

The Cisco Round-Up

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Cisco A Live Place Now And The Past Oil Money Developing The New Territory

The People Co-Operating--New Comers
And The Old Settlers Work-
ing Together

By G. FISK.

When the first railroad reached Cisco some forty years ago this section had nothing but cattle, the coyote and a few scattering ranchmen. When it was contemplated to build a railroad through this section it was considerably different when compared to the present time. The State of Texas conceived the idea that a railroad through west Texas to Mexico to connect with the traffic to the western states would greatly help to develop west Texas, and offered the railroad company every other section of land if the company would build this railroad, and the Texas and Pacific undertook the great and expensive project. For quite a while the road stopped at Eastland, then took up the work and built to Cisco, then on and on until it reached El Paso. From the time the road reached this point, which was not really Cisco at that time, only in name the town began to take on the life of a real western town but grew very slowly until several years later the Texas Central railroad reach this point, then the real little, hustling city sprang up and the town attracted the attention of real progressive people, men who were able to bring things to pass, and men who were honest, and who had plenty of good common sense. Time went on and the city of Cisco had its prosperous times and had its reverses, but never did the old settlers lose faith in its future, and many of them passed to the "great beyond" with a belief that Cisco some day would be a real city. While it makes one sad to think of those men and women it makes a lingering feeling of delight when we recall the many pleasant days, weeks and years that have passed with them while they were citizens of Cisco. The clatter of the hoofs of the cattle has been replaced with the puffing of the automobile and the motor trucks. The cattle on a thousand hills have been crowded out by the oil derricks. Where there were farms and the busy hands were at work at this season getting ready for the spring planting, in parts of Eastland county, hands cannot be secured because of the lure to the oil fields, and the farmer seems to care very little, for two reasons, one is that he has failed to make a crop for so many years and feels that his money may be spent for nothing, and another reason is that in the oil fields farming is too slow, and the money he makes him independent. Buggies and wagons are antiquated and have been relegated to the dump pile, in most instances. Oil money put in the hands of the citizens of the county has helped very materially in placing thousands of automobiles in Eastland county and Cisco has a good portion of them. Cisco has had many things that was discouraging to the people, among them was the disastrous cyclone which played havoc with the town about thirty years ago. This country has had many drouths since that time, but we have held the people because of the promise of the future. It gives the old timer great inspiration to look over the city to go out and see the different sections where the workmen are busy as bees, to see the hammer and the saw, to see the new buildings going up and to learn that day by day the citizenship is growing more enthusiastic than the day before about the building of a city and that not only the new comers but the old settlers are co-operating and are building a city. While we do not now think of cattle horses and hogs as we once

did, while we do not now depend on railroads as we once did, while we do not now have to make sacrifices as we once did yet with one great people we are working together and are building a real city of Cisco to the delight of both the pioneer citizen and the man who has been attracted here by recent development of oil in this section. The building is progressing in an intelligent way, and as a whole the people are doing their part. Occasionally a man is found who desires to eat the crumbs as they fall from the table—the man who refuses to help build a city but wants to reap the profit—but they are scarce in Cisco. The prices in property are going higher and it will naturally do this so long as the city is building. But this is not hindering the building. Go to any part of the city and it has been transformed. People are not satisfied with the antiquated buildings and new and modern buildings are taking their places. This is taking place both in the business and residence sections. The people are proving their faith by their works.

Geo. and Bob Winston came to Cisco some fifteen years ago and since that time have been selling groceries. Bob has retired from the business and Geo. has as his partner his son, Lloyd. Geo. has acquired the building and is arranging to add another story which will be rented for offices. Both are interested in oil lands in Stephens county and will some day be very wealthy.

Mrs. M. E. Holcomb, whose husband was among the early settlers and loyal citizens of Cisco still owns valuable property in Cisco both business and residences. She also owns several hundred acres of oil lands which has made her very wealthy. She contemplates having erected at an early date a two or three story building on her valuable lot on corner of Sixth Street and Avenue D.

Among the early settlers of this county and a man who probably knows more Eastland County history than any one in this section is R. F. Weddington. He came to this county when there was nothing here except cattle and coyotes and a few cattle men, and he still clings to his cattle and his ranch, and not only gets a great deal of pleasure out of the business but he makes money. Few men who served through the Civil War are as active and capable of transacting business as is Mr. Weddington. He owns several thousand acres in Eastland and Callahan counties, which have become very valuable since the oil discovery. Mr. Weddington is independently rich.

Dr. W. P. Lee was an early settler of this section, has been one of our leading physicians during his resident here. Has been in business and accumulated sufficient money to invest in lands which are valuable.

O. R. Turner is another one of the Stephens county men who has made good in business in Cisco. For years he has been in the grocery business and is too busy to give attention to the oil business, but is contributing his part in building a city.

R. C. Pass is a hustler, and for a number of years was in the mercantile business. He is now making big money trading, and owns enough oil land to make him rich. He is contributing his part in building Cisco.

Lee Owen came to Cisco from Tennessee many years ago, and has

been allied with the city in its progress. He has saved some money and has invested it in a wise manner, and some of it in oil lands from which he will realize some good money.

The late Rev. J. M. Lane was associated with every forward movement during his many years here. He passed away about one year ago and the property which he had accumulated during his life time passed into good hands. His wife and the children have good property and are strong believers in Cisco.

A. A. Webster is manager of the J. P. Webster & Sons Wholesale Grocery Co., but he has been in this capacity only a few years. This firm was among the first to locate in Cisco and its name associated with Cisco gives an euphonic sound. A. A. Webster owns his beautiful home and has invested in the oil game enough to get rich and has made near a half million out of the oil business.

When the pioneer settlers are mentioned at once the name of D. L. Rogers comes to a person's mind. He has been here almost from the beginning. He lost his help mate two or three years ago. He accumulated sufficient money during his life time to make him independent during his declining days.

Henry Benham was in business for years in this city, and just recently sold the Cisco Steam Laundry to Shup and Shaw. He has made money, and recently made some attractive improvements at his beautiful home.

Of all the unique characters and the real western men is that of W. T. Hittson who has been connected with Cisco's development during the past twenty years or more. Mr. Hittson was raised in north Texas and came west when this country was thinly settled and bought several hundred acres of land. He still owns the land and with the great increase in value on account of the oil development has made him independent.

Alex Spears is no new comer to Cisco, although he just recently accepted a position as cashier of the First Guaranty State Bank. He just returned to his first love, and is now proving that he is to be a permanent fixture here by having erected a beautiful and modern new home. He is at the bat when it comes to helping build a city.

Probably we have another man who could give as much history of this county as can Rufus Weddington, and that man is J. P. Montgomery. He has stuck to this town all the time. He has held to his property and has just recently sold enough of his land near Cisco to keep him the balance of his days. He received \$15,000.00 for a small tract of land adjoining the city on the south, and has other holdings.

Geo. D. Fee came to Cisco from Missouri years ago and was in the dry goods business for years. He made money and saved it, and is now making some good money out of the oil business. Geo. Fee is helping to build also, he having had erected some pretty bungalows.

Geo. Wilson came from Stephens county and worked in a grocery store on a small salary. He learned the grocery business and is now in business for himself, and is selling worlds of goods. He too has profited by the oil business, both because of the increase in trade and on account of some investments.

Wm. Reagan came here from Brown county and started business in a small way. He has made money and has now very valuable property in both business and residence, and added to this he owns acreage in good locations. Mr. Reagan is helping to build Cisco and takes an active part in its progress.

R. L. Poe who recently moved here from his farm in the Pleasant Hill community is making a good citizen. He made money out of the hog business, and not only has he leased his farm for farming at a good price but has realized more out of the oil lease than anything else. Mr. Poe has been associated with the business interests of Cisco for a number of years, and is vice-president of the First Guaranty State Bank.

John C. Sherman is the oldest plumber in Cisco. When people were talking of dull times in this city he went on his way making good. He has been here for years and as the town grows he grows with it. Mr. Sherman connects himself with every progressive move that is begun.

For years and years Dr. F. M. Oldham has been a citizen of Cisco. He has been practicing dentistry all this while, and while his hair is tinged with silver he is young, even though some do insist that he is an old bachelor. The doctor pins his faith to Cisco, and a more loyal citizen than he cannot be found. He too is making some money by investing in oil lands.

For a number of years J. T. Anderson was manager of the J. M. Radford Grocery Co., of this city. He resigned and moved to Louisiana where he remained for several years. He is now in the oil business, buying and selling leases and oil properties. He has associated with him E. P. Crawford who is also a returned son. Mr. Anderson is making money and helping to build a city.

Among the early settlers and one of the quiet yet noble characters is T. J. Clark who has been running a small restaurant for years. He owns business property which has become so valuable that he will soon sell it and retire from business, and will have sufficient money to keep him so long as he lives.

Rev. J. D. Leslie, D. D., has been pastor of the First Presbyterian church for seven years, and during this time he has been connected with the progress of the city. He takes a very active part in all the developments. He has saved money and now owns bank stock, and has some holdings in the Ranger oil field.

Among the old timers in this section was F. C. Le Veaux, and his wife and daughter are still with us. Mrs. Le Veaux owns good property and is rejoicing because of the prosperity which Cisco is now enjoying.

Another worthy family was that of A. B. Johnson who passed away some few years ago. Mrs. Johnson with her daughter is living in the home where he died. She is librarian for the Twentieth Century Club and although getting very feeble, takes a great interest in this work.

O. C. Bibby was clerking for a number of years and saved sufficient money and got enough experience to open a business of his own. He has purchased a home, owns some oil acreage, owns his racket store and other property, and is prospering on account of the good business caused by the oil development.

Another young man who has made good in business in Cisco is R. F. St. John, now manager of the Radford Grocery Co. He has made some good trades. He has bought and sold both property and oil lands and is now having erected a modern home on the corner of Seventh St. and Avenue H.

J. W. Shepard is another worthy Stephens county man who has been here for years. He has saved some money and has invested it safely. He contributes his best to the build of Cisco.

J. E. Elkins has been here for years, came from Comanche. He recently purchased the building which he now occupies for less than \$3,000. He could sell this building now for three times this much. He has had faith in the town all the while.

We still have more city builders than have been mentioned in this or last weeks papers. This story will be finished some time later.

RANGER FIRE, KILLS CHILD

Fire destroying the rooming house of Ollie Wilson in Ranger last night burned to death Iva Lee Wilson, his three-year old daughter, Wilson was badly burned in a frantic effort to save the child's life. The Wilsons recently came here from Voss, Coleman County.

The Wilson fire was the second of the day, the oil well supply house of McEidin Manufacturing Company, having burned earlier in the afternoon.

WILL BUILD RESIDENCES

J. O. Sue of Eastland was in Cisco Monday on business. He has purchased several residence lots from Judge D. K. Scott and will have erected three or four modern residences as soon as a contractor can be secured. Mr. Sue was formerly assistant cashier of the City National Bank of Eastland, but found the oil business much more profitable. He did not state if he intended moving to Cisco.

Oil Developments In This Section New Wells Reported Every Few Days

The Development Is Speeding Up
Report Of The Oil Fields
Several New Wells

The No. 1 Walker well of the Texas & Pacific Coal Co., the best well ever drilled in Eastland County to the 3000 foot depth, is making an average of exactly 100 barrels a day. This well reached the black lime in Aug., 1917, began making gas from the black lime above the sand, and was abandoned. It is reported that the driller considered it would be impossible to drill through the black lime as no test had ever been made in this section to such a depth. The gas pressure increased and several months later after the McCleskey well had come in west of town, the Walker began making oil and has been one of the consistent producers of the field ever since.

The Emma Terrell well of the Prairie Oil & Gas Co. on the western edge of the proven area in the Ranger field made 67,576 barrels during the first 20 days of February, according to pipe line runs from the well.

This is the best in Central West Texas, showing an average of 3378 barrels a day for the whole period.

There are now four of the biggest wells in Central West Texas producing from the western edge of the proven area, in a circle from the Emma Terrell west to the Roper southwest to the Norwood, and south to the Connellee, extending the proven area of the Ranger field to 3 and one half or 4 miles west of the town.

This leaves an intervening territory between the older section of the proven area embracing the Jones and Slayden tracts, and the "gusher district" further west, that has not entirely been tested out, and the possibilities of which have not been established. The eastern one-half of the John York survey and the extreme western edge of the Mark Haley survey may yet show something of more than unusual interest.

One of the problems with which the operations in the territory west of Ranger will have to contend more and more in the future, is the proper handling of saltwater. It is now known that several of the wells in this area are making out oil. To the present salt water has made its appearance in only a few of the wells outside the town of Ranger but it has proven its existence there, and will likely be one of the important problems of this territory in the future.

Plains Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 Harrington in the southeast corner of Eastland county and north of the Duke Knowles production in Comanche county, is making 525 barrels a day at 2690 feet.

This well gives at least one outlet to the Duke section in Comanche and indicates that production will be extended north from this field. The Harrington well is 19 feet in the sand, the top of which it got at 2,671.

Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s No. 1 Harris, one mile south of the same company's well on the T. W. Connellee north of Olden, is making 1,200 barrels a day at 3396 feet, 10 feet in the sand.

This well further proves the productivity of the western edge of the proven field west of Ranger. While the Harris well did not get the big production found in the Connellee, Roper and Terrell wells, it further proves that the western border land of the proven area is the most productive section of the Ranger field.

John Markam's et al.'s sixth test on the Copeland tract 3 miles west of Ranger and a little north is a 4000 barrel well at 3470 feet. No.

2 Copeland had 200 barrel initial production at 3227 feet; No. 4 Copeland is not yet completed and is making about 100 barrels, at 3470 feet. So far the Copeland tract had been disappointing as it lies in the so-called "gusher district", and the wells thus far completed had not been up to expectations. No. 6 Copeland does not extend the Ranger field but it does substantiate the faith in the western edge of production.

BRECKENRIDGE DISTRICT

The Monitor Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 Swenson 4 miles southwest of Caddo, shot at 3300 feet to 3340 feet, is now making 2100 barrels a day. Right after the shot the well was making 1530 barrels.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 Stoker, reported making 2300 barrels at 3180 feet, has increased its production to 3300 barrels a day, south of Breckenridge.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 Billingsley 3 miles south of Breckenridge is making 1800 barrels a day at 3180 feet, with a heavy gas pressure. The production is only estimated as the oil is going into earthen storage.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 N. J. Brooks 3 miles south of Breckenridge, reported completed in January, is now drilling at 3200 feet in the black lime and making 140 barrels a day.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 J. C. Curry has been given a shot of 140 quarts of nitro at 3225 feet and is making 300 barrels a day.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 Grant in section 26 block 6 T. & P. Ry. survey is still shut down for storage and is making 25 million feet of gas at 3650 feet at the top of the lime.

The Texas Co.'s No. 1 Keithley is preparing for a shot at 3550 feet and is making 10 barrels of oil.

The Texas Co.'s No. 2 J. M. Parks is drilling again at 3590 feet in the black lime and is making about 50 barrels a day. No. 1-B Parks is abandoned at 3250 feet; No. 2-B Parks is abandoned at 3380 feet; No. 1 J. S. Pierce has resumed drilling at 3225 feet and is making about 3 million feet of gas.

Sun Co.'s No. 2 McMeen southwest of Caddo, is still making 350 barrels from the 21 foot sand.

The Texas & Pacific Coal and Oil Co.'s No. 1 Bradford in section 66, block 6, about 10 miles southwest of Caddo has drilled into salt water at 3610 feet. Efforts are now being made to cut off the salt water sand and the well is good for 350 barrels a day.

Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 E. Y. Jennings is still making about 15,000,000 feet of gas and a spray of distillate at 3440 feet.

Gulf Production Co.'s No. 2 Davis 4 miles south of Breckenridge is trying to plug off salt water at 3,325 feet. The well was good for 150 barrels a day before the salt water broke in.

RANGER DISTRICT

There are three and a half million barrels of crude oil in storage in the Ranger field, the most of it in the tanks of the Prairie Pipe Line Co., and the Prairie Oil & Gas Co.

The storage is not increasing so rapidly at the present due to the fact that the Prairie is carrying through its line north a large part of the oil that is running in the field. The Texas Co. is carrying between 15,000 and 20,000 barrels a day through its line to Dallas, and the Gulf Pipe Line is scheduled to be in operation by the first of March. The oil in storage is distributed as

City Hall Program

Admission 15c and 25c.

March 12th

"RAFFLES"—The Amateur Cracksman and a funny comedy

March 13th

Fox Presents Jean and Katherine Lee in "SWAT THE SPY" with a comedy.

March 14th

Beautiful Vitagraph Feature "DIPLOMATIC MISSION" and Gaumont Weekly.

March 15th

Big Fox Feature—Theda Bara in "UNDER TWO FLAGS" and Graphic News

Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., and Saturday night at 7:15 p. m.

Eastland county, made 265 barrels of oil during the first 20 days of February, according to pipe line runs from the well.

This is a well about which many wild stories have been told, having it producing anywhere from 1 barrel to 10,000 barrels a day. It was drilled to about 4000 feet, given two doses of nitro, and abandoned several months ago as a failure. It began making oil after it had been abandoned and was connected up with a pipe line and has gradually increased its flow to the present time.

LEDBETTER NO. 1 MAKING 1,000

With the completion of its Ledbetter No. 1 in Stephens County late Wednesday, the Sinclair Gulf Oil Company entered the producing class in the North Central Texas district. While the Sinclair Co. is drilling forty-four wells in the north and west Texas territory, the Ledbetter is the first to be completed.

The Ledbetter is good for forty-two barrels an hour, or slightly over 1,000 barrels daily at a depth of 3,430 feet. It has only a small gas pressure. It is practically an inside well and does not open up much new prospective territory. It is 4 miles south of Caddo and in the same section of Stephens County as the Veale well of the Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company, though producing from a different depth.

The Sinclair Company's Gaines well in Brown County is shut down for storage and likely will be drilled in today. As it stands it looks good for 100 or 150 barrels.

TWO MORE WELLS IN RANGER

Two wells were reported in from Eastland County Thursday morning both by the Prairie Oil and Gas Company. The company's J. G.

Christmas No. 2A, in the Arenbeck Brothers survey, west of Ranger, is good for 800 barrels at 3453 feet. The well has been drilled about fifteen feet into the sand.

The Paririe's Slayden No. 5 on the Ida Slayden tract west of Ranger is also in and good for 1,500 barrels at a depth of 3,490 feet. The Slayden has about fifteen feet of the sand.

\$500 PER ACRE IS PAID FOR ACREAGE CLOSE TO PUTNAM

A four-acre block, one mile northwest from the Kemp & Kell well has been leased for \$500 per acre with a \$250 renewal. The general belief of the oil men who visited the Kemp & Kell well and know something of the operation on the well is that it will make a good well. A new location is reported today to have been made on the Jim Shackelford tract by the Gulf people. This tract is immediately north of the Kemp & Kell well.

The drillers on the Kemp & Kell well one mile southeast of town report that they are awaiting storage and fishing tools. A bit was lost in the hole two months ago at a depth of about 3,680 feet. The oil began boiling over the top some ten days ago and last Friday the oil blew over the derrick. It was immediately shut off and it is reported this morning that R. O. Harvey making arrangements to have storage on the ground shortly.

Town property has been changing hands at good prices the past few days, some of the single business lots having sold at high as \$1,750. As high as \$250 per acre has been offered for some small leases near town, and royalties selling as high as \$150 per acre for half royalty. It is reported that the people drilling the Cathey well will also drill on the Crosby tract adjoining the Cathey tract on the southeast and the Texas Company will soon be

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follows: Prairie, 2,500,000 barrels; the Texas Co. 100,000 barrels; Gulf Pipe Line Co., 400,000 barrels, and the Magnolia Pipe Line Co., 500,000 barrels.

By April first the Prairie Pipe Line Co. will have its line north to Cushing doubled and will have a carrying capacity of 65,000 barrels a day. The capacity of the Texas Co.'s line and the line near completion of the Gulf Pipe Line Co. will increase the pipe line capacity serving the Ranger field to about 100,000 barrels a day.

With the Sinclair and Cosden lines from the north, and with the Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s line from Cosicana to Desdemona the carrying capacity of the lines serving West Texas should be between 160,000 and 200,000 barrels a day.

The daily production from the Central West Texas fields is about 70,000 barrels a day at present, and the pipe lines in operation and now being laid are calculated to take care of the production of the field for several months at least.

McAllister et al's No. 1 Brashear in the extreme southern part of

drilling on the C. K. Peek land adjoining on the east. A contract has been made to drill on the Harwell tract one mile west of the Cathey well and also on the Scott ranch two miles southwest. Every indication is now that the Putnam country is going to be a rival with the Ranger field and it is expected that at least six or seven wells will be started within the next sixty to ninety days.

YOU LOOSE

If you fail to see page four (4) next week.

When you see a picture at the City all theatre you see a new picture, and when you read the advertising on any picture to be shown at this theatre, you may depend on it being all that it says and more. Every week on page two you will find the City Hall picture show program.

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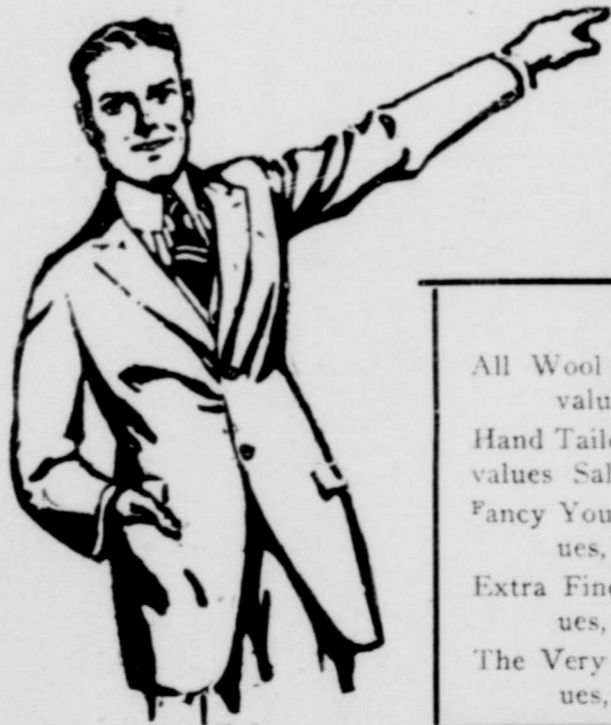
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With Our Correspondents

WORD WARBLERS

We are having fair and pleasant weather compared to what we have been having.

On Feb. 7th our basket ball teams went to Cisco to meet Friendship School who failed to come. Cisco second senior team challenged our girl team. We played and lost by a score of 19 to 5. We do not feel so badly about it, when we consider our inexperience.

Mr. J. E. Stansell has purchased a new "Ford".

Miss Smedley Majors has been visiting relatives in East Texas.

Pvt. Horace Green is now home having received an honorable discharge from the army.

On Feb. 21, the Cisco boy and girl basket ball teams and Pleasant Hill teams met on our courts. Just about three minutes after the first game was called, it began to rain. The crowd sought shelter in the school house. The Cisco crowd showed their excellent school spirit by giving their yells and songs. We appreciate this spirit of genial fellow tendered our school and cordially invite the Cisco team to come again, also the Hill teams.

Mr. J. L. Myers who has been visiting the Britian home, has returned to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Nunley of Gorman visited in the W. R. Swan home last Sunday.

Miss Emma Stroeble spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

We have several new pupils in our schools.

Last Friday night we had our carnival. It was quite a success. The negro minstrel was a laugh from start to finish. The Red Cross booth, where cake, pie and ice cream were sold, was beautiful. We made \$30.25 which will be invested in more books for our library. The school has asked me to extend their thanks to patrons, who so generously contributed to them.

Bro. Tickner preached here Sunday afternoon and we had singing Sunday night—Sallie & Jane.

REICH READINGS

Mr. Wende and wife and Mrs. C. Scheafer of Cisco visited at the Reich home Sunday.

Jack Flemming of Ranger spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. Pet Wadkins and wife came in last week from New Mexico and are with her mother, Mrs. Callerman they say its some cold out there and snow everywhere.

Ed. Reihn of Irving Texas spent last week with relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dillion.

Mrs. Trye of Strawn came in Friday to visit Mrs. Jim Dillion, returning to her home Saturday.

Verge McCantles and son, Clar-

ence of Oklahoma are here visiting his mother.

J. P. Dillion and Rufus Abbott were Cisco visitors Sunday evening. Roy Horn and sister, Miss Leta, and Miss Annie Shelburn were Dan Horn visitors Sunday.

Miss Lillie Mae Shelburn of Curtas visited with her sister here Monday.

Our school is progressing nicely now under the management of Miss Annie Shelburn.

Charlie McConell and little Lawrence and sister, Mrs. Tompson, visited with their father in Stevens county Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Bacon and children and Miss Alice Bacon spent Monday with Mrs. M. H. McCantles.

G. H. Kinsey and wife have moved out here to their new home.

There will be preaching here Sunday afternoon, everybody invited.

Corn planting is the order of the day here now, wheat, oats and barley looking fine, but sure would like to see a shower of rain, the sand storms never fail to come.

Miss Brunie Dillion spent the first of the week in Cisco with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kinbrough—Blue Eyes.

NIMROD NEWS.

We are having another sand storm and the wind is coming cold from the north.

The farmers are taking advantage of the dry weather and are getting their land ready for planting.

Melvin Wyatt of Carbon is visiting his cousin, Mrs. H. Collins.

Miss Effie Broyles has a positino in Cisco.

A. M. Merrett and L. D. Stanaford had business in Cisco

W. N. Compton and family visited at Harpersville from Saturday to Sunday afternoon.

Leman, the little eight year old boy of Mr. and Mrs. Sebe Pennington died in Ranger last Wednesday and the remains were brought to the Nimrod cemetery for interment. Rev. W. B. Morton conducted the funeral services. The relatives have the sympathy of a host of friends.

Bill Hall and family were guests at the W. A. Sharp home Sunday.

Ray Stanaford has a position in the Curtis school as teacher.

The singing at the home of J. N. Broyles Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Prof. Collins entertained the young people Saturday night with an entertainment. Misses Lillie Merrett and Velma Stanaford assisted Mr. and Mrs. Collins in making and serving candy.

Elfrethom Heights

Average price of building lots \$160.00 One-third cash, balance three and six months.

Elfrethom Heights offers limited amount of splendid home locations:

- Pure, Clear, Soft Water
- Shade trees
- Good soil for gardens and flowers
- Convenient location
- Excellent drainage and high elevation
- The natural beauty of Elfrethom Heights surpasses that of any section of Cisco.
- A number of choice lots available

NO OIL LEASES ON LOTS FOR SALE.

A LOOK MEANS A LOT

Center Of This Addition is 4500 Feet From Flag Pole on Avenue "D".

ELFRETHOM HEIGHTS CO.

CISCO, TEXAS.

Phone 168

Clean "Easy" Special Demonstration Sale

At all Grocers in Cisco

Saturday March 8th

Two bars FREE of charge with each two bar purchase which is giving 12c on this you four bars for 12c special introductory sale in this city Saturday.

Higginbotham Lumber Co.

Building Material

For Wall Board, Sash Doors and High Grade Building Material see

J. E. McCord,

Phone 172

MANAGER

Phone 172

A number of our young people went to Dan Horn Friday night to attend the box supper.

A. C. Alvey of Cisco was in Nimrod Tuesday on a trading expedition.

Grandma Munn who has been spending the winter with the children at Scranton has returned home.

A. B. Hall and Prof. Collins had business in Carbon last Wednesday and Thursday, and Ray Stanaford taught in Prof. Collins' place.

Miss Lillie Tucker spent from Friday until Monday with home folks at Pleasant Hill.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

The enrollment is constantly increasing but we have ample room for all who may come in during the remainder of this session.

Unders may enter after personal consultation with Principal of the Ward school, with the understanding that if crowded conditions make it necessary the unders will withdraw in favor of scholars.

Preliminary contests for Inter-scholastic meet will be held in City Hall Auditorium March 18, at this contest Cisco's contest in Declamation, debate and spelling will be selected.

Much interest is being manifest on part of the students in these contests as well as in the preparation for all Athletic events. The County meet will be held at Eastland this year on April 4th and 5th.

Everyone should attend the play to be given at the City Hall Monday and Tuesday nights, March 10 and 11th, this is a home talent production, staged by the noted actor, Mr. David Williams, who happens to be sojourning in our midst for a few weeks. Be sure to see "The Old Bachelor" Monday night. A play of real merit. Benefit of school library funds.

A gold wrist watch will be given as first prize to the student selling the most tickets for the play "An old Bachelor". This watch is a little beauty and is on display at the Jensen Jewelry Store.

Cisco Basket Ball teams are making quite a stir in the contests held this far. The finals for the Cisco, Scranton district will be held on the Cisco courts on Saturday March 15 Pleasant Hill boys and Dothan boys are Cisco's strongest opponents in this district.

The students of the High School building listened to quite an instructive lecture from the Armenian lecturer who visited Cisco last Monday night, after the lecture a voluntary collection was taken among the pupils for the Armenian relief fund which resulted as follows:

Senior Class	12.00
Junior Class	23.00
Sophomore Class	19.60
Freshman Class	17.00
Seventh Grade	4.20
Miss Berry's Sixth & Seventh	7.35
Miss Stockton's 5th and 6th	7.40
Mrs. Doty's Fifth	7.00
Miss Baten's fourth	15.00
Miss Manning's 4th	8.35
Total	\$122.57

For your baking use Oriole, Kimble Extry High, or Upper Ten Flour at your grocers. 42-1f.

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The policy of the Ford Motor Company to sell its cars for the lowest possible price, consistent with dependable quality, is too well known to require comment. Therefore, because of present conditions, there can be no change in the prices on Ford cars:

Runabout	\$566.33
Touring Car	592.36
Coupe	722.51
Sedan	852.67
Truck Chassis	609.31

These prices f. o. b. CISCO

R. W. Mancill Motor Co.

McCall's Fine Tailoring

The bright sunny days of spring will soon be here. All the earth puts on a new coat in the spring time. Fall in line with mother nature and follow her example of fine adornment for the season.

We have one of the prettiest lines of samples to select from, that was ever offered in this Country. Good dressers need no introduction to the celebrated Shain-Brun line.

A great many of our customers have received their spring suits already. We know how to measure you to give you a perfect fit.

Let us have your spring order and we confidently believe that you will pronounce it the most satisfactory that you have ever worn.

McCall's Fine Tailoring

Made-to-Measure Clothes.

HERE'S TO OUR HOMEFOLKS

We are pleased indeed to make announcement to you that plans have been drawn and accepted for our 2000-barrel refinery at Cisco, and that construction should begin by April 1st, on our 12-acre tract in the city.

It is more than ordinary pleasure to make this announcement, for war conditions forced us to delay building the refinery longer than we anticipated. Conditions now are comparatively stable, and materials can be bought.

However, while we were delayed on refinery plans, we made fairly good progress at drilling, and have one producing well at Ranger, another on the sand near the Melvin tract, the derrick up for another on the Barber tract and a location staked on the Hindman tract north west of Ranger.

The Hindman tract contains 25 acres. A well of the T. & P. Company that has flowed over the derrick is an offset. Other wells are near it, and it is practically proven that a lease is enough to guarantee almost unbelievable dividends.

About Our Refinery

Expert refinery engineers drew our plans, and they knew the possibilities of the process adopted. Their figures are conservative. The plant at capacity, using our own crudes, should net us over \$5,000 a day. If we bought crude, the net made would be over \$1,300 a day.

Be a Cisco Booster

We are boosters for Cisco. We believe in its future. We shall do all in our power to make a city here. Our refinery will go a long way in that direction. Give us your moral support. You'll not regret it when we develop into one of the leading producing and refining corporations of Texas. Take some stock if you can afford it.

New Stock Offered

A limited amount of stock is being offered to build the refinery. The price is \$1.25 a share. It's going fast. If you want some, speak for it today.

Very Sincerely Yours,

Beaver Valley Oil & Refining Co.,
L. W. Tarkenton, President.

LOOK FORWARD NOT BACKWARD

Will you sit and worry about the ravages of the War and the "Flu" while other young people prepare to meet the demand of Business? Training is the one thing that makes a difference between the executive and the man in overalls. We are entering a period in which business training is more necessary than ever. The next five years in this country will be the most progressive, prosperous and successful in our history. It will mean to you much or little in accordance with the manner you will be prepared to meet it. There will be no time to train the unskilled in the business office.

Business is already moving ahead by leaps and bounds. Every paper is carrying many advertisements for commercially trained help. A country wide investigation of Employment conditions, to get information as to the help in greatest demand, shows the following results: 1338 of 2445 advertisements for help specified a business training and 524 of the remaining 1107 advertisements were for positions that office assistants grow into. No other profession can claim one fifth as great a demand. In fact, this proves that there is a greater demand for business training than all other trades and professions combined. Are you passing up a Business Training and its wonderful opportunities to become a day laborer, house maid, department store clerk, telephone operator, factory hand, etc? Uncle Sam did not send untrained soldiers to France to win the war. Neither will American business men place untalented men and women in their stores, Banks, etc. to win in this great battle for business supremacy. If you want to work with the big men in business you must get a business education.

Remain as you are and you will occupy the same relative position ten years from now. Do not permit yourself to work under an unnecessary handicap all the rest of your life. Spend a few months with the Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, securing the training that means an opportunity to make a success of life. Do not permit any obstacle to stand in your way. Fit yourself for a life worth while. We have trained thirty thousand young people for business; we know how. We have helped solve others' problems that now confront you, so won't you let us help you? Look forward, enroll NOW in America's largest Commercial School for a thorough and practical course of Bookkeeping, Business Training, Shorthand Telegraphy, Penmanship, Cotton Marketing and Sampling and Business Administration and Finance. Fill in and mail for free catalogue. Positions secured.

Name _____
Address _____

MILITARY PUNISHMENT

A civilian investigating the question of military punishments approaches the subject with a point of view utterly different from that of the military man. An infraction of discipline which seems to one a trifling matter appears to the other of great importance and deserving severe punishment. The soldier must learn to obey instinctively. He must subordinate his own thoughts and wishes and personality to the word of command. An army moves as a unit, and it cannot do so unless every individual composing it is absolutely subject to discipline.

If your son refuses to pare potatoes when you ask him, you can reprimand him and refuse to serve him with potatoes at dinner, and the matter practically ends there. If your employe will not pare potatoes at your command you have only to discharge him and hire some one else who will be more accommodating, and the matter ends there.

But the soldiers' refusal to pare potatoes may be the little end of a wedge whose large end is the sacrifice of the lives of ten thousand men. The example of breach of discipline spreads rapidly. So the punishment must necessarily be far heavier in proportion than in civilian life.

DO THAN RAISED GOOD AMOUNT

Geo. L. Huesties was in from Dothan Monday and called at this office and reported that Dothan had raised \$68.51 for relief of the Armenians. This is a liberal contribution and Mr. Huesties, the chairman, is to be congratulated for the successful drive.

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Let a Round-Up want ad do for you.

WANTS RAILROAD

Breckenridge, Texas, Feb. 22.—The county seat of Stephens County so suddenly sprung from a struggling town of 500 to 2,000 or 2,500, wants connection with the outside world by rail. Two years ago the population was dwindling because of the drought; now five millionaires live here.

Propositions for a railroad are now pending between Cisco and Breckenridge and between Eastland and Breckenridge.

Breckenridge is listening to both proposals and will do its share in consummating either. For above all else, Breckenridge must have a railroad.

Eastland capital aided, it is said by Wichita Falls, offers to build through Breckenridge and the heart of the Stephens County oil fields on to New Castle. At the latter point a connection would be made with a line already in operation to Wichita Falls. Eastland also proposes to build southward connecting Mangum with the Texas Central and thereby giving Eastland a railroad from the Burk Burnett territory on through the Stephens pool to the De Leon-Gorman wells.

As one Breckenridge banker expresses it:

"Breckenridge must have a railroad, no matter whether it comes from Cisco or Eastland.

"We are in favor of the town that will put up money for building a railroad—not for making surveys only."

Incidentally it is pointed out that a railroad from Mineral Wells or an interurban or railway from Ft. Worth through Stephens County would save much valuable territory for Fort Worth. The north and the south oil belt railway may divert much of this trade and traffic.

Breckenridge now gets its mail by auto from Eastland and its freight overland from Cisco and Albany. Before the Stephens oil pool was opened, freight was hauled from Albany to Breckenridge for 35 cents per 100. Only last month the rate went as high as \$1.35. This advance in price was due partly of course to the condition of the roads and the bad weather.

From Main Street in Breckenridge one can now count eight oil wells in the surrounding hills and most of them are gushers! It's hardly a stone's throw from the Breckenridge courthouse to the heart of the big gusher field.

Yet Breckenridge is thirty miles from the nearest railroad, it hasn't a telegraph office but it has five millionaires an increasing population and a rapidly enriching citizenship.

Breckenridge has laid plans to meet its new civic responsibilities and the first of these plans is the calling of an election on incorporation March 18.

IF YOU MISS IT

You will miss it, on page four in next weeks issue. 44c

IS NO. 11 HOODOO FOR EX-KAISER BILL? THE BIBLE IS AGAINST HIM

Paris, France.—Here is a new discovery of prophecy bearing on the ex-kaiser which is now passing from mouth to mouth in Paris.

Remembering that the armistice became effective at 11:00 a. m. on November 11, turn to the eleventh book in the Bible, which is the Second Book of Kings, and find in the eleventh chapter thereof the eleventh verse; this reads:

"Wherefore the Lord said unto Solomon, Forasmuch as this is done of thee and thou hast not kept my covenant and my statutes which I have commanded thee, I will surely rend thy kingdom from thee, and will give it to thy servant."

All of which would appear to indicate that eleven was the unlucky number surely pointing to the fate of William Hohenzollern.

One wag remarked, "Eleven has spelled '23' for Kaiser Bill."



Willard SERVICE STATION

We test, repair and recharge storage batteries and always carry a full supply of battery parts, new batteries and rental batteries.

Batteries? Only One for Me

If you saw batteries every day as I do you'd say the same, and your choice—like mine—would be Willard every time.

You'd know—as I do—that every Willard Battery is built to give full battery value for every penny that's paid for it—that every piece of insulation, every plate, every jar, is known to be right before it leaves the factory.

We keep a complete stock of Willard Batteries—and can supply a new one fully charged and ready for use on your car. If you need battery repairs, we'll furnish you with a rental battery, so that your car can be kept constantly in service.

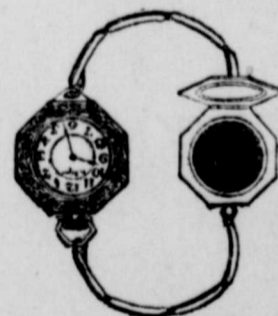
CISCO BATTERY CO.

Tan-No-More

THE SKIN BEAUTIFIER

The most scientific and most wonderful facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful in appearance and pleasing in effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use restores a faultless complexion. Tinted: White and Flesh. All dealers, 25c, 50c and \$1.00, or sent post paid on receipt of price. Sample for the asking.

BAKER-WHEELER MANUFACTURING COMPANY DALLAS, TEXAS



An Ideal Place

FOR YOUR

IDEAL'S PICTURE

THE NEW

Watch-Locket BRACELET

America's women have accepted this newest novelty as the ideal place for the soldier or sailor-lad's picture. Its popularity has been instantaneous and you must have one.

Their cost is but a tiny bit compared to the great treasure they hold.

On sale at our store only in this town.

Dean Drug Company



"Splitting Headaches"

There is no illness that is a source of greater discomfort than headache. Women, men and children alike are subject to this unpleasant affliction. To secure relief from Headaches, Backache, Neuralgia, or any severe aches or pains, DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS have no equal.

"There is nothing in the world any better for Headache than DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS. I surely advise all who suffer from any ache or pain to take these pills."
MISS JESSIE McMILLAN, Connellsville, Pa.

These wonderful little tablets contain no habit-forming drug—nor produce ill after effects. When used according to directions they produce almost instant relief. Ask your druggist for DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS—these effective tablets have been growing in favor for more than 30 years. Cost only a few cents a box.



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DR. MILES' Anti-Pain Pills
FOR RELIEF OF PAIN

The Round-Up office has a stock of stationery which will be closed out at cost. We are needing the office space and will discontinue this line. People who desire to get this up-to-date stationery at cost may do so until the stock is closed out.

- Boxes that sold for 75c now..... 50c
- Boxes that sold for \$1.00 now..... 70c
- Boxes that sold for \$1.50 now..... 95c
- Other priced accordingly.

We want to close out this stock within the next ten days. This stock is offered cheaper than we can buy it at wholesale now.—The Round-Up Printing Co.

Wanted:—Two bright girls between the ages of 17 and 22 who are permanently located to learn telephone operating. Must have grammar school education and prepared to enter our school at once. Apply to manager or chief operator—The Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company. 41 ff

All Smoking Tobaccos are Flavored

"Your Nose Knows"

The Encyclopaedia Britannica says about the manufacture of smoking tobacco, "... on the Continent and in America certain 'sauces' are employed... the use of the 'sauces' is to improve the flavour and burning qualities of the leaves."

Your smoke-enjoyment depends as much upon the Quality and kind of flavoring used as upon the Quality and aging of the tobacco.

Tuxedo tobacco uses the purest, most wholesome and delicious of all flavorings—chocolate! That flavoring, added to the finest of carefully aged and blended burley tobacco, produces Tuxedo—the perfect tobacco—

"Your Nose Knows."



Try This Test: Rub a little Tuxedo briskly in the palm of your hand to bring out its full aroma. Then smell it deep—its delicious, pure fragrance will convince you. Try this test with any other tobacco and we will let Tuxedo stand or fall on your judgment—"Your Nose Knows."

Tuxedo
The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

THIS TELLS HOW TO FIGURE INCOME TAX

Squarely Up to Every Individual to Get Busy by March 15 or Suffer Penalty.

"Don't wait until the final due date, March 15th, for paying your Income Tax and making your return. Avoid the last minute rush. Any person can figure out his liability today as well as he can next week, and if there is any point on which he needs advice he can now get in touch with a Revenue man."

This word of advice is from Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, who is collecting the Income Tax in Texas. Collector Walker is giving without charge every aid of his office and his enlarged field force to help the people get their payments and their returns in by March 15th.

But the Income Tax men will not pull your door-bell or your coat-tails, according to the Collector's announcement. It is squarely up to every individual to figure out his own case and to get busy if he comes within the scope of the new Revenue law.

Did You Earn This Much?

Every unmarried person who received income averaging \$19.25 a week during 1918 and every married couple who jointly received income averaging \$38.50 a week should secure at once from the nearest Deputy Collector or the nearest bank a blank Form 1040 A. That form contains the information he will need to enable him to figure his correct net income and any tax that he owes the Government.

The law requires that every unmarried person who had a net income of \$1,000 or over and every married person whose net income was \$2,000 or over (including the income of husband or wife, and the earnings of minor children, if any) must make a return on or before March 15th. And this requirement does not hinge on whether the person owes a tax.

Taxable Income.

An individual must include under gross income all gains, profits and income derived from salaries, wages, or compensation for personal service of whatever kind and in whatever form paid, or from professions, vocations, business, sales or dealings in property of all kinds, interest, rent, dividends, or profits derived from any source whatever. Very few items of income are exempt.

Deductions include ordinary and necessary business expenses, interest paid or accrued on indebtedness, taxes of all kinds except Federal income and excess profits taxes and assessments for local benefits, losses actually sustained, debts ascertained to be worthless, and depreciation on buildings, machinery, fixtures, etc., used in business. A further deduction is allowed for contributions to corporations operated for religious, charitable, scientific or educational purposes or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of the taxpayer's net income as computed without the benefit of the contribution deduction.

The taxpayer is not allowed to deduct any personal, living or family expense, any amount spent for improving property, or any expense of restoring property or making good its exhaustion for which an allowance is claimed under depreciation.

Figuring the Tax.

Before figuring the normal tax the dividends are deducted as credits from net income, together with the personal exemption. As in previous years, dividends of domestic corporations are exempt from normal tax when received by the stockholder.

The normal tax rates for citizens and residents are as follows: On the first \$1,000 of net income in excess of the credits the rate is 6 per cent; on any further taxable income the rate is 12 per cent.

The surtax rates apply to net income of each individual in excess of \$5,000. The personal exemption and the dividends are not deductible before computing surtax. In the case of returns by husband and wife, the net income of each is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Form 1040 should be used for making returns of net income exceeding \$5,000, and the instructions on that form will show how to figure the surtax.

Business House Returns.

Employers and others who paid wages, salaries, rents, interest or similar determinable gains in an amount of \$1,000 or over during 1918 to any person must file an information return with the Government. Blanks may be secured from the Collector.

Every partnership must file a return showing its income and deductions and the name and address of each partner, with his share of the profits or losses during the past year. Personal service corporations will file similar information for 1918.

* INCOME TAX PAYS *
* FOR PUBLIC BENEFITS. *
* "Viewed in its largest and *
* truest sense, the payment of *
* taxes is payment for benefits *
* received or expected. Only from *
* a narrow and essentially selfish *
* and shortsighted viewpoint can *
* the individual propose to him- *
* self the evasion of tax liability *
* as a desirable course of action." *
* —Daniel C. Roper, Commission- *
* er of Internal Revenue. *

Most men carry loose change about them. It's easy to spend that way.

But you don't care for a jingle in your jeans if you have a well-filled War Savings Certificate in your inside pocket.

You can get more pleasure out of War Savings Stamps than you can by throwing money away.

The jingle sounds good, but the filled War Savings Certificate feels better.

Buy 'em, try 'em.
W. S. S.



PIGS IN POKES

It is an American characteristic to shout when you win but never cheep when you lose. More's the pity.

And shrewd stock swindlers have made the most of it.

If only ten per cent of the victims who have traded their Liberty Bonds for worthless stocks in wild cat companies alone were to tell the country of their losses it would discourage this sort of bartering.

But they will never do it. The man who is stung the hardest is the least likely to admit it. He simply grins and bears it.

Meantime thousands of Liberty Bond owners are considering surrendering their 3 1/2, 4 and 4 1/4 certainties for neatly printed and highly illuminated certificates that are 90 per cent pipe dreams.

Nine times out of ten these gulls are the small investors, the fellows who can the least afford to lose.

There is some excuse for the man who lives in a developing oil field and sees and knows what is being done investing in a promoting company there.

But there is no apology to be made for the man who invests at long range. Who never sees what he is dumping his money into. Who takes only a salesman's word. Who, above all, trades in a Liberty Bond for a stock certificate.

Keep your bonds. They're an investment, not a speculation.

"DOLLAR TALK"

War Savings Stamps make the flat pocket-book to rejoice.

Have enough sand to hold on to the slippery dollar. Get War Savings Stamps.

Ever see a crawfish walk? It goes backward! Financially speaking, are you going backward or forward? Buy War Savings Stamps and go forward.

The road to success is as short as the way to the post-office or your bank, where War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps are sold. Save and succeed!

Thrift is power! Acquire power by the W. S. S. route.

Get ready for the big opportunity! Save now!

Every little bit added to what you have makes just a little bit more. Buy W. S. S.

Clip the wings on your dollars. Invest in War Savings Stamps.

If you take care of your money now it will take care of you later. Buy War Savings Stamps.

The way to wealth is as short as the way to your bank or Postoffice or wherever War Savings Stamps are sold. The 1919 issue is blue in color and bears the likeness of Benjamin Franklin, who had wealth in his old age because he learned to save early in life. War Savings Stamps will show you how easy and sensible it is to get the Thrift Habit. Buy one every chance, and watch your savings grow. W. S. S. pay 4% interest, compounded quarterly.

Fancy Correspondence Stationery At Cost At Round-Up Office

Some young lady may get part time employment at Round-Up Office, and if quick to learn business, may have permanent position on full time.

OIL MAPS

SPECIAL LAYOUTS, PROSPECTUS WORK
ENGINEERING & ARCHITECTURAL
DRAFTING BLUE PRINTING

Cisco Map & Blue Print Co.
CISCO, TEXAS.

Office Second Floor 2 Doors West Cisco Banking Co's
New Building.

Fruit Trees and Shrubs

The coming of peace, the falling of abundant rain, and the great Promise of the Future of Texas make this the best and most appropriate time to plant fruit trees, berries, pecans and ornamentals we have had in several years.

LEONA AND SMITH PEACHES, HAUPST BERRIES, BUDDED PECANS, HARDY, CLIMATE PROOF NATIVE TEXAS FLOWERING SHRUBS

On these and many other kinds and varieties we will stake our reputation. Plans made for planting home grounds or parks. Write for any information in our line. Catalog free.

THE AUSTIN NURSERY

F. T. Ramsey & Son.

100 Acres, Austin, Texas. Established 1875

Invest in a Woodstock typewriter. F. E. Shepard

MRS. ADA BROWN

Experienced Manicurist

For Ladies and Gentlemen.

Pleasing and Satisfactory Service.

With Frank Warren's Barber Shop
Next Door to Post Office



why
is the
kettle
on my
tail?

\$200.00 Cash Prizes for the best answers

You never saw me, folks, did you, without the famous kettle on my tail? Everybody wonders why it's there. Well I've never told the secret yet, but now I'm going to give everybody who reads this ad a chance to guess it, and at the same time win one of a number of liberal cash prizes. Come one, come all—Help solve the great mystery.

Here's how to win:

There's no string on this contest. If interested in horses or mules to send in an answer. All I ask you don't use more than 100 words and that you be sure to mention "Kettle on my Tail" in your answer. Prizes are always packed. Don't be afraid—come on in! The best answers take less of fancy handwriting. Plain as on a post card. Name plainly, and name of your feed.

Guess on or before **Friday, May 2nd**. That is selected it specially. Prize feed, Purina Soy Owner 25¢ of feed.

Send your answer straight to me (and bur- 17) addressed to:

R. H. BOON
Local Distributor
CISCO, TEXAS

PHONE 431

F. Brasher

Lin, Hay, and Field Seed

Daniels' Old Stand

Unbroke Built-In Bath Tub

Our stock of Plumbing goods is arriving one of the most complete stocks in the city to select from. Come in and select your room fixtures and accessories while you have a good variety to select from.

SEE THAT KITCHETTE SINK
A Marvel of Beauty

RANKLIN PLUMBING CO.

PAY AND FILE INCOME TAX BEFORE MAR. 15

U. S. Internal Revenue Bureau Gives Warning That Severe Penalties Will Be Enforced.

WOMEN WITHIN LAW'S SCOPE; HOW THEY REPORT INCOME

The Income Tax drive comes to a close on Saturday night, March 15.

All payments and returns due on that date under the provisions of the new Revenue Law must be in the hands of local Internal Revenue Collectors before their offices close that night.

The Income Tax is being collected to meet the war expenses. Every person who shouted and tooted his horn on Armistice Day is now called upon to contribute his share of the cost of winning the war.

The laggards and the dodgers will face severe fines and jail sentences. The Internal Revenue Bureau announces that its officers will check us all up to see that every person who comes within the scope of the Income Tax law did his share.

Where to Pay and File.

Residents of Texas are required to make their returns and pay their taxes to Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin, Tex., or to deputy collectors who are now doing free advisory work on Income Tax.

Payments sent by mail should be attached to the returns and should be in the form of check, money order or draft. Cash payments by mail are sent at the taxpayer's risk of loss.

If you are unable to make your return personally because of illness, absence or incapacity, an agent or legal representative may make your return.

If there are any doubtful points as to your items of income or allowable deductions, you should get in touch at once with a Revenue officer or a banker for advice.

Women Pay Tax.

Women are subject to all the requirements of the Income Tax. Whether single or married, a woman's income from all sources must be considered.

If unmarried, or if living apart from her husband, she must make her return for 1918 if her net income was \$1,000 or over.

If married and living with her husband, her income must be considered with the husband's in determining the liability for a return. Their joint income, less the credits allowed by law, is subject to normal tax. The wife's net income is considered separately in computing any surtax that may be due. Husband and wife file jointly, as a rule. If the husband does not include his wife's income in his return, the wife must file a separate return.

Severe Penalties.

The new Revenue Law places severe penalties on a person who fails to make return on time, refuses to make return or renders a fraudulent return. For failure to make return and pay tax on time a fine of not more than \$1,000 is named, and 25 per cent of the tax due is added to the assessment. For refusing willfully to make return, or for making a false or fraudulent return there is a fine of not exceeding \$10,000 and imprisonment of not exceeding one year, or both.

Farmers' Income Taxable.

Every farmer and ranchman who had a fair or a good year in 1918 must heed the Income Tax this year. He must consider all his income as taxable. He is entitled to deduct from his gross income all amounts expended in carrying on his farm. The cost of farm machinery, farm buildings and improvements cannot be deducted. The cost of live stock, either for resale or for breeding purposes, is also regarded as investment.

Overtime and Bonuses Taxed.

Salary and wage earners must consider as taxable every item received from employers and from other sources. Bonuses and overtime pay are to be reported, as well as the regular payments.

Allowances for Losses.

Losses sustained in 1918 and not covered by insurance are deductible items if incurred in the taxpayer's business or trade. In any transaction undertaken for profit, or arising from fire, storm, shipwreck or other casualty, or from theft.

SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERY INCOME TAX PAYER

Washington, D. C. — "The rights of all persons now filing Income Tax returns are amply protected by provisions for abatements, refunds and appeals," says Commissioner Daniel C. Roper.

"Every person can be sure of a square deal. No person is expected to pay more than his share of tax. His share is determined solely by the amount and nature of his net income for 1918, as defined in the law. "Abatement petitions are dealt with open-mindedly. Refunds will be made in every case where too much tax is erroneously collected.

"The Income Tax is 'on the level' all the way through."

THAT WHEAT GUARANTEE

Because of his price guarantee of \$2.25 a bushel Uncle Sam stands to lose from 50 cents to a dollar on every bushel of wheat harvested this year. Having made this guarantee to the farmer he will make it good That is Uncle Sam's way.

But what is the Farmer going to do for Uncle Sam in the Victory Liberty Loan?

Europe is buying wheat right now from the big accumulations of the last two or three years in Argentine and Australia at something like \$1.50 a bushel.

Without the government guarantee the American farmer would be getting no more than his price now. And be doing well at that.

If he is to retain the respect of the American public, if he is to continue to be regarded as the backbone of the nation, he must do his part in this next bond issue.



Read what these patriots and sports said when asked what they were going to do in the Victory Loan Campaign. These are extracts from letters received from Liberty Loan chairmen by Frank M. Smith, Federal District Director of the War Loan Organization at Dallas.

"After having put through our loans with the last one 159 percent in excess of our quota, do you think that we sound like a bunch that would lay down and not finish the job? When you are ready for us to shoot, give us the 'high sign' and then watch us bring home the bacon."

Yours truly,

(Signed) FRANK M. HAYNER, Chairman Dona Ana Co., N. M.

"Replying to yours of the 12th inst., beg to advise that it is with pleasure that I consent to stay in the harness until the job is completed, let that be one year or twenty, should I last so long.

I am at your service until you are through with me."

Yours to serve,

(Signed) R. T. CORRELL, Ochiltree.

"I am glad to be in position to assure you that Baylor County people are very patriotic, but we have been suffering from the droughts for three years and would kindly ask that our quota be made as low as possible. Our people have gone their limit every time, will do it again to finish the work.

"Several Baylor County boys were lost on the front, among them my eldest son, who was in the 36th Division. My second son is still in France, so the work will not be complete until the boys are all home, and Peace is established throughout the land."

(Signed) G. B. MORRIS, Chairman, Baylor County, Texas, Liberty Loan Organization.

DON'T SELL YOUR LIBERTY BONDS

Your Government asks you not to sell these unless you have to. To part with your Liberty Bonds means giving up your pledge of patriotism and citizenship. Liberty Bonds will be worth much more money presently and it is good business to hold them. If you must sell, go to a banker and let him give you information and advice. Do not sell to just anyone, who may not treat you fairly.

Cisco Professional Directory

DR. W. E. CHANEY

DENTIST

Successor to

Dr. C. C. Jones

Office over Dean Drug Co.

Phone 98

J. W. LITTLE

DENTIST

Office over Red Front Drug Store

Cisco, Texas.

All Work Guaranteed First Class.

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R. S. GLENN

ARCHITECT

PHONE 28

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Res. Phone 3
Office Phone 176

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Res. Phone 223
Office Phone 176

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The best of work done, and better service will be our motto.

SHELLY BOSTEN, M. D.

Specialty on diseases of women and children

Office: 221-C, H. Fleming.

If you want to buy or sell City property. See Cisco Land Co. 42-1f

Setting Eggs! Selected eggs from heavy laying strain R. I. Reds \$1.00 per setting. Phone 231—C. H. Fleming.

(41-4t)

ATTENTION! Right, Dress!

Men returning home from U. S. Army Service will find our new Spring Styles in the Ed V. Price clothing pleasing and satisfying.

Prices range from \$24.00 to \$70.00

We want and appreciate your business.

C. B. POWELL
"THE TAILOR"

DENNMAN & ASBERRY

Successors to
BOYD MARKET

A good place to buy your meats.

PHONE 203

L. C. Kirkpatrick of Stanton is in Cisco this week looking after oil interests.

Wanted: Two furnished house-keeping rooms by March the first. Address J. C. Porter, Cisco, Texas.

If you want to buy or sell City property. See Cisco Land Co. 42-1f

Let us clean the carbon out of your motor, by modern method, no tearing down of motor, 50¢ per cylinder. —Bostick Garage & Machine Shop. 42-43c.

spelled '23' Bill."

GET IN STEP

Suppose that we go to LaRoques Confectionery and News Stand. It is the place for people who enjoy clean, rich, quality drinks, any kind.

If you are wanting a certain magazine get it at LaRoques He has them all, daily papers too.

The minute you step into this place you get SERVICE. Make it a habit of visiting LaRoques, the unique store.

LaRoque Confectionery and News Stand.

UP-TO-THE-MINUTE FOUNTAIN SERVICE



LEASES: List your leases with us for sale.—Waco Oil Exchange. 6t

For Sale: New five room bungalow—H. L. Winchell. 1t

A ROUND-UP want ad gets desired results.

For Sale:—One new Royal typewriter. Call Cisco Steam Laundry, Phone 138. 41tf

For Rent:—Two ware rooms in same block with City Hall. Phone or see W. B. Starr. 1t

Have the price, you can buy—L. B. Platt, 705 Sumpter St., Dallas, Texas.

For Results:—List your property with Cisco Land Co.—H. E. Carter Manager.

Residence Property For Sale. Several dwelling and some residence lots, all close in. Well located—Lee Owen.

WANTED Furnished or unfurnished light house keeping rooms. Notify this office.

For Sale:—Singer Sewing machines, discount for cash or long time, and liberal terms. See me at Neel's Tailor Shop, phone 300. J. C. Neal. 4t

Real Estate Wanted:—We are selling Real Estate, if you have some to sell and at the right price we will get results.—Cisco Land Co.—H. E. Carter, Manager.

FEED:—Cotton seed meal, and mixed feed, coco meal just arrived at E. G. Brasher's feed store, phone 431.

For Sale:—Four room house and lot on West 4th street. Close in—apply to J. C. Walker at Cisco Steam Laundry. 40tf

house keeping rooms. Notify this office.

Wanted: To communicate with someone who is well acquainted in Cisco and has about \$300.00 to join with me in opening a new tailoring business, experience not necessary, want man who can and will get the business. I have had fourteen years experience.—S. H. Coleman, Plainview, Texas. 42-44c

Cisco Land Co., for Bargains in City Property. 42tf

Dodge truck for sale. Call Cisco Steam Laundry, Phone 138. 41tf

COW FEED:—Cotton seed meal, and cake, and mixed feed, coco meal just received at E. G. Brasher's feed store, phone 431.

Wanted:—Men and boys in Kean's store to see the new hats, caps, Shirts and Ties. 43-4t

Notice:—I have 75 acres of land in section 33; 20 acres in section 39, 5 acres near Ranger. I want to lease this land with a drilling contract. Parties interested call or write me.—Fred Mueller, Eastland, Texas. 43-4tp

FOR SALE: 6 room house near creamery. \$2250.00 gives possession Sept. first. 80 acres unimproved land and one quarter royalty 2 miles from the Brown well \$1800.00 for land and royalty will not sell separately. 90 acres improved farm 4 1-2 miles east of Cisco with 1-2 royalty, sell together only, for \$3800.00. 640 acres land 2 1-2 miles from Sierra Blanco Texas, \$3.00 per acre bonus state debt \$1.51.—G. W. Troxell, Owner.

For Sale:—Almost new wood cook stove and second hand oil stove.—Mrs. Jack Winston. 1t

Lost:—Ladies purse on 4th St., containing one \$5.00 bill and one silver dollar. Finder return to Mrs. R. D. Vanderford, phone 197. 44x

For Sale:—Good Jersey Milch cow for sale, now in milk.—Mrs. Henry Benham, phone 147 11tp

Wanted: Position as stenographer in Cisco, can use short-hand. Address Oneta Vanderford, care of National Business College, Abilene, Texas. 1tc

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For Sale: Mahogany Jacob Doll \$400.00 piano with bench in good shape. Will sell for \$225.00, liberty bonds or good note. Phone 425 Mrs. W. L. Harrell. 44x

For Sale or Trade: Six brood mares and one jack.—G. H. Snyder Romney, Texas. 44-49x

Wanted: Position as saleslady by amiable young lady with high school education. Address this office in care of 44 46 x.

Lost: Sunday either on the streets of Cisco or on the road between Cisco and Putnam black purse containing soldiers discharge certificate. Finder will please return to Sgt. C. E. Yates, at Red Front drug Store and receive reward.

Found: Patent leather hand purse. Pay for this ad and get same at this office.

Wanted To buy:—hens and spring chickens. Will pay 1 cent above market price.—Savoy Cafe. 1t

FOR SALE:—Buffet, kitchen cabinet and baby go-cart. Phone 123 44c



CISCO LODGE NO. 196 KNIGHT OF PYTHIAS will meet in regular session at 8 o'clock Friday night. Work in rank of Esquire. Visiting members are cordially invited. Wm. H. MAYHEW, C. C. J. C. EPLER, K. R. & S.

LONGER HOURS AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE

The Union Telegraph office will be open now from eight o'clock in the morning to eight at night. This will be a great convenience to the public.

HOLD ON

To next weeks paper until you see page four. 44c

THE "FIX IT" MAN

Should be on the job at your home

If you are planning to have modern conveniences installed suppose you figure with us, see what we have and kind of material we furnish, and remember that when we do plumbing or sell you anything it is reliable and will be put in right.

GARDEN TIME NEAR

You can water a bigger garden on less money by buying your garden hose from us. **GAS RANGES** and **GAS HEATERS** all sizes all varieties on display.

Jno. C. Sherman

Cisco's Oldest Plummer

Cisco,

Texas

E. V. Graham of Odessa has been spending this week in the city looking after the business at his store. Mr. Graham expects to move to Cisco some time soon, but stated to a Round-Up reporter that he wanted to help build some good roads in his county before leaving it. He is now county judge of his county.

P. P. Barber of near Eastland was in the city Tuesday visiting with his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Daniels. Mr. Barber contemplates locating in Cisco. He has some very valuable oil lands in the Ranger field and expects to make a sale some time soon, then will move here if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

J. H. McGillis one of Cisco's live wire oil brokers made a trip to Gorman and surrounding country the first of the week, and reports that the Eppler well which was rumored as being ruined with salt water, is now making as high grade oil as any in the field, and that as a result several car loads of derrick timber and supplies were arriving in Gorman and that many other wells had been contracted, work to be started immediately.

Vice President Levi Ogle, Jim E. Howard Sec. Treasurer and directors Jay L. Ayres, T. M. Clauder, S. J. Dess and Judge Thomas, C. Tripp of Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas who are connected with the Beaver Val-

ley Oil and Refining Co. of Cisco are in the city this week to spend a few days in the Cisco and Ranger Oil fields, while they are here the contract will be let for the new \$200,000 Beaver Valley Refinery to be located in Cisco.

Messrs B. F. Robey and Jess Pearce who have headquarters in Coleman were in Cisco Wednesday making a tour of the Mid Texas oil fields. Mr. Robey and Mr. Pearce have valuable holdings in both leases and royalties in Coleman and Callahan counties, and are buying and selling while making the trip through the oil center.

Imperial Oil & Development Co.

HOME OFFICE: CISCO, EASTLAND COUNTY, TEXAS.

OFFICERS

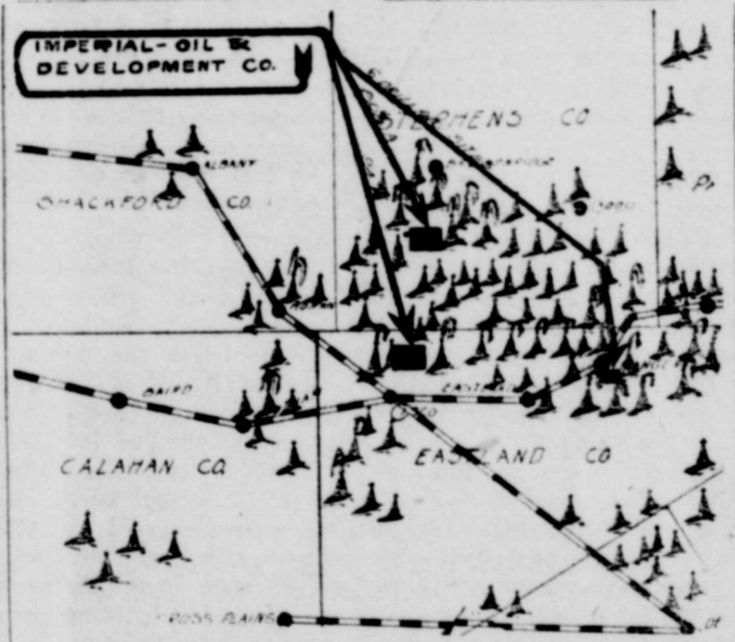
E. R. WOLCOTT, Stanton, President

A. H. DARNELL, Cisco, Vice President and General Manager.

W. E. PONDER, Cisco, Sec. and Atty.

S. L. ESTES, Cisco, Treasurer.

The Imperial Oil & Development Co. has for its aims and purposes the development of oil lands in Eastland and adjoining counties. It is strictly a development company and not a speculative one, dealing in lands and leases from a speculative standpoint.



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E. R. WOLCOTT, Stanton.

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W. C. HOUSTON, Stanton.

S. A. SAULS, Ranger.

H. MARCHBANKS, Abilene.

E. T. JONES, Cisco.

OUR HOLDINGS

Our holdings at present are: Six drilling sites in Ranger, Texas, surrounded by big gushing wells, and it is the intention of the Company to drill four wells thereon and when these four wells are complete the company should be worth many times its capital stock.

We also have 80 1-2 acres in the Famous Oil Field in Stephens County, surrounded by big gushing wells. This holding alone is worth more than the stock issued for sale.

We also have 84 acres three miles N. E. of Cisco, in Eastland County, and considered by the geologist to be as good for oil production as any of the big oil fields, and there are at present several wells being drilled near this land by the big oil companies and we expect to get big results from this land.

We are confining our operations strictly to the proven oil fields and not doing any wildcat prospecting, at the same time our holdings should make every stockholder in the company many times his investment.

Our capital stock is \$300,000, but we have issued only 75,000 shares for sale at \$1.25 per share. The stock is offered for the purpose of developing the holdings, we have, which are in the proven field, and all the money we get for stock sales goes to push the drilling to get oil.

The Imperial has a reserve in treasury stock of One Hundred Thousand Shares, after these 75,000 shares are sold, and guarantees to hold these shares in reserve if oil is found in the above two wells drilled, to be used as the share buyers shall say, either to be killed and the Dividend basis to be on \$200,000.00 instead of the above \$300,000.00 capitalization, or to be pro-rated among the share holders of the Imperial without cost to them, or used to build a Refinery with. If pro-rated among the shareholders of the Imperial the share holders will receive 33 1-3 per cent more stock issued to them than they bought in the Company. If a Refinery is built, the share holders will receive dividends from this as well as from the Oil in the Pipe Lines of the Imperial.

Not a single company has ever lost any money in the Ranger oil field and there have been millions made. Money will make money if you will put it into the oil industry. When all the world is asking for more oil, can you think of an investment that will bring surer and larger profits? E. H. Harriman said: "One good investment is worth the savings of a lifetime."

Each shareholder shall participate in all wells drilled on any of the company's holdings, or any holdings the company may acquire.

Our derrick is now completed at Ranger and we expect to begin drilling operations as soon as we can place material on the ground, which the Wagner Supply Co., Ranger, say will be by the 15th of March or as soon as possible.

We desire to inform the public that we are not selling in only one well, our holdings are sufficient for the operation of 50 wells, and the shareholders of the Imperial shall participate in each and every well.

The Imperial guarantees to set aside 75 per cent of all money received from each and every well into a dividend fund to be paid to the shareholders in dividends every 30 days, and also to set aside the balance, 25 per cent of all money from each and every well, less the actual running expenses of the company into a development fund for the purpose of drilling other wells on our holdings free of any cost to the shareholders.

Imperial Oil and Development Company, Box 296, Cisco, Texas.

Enclosed find \$..... for shares of stock at \$1.25 per share. It is understood that each shareholder of the Imperial shall participate in all the holdings of the company, and also receive dividends from each and every well owned by the company. That the stock of the Imperial is non-assessable and no demands can be made on any shareholder thereof.

Name
Address

Prescriptions,

while only a part of our business as UP TO DATE DRUGGISTS, is our most careful concern. You may be sure that in filling your prescription, we shall take the greatest precautions and that the prescription will be accurately and correctly filled by a REGISTERED PHARMACIST.

We carry an unusually complete line of TOILET ARTICLES, Perfumes, Soaps, Hand Lotions, Patent Medicines of Proved worth, Sanitary Supplies, Etc.

Try our SODA FOUNTAIN these hot days. PURE SYRUPS AND HOME MADE ICE CREAM.

RED FRONT DRUG STORE

Cisco, Texas

H. C. ROMINGER & COMPANY

Cisco, Texas Dealer and Hardware and Implements Roofing Iron

Established Over 30 Years.

WE WANT YOUR BUSINESS

Queensware, Glassware and Stoves,
Firearms, Cutlery, Pipe-fittings,
Miners' Supplies, Automobile
Supplies.

Blacksmith Coal, Builders' Hardware,
Field Fencing, Hay Presses, Binders,
Mowers, Rakes, Buggies and
Wagons.

Local and Personal Mention

Judge J. E. Hickman of Dublin was in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Poe are spending the week in Kansas City.

WHO IS WHO

Read page four next week. 44c

Fancy Stationery at cost at Round-Up office.

Buy lots now in Elfrethom Heights while prices are low. 1tc

W. F. St. John of Eastland was in the city Wednesday.

R. M. Ryder made a business trip to Ranger and Strawn this week.

Ladies, see the new Silks at Keans 43-4f

WHEN A MAN IS A MAN

See page four next week. 44c

Mr. Babb made a business trip to Dallas this week.

J. E. Spencer of Carbon was in Cisco Wednesday on business.

Stuart Williams of Abilene was in Cisco with home folk Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Butts is in Austin, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Henry Wilson of Wichita Falls has been visiting in the city the guest of relatives.

Dr. E. W. Kimble of Gorman was a business visitor in Cisco Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Davenport and Miss Thelma Bedford of Eastland were in Cisco Wednesday shopping.

Come to Elfrethom Heights and escape the dust storms. 1tc

The Columbus Grafonolas are the best-backed by established reputation. The Electric Shop, opposite Daniels Hotel.

FIND IT

On page four next week. 44c

Columbia Grafonolas and Records. The Electric Shop, opposite Daniels Hotel.

Bill McDonald of Ranger is home with his father J. H. McDonald this week with the flu.

The latest Columbia Records—large assortment. The Electric Shop opposite Daniels Hotel.

L. D. Stanford was in from the Nimrod community Monday and called at this office.

Chas. Mayhew who is attending a business college in Fort Worth is at home for a few days.

Mrs. C. O. Terrell of Ranger was the guest of Mrs. John H. Garner Wednesday.

J. F. Montgomery of Mount Pleasant, Texas was in Cisco for a few days on business.

Old papers to go under rugs and matting 5 and 10 cents at this office.

Buy your lots now in Elfrethom Heights before prices advance. 1tc

Mrs. R. Q. Lee left Tuesday for Fort Worth and Dallas to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson of Eastland were the guests of relatives in this city Sunday.

You may have a box of that fancy stationery that sold for \$1.50 for 95c at Round-Up office.

Mrs. A. J. Ward has returned from a short visit in Dublin with relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Fee left Thursday for Boyd to be with her father, who is in feeble health.

G. B. Kelly left last Sunday for the eastern markets to purchase his stock of spring and summer dry goods.

Elfrethom Heights will have clear soft, deep well water.

CISCO

Will wait for next week and read page four. 44c

Clear, sparkling water in Elfrethom Heights. No mud chains necessary. 1tc

C. R. Lancaster, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, had business in Eastland Wednesday.

Elisha Roper of near Ranger has been spending a few days in the city on business.

Mose Johnson who has been in Arizona for some few months has returned to Cisco to make his home.

Elfrethom Heights soil will grow any and all kinds of flowers and vegetables. 1tc

Mr. Clayton Powell, office manager for Spencer Brothers made a business trip to Eastland Saturday.

Mrs. Grover Ellis has returned from a stay of several weeks in Temple with relatives.

Miss Sarah Maude Benham, who is attending the S. M. U. at Dallas was at home for the week end.

Buy several boxes of that fancy stationery at Round-Up office while it is cheap.

A variety of interesting electrical appliances in our stock. You're always welcome. The Electric Shop opposite Daniels Hotel.

The building was a two-story and caught on the fire. There was \$30,000 in the building.

ESSING OF LABOR
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all I FROM YOUR

L. W. Jensen has accepted a position with the Texas Company as blacksmith at their Parks Machine shops.

Misses Addie and Mary Fee, students at T. W. C., Fort Worth spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Fee.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lingle, accompanied by Miss Al Williams spent the week in Dallas, making the trip by automobile.

EXTRA COPIES

Will be printed, see page four next week. 44c

Miss Mary Jane Butts has returned home from Washington, D. C. where she has been since last fall doing government work.

AFTER ALL

It is the early bird who gets the worm look for page four next week in the Round-Up. 44c

Mrs. M. D. Paschall and daughter, Miss Lola have been visiting in El Paso, with Mr. Paschall the past week.

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oecy glad my trunks are nieo my mackinaw, will winter. Am anxious to get there so I can spot the car for you, I think a Ford is swell until I work about six months, then something nicer, what do you say? I have so many things mapped out, think the best away and go rs. W. L. Harrel is expecting mama, And daughter Mrs. H. C. Stephens other bungalow Diersburg Tennessee to arrive in good to tear do this week for an extended vis-

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Mrs. Cyrus Hope who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Freel was called Saturday to Caldwell, Texas on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Cobb.

Mrs. Roy C. Griffin and little son, James Pinckney of Coleman came in Saturday. Mr. Griffin is Advertising Mgr. and solicitor with the Cisco Round-Up and they will now make Cisco their future home.

Messrs Logan and Bob Fain, formerly with the Beaver Valley Oil and Refinery Co of Cisco, were in Cisco this week looking after business affairs and shaking hands with old friends.

Buck Newby prominent young business man of Brownwood is in Cisco looking for a location. Mr. Newby stated that Cisco would without doubt be the city for this section of the state, and that it offered opportunities to all classes of people.

The Cisco Round-Up \$1.50 the year, page four in next week's issue will be worth your money. 44c

T. L. Lasiter and N. S. Kinard were in from their farms in the Pleasant Hill community Tuesday and called at this office. They are both members of the marketing club in that community and are successful farmers.

W. B. Crockett of Ranger, an old friend of J. J. Patterson, was in the city Tuesday and he voices the opinion that in the course of twelve months Cisco would be the largest town on the Texas & Pacific railroad west of Fort Worth. He stated that if he could get a place he would move his business from Ranger to Cisco.

T. W. Johnson of Haskell, Texas a friend of our fellow citizen, J. M. Flournoy, was in Cisco the first of the week with a view of making investments in oil properties and city property. In fact when a man visits Cisco and takes in the situation, he at once wants to locate where the wires cross.

PAGE 4

Next week, in the center of the page will be the center of attraction. 44c

CITY HALL

2 NIGHTS 2

Monday and Tuesday

March 10 & 11

Local Talent Will Present
The beautiful comedy drama
in 4 acts

"An Old Bachelor"

Under the direction of the talented actor

Mr. David Williams

assisted by

Miss Eunice Gates

CHARACTERS—

David Holmes David Williams
Gerald Holmes, his brother J. T. Allen
Martin Beggs, David's Secretary L. H. Denman
Harold Reynolds Dr. G. W. Griswold
Mr. Mulberry, A literary Character, Rev. E. Buford Isaacks.
Savage Roy Jones
Miss Clementina Miss Alma Copelin
Helen Le Grande, David's Widowed sister Miss Mae Carragher.
Harriet Lester, Society Woman Miss Bernice Stockton
SYLVIA, David's Ward Miss Eunice Gates.

SPECIALITIES BETWEEN ACTS.

Reading—Miss Lucile Brown-
Solo—Mrs. Edgar Noel-
Solo—Mrs. R. E. Doty.
Orchestra under the direction of E. H. Hittson, will furnish the music.

For the Benefit of Public School Library and Athletic Fund.

Patronize those Whose Ads Appear on the Program.

Burton-Lingo Company

LUMBER, SHINGLES and a complete stock of BUILDING MATERIAL. Let us save you money. You will save money if you fail to figure your bill.

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in own support show guardian to lebo it the electric way—washing, said minor in ting, sewing, cooking, cleaning ed land for these. Phone us for free demon- gas, and other tion of appliances. The Electric An undivided p, opposite Daniels Hotel, Phone interests in this land in Coman the exact descr-

Mr. Townsend is having erected in the Elfrethom Heights, corner of Humble Avenue and Anderson street, a new bungalow.

The Whiteley Co.

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PROMPT
RESPONSIBLE

Solicit the Business
of Responsible People.

The Whiteley Co.
City property Oil Lands

MONUMENTS

We still sell monuments and in addition to this we do marble trimming for fire places, and for sills on show windows. All our work guaranteed. We have the machinery and expert workmen.

Lone Star Marble Works
Ed Aycocck, Prop.

Who Benefits By High Prices?

You feel that retail meat prices are too high. Your retailer says he has to pay higher prices to the packers.

Swift & Company prove that out of every dollar the retailer pays to the packers for meat, 2 cents is for packers' profit, 13 cents is for operating expenses, and 85 cents goes to the stock raiser; and that the prices of live stock and meat move up and down together.

The live-stock raiser points to rising costs of raising live stock.

Labor reminds us that higher wages must go hand in hand with the new cost of living.

No one, apparently, is responsible. No one, apparently, is benefited by higher prices and higher income.

We are all living on a high-priced scale. One trouble is, that the number of dollars has multiplied faster than the quantity of goods, so that each dollar buys less than formerly.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Cisco Local Branch, 546 5th St.



CLUB BUSINESS MEETING

The M. K. & T. Fair... branch line from Cisco to Breckenridge to Newcastle, a total of 100 miles.

For full call responses, Bible quotations were given. Several committee reports were heard before new business was called for.

Mrs. G. B. Kelly was appointed to arrange for the placing of a suitable sign at the Public Library at the residence of Mrs. A. B. Johnson.

A committee composed of Mmes. C. H. Fee and Geo. Langston was appointed to confer with the Chamber of Commerce in regard to public parks and play grounds for the city, also the renaming of the street and avenues.

Talks on civic improvements for Cisco were made by Mr. ... property rights, and the confirmed in the possession of

he has toiled to procure. ...ism advocates taking away a ... from the men who ... turning it over to the ... near the main street ... their fund in the treasury the club members feel that now is the time to build the library, for at no other time in the city's history has the need for a library and reading room been as urgent.

The fondest hopes of the club will be realized with the completion of this building and the members believe that every loyal citizen will assist in this undertaking, as such a ready response was noted at the time of the masquerade ball benefit the library funds.

No other business enterprise could be as beneficial to the city in elevating the moral standards and giving an atmosphere of culture and refinement, as a Public Library and reading room.

The corresponding secretary read a letter from the president of this, the 6th district requesting that Cisco name a candidate for district president and after considering the question, the club voted to defer the matter for two years until another election of district officers will be held, as library and church buildings will occupy our time and thoughts for the next year.

The secretary was authorized to express to the district president our sincere thanks and appreciation for the honor conferred.

Whatever they ... member that it took ... get the army into Fra ... the British transports ... much of it over are no ... able. Patience, mother ... ers and kinsfolk here ... will not be long at th ... fore Uncle Sam retur ... Tom or your nice Dick ... Harry, bigger and ... when he left, and as ... reach home as you are to see him.

What cannot the United States do when she tries? Before the war Germany practically controlled the world, she paid Germany for the dyes used in this trade was a textile manu ... at perplexity ... in at once, but ... we all counted ... every garment

First Industrial Art Club. The ladies of the First Industrial Art Club assisted by Miss Tucker and her senior domestic science class entertained the club members, teachers, and a few invited guests, on last Friday afternoon in the large sewing room of the high school.

Good ... of last week by Mrs. A. A. ... bster with an all-day party. ... and the noon luncheon ... ed, and we shall never ... re enjoyed by the 8 club mem ... ed and players for an extra table ... monograph music gave pleasure during the day.

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Miss Lucile Brown, and paper on "The work being done by the Department", by Miss Bonnie Leslie. Both numbers were very interesting and very much enjoyed by those present.

Delicious refreshments were served by the young ladies of the Senior Class.—Reporter.

A. R. C. CLASS

The A. R. C. Class met with Mrs. Lancaster Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the weekly meeting. The program as published last week was rendered and a social while enjoyed when the hostess served hot chocolate and mince pie. Present were: Ida Lee Shelton, Bess Shelton, Ina Ray, Winnie McWhorter, Dora La Roque, Allie McWhorter and Paul McCarty, Clyde Lewis, Harrell La Roque.

The class will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Lee next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. at which time the following program will be given: Benediction, "Life of Our Christ", Harrell La Roque.

Prayer, Mrs. Lancaster. Musical, Dora La Roque. Lesson, Ina Ray. Reading, Ada Lee. Prayer, Mrs. Lancaster.

WILL HAVE SOCIAL MEETING. The members of the R. A. M. Chapter will have a social meeting on next Thursday night at the Masonic Temple when all Royal Arch Masons, their wives, sisters and daughters are invited. This will be a social meeting and a short program will be rendered, after which refreshments will be served. A committee composed of John F. Patterson, E. E. Kean and G. Fisk has been appointed to arrange for this meeting. No invitations will be issued for this meeting but every Royal Arch Mason, the wives, daughters and sisters of Royal Arch Masons over the age of fifteen have an invitation. The time will be 8 o'clock, Thursday evening, March 13.

W. M. S. The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church met at the city hall on Tuesday at 3:00 p. m., with the vice president in the chair.

A committee was appointed to secure place for the St. Patrick's tea to be given on Saturday, March 15, and other arrangements were made for the affair.

The society voted to raise two thousand dollars to be applied to the new church fund.

On next Tuesday the hour will be devoted to the Mission Study, having chapter 4 in the "Sons of Italy". All members are urged to be present.—Publicity Supt.

conference and ... busy with paper and pen and ink and long columns. French and British, can and German heads, aching over the problem.

The event will probably Germany's indemnities proportioned to the counts she can stand in and lend the balance required for the France.

ALL-DAY BRIDGE. The Wednesday Bridge Club was delightfully entertained on Wednesday of last week by Mrs. A. A. ... bster with an all-day party. ... and the noon luncheon ... ed, and we shall never ... re enjoyed by the 8 club mem ... ed and players for an extra table ... monograph music gave pleasure during the day.

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MARRIED. ... good wages, and in every other commodity, increase the price just as the demands, and the feels that the business courage this rather than G. Fisk, Publisher.

ST. PATRICK TEA. The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will give a St. Patrick tea on Saturday, March 15 at the Daniels Hotel dining hall. Come and enjoy yourself and also help a worthy cause. Watch for further announcements.

WATCH. For page four in next weeks issue is vital interest to every citizen. 4c

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IF ITS A CARLOAD OR ONE SACK The Texas Flour and Feed Co.,

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COUNTY SITE NEWS

Eastland, March 4th—The building boom in Eastland continues, but is being retarded somewhat because of the embargo on freight into the town over the Texas & Pacific railroad. These conditions, however, are being met to some extent by trucking lumber and building materials from Mangum, Olden, Lem Switch and Cisco.

There is a great deal of activity in the oil business and trading in leases and royalties is brisk. So far there has been no new developments in the immediate field this week. The Harris well at Olden and the well on the Moss lease east of Eastland, are the latest additions to the producing wells in this section. The Brelsford well and the C. U. Connelley well will likely be shot within a few days in an effort to increase the production of oil from them.

The oil boom seems to have struck Carbon, ten miles south of here, as property prices there have advanced

considerably and are still going up with considerable selling going on.

Suits Filed in District Court.
Following are the suits that have been filed in district court since February 24th:

- Plains Oil & Gas Co. vs W. P. White.
- City of Ranger vs A. J. Hansard, injunction.
- Mrs. Callie Snow vs H. H. Snow, divorce.
- Mrs. S. E. Dodd vs J. O. Dodd, divorce.
- J. L. Ervin vs Z. J. Brown, et al to try title and for damages.
- John R. Williams vs Calvin Brown, specific performance of contract.
- Mrs. Woody Short vs Frank Short, to try title and for damages.
- W. S. Barber vs Geo. J. McManus, suit for debt.
- State of Texas vs A. J. Barry, injunction.
- Mrs. Lillie B. Boles vs Ira B. Boles, divorce.
- T. J. Long vs E. G. Withers, injunction.
- D. H. Lusk vs J. B. Hart, foreclosure.

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Muskogee Tool Company vs W. A. Aggers.

Emmett Dunlap vs Louise Maderris specific performance.

T. S. Crafton vs C. F. Gray, Estelle Gray and Viola Gray.

W. E. McClesky et vs T. & P. Coal & Oil Company.

Marriage License

The following marriage license have been issued by the County Clerk's department since the 24th of February:

- Clestus Houser and Lois Kate House, Sipe Springs; E. A. Norton and Addie Elzia Anderson, Eastland, Route 3; Charlie Collins and Flora Crews, Thurber; M. J. Sherrick and Mrs. Emma Lebeck, Ranger; Vernon Mahoney and Benlah Scarborough, Ranger route 2; R. L. Tueker and Jonnie Hardin, Carbon route 1; Ira W. Robinson and Viola Strickland, Cisco; A. C. Rice and Mrs. Eva Richardson, Ranger; Casson Ellis and Myrtle Skinner, Carbon; J. M. Bennett and Millie Murray, Carbon route 1.

Court Convenes Monday.

County Court convenes Monday and there is a heavy docket to be disposed of. District Judge Joe Burkett is holding court at Breckenridge this week.

Fire Destroys Home.

The home of Mrs. Laura Bills was practically destroyed by fire, Sunday night about 8:00 o'clock. Firemen succeeded in extinguishing the flames but not until the building and much of the contents were ruined. The origin of the fire is unknown. The building was a two-story structure and caught on the second floor. There was \$20,000 insurance on the building.

THE BLESSING OF LABOR

Charles Kingsley once said, "Be thankful every morning of your life that there is something you must do, whether you like to do it or not."

Whether you are painting a picture or hammering iron, whether you are keeping books or washing dishes and sweeping floors, your work is the thing which saves you from yourself. While your hands and thoughts are occupied you have no time for morbid introspection. The clear duty before you is to bend your energies to your work and do it conscientiously and well. It is only in this way that you do your duty to the world.

Every person has an obligation before him. He must engage in something useful to prove his right to live in a busy universe. If he cannot leave the world better than he found it, he can at all events take his share of keeping the world in order while he is here. The responsibility of labor is incumbent upon him.

There is a wide thought sometimes unconscious general recognition of this responsibility. Many wealthy people who do not need to work for their own support show their realization of this principle by taking up some work of value to the community. They enter into public life or devote themselves to some question of education or general betterment of conditions. If they do not take this course they are reduced to the most useless, profitless and wearisome form of toil—that of seeking their own amusement and pleasure.

Wholesome satisfying employment develops a man's faculties, keeps him keen and ready for opportunity.

Put your heart into your work. Enter into it every morning with feelings of interest in it and gratitude for it, and you will know the blessing of labor.

A Letter From Across

Coblenz, Germany, Jan. 26, 1919.
Dearest Mother:

Your letters of Dec. 26th and 29th reached me yesterday also had a good letter from Opal today. Everything is lovely with her seems very well pleased with every thing same with me.

How much longer, is all I can think of, we are still located near Coblenz, and you can't imagine how I do want to start home (suppose we are here for at least six months longer) We are to get a seven day pass, but it takes so much money to see anything over here. I hardly think that I will take mine.

So poor Tracey Blair was killed in action, so sorry to hear that. What was the branch of service he was in?

Yes mama it is very cold here, however, it is a dry cold, a little snow but so little that we pay very small attention to it. Was very glad to have Otto Kinsey's letter, as well as I can remember, I was traveling along this Luxemburg road about November myself. From what he writes is on this side for six months longer too, will try and find him.

Today we had nothing to do but bathe eat and stand retreat, so I thought of home most of the day. I have never met any of the Cisco boys overhere.

I am mighty glad my trunks are there and also my mackinaw, will need that next winter. Am anxious to get there so I can spot the car for you, I think a Ford is swell until I work about six months, then something nicer, what do you say? I have so many things mapped out, think the best plan of all is to slip away and go to work. Don't you mama. And Frank is building another bungalow, your barn is too good to tear down isn't it?

Now dear mama I am getting along just fine, and would like to take this seven day furlough into Italy or Spain, so if you will just write me a check and register it to me way over here in Germany I will greatly appreciate it. I promise you that after I do get back to the States I shall never leave them.

General Pershing did not get our outfit in on this sixty eight thousand who are coming home, but think we will not be the last. With a heart full of love to all.

Yours only,
Sgt. John L. Harrell.

LEGAL NOTICE!

In The County Court Of Eastland County, Texas, March Term A. D. 1919..

To all persons interested in the estate of Jewel Nelson, a minor:

Notice is hereby given that application has been filed with the County Judge of Eastland County, Texas by Mrs. Amelia Hazard as Guardian of the estate of Jewel Nelson, a minor, for an order authorizing said guardian to lease the interest of said minor in the following described land for the development of oil, gas, and other minerals, to-wit:

An undivided one-sixteenth (1-16) interests in thirty (30) acres of land in Comanche County, Texas, the exact description of which will be given upon hearing hereof.

Which application will be heard before said Court on the 15th day of March A. D. 1919, at the Court House, County of Eastland, and all persons are notified to appear at said time and show cause, if any they have, why said application should not be granted.

Witness my hand this the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1919.
AMILIA HAZARD,
Guardian.

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Health Culturist

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I take this means of expressing my thanks to the people for their liberal patronage during the time I have been proprietor of Blounts Cafe. I have sold my interest to Messrs. Trout and Yates who are now in charge, and I bespeak for them the same liberal patronage accorded to me.—S. G. BLOUNT-It

DISSOLUTION NOTICE!

The firm of Lamb & Hooks, carpenters and contractors, has dissolved partnership, and the accounts due this company will be paid to Mr. Lamb, and also all bills received or collected will be due Mr. Lamb.

I, Lamb,
F. M. Hooks.

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Cisco, Texas

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2:46 p. m.
8:30 p. m.
T. & P. EAST BOUND
1:33 a. m.
9:36 a. m.
10:12 p. m.

12:22 p. m.
M. K. & T. NORTH BOUND
3:25 p. m.
M. K. & T. SOUTH BOUND
9:50 a. m.

Latest records—A large stock of Columbia Records.—The Electric Shop, opposite Daniels Hotel.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13.
A resolution to amend Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: Strike out the words "Four Thousands," found in the third line of Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the words "Ten Thousand," and adding after the word "furniture" the words, "and this clause shall be self-enacting," and making an appropriation to pay necessary expenses hereof.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section No. 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 5. ARTICLE IV. GOVERNOR'S SALARY AND MANSION.—He shall at stated times receive as compensation for his service an annual salary of ten thousand dollars, and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture, and this clause be self-enacting.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in May, A. D. 1919, same being the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1919, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to make the necessary proclamation for said election and to have the same duly published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the general election laws of the State and the official ballot shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the words, "OFFICIAL BALLOT," and also the words, "For the amendment of Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and also the words, "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas."

All voters favoring such amendment shall erase, by making a mark through the words "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," and all voters opposing such amendment shall erase by making a mark through the words "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas." If a majority of votes cast shall be "For the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be declared adopted. If a majority of the votes cast shall be "Against the amendment to Section 5 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas in regard to the salary of the Governor of the State of Texas," said amendment shall be lost and shall be so declared.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to cover the necessary expenses attached to the proclamation and publication of this amendment, and the Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation and cause the same to be duly published.

GEORGE F. HOWARD,
Secretary of State.

REPORT ON CISCO WELLS

The Brown well, six miles south west of Cisco is drilling around 3 1/2 100 feet and while the reports have been very meagre, the oil scouts have great confidence in the Brown well being a producer, when they reach the Ranger sand, which will be in the vicinity of 3400 feet. Leasing in this direction from Cisco has been very active in the past week.

The Fee well three miles north-east of Cisco is by the Sun Company progressing with speed, and if nothing unexpected is encountered the well will be completed in ninety days from the date they spudded in. This section is looked on very favorably by oil experts, the well is now drilling at 1500 feet.

The Ammerman well, owned by the Prairie Oil and Gas Co, five and one half miles north of Cisco, is shut down at 2700 feet waiting for minor repairs.

The Schor well, nine miles south east of Cisco owned by the Humble Oil Co., is now drilling at about 3,100 feet with slight showing of gas and oil. This well is regarded very favorably by geologists as on a very fine structure and that if this well should fail as a producer, it would be a freak almost unknown in geological history.

From very reliable reports from persons who have been on the ground is that when the Cathey well when finally completed will be one of the good wells of this field. The oil is regarded as being of a very fine grade. Leases to the west of Cisco as a result of the Cathey well have made a general advance of about 300 per cent and buyers are plentiful. In fact, the bringing in of this well leads to several new locations west of Cisco.

Why is the Kettle on Maud's Purina Tail, \$200 for the best answer. See Boon. 42-1f



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Phone No. 282.



REALIZATION

I have dreamed a dream, and I want you to dream it with me, and perhaps when you and I have dreamed the dream together, you may be as I am, filled with a desire for its realization.

Longing for a place where one finds peace and contentment; where the world with its troubles and crimes may be forgotten, a garrison of happiness, ringing with the laughter of children, brightened with loving smiles from a happy wife, is indeed a realization of our fondest dreams.

To make this possible it is necessary that we back up our dreams with energy. The world is filled with men and women who have dreamed but have failed to act; we must put our dreams into execution, back our dreams with energy, do some constructive thinking, and will be rewarded.

Being the proud possessor of our own homes fulfills a mission in life that will stand as a monument, reflecting man's greatest achievements, and when we pass from this life it will be with the knowledge that we have done a wonderful work.

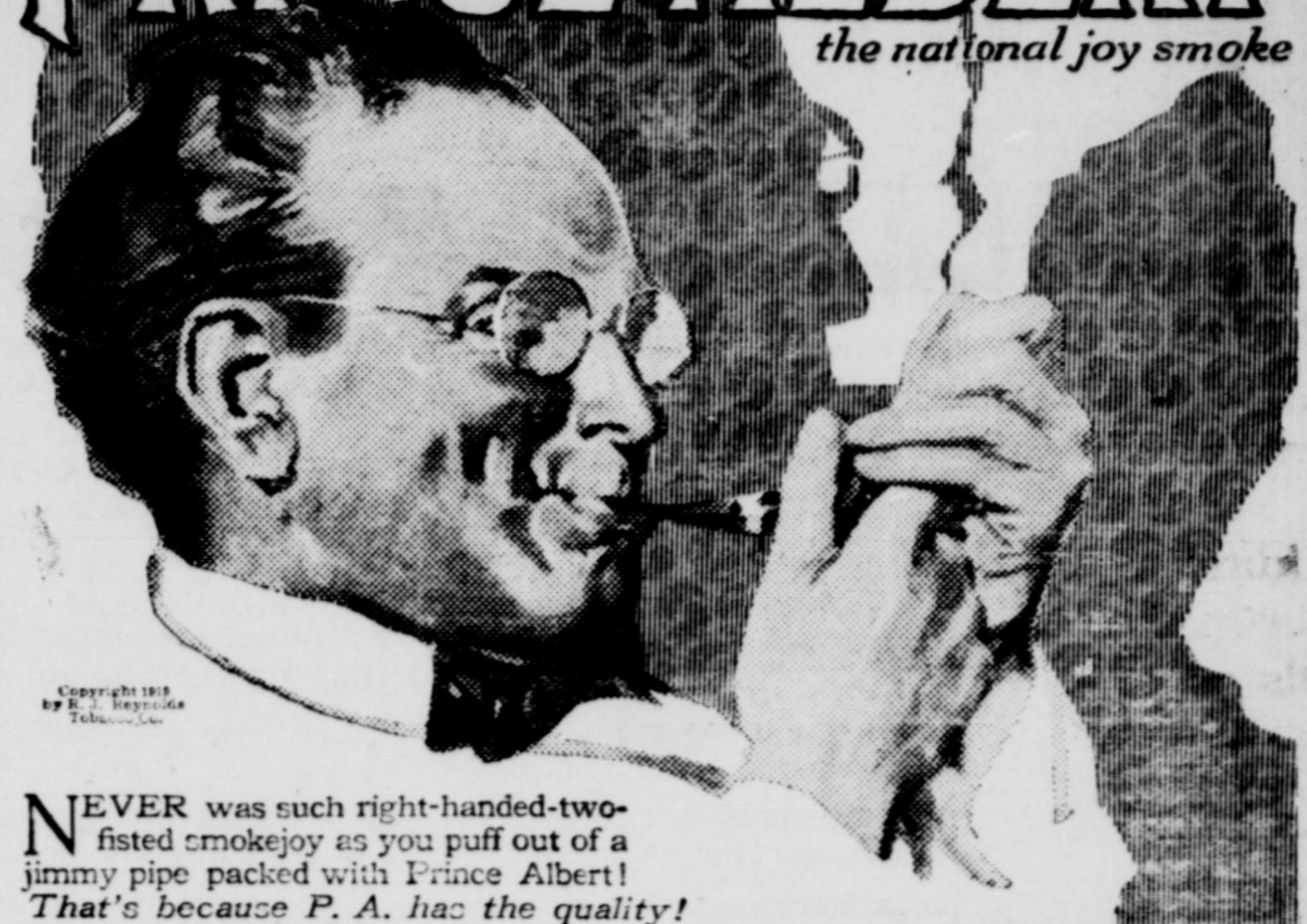
Let's lay out a program for the accomplishment of our desires, by taking advantage of this announcement and starting today to realize the fondest of dreams, the ownership of a HOME.

We can help and save you money. Our "Ye Planry" photographic service conveys every possible modern idea in home building.

Rockwell Bros. & Co.

PRINCE ALBERT

the national joy smoke



NEVER was such right-handed-two-fisted smokejoy as you puff out of a jimmy pipe packed with Prince Albert! That's because P. A. has the quality!

You can't fool your taste apparatus any more than you can get five aces out of a family deck! So, when you hit Prince Albert, coming and going, and get up half an hour earlier just to start stoking your pipe or rolling cigarettes, you know you've got the big prize on the end of your line!

Prince Albert's quality alone puts it in a class of its own, but when you figure that P. A. is made by our exclusive patented process that cuts out bite and parch—well—you feel like getting a flock of dictionaries to find enough words to express your happy days sentiments!

Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors—and—that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.



Churches

SALVATION ARMY HERE

Representatives of the Gospel Salvation Army have workers in Cisco and are holding their services on the streets. Rev. Chas. B. Coons is in charge of the work here. These people are doing a great work in all parts of the world and should be encouraged in this their new field.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday mning at eleven o'clock Rev. K. C. Barton, pastor of the University church in Georgetown, will preach in the city hall auditorium. Rev. Barton was pastor of the Cisco church five years ago and has many friends who no doubt will be pleased to hear him once more.

The Sunday School will meet at the regular hour, 9:45. It is urged that every teacher be present at 9:15, and every member of the Sunday school is urged to be present at the opening time.

The evening service will begin at 7:30. All the services will be held in the City Hall, and visitors and strangers have a cordial invitation to worship with us.—Umphrey Lee, Pastor.

REVIVAL MEETING

Will be held at the Nazarine church on east Broadway street, beginning Saturday night March 8, 1919.

Rev. C. B. Jernigan of Bethany, Oklahoma will be the evangelist, he is a man who is intensely interested in the salvation of lost souls.

Rev. Jernigan is well known as a successful evangelist and has preached throughout the States. Rev. Verge McCankles and wife will have charge of the singing. Come and enjoy the old time religion and help to push the battle against sin.—Thomas Aherm, Pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. D. Leslie, D. D., pastor. There will be services Sunday at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. R. Potter, of Mineral Wells will preach for the pastor.

The session will meet before the eleven o'clock service to receive members.

A cordial invitation is extended strangers and visitors in the city to attend these services. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

BUYS LOTS AND WILL BUILD

The editor of the Round-Up has purchased some business lots just west of the Telephone building and expects to erect a building some times within the next year, and will have the building erected exactly to suit the printing plant.

DOTHAN WINS AGAIN

Last Friday in a game of basket ball at Scranton the Dothan team of boys won by a score of 38 to 19. The girls' team also won by score of 26 to 17. The Dothan people are proud of the showings made by their teams.

THE RANGER-CISCO CO.

The Ranger-Cisco well is drilling at 3330 feet, and is now making 4 million cubic feet of wet gas. The boiler has been set back and the drilling resumed. Storage tanks will be on the ground first of next week.

The Magnolia well one mile south east of the Ranger-Cisco well is reported in and making fifteen hundred barrels. Drilling ceased at 3450 feet. At this time that section of Eastland county is very much in the "lime light" with the oil men. Leases, royalties have been selling

at fancy prices, some acreage was bought by local men as high as \$1,000.00 per acre. The Ranger-Cisco as a result has jumped from par to \$1.35.

The Liberty Oil and Refining Co., of Cisco is now running at full blast, and at their full capacity of one thousand barrels daily. This is an institution that any town or city should be proud of. Their plant manager, Mr. Geo. Ames is considered in oil circles as one of the most efficient refinery men in Texas. Arrangements have been made to run an eight inch main from Cisco to the Ranger wells.

AT YOUR HOME

You Will Find
A Sample
Like This

TRY IT TONIGHT
Before you go to bed take one NR Tablet; simply place the tablet on your tongue and drink a full glass of water.



How Different You Will Feel In The Morning—

You'll get up feeling brighter and better than you have for many a day. The reason—Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is different in action from pills, salts, calomel, oils and ordinary laxatives. It is milder, yet more thorough, because of its beneficial action on the digestive and eliminative organs—the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. That is how it relieves and eliminates such troubles as Rheumatism, Indigestion and Constipation—it corrects the causes that produce the trouble.

THIS SAMPLE IS A CONVINCER. It is given you to prove our claim. When you are convinced, get a 25c. box from your druggist.

Nature's Remedy
NR-TABLETS-NR
Better Than Pills For Liver Ills. Get a 25c. Box

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NOVELTIES

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SOMETHING NEW
TO BE SEEN AT THE
BIG STORE DAILY

GREAT SHOW OF SPRING MERCHANDISE

The most authentic and dependable style of coming spring make up our showing of smart apparel for Misses, Women, Men and Young Men. Each day brings new lots direct from the Designers, expressing in every line the acme of perfection in Tailoring, supreme art in modeling and the beautiful in color combination.

THE FASHIONS MESSAGE IN SUITS

Fashion moves swiftly these days. New little details, uncommon touches, a subtle change in line, all these points develop and make a difference in mode—certain to appeal to the discriminating woman.

SMART NEW BOX MODELS
PRETTY NEW BLOUSE MODELS
STYLISH NEW BELTED MODELS

PRICES TO SUIT ALL

THE BLOUSE SHOP ever alert to the demand to the most fashionable women. This week brings dozens of new Dress & Tailored Models. PRICED upward to **\$17.50**

NEW DRESSES—just the Dress you want for practical, every day wear, the more dressy one for afternoon, as well as beautiful Gowns for Social functions and Frocks for all occasions, shown in the most exclusive styles, \$15.00 to **\$65.00**

NEW SKIRTS—Never before such an array of Skirts—styles that are most alluring and materials different from any of the past. Garments in Tricotine, Satins, Serges and Dew-Kist, in plain and fancy, upward to..... **\$35.00**

Let us impress upon your mind that you will not have to go farther than our **Garment Section** to see all the fascinating Spring Wearables.

LADIES HATS FOR SPRING—Immense showing the new Seasons' Hats the most fascinating creations, for this week. The past few days many large express shipments have been added to our advance showing. We invite your inspection.

NEW SPRING GOSSARDS—The Gossard are beyond all doubt the best front-lace Corset that can be had at any price, come in and see the new models and have our Corseleire fit you.

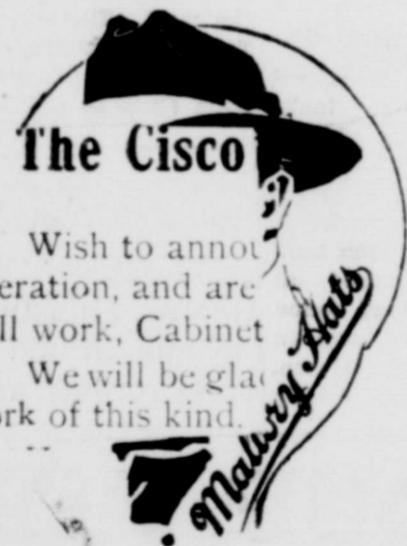
We are showing a wonderful line of Dress goods this season. Showing all the wanted materials in Silks, Foulards', Crepe de Chene, Georgette, Figured Chiffian and Georgettes, Vailles, Organdies, Imported, Tissue, and etc. Come in and make your selections while our stock is complete. All materials moderately priced.

ROYAL SOCIETY PACKAGES—We have just received the new spring assortment of stamped packages.

MARY NEWTON WASH DRESSES—for Girls—You will find a beautiful selections of the Dresses here, showing all these prettiest plaid stripes, solids checks and etc., at prices cheaper than you can afford to make them. Also a full line of Play Suits for the little fellows.

Mallory Hats

The fun of buying a new Spring Hat. A man tried on ten brand new Malory Hats in our store the other day and then bought the first one. I just come to try "em on," said he. Its fun, too, to see how different you look in different hats, you have no idea how pleasing it is to buy a Mallory Hat. We have so many different kinds, all so smart and new. Better come in soon. Easter Sunday is just around the corner now.



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TO THE OIL MEN

We are showing a general line of Oil Clothing. Shoes, Boots, Shirts, Leg-gins and etc. Come in and see us, let's get acquainted. Make this your headquarters in Cisco. The largest stock in Cisco to select from.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Never before have you seen such a wonderful showing in Cisco, of Mens furnishings, embracing all the new Novelities in Silk Shirts, Novelty Collars, Plain and fancy Hosiery, 25 dozen of New Novelty Ties, come in and let us show you all the new things. A pleasing salesman awaits you here.

Let us insist on you coming in and looking the merchandise over in these departments:

OUR READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT
OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
OUR TOILET GOODS DEPARTMENT
OUR PIECE GOODS DEPARTMENT
OUR CORSET DEPARTMENT
OUR NOTION DEPARTMENT
OUR RUG AND LINEOLIUM DEPARTMENT

OUR HOSE DEPARTMENT
OUR STAPLE DEPARTMENT
OUR LADIES SHOE DEPARTMENT
OUR MENS SHOE DEPARTMENT
OUR FURNISHING DEPARTMENT
OUR HAT DEPARTMENT
OUR CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

OUR POLICY—THE PUBLIC BE PLEASED

JOHN H. GARNER'S

"THE DEPENDABLE STORE"

Cisco's Big Department Store



Speaking of Men's Wear. We will only speak briefly of the lines of Mens and Young Men's lines that we are handling because they are so well known to all, that when they see the name of the lines, they will all know that they will be pleased with the grade of merchandise these lines consist of.

Hart Choffiner and Marx Made Clothes. For men and young men \$35.00—\$40.00—\$45.00—\$50.00—\$55.00—\$60.00.

STYLE-PLUS CLOTHES

When ever a Man sees the sign of Style-Plus, he knows that he can come here and get a Suit of Clothes, at a known price, that is made right up to the minute and of the best of quality. \$25.00—\$30.00—\$35.00—\$40.00.

We are showing all the New things in foot wear for women, in Oxford, and Pumps—Brown-Cherry, Brown-Black and White, Specially priced for quick selling.

MEN AND YOUNG MEN

We have just received all the spring lines for Men in Oxford and high Shoes, Edwin Clapp, Walk-Over, and other good lines to select from. Come in and look the New ones over. If it is to be had, Garner's has it.