGS

There will be a call meeting of all officers and members of the executive committee of the John William Butts post, American Legion, Monday night, January 23, at 7:30 o'clock at the office of Orister Paschall.

TWO MURDER CASES ON TRIAL AT EASTLAND

EASTLAND, Jan. 23.—Two cases in which murder is the charge are set for trial in the 91st district court this week. One hundred and fifty veniremen have been summoned in each case.

The first case is that of Jack Elkins, accused of the murder of W. E. Cox, his father-in-law. Elkins was tried several months ago but the jury was unable to agree. This case is set for Wednesday.

On Friday, W. P. Armstrong is to go on trial for slaying Grady Tarver. Armstrong too has been tried once but during the trial one of the jurors was dismissed on account of the death of his mother and after one juror was excused the remaining 11 were dismissed. Armstrong and Tarver are said to have had a duel with knives resulting in Tarver's death, some eight months or so ago.

YOUNG WOMAN GOT A LETTER; IS SUING KLAN

HOUSTON, Jan. 23.—The Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., was sued for \$200,000 damages by Miss Nelda Meyer in federal court here Saturday.

In her petition Miss Meyer, recently of Needville, Texas, and now of Houston, alleges she received a threatening letter from Richmond Kian No. 25, written on its stationery and bearing its official seal. This letter, she asserts, was damaging to her reputation.

The suit is believed to be the first of its kind ever filed in Texas or the Southwest. William Joseph Simmons, "imperial wizard" of Atlanta, Ga., and George Kimbro Jr. of Houston, "grand goblin for the domain of the Southwest," are named as persons upon whom service may be had. Harry Gerlach, Houston attorney, represents Miss Meyer. The case will probably be called for trial by Federal Judge J. C. Hutcherson Jr. at the next term of Federal court here, commencing the last week in February. A copy of the letter, dated Jan. 6, was attached to the petition.

SUNDAY FIRES TAKE HOME AND GAS STATION

Sunday morning at 1:30 o'clock a five-room house on West First street, near the city cemetery, owned by G. G. Bennett and occupied by L. J. Terry and family, was totally destroyed by fire, together with all the contents. No one was at home at the time of the blaze, and the cause is not known. Nothing was saved from the house, as the fire had gained too much headway before it was discovered. The house was valued at \$2,000, and was insured for \$1,500. The household goods were valued at \$1,500 and were insured for \$1,000. The W. A. Cunningham filling station at Avenue A and Sixth street was badly damaged by fire about 11 o'clock Sunday night. It is said that a boy went into the station to clean the place up before opening up early Monday morning, lighted a match, and the fire was on. The nature of the stock carried made it practically impossible to save anything. The building, valued at \$2000 was damaged to the extent of \$1500, and the stock valued at \$1000, was a complete loss. The building was insured for \$1500 and the stock for \$1000. The boy who, it is said was the cause of the fire, suffered painful burns on his right hand.

COUNTY WILL NOT REPUDIATE ITS DEBTS IF IT COULD AND CANNOT IF IT WOULD, SAYS C. R. STARNES

People of Eastland County Are Good and Honest People and Intend to and Expect to Pay Their Debts as Individuals and as a County, Says the Judge—Recent Suit is Delaying the Paying of Script and Beginning of Good Road Work.

EASTLAND, Jan. 23.—"Eastland county will not repudiate its debts if it could and it cannot repudiate its debts if it would."

This is a statement which Judge Starnes authorized this morning with reference to the repudiation suit filed by Chastain, Judkins & Chastain and others, which appears to have of it H. C. Poe who claims to have made an offer to buy the county bonds and who is disgruntled because he did not get the bonds; at least, telegrams were received signed by him saying that he and citizens of Eastland county employed Chastain, Judkins & Chastain.

Judge Starnes further said that the people of Eastland county are good and honest people and intend to and expect to pay their debts as individuals and as a county. That the courts of this great state are honest and will make Eastland county, both as individuals and as a community, pay its debts. Judge Starnes hands to the press a letter from the attorney general of Texas giving the law in this state, which shows so plainly that the Chastain, Judkins & Chastain suit was filed merely to harass and delay and was without merit, that any citizen may understand it.

"Hon. C. R. Starnes, County Judge, Eastland, Texas. "Dear Sir: "I am in receipt of your telegram of the 19th instant, and replying, I beg to say: "1. On the 18th instant I wrote you citing certain articles of the statute in respect to the issuance and approval of county bonds. In my view, these articles apply to the road bonds recently issued by Eastland county. "2. In addition to the articles cited in my letter of the 18th instant, I direct attention to Articles 613 R. S. 1911, as amended by Chapter 50, Acts 3rd Called Session 36th Legislature. This article provides, in part, as follows: "The issue of bonds under this Chapter (Chapter 1, Title 18) shall be based upon the taxable values of the county according to the last approved assessment."

"The word 'issue' has been variously defined. In one case it was held confined to the delivery of the bonds. (Perkins county vs. Graff, 114 Federal, 441.) In this state, the Galveston court of civil appeals in Moller vs. City of Galveston, 57 S. W. 1116, held that city bonds legally executed, certified by the attorney general and registered by the comptroller of public accounts, are 'issued' though they remain unsold, but in the case of City of Austin vs. Valle, 71 S. W. 414, the Austin court of civil appeals held that the word 'issued' as found in the chapter, would be construed as referring to the time of the sale of the bonds. The supreme court of the state refused writs of error in both of said cases. "In Hidalgo county drainage district No. 3 vs. Davidson, 120 S. W. 849, the supreme court, in construing the laws of 1907 providing for the creation of drainage districts and the issuance of bonds, held that the word 'issued' as used in Section 23 of the Act, meant bonds executed by signing and attesting them, but that the word 'issue' as used in Section 24 of the same Act and appearing in the phrase 'desiring to issue bonds' meant to put bonds into circulation by selling them, while the phrase 'the bonds to be issued' meant those to be prepared and executed.

"It would seem therefore that the best and safest rule to follow is to consider bonds 'issued' only when they are delivered to the buyers and the purchase money actually received therefor. The generally accepted meaning of the term 'bond issues' is 'bonded debts' owing by a public corporation. "The statute (Art. 613) declares that the 'issues' of bonds under Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S. 1911, shall be based upon the taxable values of the county 'according to the last approved assessment.' Undoubtedly this means that the amount of taxable values as the same appears from the assessment rolls last approved next preceding the sale of the bonds will control the amount of bonds to be issued. "While the Eastland county special road bonds were not issued under Chapter 1, Title 18, R. S. 1911, the provisions of Articles 613 and 619 will apply to their issuance, as set out in the above explanation appearing in Article 633 to the effect that the general statutes relative to county bonds shall apply to the issuance, approval, registration, sale and payment of county special road bonds, where such general statutes are not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 2, Title 18 (the law authorizing county special road bonds). "In Cohen vs. City of Houston, 176 S. W. 809, it was held that the bonds were not invalidated because of the total amount authorized was such that the city could not levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest thereon and provide the required sinking fund. The opinion in this case reads, in part, as follows: "The question presented by this state of facts, then, is whether the city can lawfully issue the bonds in annual installments, running for a period of

five years? We think the answer should be in the affirmative, provided that at the time the election is held, yet if, at the time the bonds actually become due against the city, the taxable values are sufficient to pay the interest and provide the sinking fund, the bonds will be valid. "In City of Austin vs. Valle, 71 S. W. 414, the court used the following language: "We are of the opinion that, although the taxable values may not be sufficient at the time the election is held, yet if, at the time the bonds actually become due against the city, the taxable values are sufficient to pay the interest and provide the sinking fund, the bonds will be valid. "In Wells vs. City of Sioux Falls, 94 N. W. 425, the South Dakota Supreme Court held as follows: "The contention that the defendants are without power to issue these bonds to the amount of \$50,000, because the proposition submitted to the voters provided for issuing bonds to the extent of \$210,000, is untenable, especially as it appears that they intended to issue the remaining portion as they may be required by the contemplated municipal improvement. The mere statement of the contention is sufficient to show its fallacy. It would be contrary to the dictates of reason to hold that the city authorities are bound to sell more bonds than are needed for the intended purpose, or that they are required to dispose of all of them at one and the same time. "From all of the above, it will clearly appear that the amount of taxable values at the time the bonds are issued and sold will control the bonding power of the county or municipality. "Yours very truly, "W. P. DUMUS, "Assistant Attorney General"

CUNNINGHAM SAYS LAWYERS BUNCOED HIM

EASTLAND, Jan. 23.—Suit was filed in the 88th district court today by T. J. Cunningham of Eastland against Lee J. Marks and R. W. Flaherty, local attorneys, asking damages in the sum of \$68,000. Cunningham was court reporter in the 88th district court for a number of years, and resigned on December 20 last to practice law. In his complaint he alleges that on the solicitation of Marks and Flaherty he resigned his position to become a member of the firm, and open up offices in Mexia, on a basis of 25 per cent of the earnings. When we got to Mexia, Cunningham alleges, he found that the lease on the office had been cancelled, and that Marks and Flaherty refused to recognize him as a member of the firm. He moved his family, consisting of his wife and two small children, Cunningham states, to Mexia, "under the most unpleasant environments and hardships, among strangers, and in a time of cold, dreary wintry weather," took his little girl out of the Eastland schools and found that he could not get her in school at Mexia on account of the crowded condition; had quit a job that provided a good living to engage in the practice of law with which he was not familiar, and he asks the court to allow him \$18,000 for his anguish, suffering and worry. The other \$50,000 are punitive damages. Cunningham states that Marks and Flaherty represented to him that during the Eastland county boom they cleaned up \$4,000 to \$5,000 each month, and that they could do the same in Mexia, making his salary as court reporter look pretty small as compared with the 25 per cent he would receive as a member of the firm. During December, Marks told him, the complaint alleges, that the firm would do a business of \$11,000 to \$12,000, and the plaintiff thinks he is entitled to 25 per cent of that. The court is asked to require the firm to keep a separate account of its earnings since December 20 and to pay into the court 25 per cent of the amounts received. Attorneys for Cunningham are Chastain, Judkins & Chastain, Burkett & Orr, R. N. Grisham and Dodson & Owen.

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THE POSTAL SERVICE.

The romantic seizure of Will H. Hays by the gilded gods of the motion picture industry and the investment of that bright young man with a salary which doubles that of the president of the United States will not blind the American people to the fact that the career of Mr. Hays is of far less importance to them than is the efficiency of the postal service.

The motion picture industry is important. It believes, and the public sympathizes, that it needs something. It expresses that need in a glittering salary, and professes admiration and yearning, not for the postmaster-general, but for Will Hays personally. Mr. Hays is human; even a much covet man would find it difficult to resist this passionate infatuation, so well supported financially, even though the industry does not itself know what it wishes or expects this darling of the gods to do for it.

The point is that it is high time this country raised its own postmaster-generals. Much as the motion pictures mean to the country, the postal service means more. The postal service is the most intimate phase of government service; it is a part of the daily, and almost hourly life of every home in the land; it affects every business, large and small, it is individual and universal, it is a part of all activity. Nothing else compares to it. Its inefficiency inconveniences and exasperates the entire population; its efficiency means the quickening of intercourse and insurance to business operations.

The postoffice should have a permanent head, a man whose experience may increase from year to year and to be contributed to the national service, a man who shall be professionally a postmaster-general and nothing else; a man whom even the motion pictures could not entice away. It should be his life work, and when he retires or is summoned to the great Dead Letter office his successor should be found in the service itself.

CANDY AND COURTSHIP.

Even if the average individual can be made to admit that sugar is one of the most important of food products, he is little likely to appreciate the extent of the influence which sugar wields in modern life.

An abundance or shortage in sugar makes itself felt in so many ways that it takes more than casual observation to discern them. When sugar is at a prohibitive price the canning season becomes a time of despond. When the price of sugar is low the canning season brings days of joy to the housekeeper's heart. At such times interesting and alluring smells steal from out the kitchen window and carry assurance that the winter will not be without jams and jellies and all sorts of canned fruits and pickled dainties.

For all manner of baked goods sugar is an important ingredient; so much so that when the price of sugar mounts, the price of baked sweets of all kinds goes up with it. In all the numerous ramifications of activities through which we are provided with food at the dining-room table sugar plays today an important part.

It is the foundation for practically the whole of that delectable com-

modity known by the general name of candy. Many grown-ups and all children find it in this form indispensable for a true enjoyment of life. For the individual it stimulates the imagination to reflect at the candy counter in how many ways by a difference in color or shape a simple thing like sugar can be made interesting. In its social aspect sugar becomes responsible for candy pulls, taffy parties, and other forms of amusement for old and young.

Not the least of its functions it performs when it makes smooth the path of true love. Candy and courtship have more in common than the initial letter of the two words. If the way to a man's heart is through his stomach, who knows that the woman's heart may not be more easily reached through her sweet tooth? If a thing as far away as the moon may stir the heart of a lad, may not as tangible and appealing a thing as a box of chocolates find responsive echoes in the heart of the lass?

Our poets have glorified honey; is it not time that some equally sympathetic but more learned individual should tell us of the social significance of sugar?

OPEN FORUM

CONDEMN PICTURE

Be it known that, whereas it has been stated and advertised in the public press, that a picture show will be presented at one of the local theaters, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday picturing the life and death tragedy of the late Jake Hamon, which his partner in crime is trying to impose upon the people of the country, and,

Whereas, the best people of many of our cities and towns have condemned the presentation of this picture for moral reasons, and,

Whereas, a meeting of representatives of the various societies, clubs, and organizations of Cisco has been called to consider the matter in behalf of the morals and the best interests of the people of Cisco, and,

Whereas, it is the unanimous opinion of those present that the presentation of this show in Cisco would tend to emphasize and magnify the crimes, for which these Hamons became too notorious, and would serve no good purpose.

Therefore, be it resolved: That we request the management of the local theater to cancel his engagement of this picture.

MRS. JAS. L. SHEPHERD, President W. M. U. of Baptist Church

J. J. GOBBEY, Superintendent of the city schools.

MRS. H. L. WINCHELL, President of the Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church.

MRS. M. D. PASCHALL, President of the Womans' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

MRS. PHILIP PETTY, Exec. Sec. A. R. C.

MRS. G. B. KELLY, Catholic Ladies Aid.

MRS. L. E. ELKINS, Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian Church.

MRS. JACK OLSON, President of the First Industrial Art Club.

MRS. L. A. HARRISON, Civic League.

MRS. R. Q. LEE, President of the Century Club.

Pastors' Association: C. G. HOWARD, President.

E. H. HOLMES, Secretary.

MRS. W. C. SHELTON, Vice-president of First Industrial Art Club.

EUGENE LANKFORD.

WEARS AN OVERCOAT TWICE IN 51 YEARS

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—For the second time in 51 years, E. W. Shands, Travis county bailiff, was forced to don an overcoat recently. The cold wave that reached Austin was the cause.

The only other time he has worn an overcoat in Austin, Mr. Shands said, was when he was a young man. He came to Austin with his father more than 50 years ago. He always kept his blood circulating by keeping active, he explained.

THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND RAIL EMPLOYEES AFFECTED BY CHANGE IN THE RULES OF LABOR BOARD

Abolition of Penal Overtime Until After Ninth Hour and "Split Tricks" Are Among the Changes in Rules Governing Clerks and Terminal Employees—New Rules, Effective February 1, Supersede National Agreement.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Abolition of penal overtime payments until after the ninth hour of work and authorization of "split tricks" instead of compelling overtime payments or two shifts for intermittent work over a span of more than eight hours are important changes of rules governing railroad clerical and terminal employees issued by the United States Railroad Labor Board last night.

The new rules, which become effective February 1, supersede the national agreement made by the federal administration with the Brotherhood of Railway & Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express & Station Employees, which has been in effect since January 1, 1920. About 300,000 employees are affected.

Application of the new split trick rules and elimination of time and one-half pay for the ninth hour are expected to save the railroads millions of dollars, labor board statisticians estimated that the amount would reach \$15,000,000 annually. During the rule hearings, many roads testified that baggagemen, train announcers and other employees doing intermittent work, many of them young boys or aged men formerly paid \$75 a month, were receiving \$175 to \$200 due to operation of the overtime rule. This overtime will now be eliminated.

The eight-hour day was retained in principle, however, as were collective bargaining and union recognition. The new rules cover all points in clerical working agreements not covered by rules negotiated between individual roads and their employees.

Time and one-half pay now applies only to the tenth hour of work or thereafter, and to hours worked if held on duty more than two hours when called for extra work. Sunday and holiday work will be paid at straight time, except where the railroad agrees to do otherwise.

Reopening of many small railway stations, improvement of service to small towns and on suburban lines is expected to follow the adoption of the new rule as to intermittent work. It will now be possible for the railroads to place responsible employees at the smaller stations at all train hours without the expense which they claim is now prohibitive, and which has resulted in the closing of many stations and the handing of others over to caretakers and janitors at some hours of the day.

The new rule announced by the board provides that where actual service is intermittent, eight hours actual time on duty within a spread of twelve hours shall constitute a day's work. When employees actually work more than eight hours within the span or when held longer than 12 hours to perform their work, they are to be paid time and one-half for the extra time.

Under the old national agreement, an employee received overtime pay after expiration of eight hours from the time he first went on duty, although he may have had several hours of idleness due to the fact that there was no train service nor any other duties to perform.

Charges that employees actually farmed or performed other work for themselves in such intervals have been one of the outstanding features of the criticism levelled at railroad conditions under federal control. Where all the work at a station due to the arrival and departure of trains only in the morning and evening comes within a spread of 12 hours, such an employee under the new rule would work in the morning, be released in the middle of the day without pay and report in the afternoon for the remainder of the day's work. Under the old rule he was paid overtime for the evening work or two shifts employed, which later was generally done.

The new rule will also allow the railroads, at larger terminals where the arrival and departure of trains is bunched, to employ baggagemen, train announcers, gatemen, train and engine crew callers and employees in similar

positions on split tricks instead of having to maintain two shifts.

The new code leaves the matter of sick leave and vacations for employees up to the men and the managements entirely. Under the National Agreement there was no rule securing these advantages for the employees, previous practice being continued.

The board extended the time allowed for investigation of complaints of employees claiming to have been unjustly dismissed from service from seven days to ten days. Under the new rules meal period worked shall be paid for at the pro rata rate. These periods were formerly paid for at time and one-half.

The new rules allow straight time for the daily work period to employees traveling on company boarding cars to assignments away from their regular places, but eliminate the provision of payment of half time between the hours of 10 p. m. and 5 a. m. which was the rule under the National Agreement.

Students and apprentices qualifying for specific clerical work or as operators of office machines such as typewriters and adding machines are exempted from the terms of the agreement.

A large number of rules on discipline, grievances and seniority, over which there were disputes on some lines were remanded to the men and the managements for further negotiation. The rule covering the scope of the agreement to include personal office forces, over which several cases have already come before the board, was also remanded for further consideration.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF EASTLAND

Whereas, by virtue of authority vested in me, as trustee, named and appointed in a certain deed of trust, recorded in volume 30, page 133 of the deed of trust records of Eastland county, Texas, executed and delivered to me on the 3rd day of September, 1920 for better securing the payment of two certain promissory notes in the principal sum of \$500.00 each and of even date with said deed of trust and each more fully described in said deed of trust, executed by Etta V. Hart and E. Hart, payable to the order of C. J. Burrows at Cisco, Texas, due six months and twelve months respectively after date, bearing ten per cent interest per annum from date thereof until paid, interest due and payable semi-annually as it accrues, providing failure to pay either of said notes or any installment of interest thereon when due, shall at the option of the holder of said notes or either of them, mature each thereof and in such event, the holder may proceed to collect the same in the same manner as if the full time provided in said notes had expired, and also providing for the payment of ten per cent additional on the amount of principal and interest then due as attorneys' fees, if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Said notes were given in part payment for the purchase price of the following described land:

All of lots three and four in Block twelve in the City of Cisco, Texas, as shown by the plat of said city, duly recorded in the deed records of Eastland county, Texas, reference to which is hereby made for more particular description.

And whereas, the said U. J. Burrows is now the holder and owner of the above mentioned note due twelve months after date thereof and the said Etta V. Hart and E. Hart have made default in the payment of said note and the same is now past due and wholly unpaid, principal, interest and attorney's fees and by reason thereof and as provided for in said note and in said deed of trust, the said U. J. Burrows has declared said note and all of said indebtedness immediately due and mature and has heretofore so notified

the said Etta V. Hart and E. Hart in writing; and whereas, said note is now past due and unpaid and there is due thereon principal, interest and attorney's fees aggregating \$623.15; and whereas, I have been requested by the said U. J. Burrows to enforce said trust, I will offer for sale between the legal hours thereof, to-wit: between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the first Tuesday in February, 1922, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the courthouse door in the city of Eastland in Eastland county, Texas, the property above described, with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereto in anywise belonging.

WITNESS my hand this 14th day of January, 1922. DEAN SHERRY, Trustee. 255-291-297

CUTTING DOWN ON COTTON WILL BE PROFITABLE

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—Unless farmers of Texas and the other cotton producing states are gamblers of more than ordinary recklessness and ability, according to the state markets and warehouse department, acreage to cotton this year will be held well in line with the restriction program outlined by the American Cotton association, which contemplates that one-third of each 25 acres be planted to cotton, the remainder to go into feed and food crops.

"Such a program, if conscientiously adhered to by all cotton producing sections, would do much to make the crop of 1922 a profitable one," the department stated, "for not only would the cost of producing the crop be materially lowered by the production on the farm of such necessities as food and feed, a matter which this year especially must receive the attention of producers, but the supplying to the markets of just such quantity of the staple as its consuming ability demands and no more would go a long way toward placing this crop on a 'cost plus' basis."

"It seems conservative to estimate an acreage reduction in cotton this year, for not only is there a very noticeable awakening to the necessity of forethought in the regulation of supply to the anticipated demand, but the producers' tragic experiences the past two years with the weakened credit sources will act somewhat as a curb on those who might otherwise be tempted to thoughtlessly gamble on another large crop and restrict their operations at least to a certain extent. "A limited acreage, intensively cultivated," should be the cotton planter's watchword for 1922.

"As conditions stand at present, it may be considered that there is an available supply of cotton somewhere in the neighborhood of 13,000,000 bales, figuring on an 8,000,000 bale crop for 1921 and eliminating from the carry over of previous seasons the low grades and unspinnable cotton, which has been steadily accumulating since 1914. Taking the present spinners' demands and anticipating for the future a reasonable increase, as the return to normal opens the channels of our cotton goods, it is reasonable to expect that before the advent of 1922 crop that the greater portion of the stocks on hand will have gone into actual consumption and that an active market with correspondingly good prices will await the coming crop. It is seriously imperative that the cotton crop of 1922 be a success. Should it not be, the entire cotton industry may well anticipate annihilation."

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KU KLUX PARADE GIVEN IN DALLAS

DALLAS, Jan. 23.—There was a Ku Klux parade in Dallas Saturday night participated in by about 3,000 men in full regalia of the organization.

The marchers formed in the vicinity of the courthouse on Houston street and began to gather about 6 o'clock.

It was shortly after 7 o'clock that the march began uptown through the business section of the city to East Dallas, where street cars were boarded for the Coliseum, where there was a general meeting to hear addresses by visiting and local officials of the organization.

Thousands of people downtown were attracted by the parade.

Comment was caused by the fact that no banners with slogans were carried. There was a flaming cross at the head of the procession.

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THE "BONEHEAD" NUMBER

Examination week was a lean week for far as news was concerned. Everybody wanted to know something, but there was no way to find out that something—and there was no budging the faculty from the intention to keep the casualty lists secret until this morning. Therefore The Crusher conceived the idea of publishing a "bonehead" number which should contain the "worst breaks" of the year in all groups of the high school.

It is well that students in high school should, at a time like this, recall the mistakes they have made during the term. Many have been so very clever, and so brilliant, that now, upon finding that they have added laurels unto themselves by making a modest 90 per cent in every final—they are likely to suffer from that well-known sophomore disease, swelling of the cranium. Therefore consider well the examples herewith given of student intelligence, and be humble.

Here are the worst mistakes made by the Hi-Y Club; by the Debating Club; by the Gusher Staff; by students during Better English Week; by the football team; and by students in answering questions in the recent finals.

Examine well this page, then, for it is well to remember that success lies not in being free from error, but in keeping from making the same mistake twice.

GUSHER STAFF "BONEHEADS." The Gusher Staff is noted for its independence and thoroughness. This would not necessarily account for the absence of "Boneheads," it probably has something to do with it. There have not been many boneheads in the staff, and none on the staff, but there are one or two that are worth mentioning.

Mr. Williams seemed to think that somebody pulled a "bone" in writing up the University Reports of some of the former C. H. S. students. At any rate he requested us to be certain of facts in the future and not to give out any erroneous impressions.

The editor did some bonehead typing on the assignments, but don't blame it on him. He said that he ain't going to be no stenographer.

W. H. Magness made his season mistake when he wrote the Hi-Y meeting up in advance and then found that he had been thinking of the wrong meeting.

The Gusher staff made its biggest bonehead when it became a self-supporting organization because now it has to do all the work.

As the Gusher goes to press, it occurs to us that the zenith of Gusher bonehead possibilities may be reached in calling this "The Bonehead Number"—for we feel it in our bones that our gentle critics are going to suggest it as a permanent title!

DEBATING CLUB "BONEHEADS." Lela Latch—McKinley was assassinated in Washington.

W. H. Magness—"Prove that all the murdered presidents were foreigners."

Lula Bell Trigg—"When a Jew is in a financial condition he goes to another Jew for help."

Bert Waters—"Anybody knows that a plane will cut pushing or pulling?"

W. H. Magness—"Hundreds of years will pass before this country elapses its resources."

Lula Bell Trigg—"The Balkans are located in Minnesota."

Bert Waters—"Any of these Mexicans will stick a knife in your back from behind."

Hi-Y Although the Hi-Y has not made as many "bonehead" mistakes as the other organizations of the school they have made some.

Gilbert Glasscock was seen to be looking in the new Testament for Genesis.

One Sunday Mr. Wells mentioned work and "Pups," who was asleep in the back of the room, growled.

FOOTBALL "BONEHEADS" In the Stamford game at Cisco, "Pinkie" Alsobrook made a star "bonehead" by tackling a man who called for a "free catch" and was getting ready to punt. Cisco was penalized twenty-five yards for this play.

Frank Turner, quarterback and captain, made a "bonehead" by trying forward passes in the last few minutes of the game at Strawn. Fortunately none was intercepted as Cisco was only one point ahead at the end of the game, seven-six.

In the Gorman game at Cisco, Rex Carrothers lost his sense of direction and ran out of bounds after catching a punt, instead of straight down the field.

Joe Kilborn, center, pulled several "pinkies" by throwing the ball to Frank when the other was off side.

Strawn's center, at Strawn, made a game-losing "bone" when he put the ball on the ground before the kicker was ready to make the kick. That lost them one point and the game, as the score was seven to six.

Several of the players made "bones" in school which lost them the chance to play in the game, especially in the Stamford game when several substitutes "relieved" the first-string men.

BETTER ENGLISH "BONEHEADS" Probably at no time during the last term were Cisco students made so conscious of their daily mistakes as during "Better English Week." The following are a few of the more laughable violations of good use made at that time, with the names of the perpetrators and their reporters. The name appearing in parentheses in each case is the name of the person reporting the error.

Lula Bell Trigg is reported by Lela Latch as saying, "I'll bust," Mabel Myers said, "My eyes ain't red" (Marion Chambliss); Mal Rumph (Marion Chambliss) remarked "He is the most funny person I ever saw."

Miss Soderstrom (Lawrence Keough) asked, "Have you had your year took?" Andrew Pippin (Dibbon Choate) said "Landa Napoleon 'pointed the pope'."

As during "Better English Week" approximately one thousand "boneheads" were reported, it is a manifest impossibility to remind Gusher readers of more than a very small per cent of them.

SUSAN SMARTWEED SAYS; Even some of the boys forget and show their curiosity at times. In English III recently, Wallace looked up in surprise at the word "callers" fell from the teacher's lips.

Wallace had never heard of such things, apparently, for presently in a loud voice he asked what in the world "callers" might be. Nor was he to be quieted until one of the girls told him. Wallace, reward your informer by being one of those things.

Cleo Mancill, in writing down a dictated sentence in class, thought she was in shorthand class. The sentence was, "Tom caught him and pounded him." Cleo wrote, "Tom caught him and fed him."

Not long ago in chapel, all students sitting near a certain teacher learned in a momentary revelation what they had not before suspected. When Mr. Godbey asked for some bachelor to volunteer to read one of Riley's poems, Mr. B. F. G. ducked his head and said to the students near him, "Shut up, all of you. This is no foolish joke."

(This poem is a little late—but that is not my fault.—Susan.) "Take up your pen and paper and walk, But be dead sure that you do not talk. For talking is a sin, the worst of all," Quoth the teacher, "And you will reap what you sow, Even in the stud y'all."

Exams are coming, dread, sure, and near. Only the lazy have anything to fear. Most of the students of C. H. S. Fear nothing—for they are at the very best;

In math and English and history too, They do just the things they ought to do. When the teacher writes an O. K. on your book, Go take your seat with a solemn look;

Fear not, lazy brother, we know you'll win. The teacher won't fail you, for sure, falling's a sin.

When at the door on Tuesday morn'g You are told to be quiet by a teacher forlorn,

Just walk right in, smiling and take a seat. And let no one guess, if your Waterloo you meet.

Listen, girls, Sister Suzann wants to whisper a word or two. Why pick on the sweetheart of the school? Some of you may not yet, still he feels that you despise him. Let's don't have him thinking that it will put a sad, forlorn look into his clear blue eye, and his smile will fade away.

MARK TWAIN MISSES A RARE OPPORTUNITY Misinformation is the Answers in Recent Finals.

Examinations always prove a time for gratification and humiliation of teachers. Mark Twain in "Following the Equator" gives some questions asked boys and girls in India and the

answers received. They are very amusing and serve to show the difficulty of educating the natives of India. Just to show and give the reader an idea of the education of these people a few of the questions and answers are given.

Question: "What is the meaning of a sheriff?" Answer: "Sheriff was the English bill of common prayer."

"The man with whom the accusative persons are placed is called sheriff."

"Sheriff—Latin term for shrub, we call broom, worn by the first earl of Enjue, as an emblem of humility when they went to the pilgrimage, and rom this their hairs took their crest and surname."

The following answers were received to history questions: "Christopher Columbus was called the father of his country. Queen Isabella of Spain sold her watch and chain and other millinery so that Columbus could discover America."

"The Indians were very desecrating to the country."

"The Indians pursued their warfare by hiding in the bushes and then scalping them."

"Captain John Smith has been styled the father of his country. His life was saved by his daughter Pocahontas."

"The Puritans found an insane asylum in the wilds of America."

"The Stamp Act was to make every body stamp all materials so they should be null and void."

"Washington died in Spain almost a week before he was to be taken to the cathedral in Havana."

"Gorilla warfare was where men rode on gorillas."

There were also some answers on questions of literature which would make a modern freshman blush with shame, even if they could not do much better. The following are very instructive. Read them with care.

"Bracebridge Hall" was written by Washington Irving.

"Edgar A. Poe was a very curdling writer."

"Ben Johnson survived Shakespeare in Canterbury Tales it gives account of King Alfred on his way to the shrine of Thomas Becket."

"Chaucer was the father of English poetry."

"Chaucer was succeeded by H. Wads. Longfellow."

Such are some of the answers the "Indian" children made. We were only thinking what a rich field Mark Twain missed by not being in Cisco during the recent examinations. It is a pity that a man who writes such humorous stories should have to miss such an opportunity as afforded in Cisco high school recently. But since that is not possible we will give to the readers a few answers received by the symbols of learning from those students who are supposed to be accumulating knowledge as fast as it can be fed out to them. These answers should forever put to rest any disputes concerning the relative education of an American and an Indian school child. Some of you students who loudly guffawed at the ignorance shown by the above answers must now prepare to

blush with shame and to forever hold your peace for, Lo! your name may be next.

"Oratory may be either oral or written."

"Sir Roger was a fine looking speaker."

Dogenes was a philosopher who did not have much temper."

"The Jews started business in the world."

Question: "What do we owe to Egypt?" Answer: "We owe Egypt a very large sum of money; but I don't think we owe the Hebrews a cent."

"Haig is a place in Belgium where the League of Nations meets."

(Translation from "El Capitán") "He handed his bridle reign to the lackey."

"The captain left his horse at the door."

COMING! MISS JANE GOUDE Next Lyceum Number Will Occur February 14.

It has been a long time since anything was said about the Lyceum course. This article is just to remind you that we still have some good entertainment in Cisco, and to tell you of the good entertainment you have to look forward to in the near future. The Lyceum Course for this year was carefully chosen and Cisco secured an exceptionally good one. The entertainment offered in the course cannot be excelled. And the best part of it is almost all before us. Out of a course of six numbers four remain to be given. And what is still better the best numbers have not been yet shown. The four numbers that remain should be far more interesting and entertaining than the two that have already come. Jane Goude will entertain the Cisco people in the first number of the new year when she appears at the city hall February 14. Miss Goude has a very good reputation as a reader and entertainer of both young and old people. She has read before the school children of Oakland and San Francisco California and has always pleased her hearers. In addition to this she has entertained audiences in almost every large city in the United States and has made friends wherever she went. Cisco is indeed fortunate to secure a young lady of Miss Goude's character and accomplishments.

The male quartette will no doubt prove one of the greatest drawing cards of the season. Composed of four accomplished young men who can do anything from a violin solo to a cradle song, this quartette has an enviable record as entertainers. This one promises to be even better than the one Cisco had last year, and there is no one, not even a chronic pessimist, who did not laugh himself sick at the funny songs, readings, and music of last year's male quartette. If you enjoy clean fun don't miss this number.

But the greatest treat will be given the people when the Mollusc is shown soon. The "Mollusc" is a comedy-drama fresh from Broadway, with real Broadway actors and actresses. This was a very expensive number but it is worth the money. Everyone about to take advantage of the unusual opportunity to see such high class entertainment at such unusually low prices. Such a chance may never come your way again. See that you don't miss it.

The last number of the season should be especially interesting to anyone who loves the South. Two young ladies, comprising the Southland Duo will entertain with Southern songs, readings, and dances. Anyone who would like to learn a little of old Southern life as well as to be delightfully entertained, should see to it that he does not miss this number.

To those of you who did not take advantage of the unusually low prices of the season tickets, tickets for the four remaining numbers will soon be offered. It will pay you to take advantage of the offer that will be made as you will effect a great saving. Not only that but you will be supporting your school, your town, and your activities, and you will be getting the best entertainment with the most educational qualities possible.

Tickets will soon be placed on sale. You can secure them at the High School or from any member of the Hi-Y Club.

THE POETIC MUSE—AGAIN Here's a "pome," from the facile eversharp of a freshman, too. There is no particular reason that it should be published in the "Bonehead Number," and on the other hand, there is no reason that it should not. Now is the time for some senior to respond with an epic in blank verse (wouldn't that be about dignified enough for a senior?), on the naturally suggested topic, "It is, indeed, pitiful to be a Senior."

Seniors, get busy. State your case in polished style—in stately Alexandrines, in sonnets, epics, or in gay tetrameter—and when a senior poet has come forth with a contribution as worthy of a senior as this is of a freshman, The Gusher will give hearty permission to the seniors to laugh at freshman doggerel.

IT'S TOUGH TO BE A FRESHMAN By Artex Wheatley You think you're big when you're a fish. And start to Cisco High. If you've never failed, don't get stuck up. You're bound to by and by. You may fail in Algebra or English Or maybe both you know. Or you may fail in Latin, too. And your pride, it hurts it so. And when you get to be a Soph. You'll do as others do— Just look right down on the Freshies. And be glad you have been one, too. When at last you are a Senior And you see a "fish" run by. Remember that you—yes, even you, Were once a fish in Cisco High.

Every pause, with one voice still cried, "Oh," greatly rejoicing in our exercises. Yet, they took such pleasure in our singing of Psalms, that whenever they resorted to us, their first request was commonly this, "Gnaah," by which they intreated that we would sing.

Drake tarried just a month, setting sail on July 23, after naming the country New Albion. The year after the Golden Hind dropped anchor again at Plymouth, he was elected mayor of the city, and served 340 years ago.

NEW LAW NOT TO DELAY HIGHWAYS WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Highway construction will not be delayed by the requirements of the new federal highway act, says a statement from the department of agriculture. The federal highway system will consist of roads not exceeding 7 per cent of the total in any state designated by the state and approved by the secretary of agriculture. Work is being rushed by all the highway departments on the preparation of maps of the proposed system, but naturally such an important matter will take some little time and consideration.

The government authorities will insist that important through routes must at state lines, which will require conferences between authorities of different states.

In order that work will not be delayed pending the approval of each state system the secretary of agriculture has amended the rules and regulations for federal aid to permit the immediate construction of such roads as it may reasonably be anticipated will become part of the system.

State highway officials are being advised that the anticipated route of which the road to be built is a part should be as long as practicable, preferably entirely across the state.

A map must be submitted showing the route and connecting routes. If this is found satisfactory the project will be approved for immediate construction, says the department's statement.

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CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION AND REVISION OF TAXATION SYSTEM NEEDED IN TEXAS SAYS VINSON

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—Texas needs a campaign of education, a revision of the taxation system and revision of the constitutional provisions relating to education to make the University of Texas a first class university, according to Dr. Robert E. Vinson, president of the university, in explaining the situation facing that institution.

"The attendance for this year reckoning from commencement to commencement is already considerably in excess of the total enrollment of last year," Dr. Vinson said, in stating the situation. The present registration is slightly under 10 per cent increase over the total enrollment of the preceding year. It is interesting also to note that students are in actual attendance in the university from a total of about 215 out of the 260 counties of the state.

"The financial condition of the university this year as compared with last year is in round figures as follows: Actual expenditures for current items properly chargeable to the general revenue for the year ending August 31, 1921, were \$1,608,000, while the total appropriations available for like purposes for this year are \$1,504,000, or \$84,000 short of last year's expenditures, not taking into consideration the enlarged needs due to increased enrollment and the demands for the natural and necessary expansion of university activities year by year. The great difficulty does not lie in the amount of money appropriated but in the restrictions and conditions which the legislature in its wisdom saw fit to impose upon the regents in the uses which they might make of it.

"Now the result of all this has been to lower the morale of the university staff as a whole, a result which is altogether natural and to be expected. To be told that for two years the board of regents is prohibited from making any promotions or advancements, that for this period excellent work and real merit can have no consideration, that every one now connected with the university must expect to remain in exactly the same status, although men and women may be brought in from other institutions at such rank and salary as the board may determine, pro-

in the ability and perhaps also in the integrity of the governing board. I am well aware of the time-honored principle of checks and balances, as well as that of the location of responsibility. But the impression remains with us that the legislature, to put it badly, simply did not see fit to trust the boards of the educational institutions to expend the money of the state so as to enable these boards to carry out their own policies.

"Last, the condition is due in part to the desire and the necessity for economy in the administration of all the affairs of the state. Against this I have no complaint to make. I abhor economy. But I am also for efficiency and good standards and in education at least desirous that Texas children should have the best. It is expensive. It will be far more so in the future. Under any sort of proper treatment the University of Texas and all its other institutions of higher learning are sure to be as large as the largest, if not as good as the best, in America. This will cost ever increasing sums of money. If we are committed to a policy of public education and have any pride in the relative position which our state is to occupy we must give serious attention to the manner and the amount of our appropriations for this purpose.

"To accomplish this, three things present themselves to me as fundamentally necessary. These must be carried on a never ending campaign of education, so that our people as a whole may be brought into contact with dependable information any may become increasingly friendly toward this constructive function of state government.

"There will have to be a thoroughgoing revision of our state system of taxation, removing inequalities and bringing under responsibility the sources of revenue which are now escaping a fair share of the burden of state support.

"The constitutional provisions relating to education need also a complete revision, so that education in all its parts may be removed, not from public control nor from responsibility of public opinion, but from the arena of party and personal politics, so that like the supreme court it may hold on its way and discharge its obligations to the whole people without fear or favor. If, as I believe, education is the great constructive function of state government, then it seems to me that it should be made co-ordinate with the executive, legislative and judicial branches, subject only to the same control as they."

FIRST ENGLISH CHURCH SERVICE HELD BY DRAKE

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—First church services in English in what is now the United States were held near San Francisco in 1579 by Sir Francis Drake on the first trip an Englishman made around the world, according to the Newberry library here.

Drake returned to Plymouth, his home city and starting point, in September of 1580, just 40 years to the month before the Pilgrim Fathers sailed from there, and five years before Sir Walter Raleigh's first body of settlers put out.

Drake was a fighting Puritan, leading the British fleet later in the crucial hours against the Spanish Armada, and this first American church service in the English tongue was directed by the Puritan chaplain to the expedition.

After a terrific struggle to get around the end of South America, Drake had plundered the Spaniards up the west coast unaware of danger, and continuing north had passed shores yet unknown to Spain. Turned back by the cold as he began to approach Canada, he put into a small creek or bay on the northern side of the Golden Gate before striking out across the uncharted Pacific.

It was on June 17, 1579, that Drake anchored on the California coast. He landed his men on the 21st, and on the 23rd, after the friendly Indians had lacerated themselves to pay the white man homage, Francis Fletcher, the chaplain records: "This bloudie sacrifice (against our wills) being thus performed, our general, with his companie, in the presence of those strangers, fell to prayers; and by signs in lifting up our eyes and hands to heaven, signified unto them that God whom we did serve, and whom they ought to worship, was above; be-seeing God, if it were His good pleasure, to open by some means their blinded eyes, that they might in due time be called to the knowledge of Him, the true and ever living God, and of Jesus Christ whom he hath sent, the saviour of the Gentiles.

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No. 2	11:00 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
No. 4	12:22 p. m.	12:22 p. m.
No. 12	Makes up	11:30 p. m.
(Westbound)		
No. 11	5:00 a. m.—stop.	
No. 5	1:20 a. m.	1:25 a. m.
No. 23	2:10 p. m.	2:10 p. m.
No. 1	7:15 p. m.	7:15 p. m.
MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS		
(Northbound)		
No. 37	3:15 p. m.	3:15 p. m.
No. 35	3:35 a. m.	3:40 a. m.
(Southbound)		
No. 38	8:28 a. m.	8:33 a. m.
No. 36	11:55 p. m.	12:13 p. m.
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No. 12	5:15 a. m.	
No. 4	7:00 a. m.	
No. 2	3:20 p. m.	
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Lee-Nunn

A pretty wedding was solemnized Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nunn when their daughter, Opal, became the bride of Norman Lee, of Breckenridge. The decorations of roses and ferns featured the color scheme of pink and white. Little Beatrice Payne, wearing a white frock of organdy, was ring bearer and carried the ring in the heart of a pink carnation. The bride and groom entered together, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. C. G. Howard, pastor of the Baptist church. The attendants were Miss Travis Watson and Arthur Nunn, brother of the bride, and Miss Bessie Simpson of Stamford, and Freeman Lee, twin brother of the groom. The bride was becomingly dressed in a midnight blue Canton crepe frock and carried a bouquet of carnations and sweetpeas. Miss Watson wore brown taffeta and Miss Simpson wore black taffeta. Ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Lee is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nunn, and is well known in Cisco, having lived here for a number of years. Mr. Lee formerly made his home in this city but is now located in Breckenridge, in which place they will reside. Mr. and Mrs. Lee will leave Tuesday for their home. The out-of-town guests for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harrison, Britton and Freeman Lee, and Pete Hipsman of Breckenridge; Miss Lillie Dohet of Leuders; Miss Bessie Simpson of Stamford; Miss Loma Lee of Moran; and Mrs. H. H. Nunn of Wayland.

Simmons-Warren

Miss Flossie Warren and P. A. Simmons of Mangum, were quietly married in Cisco Sunday afternoon by Rev. T. J. Smith. Mr. Simmons is a progressive farmer of the Mangum community, and the young couple will make their home near that place.

Merry Wives Club

Mrs. J. J. Butts was hostess to the Merry Wives Club and a few additional guests Friday afternoon. Three tables were placed for "42," and after the games Miss Mary Jane Butts and Mrs. Forrest Wright served a delicious two-course luncheon. The following were present: Mesdames C. H. Fee, J. T. Winston, W. P. Lee, G. E. Kelly, E. W. Patterson, T. J. Dean, R. G. Lee, Elizabeth Brownlee, A. D. Martin, M. T. Turner, Ben McClinton, Alfred Irby.

McDonald-Magness

Beautiful in its simplicity was the wedding of Miss Billy Magness and Bill McDonald, which was solemnized Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Magness. Rev. E. H. Holmes read the ring ceremony. Only the immediate family and close friends were present. The home was decorated in roses, carnations, and ferns, carrying out the bridal theme of pink and white. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. W. E. Chaney sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Lorena Smith, who also played the Mendelssohn's Wedding March. The bride entered with the groom and the ceremony was performed before an improvised altar of roses and ferns. They were attended by Miss Lillian Smith as maid of honor and Glenn D'Spain as best man. The bride wore a becoming suit of tan poret tulle trimmed in henna, with accessories to match. She carried an arm bouquet of Killarney roses. Miss Smith wore salmon pink taffeta, and Mrs. Chaney black satin and lace. A pink lunch featuring the bridal colors was served, and the bride's cake was cut. The table was covered with a point lace cloth. In the center was a large basket of roses and ferns. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald left immediately for their apartment at 708 West Eighth. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Magness, who are prominent in both social and business circles of Cisco. She is a popular member of the younger set. Mr. McDonald is a promising young business man of Cisco. He is the son of W. H. McDonald, and is well known here.

Miscellaneous Shower

A very pretty shower was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. W. E. Payne and Miss Edna Mae Westerfeldt for Miss Opal Nunn, whose marriage to Norman Lee will take place Sunday. A pretty pink and white color scheme was carried out by the use of pink roses. Pink rose buds adorned the window draperies, and roses and ferns filled the vases. Ferns were also used. The dining table was laid with a cluny cloth over pink, and in the center was a kewpie doll dressed as a bride. Surrounding this were pink rose buds and ferns. The guests were received by Miss Lillie Dohet, and Mrs. H. O. Westerfeldt took the gifts. The receiving line was composed of Mrs. Payne, Miss Westerfeldt, Miss Opal Nunn, Mrs. W. D. Nunn, and Miss Bessie Simpson of Stamford. Mrs. L. W. Hilgenberg and Mrs. C. W. Buchanan had charge of the guest book. After the guests had arrived little Doris Parker and Beatrice Payne entered the living room drawing a pink and white express wagon loaded with gifts, and stopped before Miss Nunn. When the gifts had been opened, toasts were given. A salad course and coffee was served to the following: Misses Lillie Dohet, Georgia Mae Louder, Travis Watson, Maide Horton, Bessie Simpson, Nell Parker, Mesdames B. H. Lauderdale, Frank Parker, H. O. Westerfeldt, W. D. Nunn, J. D. Barker, Owen Barker, Jim Harrison of Breckenridge, W. E. Gillispie, C. W. Buchanan, L. W. Hilgenberg, and Will Triplett.

Senior Epworth League Program

Sunday evening the Epworth League of the First Methodist Church held its regular weekly devotional services with a splendid attendance of more than sixty. The following program was arranged by the leader, Miss Vera Hyatt: "God in Our Lives"; song, "What a Friend"; Z. B. Edworthy; song; announcements; general scripture references read by J. J. Godbey, Miss Edith Turner and Miss Vera Hyatt. Leader's talks and representation of

topic: (1) "How can one explain the innate hunger after God in every human soul?" B. F. Gaither. (2) "Why do we need God in our lives?" Wade Cook. (3) "How does the Bible bring God into our lives?" Z. B. Edworthy. (4) "What is your conception of companionship with God?" F. A. Reid. (5) How would you live if Jesus were your companion in the flesh?" "Should one then live any less a Christian because of His spiritual companionship?" Sammie Mac Trigg. (6) How may we know that the Holy Spirit is our companion?" J. J. Godbey.
Roll call by Secretary, Miss Gertrude Caldwell-Benediction.
Leader for Sunday, January 29, Miss Emma Barba. Topic, "What Our Country Owe to Home Missionaries."

Personal Mention

Billie Pettitt, of Sherman, is visiting in Cisco.

Mrs. R. Q. Lee is in Breckenridge today.

Stuart L. Williams, after visiting his parents returned last night to Ballinger.

Ernest Hittson is in Dallas on business.

E. D. Roan, of Breckenridge, spent the weekend with his family here.

J. E. Johnson, of Sweetwater, visited his sister, Mrs. W. W. Manning, Sunday.

Louis Sirrianni, of Breckenridge, was in Cisco over the weekend to attend the McDonald-Magness wedding.

J. Warren spent Sunday in Clyde.

Mrs. Will Triplett will entertain the First Industrial Art Club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. S. A. Williams will be hostess to the Delta Eta Club Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lena Reuver, of Marlin, but who has been visiting her parents in Romney, was the guest Sunday of her sister, Mrs. C. O. Weiser.

Mrs. Jack Copeland and Joe Chance returned to San Angelo Sunday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Farquhar.

The B. W. M. U. will meet in the following circle Tuesday afternoon: Circle A with Mrs. George Hart, and Circle Two with Mrs. Fred Cook.

Circle One of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. S. A. Newcomb, 506 West 4th, and Circle Two with Mrs. H. L. Winchell, 506 West Second. The Junior Circle will not meet but are invited to attend the other circles. Those who have clothes for the orphans are requested to leave the garments at the home of Mrs. Grade Calloway Tuesday afternoon as the box will be sent Wednesday.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet in the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Lillie May Leach, of Carbon, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. J. Tillinghast.

Rev. Gaines B. Hall returned to Weatherford this morning. Rev. Hall has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian church of this city.

Mrs. Connie Davis returned Saturday night from Atlanta, Ga., and other points where she has been visiting relatives for the past three weeks.

J. P. FLYNN IS GUEST OF ROTARY IN WASHINGTON

J. P. Flynn, general manager of the Cisco & Northeastern, who is in Washington, D. C. on business for the C. & N. E., writes the Daily News of a most interesting address from Dr. J. C. Curran on "How to Make a Greater Success of Your Business," which he had the pleasure of hearing at a Rotary luncheon which he attended last Thursday. The following clipping from the Washington Herald covers briefly Dr. Curran's talk:
Dr. J. C. Curran, of the Curran School of Philosophy, Chicago, addressed the Rotary Club yesterday at its regular luncheon in the Willard Hotel, on "How to Make a Greater Success of Your Business." He has delivered this talk to many Rotary clubs.
"Rotary is an institute of education," said Dr. Curran, "and the business man who says he has not the time to attend these luncheons is depriving himself of a liberal education in the study of his fellow men." Dr. Curran pointed out that a "fundamental of success is knowing how to be human."
"There is no provisions made for excess baggage on the ladder of success. By excess baggage I mean mental baggage—greed, hate and vengeance. To succeed in the estimation of oneself it is necessary that one have internal as well as external cleanliness.
"Being human," concluded Dr. Curran, "is the basis of your personality. Learn to individualize every person you meet and act as though you are glad you have met him."
George O'Connor, chairman of the music committee, introduced Robert Lawrence, director of the "Music Week" held recently in Washington. Mr. Lawrence announced the opening of five community music centers in the District schools. "Music as a recreational means is coming more to the front," said Mr. Lawrence, "and these music centers should be attended by everyone who loves music."
The annual banquet of the club will be held at the New Willard Hotel on January 26.
Rotarian O. B. George is seriously

ill, Harry Evans, adjutant, announced yesterday. William Gude is still invalided. Frank Saul was extended birthday anniversary greetings.

Eleven Rotarians announced intention of attending the national Rotary convention in Los Angeles, Cal., on June 5. Arthur May, in charge of the arrangements for the trip, announced that in all probability the Washington delegation would leave May 20 for California.

Visiting Rotarians and guests at yesterday's luncheon were J. M. Hanley, Mandon, N. Dak.; Gilbert W. Haggart, Fargo, N. Dak.; W. F. Dodge, Port Arthur, Texas; J. C. Ketcham, Eastings, Mich.; J. M. C. Smith, Charlotte, Mich.; J. H. Davison, Jr., Shreveport, La.; J. M. Erickson, Calgary, Canada; J. F. Youse, Charleston, W. Va.; James Allison, Raleigh, N. C.; R. C. Burnside, New York City; Ernest C. Wilton, Harrisonburg, Va.; Leroy Morgan, Dickinson, N. Dak.; George W. Morgan, Havre, Mont.; N. A. Olson, Kankakee, Ill.; G. R. Swift, Adrian, Mich.; Dr. James Hogan, Vallejo, Cal.; David Kinley, Champaign, Ill.; H. E. Neal, Mattoon, Ill.; George Williams, Beaumont, Texas; William Lea, Orange, Texas; George P. Breen, New York City; J. P. Flynn, Cisco, Texas, and N. Peterson, Long Island City, N. Y.

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