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TEEN RAILROAD UNIONS N LETTER OF OBJECTIONS RETURNING ROADS TO

TICIZE CUMMINS BILL

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deral operation of the railroads atinued for at least an additional ars, B. M. Jewell, acting presithe Railway Employes' depart of the American Federation of in a letter to members of conoday expressed the opinion that of the roads to private ownerthis time would lead inevitably bankruptey which might easily

world wide bankruptey." routed," Mr. Jewell said, exg his belief that the roads survive their return to private "It has been sent over seroutes. A great part of the

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der federal operations the

the Rie Grande to Baltimore," return to the preferential ent of New York "will kill ern ports, southern shipping,

ter transportation can never be ned with the railroads in pri-

matter of vital interest," the concludes, "is the enlisting of rom railway operation the g experience in the railway in-

fust Move Entire Town.

DRN. Ohio. Feb. 17.-Plans for ation of a citizens' stock comto finance re-location of this vila site one and a half miles to theast were discussed at a pubting held by the council chambut no definite action was The village, which has a popu-Valley flood protection project.

hings You Should now About Cisco

o is the automobile center West Texas, and more cars, cks and accessory lines are resented, sold and distributed Cisco than any other point state west of Fort Worth.

THE WEATHER. OUISIANA: Wednesday, probrain, warmer in east portion; day, part cloudy in east,

in west portion. RKANSAS: Wednesday, unied weather, probably rain in t and south portions, warmer ast portion; Thursday, fair, KLAHOMA: Wednesday and eday, fair, not much change

TEXAS: Wednesday, udy to cloudy, probably extreme east portion; day, fair, moderate temper

EST TEXAS: Wednesday. Thursday, fair, not much

CHEERS AND GELEBRATES U.S. MAY STOP ALL

CHICAGO, Feb, 17 .- The League of Women Voters, successors to the National Suffrage body, today honored more than a 100 women who have done important work for suffrage. Among these were the "pioneers," a procession of gray haired women who have been in the suffrage fight since 1880. Carrie Chapman Catt received a

large saphire pin in recognition of her share of the work. The women sang "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here." The delegates cheered when Jane Adams was called forward to receive her certificate for service in the suffrage cause. Mary Garrett Hay and Mrs. George Bass, leaders in the national women's divisions of the republican and democratic parties, received their certificates at the same time with the injunction by Mrs. Catt not to call

each other names. They shook hands

while the delegates laughed and

Speaks to C. of C. Directors; Urges Clean Sport Here.

the of the country is not earning when Walter Morris of Fort Worth, quarters that the League of Nations for woman suffrage. In the senate, the property, namely, that the president of the Oil Belt baseball was to be the instrument for enforcing vote was 18 against and 9 for ratification of southwest of Cisco." the roads was signed by the the local Chamber of Commerce why became a party to the treaty of Verof the fourteen railroad unions, Cisco ought to join the league and sailles it thus would be subscribing to

who is here in the interest of pro- proval or consent. nt of the rail systems, and, moting the organization of a Cisco continuation of government club, made a concise, effective appear as an alternative. ing attention to the "colossal sport in this city before the direct separable insofar as this question was s, economies and efficiencies" tors of the Chamber of Commerce at federal operation, the letter their meeting last night. His talk reversion to private owner. was well received and resulted in the ould mean "an increase in directors agreeing to call a special of from 25 to 50 per cent, an meeting of the members of the comn of \$1,000,000,000 a year." mercial organization the latter part ng the score of specific rea- of the week if Murphy could set Morris to come here and lay nis ording to the reports of the di- plan before them. Murphy said that Wilson's communication contained a general the railroads operated Morris would be more than willing postscript bearing a threat to withdraw illified system are on a paying to come and guaranteed that he the treaty from the senate. This was

games here and a few snappy box- Chviously, it did not come from Presiing bouts among the semi-profes- dent Wilson himself, and it was later seeking return, would mean do more toward eliminating gam- statement had spoken without full and g or the railroad indus- bling and other forms of vice in complete information. Cummins-Esch bill, with its said Murphy. "There are thou- munication was referred to as a "memo- in some quarters that the lines on both who have no place to spend their ing only eight or ten lines. It subset friends in the sanate minimized the described as an ultimatum. rn of the railroads at this leisure hours except at motion pics an invitation to still further ture shows. The only other recre- the communication finally sent was in of labor shortage on one hand games, and the only way that two or three pages. This note, it was Senator Hitchcock, the democratic a strong champion. They feel that duction. The depth of this sand is the high cost of living on the wholesale gambling can be stopped explained, was prepared from a memo- leader, after another effort to obtain they are at a disadvantage because not known as yet as the drill is said clean, manly sports."

Murphy told the directors that a rn states have had a square suitable place for a baseball park Ports, harbors, terminals and had been found; that \$5000 of the ng lines have been stimulated \$15,000 needed had already been pledged and that all now required was the support of local merchants

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 .- A warning that America will be involved in another European war within 10 years unless she accepts her share of the responsibility of putting Europe and ployes so that they will work here tonight by Henry Morganthau, forniously, willingly and effi- mer ambassador to Turkey, before the It is a colossal waste to ex- students of Columbia university.

utions of 2,000,000 men with REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN FOUR RUSSIAN TOWNS

LONDON, Feb. 17. - Revolution where all authority is in the hands program is in favo rof union with tonight that the sale of the craft would cow. The dispatch adds that Red mittee. troops have entered Tiraspol, 73

TEXAN A REFUGEE FROM **ASIATIC TURKEY WARS**

Sixteen in Party of Americans Said Have Fled From Marash to Safety With 2000 Others.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Monday, Feb. 16.—The American commission for relief in the near east today received a message dated February 13 from its offices at Adana, Asiatic Turkey, which was construed to mean that all the Americans have escaped from Marash, (northeast of Adana and north of Aleppo) southward to Islahie, which is

on the railroad. The message says:
"Information this morning is that the personnel of 2000 refugees retired to Islahle with Col. Normand. There was extreme destitution and many were sick or wounded. There is no information

The relief workers, he said, were Or M. C. Wilson and wife of Boons Hill, Tenn.; Dr. Mabel Elliott of Benton Harbor, Mich.; Mabel H. Power of North Hero, Vt.; Helen Shults of Reading,

VERSAILLES TREATI

PRESIDENT THINKS OF WITH-DRAWING TREATY FROM SEN-ATE IF ADRIATIC SETTLEMENT IS PUT IN EFFECT.

MERELY A STATEMENT

Threat as Reported in Paris But Diagnosis of Situation to Which United of the steamer Elmsport. States Feels Strong Opposition.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- The allied ment is not a party, is put into force cow. United States might have to consider withdrawing the treaty of Versailles from senate consideration.

mon sense of the term, but was merely r two years traffic has been M. B. Murphy, Promoting Cisco Club, a statement of a situation in which the session at 5:30 p. m. Caillaux was then United States might find herself if ask- taken away by guards. ed to subscribe to agreements in which it had no hand in the making and to

president of the Oil Beit baseball was to be the instrument for enforcing league, which is now being organized, comes to town to tell members of the like and that if the Unite! States the legal Chamber of Company of Texas, with league a party to the treaty of Very was 18 against and 9 for ratifical strongly objects to the solution of the solution of the Italian-Jugo-Slav problem by the like and that if the Unite! States ratification.

Southwest of Cisco.

The well is owned by the Consolidated Oil Company of Texas, with league a party to the treaty of Very leaves and 19 for ratifical strongly objects to the solution of the Italian-Jugo-Slav problem by the like and that if the Unite! States ratification. the enforcement of agreements to M. B. Murphy, a sport enthusiast which it had not given either its ap-

> It was explained further that the Anglo-French-American treaty and the treaty of Versailles were considered inconcerned and that if a situation arose where the president would have to co sider withdrawing the latter, he would former. An early announcement at the white

house characterized as an "absolute" falsehood," the statement by "Pertinax" in the Echo de Paris that President "If we had some good baseball came to the attention of other officials.

quently was disclosed, however, that possibilities of agreement.

GERMAN SHIP SALE LOSES ENTHUSIASN

Bids Offered Slowly; Report of Bids to Be Laid Before Senate Committee For Its Action.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- Recommendations as to the future policy of the shipping board in regard to the sale of the 30 German passenger ships which has stirred up a controversy involving several branches of the government, will be submitted to the senate commerce committee tomorrow by

Chairman Payne. A report on the bids received is exbroke out in Vladivostok, Nikolsk, pected to be laid before the committee Yenisheisk and Blagovestchensk, together with estimates of amounts necessary to re-fit the ships for pasof the provisional govrenment whose senger service. Chairman Payne said soviet Russia, says a soviet wireless not be considered until the situation communication received from Mos- had been laid before the senate com-

The end of the auction for receiving bids came quickly today with only one offer made out of a choice of 19 ships. The largest vessels of the fleet, including the Leviathan, George Washington, passed over without arousing the interest of the shipping men who yesterday bid millions for the liners in the

The single offer made was a bid of \$550,000 by the Acme Operating Corporation for the 4500-ton steamer Otsego. When ships offered individually failed to bring further bids, Commisand getting none, announced the auction closed. Under the announcement at the opening of the auction, no ac tion will be taken on the bids without the sanction of the senate commer committee and the house merchant ma rine committee and pending the de cision of the injunction proceedings brought by William Randolph Hearst as a tax payer to prevent the sale of any of the vessels

VETERAN OVERSEA TEAM TOURING THROUGH STATES

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 17 .- The third marine division regular army basketball team from Camp Pike, Ark... Hero, Vt.; Helen Shultz of Reading, Pa.; Minnie E. Dougherty of Holyoke, Mass.; Frances S. Buckley of Cape Vincepit, N. Y.; Paul V. Snyder of Plainview, Texas; Evelyn Trostle of Mc. Pherson, Kas., and Stanley E. Kerr of Darby, Pa.

basketball team from Camp Pike, Ark., now touring the states for the army championship, arrived here today fresh from a victory over Camp Funston, 22 to 2. While here they will play the Camp Dodge quinter. Then they leave for the east, arriving in Atlanta, Ga.,

WORLD NEWS WIRE BRIEFS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- Monthly compensation rates to disabled soldiers and sailors would be increased to \$100 for single men and \$120 for married men under a bill reported unanimously today by the house education commit

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 17.-Accord ing to a wireless message the United States shipping board steamer Red Mountain, from Galveston, Texas, for Havre before reported disabled and adrift is proceeding to this port in tow

LONDON, Feb. 17.-The Russian volunteer army has been forced back supreme council has been informed by to the sea of Azov, with its troops com-President Wilson, it was disclosed to pletely disorganized and typhus raging among them, according to a wireless coding and forwarding to Washingtlement to which the American govern- dispatch received here today from Mos- ton the reply of the supreme council

PARIS, Feb. 17.-The senate, sitting Washington government tomorrow. as a high court to hear charges against The president's communication was former Premier Joseph Caillaux, ac- daily semi-official communication to not in the nature of a threat in the com- cused of conspiracy against his country in time of war, adjourned its first

band the latter part of this week when Walter Morris of Fort Worth, quarters that the League of National Maryland general assembly today de. ident Wilson.

SENATOR HITCECOCK AVERS IT LOOKS AS THOUGH WE MIGHT COME OUT AT THE SAME DOLE WE WENT IN."

DISTURBS PARTY LEADERS

recognized as erroneous as soon as it Forty Votes With One or Two More tire Situation a Muddle.

treaty negotiations got into such a this city than anything I know of," At first, too, the president's com- tangled state oday that despite claims

"It looks as though we might come president dictated and sent to the state cle 10 reservation. He added that the ratified unless they did compromise. At the same time, some mild reserva-

tion republicans indicated their belief that the democratic proposal might command considerable republican strength, while some democrats predicted that enough democrats to insure ratification would break away and vote for the republican reservation. The result was a muddled situation

in which the party leaders on both

sides appeared uncertain as to what might be the next development. generally was agreed, however, that M. H. Ailsworth, Public Utility Man, there would be no show-down immediately and that the debate which be gan yesterday would be permitted to run on for the present without any effort to hasten a ratification roll call. Forty democrats had been pledged tonight for the alternate Article 10 reservation presented by Senator Hitchcock resentatives of the Public Utilities as and he said he hoped eventually to have the support of one or two more. It would take 49 votes to make up the merce sub-committee investigating the simple majority necessary to substitute one of these reservations for the republican draft and to the seven or more republican votes required for this operation 15 more would have to be added to insure final ratification by a two-

CISCO MERCHANTS MAY FORM RETAIL CREDIT ASSOCIATION

A delegation of Eastland business men called on Walter Downing secre- were allowed so narrow a margin of tary of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday to consult with him concerning the establishment of a retail merchants' credit association in

Downing, who is said to be an expert along the lines of credit associations; stated that two Cisco merchants were discussing with him the situation in Cisco, and indicated that a credit heatings will be closed. Mr. Robinson association would be established in Cisco in the near future.

received recognition from the state or-

NEWBERRY TRIAL PROGRESS SLOWED BY GROUP EVIDENCE GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 17 .-Group testimony marked the Newberry elections conspiracy trial today. Near "me was consumed reading

of the Helme nominating petitions.

AS SLAP AT ITALY

NOT MAKE ANSWER PUBLIC.

saged Any Sericus Consequences, the assembly judiciary committee

LONDON, Feb. 17. - The American embassy is engaged tonight in to President Wilson's Adriatic note which will be in the hands of the

The council made it known in its the newspapers that it ques no. pose to make public the correspondence, so that the question of

question. The undecided point is ternoon at a depth of 3800 feet and property which would be the result whether the arguments exchanged is said to be shooting high over the The proposed site is on Broadway just off of Main street. eray la hot on the anvil.

tion of his policy might be followed and hundred of barrels of oil now sistant postmaster general that the government will take a lease on a new post other surplise to the politicians and public, who contside of a small can be taken as yet, the well is said but important firele, which meets the advisers in the confidence of this

Possibilities Pledged For Support to heels of other Washington messages, Alternate Article 10 Reservation En indications only American retirement from policing the Adriatic.

here is by the substitution of good, randum to Secretary Lansing which the republican aid in modifying the Arti- Minister Trumbitch is outside the barely penetrated it. councils of the powers, and, like the The nearest town to the well is republicans apparently had rejected all Italians, have their own grievance Cross Plains, which is on a spur of compromise proposals and that he was in that they consider that the fact the M. K. & T. rallroad. Leases certain that the treaty never could be they were in the war from the start in the vicinity of the test are reportand that their country was virtual- ed to have jumped from practically ly ruined, is not to be given the nothing to not less than \$1000 per

PUBLIC A VICTIM OF **COAL WAGE INCREASE**

Tells Senators that Operators Shoved Burden on Others.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- The public was pictured as the victim of the clusively assured. recent 14 per cent wage increase given coal miners, in testimony today by repsociation before the coal strike settlemant commission and the senate com-M. H. Ailsworth, executive man-

ager of the National Electric Light association, told the commission the pub lic had been led to believe that the wage increase would not be passed to consumers, but when the operators added the increase the price charged the public utilities it was inevitable that the advance should be reflected in rates. He declared that the utilities under state or municipal regulation increase.

Chairman Robinson announced that the expected former Fuel Administrator Garfield to appear soon to explain who are suffering from the embargo the intent of the strike settlement pro-posal as accepted by the operators with of the Chamber of Commerce to posal as accepted by the operators with regard to how the 14 per cent increase leave business and attend the meetwas to be absorbed, after which the ing. "hoped the commission would Sisco in the near future.

be able to agree unanimously on an award," adding that it would be ren-

HOOVER CITES RAIL CONTROL AS EXPERIMENT IN SOCIALISM

the railroads to private ownership the appointment of a fair price com-March 1 will mean the placing of private operation on its "final trial," in telegrams to his fury. For the rest the opinion of Herbert Hoover, expressed to his fury. For the rest the opinion of Herbert Hoover, expressed to his languard address as len K. Moore among the railroad men of the state: a description of how "our navy," the "dry land battleship film" Mr. Hoover attacked government operation of either railroads or shipping one reel and testimony concerning the as "experiments in socialism necessions and following the suit of nearly tested with the rest of the meeting it was said that dealers are raise food prices when the market rises but do not lower them when there is a drop in the price of committee is a need here more or less as a matter of course and following the suit of nearly tested with the rest of the opinion of Herbert Hoover, expresses the don't lower them when there is a drop in the price of committee is a need here more or less as a matter of course and following the suit of nearly the state of the saint of the saint of the saint of the market rises but do not lower them when there is a drop in the price of committee.

The opinion of Herbert Hoover, expresses the don't lower them when there is a drop in the price of committee. The opinion was general among the distributed as "experiments in socialism necessions."

Stand Against Russians Would Be Taken, With Majority, Albany Leader Tells Committee.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 17 .- If the bolsheviki ever should attempt by force to impose the soviet system of govern-AMERICAN EMBASSY AT LONDON ment on the American people against the will of the majority, American so- ER, WOULD BUILD ON BROAD-WAS CODING SUPREME COUN. the will of the majority, American so-CIL'S REPLY TO WILSON; MAY cialists would take their stand against the Russians, according to an assertion today by Morris Hillquit, socialist leader, at the investigation of the five sus-JUGO-SLAYS ARE ELATED pended socialist assemblymen charged with disloyalty.

Mr. Hillquit, chief counsel and first Feeling Prevails That They Have witness for the defense made this reply strong Champion; Tumulty Makes to a hypothetical question by Assembly Emphatic Denial That Note Pre- man William S. Evans, a member of

New Find on Vestal Lease 24 Miles Southwest in Untried Aren; Scouts Rush to Scene.

a report reaching this city late last before the directors by A. L. Mayhew Since the main facts are public night of a 3000-barrel gusher in of this city who offers to build a post

don thereto, and objects so strongly headquarters in Cisco, and is on the projected post office building from any as to contemplate America's with. Vestal lease in the extreme south- number of local business concerns but drawal from the Versailles compact east corner of Callahan county, just that he would make the rental to the as a possibility, and that the countries the Eastland county line. as a possibility, and that the coun-cil objects to the reopening of the lit was drilled in late yesterday af-question. The amplestics points

all be published while the courre- derrick in a continuous stream. The off of Main street. earthen tankage provided before the R. L. McManus, United States post well was drilled in is reported filled office inspector, who was present at the onfirming the first reports that the to overflowing in the first two hours meeting, said that if Mayhew's proposi-While no gauge of its production

to be estimated at anywhere from twice daily in Downing street, an . 3000 to 5000 barrels. Upon receipt of the report last night scouts of the group, experienced the greater sur- various companies here jumped into close on the their machines and drove furiously outhward.

dent of the Consolidated Oil com-The feeling at Italian headquar- pany, is on the scene of action. WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The peace treaty negotiations got into such a tangled state oday that despite claims ficially, it is spoken of as an attack of the president's action is strong. Unofficially, it is spoken of as an attack of 12 miles to the east. The new master general. ntee of earnings, is an invita- sands of oil field workers in Cisco randum" and was described as contain- sides were weakening, the treaty's best upon Italy, and his memorandum is well is said to have drilled into sand finstead of lime, which would preclude last Saturday inspecting the local The feeling in the Jugo-Slav camp to a great extent possibilities of its is equally strong, but has the ele- being a freak or having a treacherrial disturbances which are ation they can find here is card the form of a note and that it covered out at the same hole we went in," said ment of elation that the Slavs have ous formation for its source of pro

Regardless of whether or not the well is as good as it is said to be, if it is making any oil it means that it will open wide a territory that will practically close the circle of oil production about Cisco. The only gap in the ring about this oil center lay to the southwest exactly in the territory in which the Consolidated well is located.

If the well is in sand it will hold up indefinitely and if it holds up indefinitely the future of Cisco as the pivot point of a wide oil area is con-

MASS MEETING CALLED FOR LIFTING EMBARGO

A concerted attempt is to be made which would be of no marketable value here to effectively loosen the clutches of the freight embargo, described as having a strangling effect on advancement of Cisco, at a mass meeting called for the city hall at 3:30 Friday afternoon, at which time J. B. Shackelford, division freight agent of the Taxas & Pacific, will outline ways and means for Cisco to lift the embargo.

A number of cases citing effects of the embargo are to be presented to profit that they could not absorb the the meeting, it is said, and a general exchange of expression on the matter is sought. Merchants, contractors, home builders and scores of others

FAIR PRICE BOARD IS SUGGESTED FOR CISCO

Numerous complaints of profiteering in foodstuffs and other necessities of life among some of the local merchants came to a head last night when the di- five races will be held over the Sandy NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—The return of adopted a resolution looking toward July 15. Races will be held July 15, 17,

At the meeting it was said that dealtated by the war! to which there were all other cities of Texas the size of president and W. H. Sollinger of Chi-

WOULD FIGHT RED RULE OFFER GOVERNMENT NEW BUILDING FOR CISCO POSTOFFICE

WAY AND RENT TO UNCLE SAM FOR \$125 A MONTH.

OVER - CONGESTION

President W. E. Morris Tells Chamber Commerce Directors Office Would Bo Disgrace to Russian Government; "Anything Better"-Mayor.

"The Cisco post office would be a disgrace to the Russian govrnment," said W. E. Morris, president of the chamber of commerce at a meeting of the directo the community. If we build another temporary affair for a post office the temporary for about 25 years. It's a wonder the government hasn't gotten disgusted with the looks of the thing by this time, and if it hasn't we ought to let it continue to rot until the gov-

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 17.—The ident Wilson whether the text of the notes will be given to the world rests with Pres-

the well's spectacular outpour, tion shall be acceptable to the first asdrawal when a federal building shall have been erected in Cisco. He explained that the government could not build a post offic here without a direct appropriation for the purpose from congress and that practically no appropriations of that kind had been made since

the beginning of the war. The secretary of the chambe the hew looking toward the formulation of a definite proposition which McManus can lay before the first assistant post-

McManus, who has been here since post office, will leave Thursday, He says that he finds that the post

office here is not over congested except during the opening hours in the morning while business people are going to work, and between 5 and 6 c'clock in the evening when they are returning. He considers the only bad feature to be that this post office has no night service. He says the reason the night clerk was taken off a short time ago was because the railroads failed to deliver the mail and that the clerk was there to put up mail which was not there to be

put up. mail to the doors of all postoffices not more than a quarter of a mile from the railroad station," said McManus. "For some reason the railroad here has been lax on its night service, probably train arrivals."

Mayhew told the directors that the owner of the present post office property, which is renting for \$40 per month, agreed to give him the post office equipment contained in the building free, but that the additional equipment would be needed for the new post office to the amount of about \$3000. pend that sum of money on lock boxes should the government erect a building and move its post office at a future time. He suggested that the additional equipment be rented from the or \$40 a month and that land owners whose property would be enhanced by

upon to meet this expense. "Our post office is a disgrace and a Williamson, "and anything at all would be better than what we now have."

NEW YORK YACHT CLUB ACCEPTS LIPTON DEFI

Series For Best Three Out of Five Races to Be Held Over Sandy Hook Course in July.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 .- The New York Yacht club formally announced late today the acceptance of Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the American cup. The series of best three out of 20, 22 and 24, weather permitting, of until the challenging or defending yacht has won three races.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17 .- W. P. Ijams of Terre Haute, Ind., was elected presi H. Gill of Milwaukee was named vi

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drill its well on the Snyder land, mutually benefited by his offices. about five miles west of Moran, in today. The well is about a mile and a half north of the Callahan county awaiting some connections from company, is ill at her home in Cisco

New Town, Leeray, Booming. The new town of Leeray, which is being started on the boundary line between Eastland and Stephens counties, is taking a steady boom, according to reports from all sources. There are about 100 rigs up in and about the community and everything is getting under way for a heavy drilling campaign during the

Texas Company Chief Scont Back. nature of a wildcat it shows that tant doing down around Callahan duction coming this way. and Coleman county.

C. F. Smith, chief scout of the north central Texas division of the The Mid-Kansas Gets a Good One.

The Mid-Kansas No. 1 Harrell, S. Texas company, put on his hat and P. R. R. survey, section 459, brought coat in a hurry Saturday and dashed in a well Saturday which is making out to make a tour of wildcat terri- | 600 barrels. The lease is located tories in surrounding counties. He about 10 miles northeast of Cisco returned Monday and said that things While the well does not open up wooked pretty good in Callahan and new territory it will be a great en-Coleman counties, which may mean couragement for more extensive

the oil operations in 58 counties, was shot between 3141-3292 with and after he has ascertained as ac- 400 quarts. ruately as possible just what every well in these 58 counties is doing. he is through for the day and can go home, if he wants to, if another charge of the Tex-Ken division of day hasn't already started by that the Powers interests and formerly time. His scouting force, however, with the Humble Oil & Gas comis probably the largest in any one pany, was a visitor in Cisco Satur section of the state and covers the day. His trip was purely of a bus ground thoroughly.

So when Mr. Smith goes out into the field himself it generally means that something unusual is looming

Spencer Company Gets Good Man. outing department of the Sun com- them producers. pany, is now identified with the Spena high rating among the oil men beggars are few.

The Associated Oil company will Spencer Petroleum company will be

Oil Man's Wife Ill.

Mrs. H. M. Anderson, wife of the line and is said to have a showing general superintendent of the north of oil and gas. It has been capped central Texas division of the Texas with a severe attack of influenza. Mrs. Anderson took sick Sunday eve-Mr. Anderson is influential in oil circles here.

Good Well to the Northeast.

A well making about 525 barrels was brought in Saturday by the Prairie Oil & Gas company about three miles northeast of Eastland. It is the company's No. 1 Hanks, and is an offset to the Royal Duke Hanks No. 1, which came in some time ago making 1500 barrels.

While the new well is not in the There must be something impor- there is a lot of good undrilled pro-

whole lot.
Mr. Smith is only responsible for line in Eastland county. The well

Prominent Oil Man Here.

T. B. Hoffer of Fort Worth,

20 Completions at Dublin.

DUBLIN, Feb. 17.—Recently table ed figures as to drilling activitie C. V. Morgan, formerly with the completions in the county and all of

cer Petroleum company of Cisco in Two-fifths of the adult population of a similar capacity. Mr. Morgan holds Switzerland have bank accounts, and

CITY PROPERTY

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month, Address 206 box, Cisco. 15-2p

FOR SALE-New cottage five rooms

and bath, modern, small payment

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glad to show you what we have for

sale or to look your property over

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working from our officein sev-

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western states. If your prices are in

lining with the value of your prop-

erty we can sell your oil properties.

Place your oil stocks with us for sale.

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the oil fields we have some western

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and place same on our selling list.

balance like rent, also centrally cated trackage; priced reasonable.

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WANTED Second hand furniture and taken charge of the Gorman Progress second hand clothing. The Second and her former editor, George M. Hand Store, Daniels block, 816 Main Hill, has opened up a new and com-13-6t plete job printing plant here.

Henry Watterson 80 Years Old. CARRAZAN'S NEPHEW GOES LOUISVILE, Ky., Feb. 17 .- The TO ENGLAND FOR MUNITIONS

Louisville board of trade, which had WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- Colone prepared to "extend its hand" to Henry Watterson on the occasion of his 80th birthday, received a message from the widely known newspaper man, who is spending the winter in Miami, Fla., saying because of the wintry weather and long trip he could not be here for "the crown

advices from the Mexican capitol. Gorman Paper Changes Hands. ing festival of my long life." rill, formerly of Port Arthur, has

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evelopment of the public schools. athful publication of oil news.

er rural schools.

Development of every foot of Eastland county soil into producductive acres.

OUR daintiest little maid says she has one grave criticism to upon the year 1919. There was too much sameness to the res of the year.

TR. HOOVER, at least, is entitled to one form of distinction. its that he is not a candidate for president.

HE PARMER AND HIS ROADS.

dically we hear some one remark that the farmer should roads adjoining his property in good condition-or that ty should do thus and so.

rally these remarks come from some passing motorist, who is cutting the road up with his heavy car.

festly, good roads are an aid to every farmer, as they are to e who uses them.

testionably the state and county should take every means g the roads in proper condition. Improvements should be repairs should be kept up. We should rejoice to see of roadway in this county a veritable boulevard.

why hang it onto the farmer so insistently, when as a matct, the farmer is only a minor consideration in the constant

was no great public outcry for road improvement until obile came into vogue. But now that the automobile has be a luxury for the few and has come into general use, in the centers of population, everybody seems to think r ought to do more work on his roads. No one seems to that the car owner, who uses the roads for his pleasure, and them in the using, should be required to contribute his

mobiles do more to destroy country roads than all other combined. They should bear their proportionate share of

e is a state tax on automobiles. But what becomes of that lave you noticed any of it put to good use on the roads in nmunity? And yet automobiles from every part of the are tearing our roads to pieces three hundred and sixty-five

believe in good roads, but we also believe in the doctrine square deal.

motorists complain of the condittion of our roads, let the nd over a fair share of the tax on cars and we'll put those the pink of condition.

e strongly suspect that the farmers would be perfectly to keep the roads in repair themselves, if they were allowed a small head tax on every motorist who passed over them. of these days there will be a county tax on automobiles, ry car required to display the county license in plain view the county. Then the burden of maintenance will fall at tly where it belongs.

ERICA is large, and we have much room to spare, but not for the cuss who seeks to overthrow the government of d States. We may, or we may not, be of the party in ut we are Americans all, and we want nothing but Ameriper cent pure. That's our creed.

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THE OLD BACHELOR. Are people by the girls of lost desire. Pale things that filter through the gleams

And mock him ere they vanish in the fire. At night he sees them in the blaze, Gray ghosts of loves all dead and gone, Returned to tread remembered ways

And vanish at the breath of dawn. -James Lawlor. would you like to have the hat checking privilege for the presi-

all the men of attainment have been mentioned for the presiexcept the benefactor of the human race who invented the cir-

len shampoo comb for barber shops. BOY, PAGE LEW TELLEGEN.

ldine Farrar, supported for the first time by her husband."

e says he will shave us in spite of ourselves."—New York article. Probably meaning "save us." No bolshevik would

when we begin to believe that prohibition really prohibits and isn't a drop anywhere in this country, some wavering, lisping zes itno our office and tells us that he is a humming bird and going to fly to the moon

COMPENSATION OF \$765,697 GRANTED MIDLAND VALLEY

BULLETIN. WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 .- In its first action as to just compensation for an ontrol, the Midland Valley railroad ompany was granted \$765,697 in a de-

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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DALLAS BANKS REVEAL INCREASE OF MILLIONS

reserve cities increased \$193,385,000 between November 17 and Decem Fifth, \$10,000. ber 31, according to figures made public tonight by John Skelton Wil- 1205 Avenue F, \$3800. liams, comptroller of the currency. Of the 66 representing cities, 44 \$2500. show an aggregate increase of \$277. 911.000, with an aggregate reduction of \$84,526,000 in the remaining 22. The increase in the three central reserve cities of New York, Chi-

\$130,605,000. Cities whose national banks showed an increase in deposits of \$5,000,000 or more included Dallas.

INFLUENZA IN CISCO CONTINUES TO DECLINE

Although there has been some severe M. P. Caldwell, commercial superingular and few families in Cisco tendent, of Fort Worth, and R. M. during the last day or two the "flu" White, of Dallas, general office man.

Doctor Gregory stries that in all families in Cisco, and knowledge has reached his department he has been termoon for a business trip to Wichita able to call on relief organizations here

MANY WANT GARNER TO RUN

Well Known Cisco Business Man Prominent Ex-Political Figure, Texas NEW OLDEN STREETS CONNECT Pressing Personal Affairs.

n handling business details. The sug- address or at its conclusion n govegnmental affairs has been instru mental in many proposals to Mr. Gar

NEWS CLASSIFIED LOCATED MISSING DOG

credit for the return of th

of the News is found that th

OFFICER APPOINTED TO NAB COUNTY AUTO TAX DODGERS

The county commissioners hauthorized W. M. (Buster) McDo to start today apprehending owners of automobiles in the county who have not paid their vehicle tax. It is Q not only a misdemeanor to evade the payment of the tax, but it is not fair to those who have paid their dues, says McDough, and a rigid spacet will be made for all deline. not only a misdemeanor to evade search will be made for all delin-

POOR COTTON OPENING ENDS IN FIRMER TONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Early irregu larity was followed by a decidely firmowing to reports of a slight demand and the better late ruling of the stock market. May contracts closed at 34.65 with the general list closing steady at a net advance of nine to 60

The market opened steady at an advance of three points to a decline of three points and active months sold lower right after the call under realizing and scattering local or Wall street pressure. Cables were better than due, however, while Loverpool was an active buyer here and there were a few scattering reports from the south suggesting a renewed interest on the part of exporters. These features led to covering on which the market soon hurned firmer, with prices reaching the best levels of the day in the late trading. Easier call money rates probably accounted for some of the Wall street buying, while there was also a good demand from the trade and New Orleans. Private cables reported trade buying of pid crops in Liverpool to fix prices for Manchester spinners and continental traying of new crop months. There was lowe selling believed to be for spot jouse account during the early trading but no indication of spot pressure that the selling believed to be for spot jouse account during the early trading but no indication of spot pressure that the season. Port receipts 22,755: United States port stocks 1,458,158.

New Pattern Hats

The ladies of Cisco are cordially requested to risk Mas Verent and continued to the season.

The ladies of Cisco are cordially requested to visit Mrs. Kennon's hat shop and inspect the exclusive millinery now on display. There is a hat to wear with your new dress. The ate arrivals in pattern hats are the last word in stylish headgear. 18-1t

Among the Burmese the possession of a white elephant stands a sign and symbol of universal sovereignty Every Burmese king longs for the capture of such a treasure during his reign as a token of his legitimate royalty is secognized by the unseen powers.

Building Permits

al bank deposits in reserve in central Cisco amounted to \$16,306. They were: above a chasm, taking great risks, in Rockwell Bros., two-story brick on a scene from the First National special

R. Kennedy, four-room residence.

H. E. Carter Improving.

H. E. Carter, of the Cisco Land con pany, who has been confined to his bed caso and St. Louis amounted to friends say that he will resume business in a day or two.

Oklahoman Visits Son. R. H. London, civil was veteran of

Shawnee, Oklahoma, is visiting this the Cisco Land company.

Telephone Men Visit.

seems to continue on the down grade both of the Southwestern Telephone & in Cisco, says Dr. J. W. Gregory, city Telegraph company, spent a short time in Cisco Tuesday between trains

Spencer Attorney on Trip. Judge L. H. McCrea left Tuesday af-Palls, Fort Worth and other points in Texas, on business for the Spencer Pe

troleum company. FOR CONGRESS NOMINATION BAILEY SPEAKS AT GAINESVILLE.

> Politician, May Stage Comeback. FORT WORTH, Feb. 17.-Ex-Senator Balley's speech at Gainesville, Wednes- ber of Commerce is this week finish-

The largest delegations will attend from Fort Worth and Dallas, though Weather became settled.

When finished these s

will have many on hand. has written and which has been printed a deep sand bed over which the East. as far as Fort Worth and will go to for distribution, contains no reference land-Ranger road passes. to his candidacy for governor himself explained however that the an nouncement if made at all will be delivered either preceding the formal

NEWS WEEKLY FROM PATHE

er, show Pathe Weekly, the wonderul news picture, as soon as any thein the United States, the issue for amount day being right fresh from all over ne world as to its content. Pictures taken at Orange, N. J. show

Thos. A. Edison celebrating his 73rd birthday, automobile races at Phoenix, seneral Pershing on his trip of inspecand other timely subjects. This picture is in today's program

ANITA STEWART GETS THRILL IN HORSE JUMPING A CHASM

Anita Stewart makes a startling leap Building permits for yesterday in on horseback over a broken bridge feature, "In Old Kentucky," in which F. Sanders, five-room residence, she stars. This great American classic will be shown at the Vicitory theater today.

THREAD NOW SELLING \$1.20 DOZEN WHOLESALE"-LOTIF

Thread is being sold wholesale in for the last 10 days with an attack of the markets at a higher price than it influenza, is said to be improving and is retailed in Cisco," according to Cecil A. Lotif, local merchant, who has played, one most enjoyed was drawing just returned from market, where he bought spring and summer merchan-

I found the market short of merchandise. Thread is selling wholesale week with his soon, D. B. London, of at \$1.20 a dozen for standard makes," said the merchant. "There is a shortage in every line and it isn't what you wafers were served. Small Valentines want these days, it's what you can

FOUR OF FAMILY DEAD; FIFTH SERIOUSLY ILL

member of the family of Jim Woods has died within a week of pneumonia and the fifth, the mother, is herself gravely ill now at the family home at Puscola, south of here. Miss Fannie Woods died Sunday night and her three brothers died last week within 36 hours of each other. The epidemic of influenza-pneumonia-there has been very

OLDEN Feb. 17 .- The Olden Chamday afternoon, at which his return to Texas politics will likely be announced, will be delivered in a cotton warehouse capable of holding several thousand due to the continued bad weather it and a delightful ice course with delicious cake was served with Valentines for was decided to postpone it until the cake was served with Valentines for Downing, secretary of the chamber of

When finished these streets will con-Wichita Falls, Sherman and Denison nect with the main Eastland-Ranger highway at either side of the town, thus The text of the speech, which Bailey allowing traffic a smooth path around days. Mrs. Stuckey accompanied him say that he has been suffering more

Late Spring Arrivals

shop are pleasing to Cisco ladies. Cisco Monday on a visit to the families There's a reason. They are some of of Frank Harroll and G. E. Berry. GETS FIRST SHOWING HERE the most attractive ever shown in They will spend a few weeks here. Cisco. Mrs. Kennon's hats are ex-Williams and Box, of the Victory the clusive, and are not duplicated. 18-1t The Wesnesday Bridge club w

One of the enjoyable affairs of the Valentine season was a party given by the Christian Endeavor Saturday eve-Ining at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winston. Valentine decorations were used. This was appropriate not only because of St Valentine but because red and white are the colors of the Inernational Christian Endeavor. In the dining room, the table held a pot plant of red and white flowers as a cuterpiece with streamers of red and white and a diffusion of hearts throughout

the house. Games suitable for the occasion were hearts on a blackboard with names in center. Billy Bacon won first prize, a beautiful Valentine. Miss Flora Mae Stockard won the "booby," a comic Valentine. Pitching hearts in a basket created much merriment. Dainty refreshments of red and white hearts with

Those present were Misses Opal Dos sett, O. P. Simmons, Tommie Ford, Marie Winston, Clara Tucker, Alice Lemburg, Ila and Ima Sims, Theresa Weddington, Kathaleen Davis, Moselle Hooks, Julia Shepherd, Nellie Mace Tune, Flora Mae Stockard, Vista Mac Mahan, Mary Parks, Helen Holmes, Hester Tune and Messrs. Ralph Moore. Irving Wicker, L. E. Oler, M. T. Thelman, Otis Mahaffey, Irvin Frazier, Cecil McAfee, Rex Moore, P. B. Coughran, Carl McCarty, Lex McKinne, Eugene Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Vivmn Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winston, Mrs. Floyd Moon and Mr. Wallace.

WITH RANGER-EASTLAND ROAD bridge Monday afternoon at her home on Avenue H. She was assisted in receiving and entertaining by Bonham and A. D. Martin. plate favors.

> last night for Dallas to spend several of influenza. Friends of Downing, Jr. Decatur to visit her parents.

mother in Mckinney. Mrs. J. L. Harroll and son John, of in millinery at Mrs. Kennon's bat Santa Rita, New Mexico, arrived in

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Started to work clearing and excavating the ground on their ideal site, preparatory to constructing their large 3000-barrel plant, and the completion of this plant will be finished as rapidly as the weather and unforeseen obstacles permits.

We ask and deserve your most close co-operation in helping us to build this bonafide dividend-paying industry, one of the greatest things that the city of Cisco can do, is to build her home industries. An industrial town is one that always stands.

Think of this when you think of the Economy Refining Company. We invite you, must plead with you, to call at our office and let us explain the plans and profits that are made from this great industry.

If one of the representatives of the Economy Refining Company should call on you to purchase its shares, do not pass it up as a wildcat proposition, for it is not, it is a home industry, backed by home people. We will drill no dry holes nor gamble with your monew, for refineries speak for themselves. Give the representative a hearing, let him explain to you our plans and prospects of this great industry. The men behind this industry are practical business men of ability.

Call and see us, office at the Hartman Hotel, for now is

SOCIETY

were used for favors.

meet this afternoon with Mrs. L. H. Harrison, on West Sixth.

The Merry Wives "42" club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Guy Ward,

on Seventh street. TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE-One hundred acres royal ty; \$500 per acre; located between Baggett and Ledbetter wells, C. N. Wagley, owner, Cisco, Texas. 18-5t

CAN SELL right now-don't wait too long. Leases and royalties, Hillburn well territory. For \$140 to \$200 per acre. Baten & Hamilton, Masonic building.

FOR RENT-Two furnished rooms with bath. 608 West 10th, telephone

COSDEN WELL AT OLDEN SETTLES TO 600 BARRELS

OLDEN, Feb. 17 .- The Cosden well No. 1, Dawson tract, on the Olden townsite, which came in about 10 days ago after a shot, has had the eightinch easing set and after being swabbed if it is bought at Mrs. Kennon's hat 600 barrels daily.

This is the first well to find big production this far south of the Ranger field, and is causing many operators to believe that a new sand has been found about 300 feet above the level of the eggs are hatched by the heat of the de-Ranger sand.

The Humble J. M. Scott No. 2, which 15 feet high and 150 feet in circumfer this well offsets, is being cleaned and ence. They are believed to be the will be bridged back to this 3000-foot largest nests made by any creature. sand and shot. The Humble well's present depth is about 3400 feet. It came in as a gasser.

TAKEN WITH INFLUENZA WHILE AT RISING STAR

Harry C. Downing, son of Walter commerce, was brought from Rising The Reverend Lewis N. Stuckey left Star Sunday, suffering from an attack than usual with the disease, but is getting a little better.

Downing, who is but 16 years of age. is one of the workers on the staff of surveyors on the county good roads pro

EASTLAND, Feb. 17 .- Prairie Oil & Gas, Hanks No. 3 offsetting the Royal Duke well on the Hanks, came in this morning, making five hundred and twenty-five barrels from 3563.

States Oil Corporation, L. C Harrell No. 2 in the Holleman shallow field, seven miles north of Eastland, struck pay last night and is making 300 bar rels from 1834 to 1853. It will be drilled about 300 feet deeper.

The States Oil Corporation S. C. Bond No. 1, five miles northwest of Eastland, is running six inch casing back into the hole. It is making 650 barrels and acting as if it will increase its flow after it is cleaned out.

The Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company's well on the C. J. Harrell tract seven miles northwest of Eastland is reported to be making 1000 barrels after a shot and going strong. It will probably be a big well when it is clean-

It Is Exclusive Millinery

has settled into a steady production of shop. This establishment features the popular Grace hat, which is without a superior in style, material and workmanship.

The mound-shaped nests of the jun since the pay was reached at 3010 feet, gle fowls of Australia, in which the composing vegetation are sometimes

> There are 130 colleges in China de voted to the teaching of scientific agri-

TODAY'S SPO

CALENDAR Racing-Winter meeting American Jockey club, at winter meeting of Busine Racing association, at New

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Baseball-Schedule meet ernational league, at New Y Skating—International chuships begin at Lake Placid, Xi Tennis—Florida state chu ship tournament opens at

Beach Racquets-National single ionship tournament opens

York. Swimming-National junior yard back stroke champions Greensburg, Pa.

Golf-Men's handicap toun opens at Ashevilel, N. C.; Cut steur championship tourns Havana; Washington's birthday nament at Belleair, Fla. Boxing - Jack Wolfe Lynch, 10 rounds, at Cler

SPRING AND WINTER IN RAPID CHANGE AT

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