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# The Cross Plains Review

VOL. XIII

CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1923

No. 47

## Blizzard Shut Down Oil Field; Humble Gets 100 Barrel well

### The Great Federal Re- serve System of the United States—

Is as Unfailing as Our Nation.

Back of you—your plans, your needs and de-  
sires, this powerful force stands as a monument  
of the service and security which the Govern-  
ment extends to all the people through the  
National Banks of this land.

### Farmers National Bank



OF CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

"A Bank of Personal Service"

### MOVE TO BUILD NEW M. E. CHURCH GETTING GOOD START

R. E. L. Stutts informs us that he  
is meeting with fairly good en-  
couragement in his efforts to build  
a new Methodist church. A \$10,  
000 brick building is contemplated  
and about \$4,000 of this amount has  
already been pledged. A location  
for the new building has not yet  
been fully decided upon, but it has  
been a desire of the Methodist  
people for some time to have the  
church in a more central part of the  
town than that of its present location.

L. E. Butler, manager of the  
Higginbotham Lumber Yard, and  
Chas. Hamilton, made a business  
trip to Anson last week.

Viewing the weathersince Ground-  
Hog Days his hogship evidently  
saw his shadow, turned in immediate  
and pulled the hole after him.

Although the weather was threat-  
ning last Friday evening quite a  
number of the mothers and the  
new members of the Parent Teachers  
Association met at the school  
building and discussed new business  
for the future. The president, Mrs.  
F. M. Gwin, who was prevented  
attending a number of former meet-  
ings on account of sickness, was  
present at this meeting and proposed  
that they have a sale for the benefit  
of the association next Thursday  
night, and also that the play, "Poor  
Married Man," be given at Cotton-  
wood in the near future, and both  
proposals were unanimously agreed  
to. This organization brings to-  
gether mothers of all churches,  
working in one common cause—the  
men and women of the future.

New line hoes, rakes, cabbage  
plants, Bermuda onion plants, gas  
r antels and light globes, at W. T.  
Wilson Furniture Store.

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Your stationery should be distinctive, typical of your-  
self.

We have beautiful styles, shapes and sizes at prices to  
suit all.

Valentines

We have them in a large and beautiful Variety.  
Come in and make your selections.

The City Drug Store

### SCHOOL AND CITY TAX COLLECTIONS

Tax collector Wm. Neeb stated  
Tuesday morning that up to that  
time a total sum of \$3,134.38  
had been collected for the Cross  
Plains independent school district,  
and \$2,364.06 for the city of  
Cross Plains.

Lower property renditions are  
responsible for the decline of  
several hundred dollars in the  
amount of the school taxes,  
while the advance made over  
past years in the city's collections  
is due to a 25c advance on the  
tax rate.

It appears many property  
owners have made a grievous  
mistake in rendering their prop-  
erty to the school assessor at  
only a fractional part of its  
value, thereby reducing the  
revenue to the school to an ex-  
tent that may cut next years  
term short by several weeks,  
which is not only a loss to the  
students but to the property  
owners as well, for there is noth-  
ing that increases realty values  
more rapidly than good schools  
and nothing that decreases its  
value more rapidly than lack of  
them.

The city council expect to use  
the extra money collectec for the  
city in paying off a part of the  
city's indebtedness, some of  
which has been owing since the  
present water works was installed  
several years ago.

### DANIELS AND RICHARDS ALIVE CLAIMS KLAN INVESTIGATOR

Rev. Oscar Haywood, Ku Klux  
Klan lecturer, has returned to New York  
from an investigation of the alleged  
murder of Thos. F. Richard and F.  
Watt Daniel of Mer Rouge, La.,  
and announces he has evidence that  
the Klan is innocent as well as in-  
formation that Daniel and Richard  
alive and in voluntary hiding.

"Ninety per cent of the people of  
the Mer Rouge section doubt the  
bodies taken from the lake are those  
of Daniel and Richard." Haywood  
said. "My investigation has satisfied  
me that these bodies were taken  
from graves and placed in the lake  
for the purpose they have seemed  
to serve.

"I discovered the coroner was  
not allowed to approach within 40  
feet of the bodies. It was not diffi-  
cult to obtain some of the clothing  
owned by Daniel and Richard.

"The bodies taken from the lake  
were turned over to two pathologists  
who were strangers there and who,  
apparently, had been arranged be-  
forehand. When the trial begins we  
shall produce testimony that will  
startle this country.

"The Mer Rouge situation is part  
of an elaborate conspiracy covering  
the greater part of the United States  
and directed against the Ku Klux  
Klan."

For Rent—5'room house and  
garage, close in, electric and gas  
lights, \$18.00 per month. Also 2  
room house and garage for \$12.00  
per month. Either one furnished for  
\$5.00 extra. Mrs. L. E. Davanay.

Dressmaking—I am now living at  
Joe Baum's residence and doing  
dressmaking, also remodel and  
make ladies' hats to match dresses.  
Will appreciate your patronage very  
much. Mrs. Corrie B. West.

Subscribe for the Review.

The blizzard of Saturday night,  
Sunday and Sunday night forced  
the most complete shut down in  
oil field work of any storm that  
has visited this section since oil  
fields have been known to exist  
in this district of Texas.

All through the day Saturday  
drillers, tool dressers, teamsters,  
casing crews, roustabouts and all  
kept going through the drizzling  
rain but the mercury kept going  
down and down all day, with  
water lines freezing up and all  
the other discouragements that  
go with operating in that sort  
of weather, and when the driv-  
ing snow struck the field late  
Saturday night crew after crew  
began hanging the tools on the  
wrench, draining up and heading  
for the bunk house and by noon  
Sunday but few wheels were  
turning anywhere.

Clearing weather with rising  
temperature Tuesday morning  
saw but a few wells preparing to  
start up again but most will not  
get going again before Wednes-  
day and the field will perhaps  
not be running again on normal  
basis before the end of the week.

In the Cross Cut country Mc-  
Camey-Sheerin associated with  
F. W. Stone & Co. were fishing  
for 10 inch casing that had part-  
ed in pulling while preparing  
to under-ream to shut off water  
encountered above the pay, but  
were forced to shut down until  
after the storm and will perhaps  
be several day getting the well  
in shape to operate.

Crabb, McNeal and Tom Bryant,  
McDonough No. 1, have landed  
pipe at below 1100 feet and are  
due to drill into the pay the end  
of this week.

Gillman et al, Newton No. 1,  
in the same district, have again  
started up after a several weeks  
shut down and are drilling at  
close to 1200 feet with prospects  
of completion within the next  
few days.

Weather conditions and bad  
roads will doubtless bring at  
least more than a weeks delay in  
getting timbers on the ground  
on the new locations in that  
field and temporarily delay much  
new work that would have been  
begun at once.

### Pioneer Has One New Producer.

The entire Pioneer district re-  
ports but one new producer for  
the week, that of the Humble  
Co. on the Underwood farm in  
the north extension which is re-  
ported to be making 100 barrels  
from the usual Pioneer pay and  
is considered of much importance  
as it lies to the west of the  
proven area and may indicate  
a greater extension to the west  
and greatly broaden the produc-  
ing area.

In the field between Cross  
Plains and Pioneer Burris & Geh-  
rett, contractors drilling for the  
Pennant Co. on the old Albin  
lease, report good progress but  
not yet reached the interesting  
depth.

Keough Bros. & Litzinger  
Gooch No. 9 are under-reaming  
6 inch at 1950 feet, having en-  
countered an unexpected flow of  
water at that depth.

Dequesne Co., Smith No. 2,  
deep test, has reached the top  
of the Hilborn pay and started  
running 5 inch last week and  
after running several joints  
were forced to pull that and  
change collars are again running  
pipe with prospects of drilling in  
by the end of the week.

## WE HAVE

Moline Hammock Seat  
Cultivators

Moline One-Seed  
Planters

Steel Shapes  
Planter Bottoms  
Farm Hardware

JOE H. SHACKELFORD'S  
Lumber, Paint and Hardware Store  
The Home of Sherwin-Williams Paints  
CROSS PLAINS TEXAS

### BLANKET OF SNOW FROM WEST TEXAS TO CENTRAL MISSISSIPPI

One of the most wide-spread  
snow storms, accompanied by freez-  
ing temperatures that has visited the  
Southland in many years swept  
down the first of this week. The  
freezing temperature penetrated to  
the Gulf coast and extended in  
with and unbroken blanket of snow  
from middle West Texas to central  
Mississippi. The depth of the snow  
averaged from 12 inches in some  
parts of this state to 7 inches at  
Vicksburg, Miss. As a result of  
this snow and the bounteous moisture  
it will leave in the ground, there  
was never a more promising outlook  
for a big wheat crop in this part of  
Texas.

J. C. Sindorf left Tuesday for  
Salpula, Okla.

### ORR'S NEW CAFE TO GIVE C. OF C. BANQUET

Work remodeling the interior of  
the brick building on North Main  
St., recently vacated by the W. E.  
Butler grocery, by contractor Arch  
Gensley, will be completed this  
week. A formal opening of the  
new cafe is being arranged for  
next Monday night, at which time  
a banquet will be given the local  
Chamber of Commerce.

We are informed that a Study  
Club will be organized soon. All  
women who vote and all mothers  
will be interested in this work. In  
nearly all towns and cities the wo-  
men are the greatest workers for  
moral, educational and civic uplift,  
and there could be nothing better  
than an organization of this character  
in Cross Plains.

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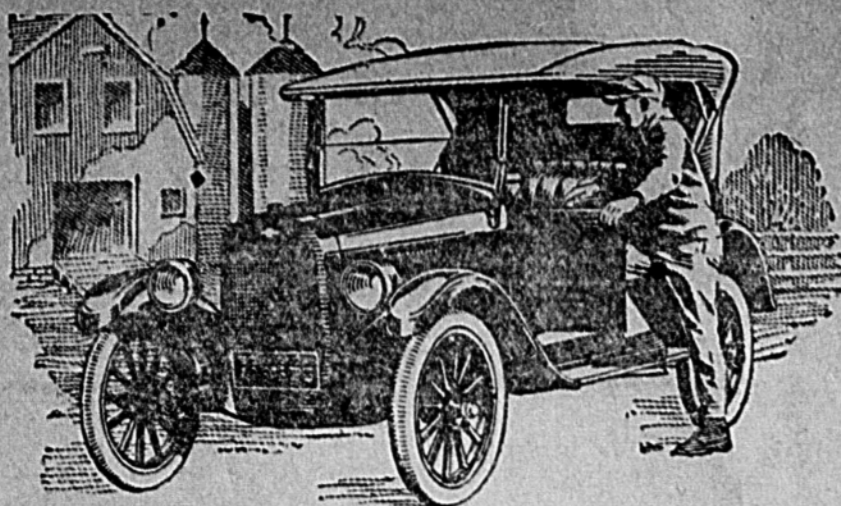
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Ask our customers about the service of the  
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In 1922 Chevrolet jumped from seventh to second place in sales of all cars...

Purchases by farmers were the chief factor in this remarkable development.

Farmers want automobiles not only of low first price, but also of low later cost for operation and maintenance.

They want room, comfort, and the ability to stand up under hard conditions.

They find that Chevrolet, fully equipped as sold, is the best value per dollar in the low-priced field...

Chevrolet Motor Company

Division of General Motors Corporation, Detroit, Michigan



'Miss Lily White will please stand up! But Phoebe upward wriggled: 'I'm Lily White—with Faultless Starch.' And all the Pupils giggled.



CALLS FOR NEW DICTIONARY CONCERNING THE NEW TOOTH

New York Newspaper Condemns the Present Ones as Cumbersome and Disconcerting.

Like many books called classics, which we speak of reverently and never look at...

Seemed to Mary Louise a Possibility That It Might Not Be White in Color.

With the possible exception of her debut in the world of elocution, when she 'spoke a piece'...

Try to get a grip on grippe before it gets a grip on you.

The Magazine Man. 'Why don't you read your own magazine?' 'I know there's nothing in it I care to see.'



VARIETY in foods is essential, of course, but in providing variety do not overlook the importance of nourishment.

Crisp, delicious Grape-Nuts is a highly nourishing cereal food in unusually compact form.

Grape-Nuts, with good milk, is a complete food. Economical, too, because a moderate amount provides unusual nourishment.

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Sunday School Lesson

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 11

THE SPIRIT OF PRAYER

LESSON TEXT—Luke 18:1-14. GOLDEN TEXT—The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit, a broken and contrite heart...

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Matt. 6:5-15; Luke 18:28-34; John 4:23, 24. PRIMARY TOPIC—How Two Men Prayed.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How to Pray. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Prayer that God Answers. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Secret to Prevailing Prayer.

I. Men Ought Always to Pray (v. 1). Prayer is absolutely necessary to the spiritual life. It is to the spiritual life what breathing is to the physical life.

II. The Urgent Prayer of a Widow (vv. 2-8). The picture here is of a helpless widow who was being cheated out of her property rights...

The helpless widow pictures the church in this age suffering the deprivation of her rights. It is not the church praying for vengeance upon her enemies...

III. The Prayer of the Proud Pharisee (vv. 9-12). I. He Took a Striking Attitude (v. 11). The Jewish custom was to stand while praying...

IV. The Prayer of the Humble Publican (v. 13). In striking contrast with this supposed saint stood the publican whose shame kept him from even looking up to Heaven...

V. Christ's Testimony (v. 14). He declared that the publican went away justified rather than the Pharisee.

The Dull Man. A dull man is so near a dead man that he is hardly to be ranked in the list of the living...

Losing Aspirations. Men lose their high aspirations as they lose their intellectual tastes...

Causes Wender. I never wonder to see men wickered, but I often wonder to see them not wickered.—Swift.

ing at the Ball. 'It's hook, and yet can't at his ball'—M.

'FLU' Prevent the 'FLU' and GRIPPE by stopping Coughs and Colds WITH FOLEY'S HONEY TAR

Largest selling cough medicine in the World. London's Ivory Warehouse. One of the most wonderful places in the London docks is the Ivory warehouse...

Talkative. 'Your friend seems quite talkative.' 'Yes, There's many a dull minute when he's about.'

Skin Eruptions Are Usually Due to Constipation

When you are constipated, not enough of Nature's lubricating liquid is produced in the bowel to keep the food waste soft and moving.



Piles CURED In 6 to 14 Days

All Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of ITCHING, BLIND, BLEEDING or PROTRUDING PILES.

EYES HURT?

For burning or sandy lids, and to relieve inflammation, use KILLER Eye Salve, according to directions. See your dealer.

HELP YOURSELF GET WELL FAST

If you have been ill, and it seems as if you never would get your strength back, you need the wonderful strengthening and rebuilding qualities of Gude's Pepto-Mangan.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan Tonic and Blood Enricher

A COLD TODAY - DON'T DELAY. Cures Colds in 24 Hours. La Grippe in 3 Days.

Tutt's Pills SPEEDY RELIEF FOR CONSTIPATION

Gray Hair is out of fashion! It is undressy— for you can have abundant hair of the original shade by using Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer.

GLYKA-NUXSIN is a liquid preparation For Indigestion. Relief is speedy. No need to wait for a tablet to dissolve. A trial will convince.

IF SICK TODAY! TAKE NO CALOMEL

'Dodson's Liver Tone' Straightens You Up Better Than Salivating, Dangerous Calomel and Doesn't Upset You—Don't Lose a Day's Work—Read Guarantee

I discovered a vegetable compound that does the work of dangerous, sickening calomel and I want every reader of this paper to buy a bottle for a few cents...

MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP. A Grateful Mother writes: 'I want to tell you, as well as thank you, for what your preparation has done for my baby.'

WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC SOLD 50 YEARS - A FINE GENERAL TONIC

A few days later the average man begins to boast of the good deed he did by mistake.

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

DYED HER DRAPERIES, SKIRT AND A SWEATER WITH 'DIAMOND DYES'

Each package of 'Diamond Dyes' contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint faded, shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, hangings, draperies, everything like new.

COLDS 'Pape's Cold Compound' Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take 'Pape's Cold Compound' every two hours until three doses are taken.



Why Bake At Home when you can buy bread like it, ready baked?

COUNT the raisins—at least eight big, plump, tender fruit-meats to the slice. Taste it—see how the raisin flavor permeates the bread.

SUN-MAID RAISINS The Supreme Bread Raisin

Your retailer should sell you Sun-Maid Raisins for not more than the following prices: Seeded (in 15 oz. blue package)—20c. Seedless (in 15 oz. red package)—18c.

10c Saves Need Buying a New Skin Putnam Fadeless Dyes—dyes or tints as you wish

'Dearest, what recipe are you studying?' 'Deep dish apple pie.' 'With what progress?' 'It's too deep for me.'—Judge.

Don't Be Fooled Low Price and High Quality Don't Go Together, Stick to

CALUMET The Economy BAKING POWDER

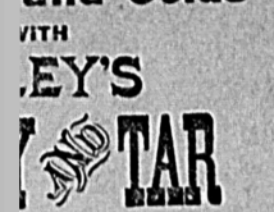
Never accept 'Just as Good' Brands; it will only mean disappointments and failures on bake-day, which are expensive.

Calumet is a High Grade Baking Powder, Moderate in Price

When you use it you never spoil any of the expensive ingredients used—such as flour, sugar, eggs and milk.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

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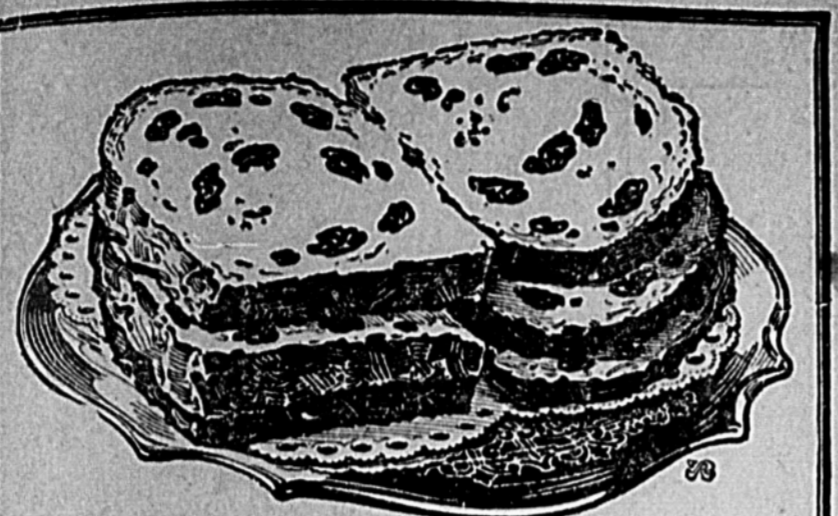
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Condensed Austin News
The Jacks bill, giving concurrent
jurisdiction to the County Courts of
Law in Dallas County, was finally
passed by the House.

Invitation from Governor and Mrs.
Neff to attend a reception at the
executive mansion has been present-
ed to and accepted by the Legisla-
ture.

Appropriation of \$4,600,000, in two
annual installments of \$2,300,000
each, is called for in the rural
school aid bill offered in the Senate
by Senator Floyd and others.

Increase of the Confederate pen-
sion tax to 10c on the \$100 valua-
tion is proposed in a House joint
resolution offered by Representative
Finlay. The present tax is 5c.

The Senate Committee on Civil
Jurisprudence favorably reported the
Burkett bill, requiring secret so-
cieties to file a list of their members
with the County Clerk in each
county.

A bill for the protection of rac-
coons was introduced in the House
by Mr. Cowan. Approximately half
of the counties in the State are ex-
empted from the provisions which
prohibit the trapping.

House Committee on Revenue and
Taxation has worked out a substitute
inheritance tax bill and recommend-
ed it for passage. The effort is to
reach inheritances which have largely
escaped heretofore.

Legislation to regulate motor
vehicle headlights and a gasoline
tax for the purpose of building
highways was favored in resolutions
adopted by representatives of the
United Motor Clubs of Texas.

After a call to pay warrants the
net deficit in the general revenue
fund was \$2,442,231. To it will soon
be added the January pay roll of
approximately \$500,000, thus bringing
the total near \$3,000,000.

The final blow was given the bill
for repeal of the open port law in
the House of Representatives when
a motion to have the bill printed
on minority report was voted down.
The vote was 54 to 51 against the
bill being printed.

The State, which has been on de-
ficiency since Sept. 1, 1922, will re-
turn to a cash basis about Feb. 20,
is the prediction made by State
Treasurer C. V. Terrell. Mr. Terrell
bases his prediction on heavy tax
collections which will come in early
next month.

Favorable report was adopted by
the House Committee on Agriculture
on the bill to appropriate \$50,000 for
the establishment of an agricultural
and horticultural experiment station
in the valley to specialize in citrus
fruits and other products of the
valley.

Increase in the annual license fees
of motor vehicles from 35c to 50c
per horse power is called for by a
bill introduced in the Senate by Mr.
Burkett and others. Weight tax on
a graduated scale for trucks is pro-
vided, as well as a tax of 2c a gal-
lon on gasoline.

The Senate killed, by refusing to
enroll, Senator Ridgeway's bill in-
creasing the salary of grand jury
balliffs from \$3 to \$4 a day and
specifying that such balliffs should
serve as peace officers under the
District Attorney when the grand
jury is not in session.

Governor Neff appointed Dayton
A. Steed of Sherman as Special As-
sociate Justice of the Dallas Court
of Civil Appeals to sit in a case on
appeal from Hill County, in which
several hundred thousand dollars is
involved. Associate Justice Vaughn
was disqualified from sitting in the
case.

In accordance with a concurrent
resolution recently adopted by the
Legislature, Governor Neff designat-
ed R. E. Thomsen of El Paso to
represent Texas at a conference with
representatives of New Mexico and
the United States, with a view of
negotiating an agreement concerning
the storage, diversion and use of
waters of the Pecos River in Texas
and New Mexico.

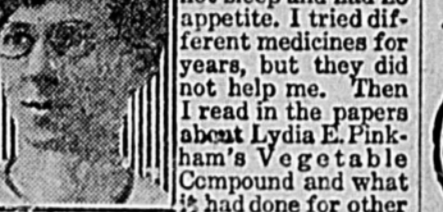
Large grapefruit from the Lower
Rio Grande Valley were placed upon
the desks of all members of the
House by Representative Lewis of
Cameron County. Announcement was
made that they were sent by the
growers of Cameron County through
the packing plant at Harlingen. On
motion of Representative Pope, the
thanks of the body was voted for
the courtesy.

The Brown-Crummer Company of
Wichita, Kan., and Dallas, Texas,
has offered to renew the loan of
\$700,000 made last year to the pen-
sionary system when it matures in
February. Heavy 1 at 5 per cent
plus \$1500 brokerage is offered. The
original loan was made at more
than 7 per cent. The State is
offering the use of the money for
two years, with the option of paying
it off at the end of one year.

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DO HER WORK

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-
pound Made Her Eat, Sleep
and Feel Better Every Day

Chicago, Ill.—"I was weak and 7-2-2-
down and in such a nervous condition
that I could hardly
do my work. I was
tired all the time,
and dizzy, and could
not sleep and had no
appetite. I tried dif-
ferent medicines for
weeks, but they did
not help me. Then
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ham's Vegetable
Compound and what
it had done for other
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**ALABAMA DARKEY SEES BAD  
RESULT OF OIL BUSINESS**

A darkey preacher in Alabama, has evolved an ingenious theory regarding the removal of oil from the earth's interior, and attributed the frequency of earth tremors to this cause. Listen how he recently addressed his flock:

"We have received annudder warnin' not to go pesticatin' into the ways of Providence. De earf, my bredderen, revolves on its axles, an' it takes a right sma't ob grease to keep it lubricated. So de good Lord done put petroleum inside de earf to keep de axles greased.

"Den bye and bye, 'long comes all dese heah ile companies, ah punchin' holes in de earf clear down into de bearins, and quensecently all de ile comes squirtin' out. Fust, thing we know dere's a hot box, an'

de earf squeaks an' rumbles an' dat's de earf quake. If dey don't quit it purty soon dere wont be no moah grease on de axles an' she wont go roun' no moah. Den it's good bye to all dem pesticatio' ile maggets, as well as de poor innocent folks what don't dabble in ile!"

**CISCO AND EASTLAND TO  
BID FOR I. O. O. F. HOME**

A movement is on foot to secure the location in Eastland of the home for the aged to be built by the grand lodge of Odd Fellows. The local Odd Fellows and Rebekah Lodges, Rotary and Lions Clubs and other civic organizations will co-operate in working to secure the home. It is said that the buildings for this institution will cost about \$300,000 and will be supported by the Odd Fellows of Texas as a permanent home for their aged members. A site will be secured here and an offer will be made to the grand lodge of the state when it meets in March of this year.

Local Odd Fellows, backed up by the Rotary Club and other organizations of Cisco and the local Chamber of Commerce, will put up a strong fight to locate there the proposed \$300,000 Odd Fellows Home for the aged and infirm, which will be built in the state.

The Cisco lodge has membership of about 250.

Corn For Sale—At my barn, for short time, 90c per bushel. Davis Montgomery.

Just received shipment Ledbetter one seed planter. Get yours now. C. S. Boyles.

Miss Juanita Harpole, Ollie May Thorne and Ralph McNeal encountered an experience last Sunday that has perhaps given them an aversion of mind different from that of the sage who wrote "Beautiful Snow." They left Cross Plains Sunday morning to visit Mrs. Crabb in the Cross Cut oil field. The jitney in which they were making the trip stuck in a snow drift and the girls were drafted in the process of pushing the blamed thing back to Cross Cut. From this point the jitney and occupants were trailed home by the assistance of friends and another car, and on their arrival here no one accused them of having the appearance of "band-box" goods.

**NATURE'S WHIM**  
Just at a time when Chile and Peru are talking about war and sending divers threats and ultimatums old Mother Nature steps in and assumes an unusual role. It is not at all nature's habit to act as peacemaker between men or between nations. She is supremely indifferent to the squabbles of humans. Humans are further away from nature than any other creatures, and when they take to making themselves unhappy and begin to destroy each other nature usually stands aside. Wars are unnatural, and nature has no time to worry about unnatural doings. But in this Peruvian-Chilean business nature has departed from her rule and has taken a hand as pacifier. Playfully she has sent an earthquake to the region of the disputed frontier, and the earthquake has snapped the cable. The cable has been kept red hot with bellicose messages, and now there is no cable at all. Of course, there is still the mail, but it is not so satisfactory to send fulminations by mail. It necessitates a certain cooling off. There is just a possibility that nature's little prank may decide the issue and insure peace. If it has this effect it will probably mark the very first instance of nature's interference to save men from making fools of themselves.



**Spring  
Styles**



—In our Big Millinery and Ready-to-wear Department we are now showing the pretty new styles for Spring at prices that will satisfy.

Miss Kay has just returned from market selecting our large stock of Snappy Styles, and will be pleased to show you.

We want to show you and a trip to this department will convince you.

Sport Dresses in all the new materials—  
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Ratines are the popular materials for Spring. We have a big showing of all shades, with trimmings to match.

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**STRAWN BANKER TELLS OF  
SEEING 'MER ROUGE MAN**

F. L. Tucker, cashier of the First National Bank; Douglas Smyth, secretary of J. N. Stuart & son and Lewis Agguire motored over to Palo Pinto on Wednesday, negotiating the bad roads with much difficulty. Their trip was on business with county officials.

Mr. Tucker is responsible for the following story:

A man rode up in front of Abernathy's drug store, at Palo Pinto, carrying several guns, and with a wild cat under each arm and a rattle snake protruding its head from one of his coat pockets. He called for a drink to be brought to him. Asked what kind of a drink he wanted, he directed that they mix it up with the most deadly poisons they had. Asked where he was from, he said, "I'm from Morehouse Parish, Louisiana. It got too tough for me down there and I had to leave." He departed in the direction of Breckenridge.—Strawn Tribune.

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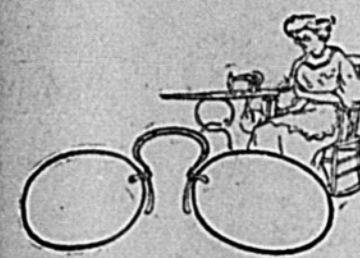
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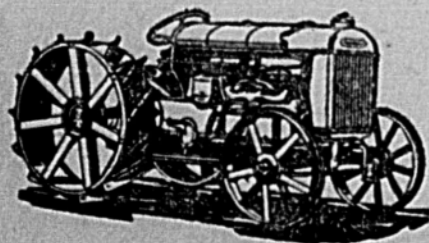
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We now receive a shipment of  
fresh vegetables from South Texas  
twice a week, radishes, young onions,  
lettuce, greens and everything just  
like they were out of your spring  
garden. They are fresh and fine.  
Clark's Grocery and Meat Market.

H. S. McDonald of Cisco was a  
business visitor here last Monday.

Ed Henderson came in Monday  
morning on errands for George Lee,  
the latter and all his family being  
sick.

Beginning Sunday, Feb. 11, we will  
close at 11 o'clock A. M., open at  
1:30 in the afternoon, close at 7  
o'clock in the evening for church  
services. Cozy Drug Store.

Mrs. Lutgens of the Cross Cut oil  
field, visited last week with her  
mother, Mrs. A. G. Crabb.

Messrs. Eager, Dordwint, Woody,  
Joy, E. G. Pierce and S. E. Jones  
of Cottonwood were among the  
recent business visitors here.

Carl Klutts and family of Dressy  
visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. W.  
Klutts last week.

New Seed potatoes, onion sets  
and every kind of new garden seed  
at Clark's Grocery.

Gene Melton and Mr. McGowen  
of Baird were here last week, look-  
ing after their oil interests in the  
Pioneer field.

J. T. Evans, deliveryman for the  
Boydston store here, was called to  
Miles last Thursday to be present at  
the funeral of his grand-father.

Miss Hugh Davanay has been con-  
fined to her bed with the flu for the  
past few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Shepard visited  
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C. S. Boyles sells the old reliable  
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Oats For Sale—Heavy Seed Oats,  
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"Not how cheap—but how good."  
Eat "Terry's Cake."

Andy Gooch went to Abilene to  
spend the week-end with his parents,  
and was snow-bound there until  
Wednesday.

Geo. B. Scott of the Guaranty  
State Bank went to Baird Monday  
morning, where he carried his  
daughter, Miss Annie Merle, who  
who was to go from there by train  
to Abilene, at which place she is  
attending Simmons College.

Wanted—To rent a piano. Phone  
115. Mrs. Sherman Gehrett. 1t-p

Mrs. Hanke and daughter visited  
relative at Coleman last week.

Miss Effie Poluniska and brother,  
Abner, of San Antonio are visiting  
with their sister, Mrs. S. Shannon.

Pat McNeal left last Saturday for  
a visit with his mother at Clarleston,  
S. C.

Alvin McCord came in for his  
week-end visit with his family, who  
are living here that his children may  
have the benefit of the public school.  
He returned to his farm Monday  
morning with big loads of hay and  
grain for extra stock which he is  
feeding for the market.

H. L. Smith and family, who  
moved to Coleman last fall, have  
returned here and now occupy  
one of K. Beeler's houses.

Big assortment of Gray Enamel  
Ware, large covered stew pans,  
covered buckets, pudding and milk  
pans, also 14 quart dish pan, to go  
at 35c each. The Racket Store.

Miss Gladys McDerrmet was a  
visitor here last Thursday.

The B. W. M. U. at its last meet-  
ing elected the following officers for  
the year. Mrs. A. J. Mathis, re-  
elected president; Mrs. Silas Teague,  
re-elected secretary-treasurer; Mrs.  
Geo. B. Scott, elected social director.

Mrs. DeBois visited with friends  
at Coleman recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bruce were  
recent visitors with relatives at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryson and  
daughter, who have been sick for  
several days, are reported better at  
this writing.

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You have a habit of coming to the Post Office every day,  
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We want you to make another habit. Every time you  
come to the postoffice think of the Cozy; come in and see us  
whether you are expecting to buy anything or not. Get  
acquainted with our methods—we appreciate your trade.

We are here to serve all the people, not part of them.

We handle everything usually kept in an up-to-date drug  
store.

Get a bottle of Cordui and a package of Black Draugh  
gor 95c at the Cozy this week. We are going to have a  
Special every week-end. Don't miss any of them.

## COZY DRUG STORE

H. B. BREWER, Manager.

## Notice

I have reduced my prices on half soles from \$1.50  
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For men's sewed soles I will still use the very  
best of leather. I will also do your harness repair-  
ing, or make new ones, as I have just gotten a har-  
ness stitchee, which Cross Plains has badly needed.

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DESERT GOLD

by ZANE GREY Author of Riders of the Purple Sage, Wildfire, Etc. Copyright by Harper & Brothers.

She's a little devil at times, but she always had good sense. "Tom, you can gamble she's gone," said Ladd.

"That roused Belding to action. "I say you're all wrong," he yelled, starting for the corral. "She's only taking a little ride, same as she's done often. But rustle now. Find out. Dick, you ride cross the valley. Jim, you hunt up and down the river. You head up San Felipe way. And you Ladd, take Diablo and hit the Casita trail. If she really has gone after Thorne you can catch her in an hour or so."

"Thorne'll go," replied Ladd. "But Beldin, if you're not plumb crazy you're close to it. That big white devil can't catch Sol. Not in an hour or a day or a week!"

"Laddy, you mean to say Sol is a faster horse than Diablo?" thundered Belding, his face purple.

"Shore I mean to tell you just that there," replied the ranger. "I'll ride your Blanco Devil as he never was ridden before. 'cept once when a d--sight better hossman than I am couldn't make him out on Sol."

Without more words the men saddled and were off. The interminable time that followed continued for Gale about as much suspense as he could bear. What astonished him and helped him greatly to fight off actual distress was the endurance of Nell's mother.

Early on the morning of the second day, Gale saw three white horses and a bay come wearily stepping down the road. He heard Blanco Sol's familiar whistle, and he leaped up wild with joy. The horse was riderless. Gale's sudden joy received a violent check, then resurged when he saw a lumpy form in Jim Lash's arms. Ladd was supporting a horseman who wore a military uniform.

Gale shouted with joy and ran to the house to tell the good news. It was the ever-thoughtful Mrs. Belding who prevented him from rushing to tell Mercedes.

Lash handed down a ragged, travel-stained, wan girl into Belding's arms. "Dad! Mamma!"

It was indeed a repentant Nell, but there was spirit yet in the tired, blue eyes. Then she caught sight of Gale and gave him a faint smile.

"Hello—Dick."

"Nell!" Gale reached for her hand, held it tightly, and found speech difficult.

"You needn't worry—about your old horse," she said, as Belding carried her toward the door. "Oh, Dick Blanco Sol is—glorious!"

Gale turned to greet his friend. In deed, it was but a haggard ghost of the cavalryman. Thorne looked ill or wounded. Gale's greeting was also a question full of fear.

Thorne's answer was a faint smile. He seemed ready to drop from the saddle. Gale helped Ladd hold Thorne upon the horse until they reached the house. Belding came out again. His welcome was checked as he saw the condition of the cavalryman. Thorne reeled into Dick's arms. But he was able to stand and walk.

"I'm not—hurt. Only weak—starved," he said. "Is Mercedes—Take me to her?"

"She'll be well the minute she sees him," averred Belding, as he and Gale led the cavalryman to Mercedes room. There they left him; and Gale at least, felt his ears ringing with the girl's broken cry of joy.

When Belding and Gale hurried forth again the rangers were tending the tired horses. Upon returning to the house Jim Lash calmly lit his pipe, and Ladd declared that, hungry as he was, he had to tell his story.

"Shore, Beldin," began Ladd. "She was a funny—about Diablo—caught Blanco Sol. Funny ain't the word, nearly laughed myself to death. Well I rode in Sol's tracks all the way to Casita. Never seen a rebel or a raider till I got to town. I went straight to the camp of the cavalry men, an' found them just coolin' of an' dressin' down their hosses after what looked to me like a big ride."

"Some soldier took me to an officer's tent. Nell was there, some white an' all in. She just said, 'Laddy! Thorne was just too, an' he been' worked over by the camp doctor. I didn't ask no questions, because I seen quiet was needed round that tent. After satisfying myself that Nell was all right, an' Thorne in no danger, I went out."

"Shore there was so darn many fellows who wanted to an' tried to tell me what'd come off, I thought I never find out. But I got the story piece by piece. An' here's what hap-pened:

"Nell rode Blanco Sol a-terrin' into camp, an' had a crowd round her in a jiffy. She told who she was, where she'd come from, an' what she wanted. Well, it seemed a day or so before Nell got there the cavalrymen had heard word of Thorne. You see Thorne had left camp on leave of absence some time before. In a few more days it turned out pretty sure that for some reason Lash was holdin' Thorne."

"Now, it happened when this new cavalryman Lash was holdin' Thorne, he charge didn't know how to proceed Rojas' camp was in the line in Mexico, an' ridin' over there was sort of business. It meant a whole lot more than just scatterin' one Greaser camp. Thorne's father soldiers was

TEXAS CONGRESSMAN SCORES GOVERNMENT

GARNER SAYS ADMINISTRATION FAILS TO KEEP FAITH WITH PEOPLE.

OVER THE BRITISH DEBT

Violation of the Budget Law By President Harding Is Also Charged.

Washington.—The administration has charged in the House by Representative Garner (Dem.), Texas, with failure to keep faith with the American people in the settlement of the British war debt.

"If it had kept faith," he shouted in reply to demands from the Republican side for particulars, "it would have come back to Congress for authority to accept terms outside the existing law before it agreed to such terms."

"Instead of that, it made the settlement first and placed us in a position where we must approve the action or reject the whole agreement and thus lay ourselves open to a charge of a failure to keep faith with the British Government."

Representative Garner declared the American people, through their representatives in Congress, had laid down the terms of the settlement. Further than that, he said, the terms covering the loan were fixed at the time the money was advanced during the war.

The Texas Representative declared that "the facts and circumstances" were that a portion of the people favorable to realization of all foreign debts "have the President's ear and he has their ear." He read a press dispatch in which the Manchester Guardian quoted Ambassador Harvey as telling Premier Bonar Law that Great Britain should accept the American terms now, but later if President Harding were re-elected in 1924 more liberal terms would be provided.

A violation of the budget law by President Harding through his failure to recommend to Congress the means of wiping out the prospective deficit in Government finances this year, was also charged by Mr. Garner.

Mr. Garner was opposing an amendment to the Liberty Loan act under which the sinking fund could be used in retiring Government securities other than Liberty Bonds and Victory notes. He charged that the purpose was to use the sinking fund in the daily operations of the Government so that the anticipated deficit of \$270,000,000 for this fiscal year might not show on the Treasury books.

"The Republican party, from the President down," said Mr. Garner, "wants to show to the American people that there is no deficit, but if the sinking fund is used to retire \$300,000,000 in Liberty bonds in May, as the present law requires, the deficit will be there."

LEGISLATORS SEEING THE KING RANCH SIGHTS

Lawmakers Stop At Corpus Christi, Robstown and Kingsville On Tour.

Kingsville, Texas.—The legislature junketing party, accompanied by Governor Neff and other State officials, touring the King ranch and thousands of acres of fertile farm land that a few years ago were considered fit only for cattle grazing. Representative E. D. Dunlap, of Kingsville, citizens of the town and the King ranch management took charge of the party when it arrived from Corpus Christi. A barbecue for the 200 persons on the special train furnished part of the entertainment.

The legislators and officials then left for Harlingen, where the tour of "the magic valley" will start.

Corpus Christi royally entertained the lawmakers. The Corpus Christi Port Development Association was host at breakfast at the Nueces Hotel. The party enjoyed a boat ride on the bay, followed by an auto mobile ride to points of interest. The visitors were shown flaming gas from a huge gas well four miles from the city, which will soon give Corpus Christi natural gas.

A brief stop was made at Robstown, between Corpus Christi and Kingsville, claiming distinction because of its twelve cotton gins making it the banner center of the Southwest in number of gins. Governor Neff spoke briefly to school children who met the train at Robstown and at Bishop.

"Unworthy," Is Comment of Shutt. New York.—George M. Shutt, president of the New York Cotton Exchange, characterized as "unworthy" of the gentleman who voted in the statement of Senator Hefflin that cotton prices were being held down until all stocks should be out of the hands of the producers. "I believe," said Mr. Shutt, that the cotton market has done remarkably well this season, considering the conditions prevailing abroad."

GERMAN LABOR APPEALS TO U. S.

SAY AMERICAN HONOR ASSERTED CAN SAVE THEM NOW

CLAIM NOT FEDERAL MOVE

Action Taken Independent of Any Influence From Official Sources Is Claim

Berlin.—Organized German labor, appealing for more than half the population of the German Republic, views the American Congress as the logical tribunal to which to address an appeal, declaring that "American honor asserted at this time can save us and the world from the inevitable disaster."

"This is the keynote of a message which has been forwarded to Washington carrying the signatures of the chairman of the executive boards of the General Federation of Trade Unions, the Federation of Christian Labor Unions, the League of Clerical Employees and the Independent Federation of Liberal Trade Unions, which embrace a registered membership of 12,000,000 male and female workers."

Labor's action is the direct outcome of apprehensions with which the situation growing out of the occupation of the Ruhr is viewed by the federation leaders, regardless of their political affiliations, and the telegraphic appeal to both houses of Congress is a briefly and informally worded message recalling the German workmen's willingness to submit to complete disarmament and their prompt readiness to adopt a democratic constitution in return for the American promise that right and justice should prevail in the post-war adjustments.

The labor leaders assert that their action was undertaken independent of any influence from official sources, which, it was stated, would first learn of the appeal to the American Congress in cases it was reported back from Washington. Neither has the German press been apprised of the unique procedure.

"We decided to go straight to the official representatives of the American people with our appeal and preferred to dispense with official or diplomatic intervention," Paul Grassmann, vice chairman of the general federation's executive board, said. "The message was drafted at a joint session of the executive heads of the four federations and it represents the feelings of alarm with which labor already is contemplating the situation after three weeks of the Ruhr occupation. There is something more than the fate of the Ruhr Basin at stake. If Germany is still a land of apparent order and organization, it is only because the dozen cool-headed men in charge of organized labor's ranks have prevented the workers in all lines from becoming dangerously restive."

14 KILLED, 40 WOUNDED IN MEXICAN CAPITAL

Reds Raise The White Flag And Then Fire As Troops Enter

Mexico City.—It is estimated that fourteen persons were killed and more than forty injured in a street battle here in front of labor headquarters following the sniping of passing street cars by "reds," who resented the maintenance of street car traffic by men who reached an agreement with the Tramway Company to end the strike which had been in progress for some time.

Soldiers guarding the cars answered the fire of the snipers, and the shooting soon became general. All downtown stores were immediately closed and traffic was suspended. Troops were thrown into the affected area and are patrolling the streets with orders to shoot to kill in the event of further disturbances.

The trouble had its origin in smoldering hostility between rival radical factions within the ranks of the street car employees.

The "reds" finally flew a white flag for a truce; but when the soldiers ceased firing and attempted to enter the labor building they were met with another volley from the windows above them, which they answered. The surrender of the building was eventually brought about.

Doyle-Strong Bill Killed. Austin, Texas.—The Senate Privileges and Elections Committee killed the Doyle-Strong bill, requiring public officers of the State to resign when they become candidates for another elective office. No favorable minority report was made.

Uniform Rate Provided in Bill. Austin, Texas.—Representative Irwin's bill to amend the State depository law provides for a uniform rate of interest to be paid by banks which are selected as State depositories and also contemplates the designation of clearing banks in the larger cities to act as State depositories. It generally revises the present law and limits the amount of State funds which may be carried in any one State depository.

FRANCE CUTS OFF GERMANY'S FUEL

Germans Anticipating Step Already Have Placed Orders—Wild Scenes in Ruhr.

Dusseldorf.—France has cut off Germany's supply of coal and coke from the Ruhr.

General Degoutte, commanded-in-chief of the French army of occupation in the industrial area, has received orders to allow no fuel to pass into unoccupied Germany. The General rushed reinforcements of customs officials to the frontier to enforce the orders of Premier Poincare.

Coal trains attempting to cross the boundary are to be stopped and turned back on roads leading to France and Belgium, where the fuel will be confiscated by the allied control commission.

This drastic step, which has been threatened for several days, is France's answer to Germany's continued reparations default, Germany's latest delinquency is the refusal to pay the 500,000,000 gold marks that are due. As news spread throughout the Ruhr that the economic blockade of Germany was about to start, union leaders of railroads and miners prepared to strengthen their policy of passive resistance.

Coal operators expressed confidence that most of the 500,000 miners in the region would strike rather than have coal that they mined diverted from Germany to Belgium and France.

Railroad officials are certain that their employees will strike in case an armed guard stops their train at the border of the unoccupied area.

The blockade order came at a time when conditions in the Ruhr were growing better. Most of the miners were at work in the pits and many German railroads had returned to their posts when armed guards were taken off trains and evacuated from stations. It is believed that the new order will cause a recurrence of the strike.

Germany, in a way, was prepared for the blockade. Thousands of tons of coal have been ordered from England. Although the use of Welch coal will greatly increase the cost of production, it will at least keep the factories running, thereby preventing thousands from being thrown into the legions of unemployed. Two-thirds of the coal and coke supplies normally goes into the unoccupied part of Germany.

BRITAIN ACCEPTS U. S. DEBT PAYMENT PLAN

Harding Administration To Be Informed By The British Ambassador.

London.—Great Britain has accepted the American plan for settlement of the \$4,000,000,000 debts she owes the United States.

Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, induced Bonar Law and members of the Cabinet to agree to the terms offered Baldwin when he was in Washington conferring with members of the American Debt Funding Commission.

The announcement of Britain's acceptance has been forwarded to Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, who will inform the Harding administration. An act of Congress, however, is necessary before the funding of the debt, in accordance with the plan agreed to by the Bonar Law Government, becomes a certainty.

When the money was borrowed during the war, Congress passed a law which stipulated that the debt be repaid in twenty-five years at the rate of 5 per cent interest.

Congressional leaders, however, it is learned, here, are confident that they will be able to induce Congressmen to accept this modified proposal which was offered by the Harding administration and accepted by the British Cabinet.

Settlement of the debt in sixty-two years with interest at the rate of 3 per cent for the first ten years and 3 1/2 per cent during the remainder of the time; one-half of one per cent charge for amortization to be applied to wiping out of the principal, charge of 4 1/2 per cent interest from the time the debt was contracted in 1917 to the time of funding.

Keeling Back at Austin. Austin, Texas.—Attorney General Keeling has returned from Washington, where he had been for ten days in connection with the preparation of the decree to be entered by the Supreme Court of the United States in the Red River boundary suit. The decree has not been entered and will not be until the Attorney General of Oklahoma has examined it.

After Advising Son, Kills Himself. Wichita Falls, Texas.—After giving advice to his son to try to be a better boy, J. P. Cowan, 50 years old, picked up a pistol, and shot and killed himself at his home here. His wife, who saw him pick up the gun, had run to him and grabbed him around the shoulders. As the two shots rang out Cowan fell back into his wife's arms dead. It is said that Cowan had been in ill health for more than two years.

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"How unfortunate," she replied, slightly bored. "Yes, it was. Once I was taken for a guerrilla and was thrown into prison."

"A natural mistake," she responded. "What kind of a gorilla did they think you were?"

Some people waste a lot of energy climbing mountains before they get to them.

Oldest inhabitant may occasionally staid to the dramatic possibilities of the events he relates.

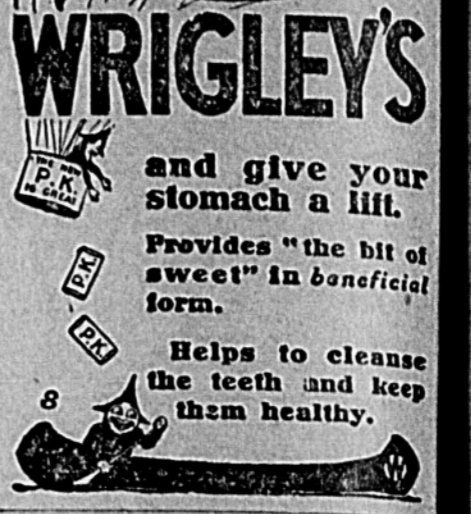


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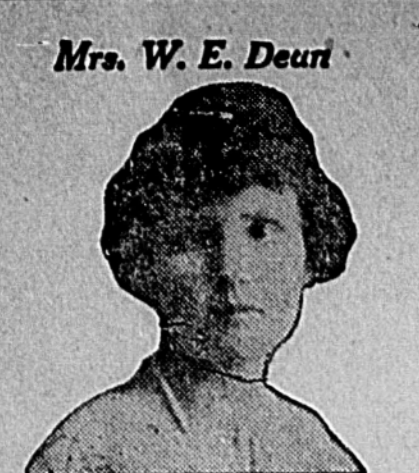
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Elkhart, Kan.—About two years ago I began to suffer so with pain and soreness in both sides, (especially my right side,) that I was almost unable to do any housework. I was also very nervous. Doctors advised an operation, but this I wished to avoid if possible.

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Woman—Now, if you don't leave at once I'll call my husband, and he used to play football in Harvard.

Let a poet write a rich man's will and he cares not who writes the nation's poems.

Queer Feelings

"Some time ago, I was very irregular," writes Mrs. Cora Robie, of Pikeville, Ky. "I suffered a great deal, and knew I must do something for this condition. I suffered mostly with my back and a weakness in my limbs. I would have dreadful headaches. I had hot flashes and very queer feelings. And oh, how my head hurt! I read of

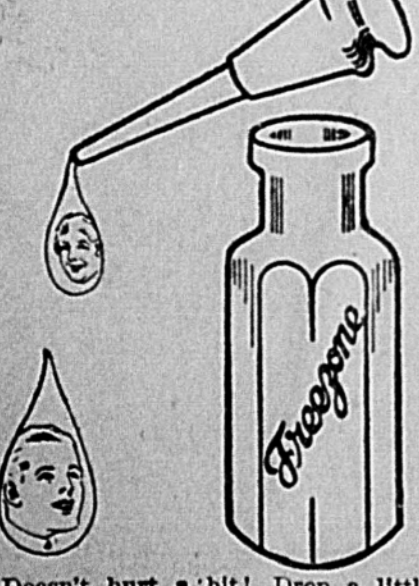
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She's a little devil at times, but she always had good sense. "Tom, you can gamble she's gone," said Ladd.

THORNE

SYNOPSIS—Seeking gold in the desert, Cameron, a solitary prospector, forms a partnership with a pector, former partner with him later an unknown man whom he later learns is Jonas Warren, father of a girl who married back in Illinois.

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Early on the morning of the second day, Gale saw three white horses and a bay come wearily stepping down the road.

Gale shouted with joy and ran into the house to tell the good news. It was the ever-thoughtful Mrs. Belding who prevented him from rushing to tell Mercedes.

Ladd handed down a rascal, travel-stained, wan girl into Belding's arms. "Dad! Mamma!"

"Blanco Sol gone!" yelled Belding, in a rage. "Raiders!" exclaimed Jim Lash.

"Send Yaqui to find the hoss' trail, an' let 'er figger," said Ladd. "Shore this is no raider job."

"I'm not — hurt. Only weak — starved," he said. "His Mercedes — Take me to her!"

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Ladd cast a sharp glance at Gale, clapped his fingers, and said: "Don't you see? I ain't guessed it too!"

anxious to get him out of a bad fix, they had to wait for orders. "When Nell found out Thorne was been staved an' he, in a dobe shack no more'n two mile across the line, she shore stirred up that cavalry camp."



He Was Very Weak, Yet He Would Keep Mercedes' Hand and Gaze at Her With Unbelieving Eyes.

was growing excited, hurried in his narrative. "Right out the Nell swore she'd go after Thorne. If them cavalrymen couldn't ride with a western girl to save a brother American—let them hang back!"

"There wasn't a shot fired by anybody. The cavalrymen soon found Thorne an' hurried with him back on Uncle Sam's land. Thorne was half naked, black an' blue all over, thin as a rail."

"Ladd, what knocks me is Rojas holding Thorne prisoner, trying to make him tell where Mercedes had been hidden," said Belding.

"Shore, I'd knock anybody." "The hand'll's crazy over her. That's the Spanish of it," replied Belding.

"Hello, Dick! I didn't dream it, thee," he said. "There you are, ann my darling with the proud, dark eyes—she's here? Mercedes is well—safe! Oh! . . . But say, I haven't a dollar in my name. I had a lot of money, Dick, and those robbers stole it."

"I don't believe it," replied Belding. "Nell may have her temper."

"Yes. But are you wise an' certain any Mexican, even a priest, know Mercedes is hidden in Fortin River?" "It couldn't be hidden long."

"Thorne could not be kept in bed, and all in a day, it seemed, he grew so well and so hungry that his friends were delighted, and Mercedes was radiant. In a few days his weakness disappeared and he was going the round of the fields and looking over the ground marked out in Gale's plan of water development."

Mercedes gave the writing one swift glance, then faintly in Thorne's arms. He carried her to a couch, and with Nell and Mrs. Belding began to work over her.

"Who's that?" asked Belding, as he slowly pushed back his chair and looked at Ladd. "Yaqui," replied the ranger.

"The door opened, and the short, squat, powerfully built Indian entered. He carried a rifle and strode with impressive dignity. "Yaqui, what do you want?" asked Belding.

"Ladd, what knocks me is Rojas holding Thorne prisoner, trying to make him tell where Mercedes had been hidden," said Belding.

"I thought of that at once. But Rojas will never get his hands on my wife. If I can't kill him, I'll kill her!" . . . Belding, this is tough on you—this risk we put upon your family. I regret—

"Cut that kind of talk," replied Belding, bluntly. "Well, it is Rojas he's acting on—his queer for a raider. That's what worries me. We can't do anything but wait. With Ladd and Yaqui out there we won't be surprised."

"I don't believe it," replied Belding. "Nell may have her temper."

AT AGE 71, FINDS HOUSEWORK EASY

Mrs. Jennings Says Tanlac Restored Strength After "Flu" Attack and Ended Stomach Trouble.

"I was almost an invalid and Tanlac built me up to a strong, well woman. I consider it my best friend," is the grateful and characteristic statement of Mrs. Emma Jennings, residing at Clearwater, Cal.

"The horsemen halted at the corrals. They were orderly and showed no evidence of hostility. They were, however, fully armed. Belding stalked out to meet them. Apparently a leader wanted to parley with him, but Belding would hear nothing. He shook his head, waved his arms, stamped to and fro, and his loud, angry voice could be heard clear back at the house."

"This Mother Never Waits for Trouble" "This is my fifth baby," writes Mrs. S. E. Maharrey, Route C, Box 149, Millen, Ga., "and I am giving it Teethina like I did the others. I don't wait for trouble, but begin giving Teethina at the first sign of teething and keep it up till they are through cutting their teeth and it proves to be most satisfactory in every way."

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### SPANIARDS NAMED KEY WEST

Appellation Believed to Have Been Derived From Presence of Unburied Human Bones.

The name Key West has no reference to the geographical location of the key or reef, but appears to be a corruption of "Cayo Huesco," meaning Bone Key—the name originally being bestowed by the Spaniards upon the small island which constitutes the most southern point of land in the United States. This appellation is said to have been derived from the quantities of long-unburied human bones which were found strewn over the coast, and which were believed to have been there since 1700, when many intertribal battles were fought by the Indians who occupied the numerous islands included in the Florida keys.

The remarkable chain of rock islets called the Florida keys begins at the southern point of the state and extends nearly 200 miles in a southwesterly direction, ending in a cluster of sand-heaped rocks known as Tortugas, from the vast number of turtles with which they are frequented.

### SEEDS THAT SECRETE GLUE

Fact Has Been Noted and Commented On by Botanists Who Have Studied the Subject.

Natural glue to stick them to the ground is secreted by some seeds, according to a writer in the Scientific American. "One of the methods by which they accomplish this," says this authority, "is by exuding a sort of natural mucilage as soon as they obtain any water. A German botanist studying plants in northwest Africa found that out of 906 varieties more than 36 per cent, 332 to be exact, are marked by this feature. In studying them he found that after being wetted and then dried they adhered tightly to whatever lay beneath them, whether this was filter paper, earth or the side of a microscope. The first rainfall, therefore, literally glues them to their places, giving them a foothold to start their struggle for existence as soon as the needed rainfall comes; even a heavy dew will sometimes suffice to liberate the 'glue.' This anchorage to the ground also serves the purpose of assisting the young root to make its way into the soil."

### WHERE DEER ARE ALWAYS SAFE

If they did not know it there is a sanctuary in Maine where deer are perpetually safe, where it is always closed time and has been for several years, by a bill put through the Maine legislature at the request of a lover of animals. Strangely enough this sanctuary is Deer Isle, Hancock county, on Penobscot bay. It is said to have derived its name from the number of deer seen upon it at one time just as its neighbors, the Fox islands, got their name from the silver-gray fox which years ago overran it. On both islands there is but little game these days, for once it is killed off more can get there only by crossing on the ice from the mainland during a severe winter or swimming across in summer. A few years ago several deer were seen on Deer Isle and during the last summer one or more were reported.—Portland Press Herald.

### RETURN OF CAPE FOR MEN

A prominent London tailor reports that there is a tendency among those men who aspire to be well clothed to "stiffen up" in the matter of evening dress. They consider that the present laxity has gone too far, and so it is more than likely that the cloak—or Inverness cape—will once again be a sine qua non of evening wear. Very soon, therefore, we may have to sally forth in the crimson silk linings that have not been seen for many years.

### KNOWS WHAT TICKLES A MAN

Mrs. A.—I've planned such a delightful surprise for my husband.  
Mrs. B.—What is it?  
Mrs. A.—He's getting his winter suit out shortly and I've put a quarter in one of the pockets.—Boston Evening Transcript.

### ONE TO PRACTICE ON

Young Wife—The trained nurse is going to teach me how to give the baby a bath.  
Young Husband (Anxiously)—Don't you think we'd better send out and hire another baby?—Life.

### OUTWITS STORM, FARMERS TOLD TO HIDE IN CELLARS

G. W. Williams, a telephone operator at Dudley near Abilene, outwitted the tornado which passed through the western part of Callahan county last week. After the storm had struck near Dudley, Williams telephoned to the farmers in the path of the storm, and warned them to seek shelter in storm cellars. As a result none were injured, although the storm was severe and much property was damaged. The storm was near the path of the cyclone which wrought such disaster in that part of the country last spring.

### B. L. BOYDSTUN BUSINESS GOING ON AS USUAL

B. L. Boydston's stores, located at Cross Plains, Clyde, Baird and other points, are going on as usual, regardless of the bankrupt proceedings which he filed two weeks ago. Mr. Boydston states to the public that everything will go on as usual until ordered otherwise by the Federal Court, at the hearing set for Feb. 15th, when the first meeting of his creditors will be held in the office of Referee in Bankruptcy D. M. Oldham, Jr. at Abilene, notice of which has been published.

Mrs. Pritchett and sister, Miss Williams of Baird, while enroute to DeLeon, stopped here for a short visit with Mrs. M. Polishuk.

Mr. Williford the accommodating garage man at Dressy, and Mr. Thompson were Friday visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hickman and Miss Robinson of Blake were visitors here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baird and little sons were Thursday visitors.

Winifred Brigner and Ray Wilson visited at Baird last Thursday evening. Mr. Brigner, who is now teaching in the Cross Plains public school, went before the examining board and was granted a teacher's certificate.

For Rent—Good bungalow house, with garden and well of water, equipped with gas. Will rent for \$15.00. See T. N. Hutchinson, at Electric Shoe Shop.

Big assortment of Grey Enamel Ware, large covered stew pans, covered buckets, pudding and milk pans, also 14 quart dish pan to go at 35c each. The Racket Store.

That Cake you have been waiting for is now here—"Terry's."

Note the wonderful combination of flavors in "Terry's cake."

Trade with us. We appreciate your patronage. Cozy Drug Store.

Get a bottle of Cordui and a package of Black Draught for 95c at the Cozy Drug Store this week.

Bring your Hemstitching to Mrs. Orr, first residence east of Christian Church. 2: p

New line hoes, rakes, cabbage plants, Bermuda onion plants, gas mantels and light globes, at W. T. Wilson Furniture Store.

### SUBMARINE PILES OF PAPER

Three Layers Glued, Wound on Wooden Cylinder, Covered With Cords—Steel Heat Utilized.

Piles for submarine supports are now being made of paper in California, the chief recommendation of which is the fact that they are not subject to attack by the teredo which ruins wooden piles in a short time.

On a long wooden cylinder a long roll of tarred paper with glued edges is wound and covered with cord. Over this another band of paper, much narrower, is wound diagonally like the bandage on a wounded

### \$2,000 IN ONE SEASON FROM THIRTEEN TURKEYS

Stand back all you men who have so much money from cotton and listen to this story:

Miss Florence Derrick, living with her parents 10 miles south of Stephenville started the past spring with one tom and twelve turkey hens. She vowed that she would show some of these men just how easy it was to make real money. For the big tom she paid \$25 and the hens were the best she could get. Working with the full knowledge that she had set a high water mark in her statements concerning success she bent all her energies to the lucky thirteen. With all the spring floods and other bad prospects she has had she got through with remarkable success and now has 264 full grown turkeys ready for the market. Conservative estimates on the value of the crop place the money value at \$2000.

Gentleman is this a record to go unnoticed? certainly not. Lots of good men have worked hard all year and cannot show a gross crop of \$2000. At any rate this is one more example of what can just as easily be done by any farmer woman right here in Callahan county.

### GETTING LINED UP FOR FEBRUARY DISTRICT COURT

The February Term of the Callahan County District Court, the Honorable W. R. Ely, Presiding Judge, with the newly elected District Attorney, M. L. Long; Sheriff C. E. Bray and District Clerk Mrs. Kate Hearn, in official attendance on the Court for the first time, will convene Monday morning, February 12.

The Grand Jury and the two Petit Juries, have been selected by the Jury Commissioners, and notified by Sheriff Bray to be on hand when Court convenes. The names and addresses of these jurors appear below.

#### GRAND JURORS.

John McGowan, E. A. Alexander, Baird; J. A. Barr, J. A. Atwood, J. A. Moore, S. E. Odom, Cross Plains; Will Young, M. H. Perkins, W. L. Harris, Route 2, Doris Odom, Route 3, Clyde; Luke Cathey, Putnam; Will Poindexter, Oplin; G. W. Coats, Cottonwood; S. E. Eubanks, Route 2, Moran; T. S. Walker, Rowden; G. T. Brashear, Atwell.

#### PETIT JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

J. J. Carson, John Asbury, W. J. Ray, Baird; J. C. Freeman, R. M. Black, M. L. Jones, W. H. Orr, L. O. Payne, S. C. Barnes, Cross Plains; C. A. Conlee, John Cunningham, A. Wiley, B. Crawford, W. M. Crosby, W. P. Ledbetter, Putnam; Clyde Rouse, Sam Jones, Robert Gatis, Clint Brashear, Atwell; E. J. Barton, R. E. Bourland, T. C. Dulaney, J. E. Graham, J. F. Berry, John Kennard, J. C. Merrill, C. H. Morgan, J. H. Burrough, F. F. Suggs, S. S. McIntosh, R. P. Stephenson, Clyde; W. M. Reiny, Robert Cunningham, no address; L. M. Hamie, Route 3, Clyde; C. H. Kennedy, Putnam.

#### PETIT JURY—SECOND WEEK.

Edgar Lincoecum, Albert Betcher, Pete Chatman, C. D. Straley, O. Allen, John Wudham, Oplin; J. E. Gutbirth, G. L. Loper, Potosi; G. T. Baum, W. J. Vestal, J. L. Ferrell, W. M. Freeman, H. L. Harris, Fred Cutbirth, Cross Plains; J. F. Coffee, John Burnham, R. G. Harper, Putnam; A. G. Hobbs, H. J. Gibbs, Rowden; W. B. Gillitt, W. Y. Cleveland, W. R. Hickman, Morgan Price Star Route, Ernest Hill, Baird; Ed Davis, P. H. Eubanks, Joe Higgins, Admiral; R. E. Climmer, C. A. McElroy, W. H. Ray, Route 1, Abilene; J. C. McGee, J. A. Birchfield, W. A. Bush, J. M. Breeding, W. H. Coppinger, Cottonwood.

A West Texas girl has filed an application to have her name changed. It is Lizzie Tinsford.

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# The Style Shop

Cross Plains, Texas

### USED SAFETY RAZOR BLADE TO CUT WAY TO LIBERTY

Walter Smith, aged 27, married and the father of a young baby, whose home is in Ranger, and who, according to County Attorney Ben F. Russell has an all round criminal record, was arrested by Sheriff C. E. Bray, at his home, on a warrant charging him with auto theft, brought here and locked up in the county hoosegow.

Sunday night he and a fellow prisoner were not locked in their cells but allowed the privilege of the run around.

When all was still, Smith, using a safety razor blade as a saw, began to cut through a partially severed window bar, which had been operated upon by Henry Pryor, now in the penitentiary, and another prisoner. When the saw finally cut through the bar he pried it aside, using a piece of iron pipe for the purpose, he invited his fellow prisoner to join him in making a get away, but the man declined, and slipping through the aperture in the bars, he slid down an iron gas pipe fastened to the outside wall and disappeared in the darkness.

Fifteen minutes after his disappearance the escape was discovered and Sheriff Bray and county Attorney Russell started in pursuit. They traced him to Ranger, but he had skipped again before they arrived; they hope to compass his arrest before court convenes.—Baird Star.

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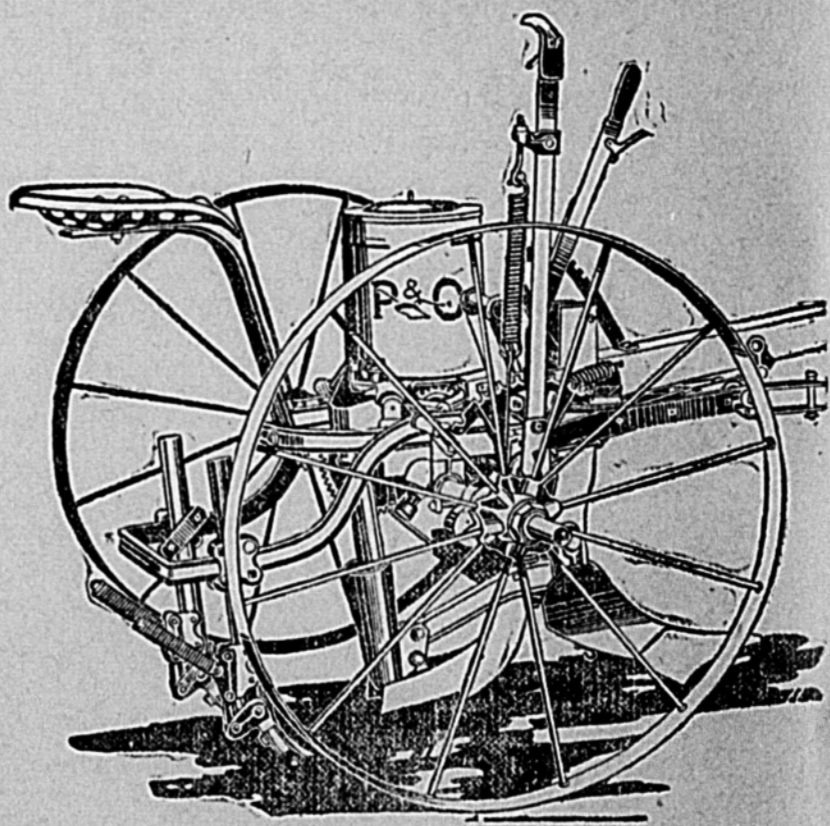
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### Doctor Howard

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### STOCK RAISERS ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED

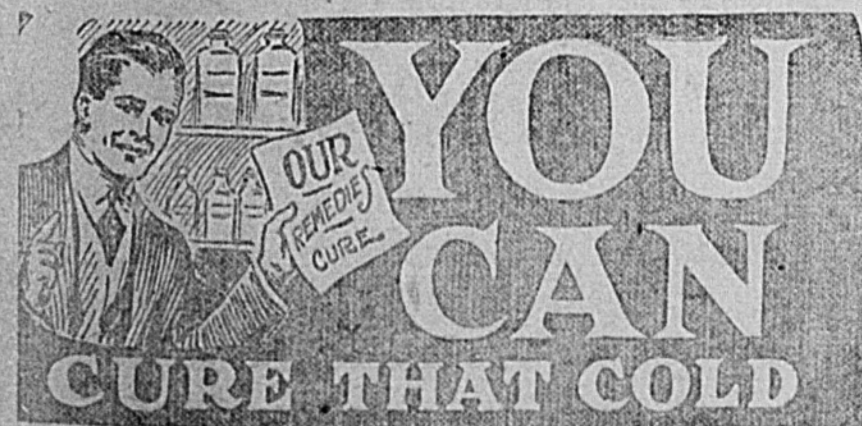
Rising Star X-Ray

That Eastland County raises more stock to the square mile than any of the counties west of us is startling news to most of us. This statement is made by Mr. R. F. Cox, who lives northeast of town, and who was recently made chairman for Eastland County in the temporary organization of a stock association for Eastland, Callahan and Stephens counties. In response to the request of the editor Mr. Cox has given the following statement about this new move:

On Jan. 6th a temporary organization of the counties of Eastland, Callahan and Stephens, met at Cisco in what should be one of the most far reaching organization in West Texas. At that meeting a number of the best posted live stock men in the West were present, men who know all about the proposition. It was

very interesting to hear their talk. It is a well known fact that farmers and stock raisers have struggled on our rights. We have been satisfied to raise just any kind of stock. A cow that would bring up a brain calf every year or so, or a sow that would raise pigs that would weigh a hundred pounds at two months old has been good enough. But let me say now that such methods will not do any more. The farmer who feeds such stock is the road to ruin. A new era is at hand. Old methods must go. We had just as well face the present situation.

The stock association is not a pure bred association. It is a move to better live stock on our farms and ranches. All cannot raise pure bred stock but all can improve on what they do raise. The association is a co-operative move. It will bring better sires into the country, and will help in buying and selling. The association will hold semi-annual sales at Cisco, and this will be the biggest single feature. It will



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