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Politics and the Politicians.
Minot, N. D., will vote May 11 on the question of adopting the commission plan of government.

The disfranchisement amendment promises to be the paramount issue in the fall campaign in Maryland.

Two States, Connecticut and Washington, have lost their governors since the beginning of the year.

E. C. Shields has been elected to succeed John T. Winship as chairman of the democratic State central committee in Michigan.

It is expected that R. V. Davison, attorney general of Texas, will become a candidate for governor of that State at the primaries next year.

It is reported that the anti-Lafollette forces in Wisconsin may decide upon Walter Alexander of Wassau as the best man to oppose Lafollette in the primary for United States senator a year from next fall.

District Attorney Francis J. Honey, whose prosecution of the San Francisco grafters has brought him national fame, has declined to consider a proposal that he become a candidate for mayor of San Francisco.

Carl F. Kuehne of Dennison, is regarded as a receptive candidate for the republican gubernatorial nomination in Iowa. He has long been prominent in Iowa affairs and is a former law partner of Leslie M. Shaw.

Frank B. Weeks, who has become acting governor of Connecticut as a result of the recent death of Governor Lilley, was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., fifty-five years ago, but has lived in Connecticut since he was a boy.

Senator McCumber of North Dakota is to have a hard fight on his hands to be re-elected next year. Congressman Marshall and ex-Senator Hansbrough are already spoken of as prospective candidates for McCumber's seat and it is possible that Governor Burke also may decide to enter the lists.

Hamilton C. Finley is the first democrat elected mayor of Hoopston, Ill., since the city was incorporated thirty-eight years ago. He vigorously opposed a proposition to raise the mayor's salary, which has remained 50 cents a year since Hoopston was incorporated. The aldermen receive 25 cents a year each.

Duncan Uphaw Fletcher, who has been formally elected United States senator from Florida, has been considered senator-elect since the primaries last June, when he was nominated by the democratic party in the primary vote. He has served as a member of the Florida legislature and as mayor of Jacksonville.

The terms of the following United

States senators expire on March 7, 1911: Aldrich of Rhode Island, Beveridge of Indiana, Bulkeley of Connecticut, Burkett of Nebraska, Burrows of Michigan, Carter of Montana, Clapp of Minnesota, Clark of Wyoming, Depew of New York, Dick of Ohio, Du Pont of Delaware, Flint of California, Hale of Maine, Kean of New Jersey, Oliver of Pennsylvania, Lafollette of Wisconsin, Lodge of Massachusetts, McCumber of North Dakota, Nixon of Nevada, Page of Vermont, Piles of Washington, Scott of West Virginia, Sutlerland of Utah, Warner of Missouri, Culberson of Texas, Daniel of Virginia, Frazier of Tennessee, Money of Mississippi, Rayner of Maryland and Taft of Florida.

A Hint for the Home Laundress.

Half the looks of a shirt waist depend on the way it is done up. If it is washed with cheap strong yellow soap, so that it gets streaked and stained instead of being cleaned and beautified it is "done up" sure enough. The woman who values her personal appearance—and that means every woman—will see to it that her shirt waists are laundered with a soap that leaves them white and clean and sweet and new looking.

No dress collar, no matter how delicate the material, should be allowed to become soiled, and it is bound to if not cared for properly. About every other time, after wearing, the edge should be wiped with a cleansing fluid, the latter applied with a soft cloth.

The Woman's Home Companion gives directions for the making of a tea tray which is decidedly novel and which I am sure would prove very useful. Take a piece of satin of any shade harmonious with the color scheme of the table or room; place a small lace dolly in the center and frame this in an oval gilt frame. (These frames can be found in any of the department stores, sometimes with inexpensive pictures in them, for 25 cents.) A piece of white linen with either the white dolly or an embroidered initial in the center framed in a white-enameled frame also makes a handsome tray. The glass is easily wiped off and the linen remains as spotless as before it was used. A piece of felt may be glued on the bottom of the tray to prevent scratching or marring the table in any way.

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In view of the wide distribution of sharks and their strength and ferocity, qualities which appealed to the savage mind, it is not strange that the cult of shark worship should have arisen. This worship is especially common in the south seas, where sharks are very numerous, says the Detroit Free Press.

In the Solomon islands living sacred objects are chiefly sharks, alligators, snakes, etc. Sharks are in all these islands very often thought to be the abode of ghosts, as natives will at times before their death announce that they will appear as sharks. Afterward any shark remarkable for size or color which is observed to haunt a certain shore or rock is taken to be some one's ghost, and the name of the deceased is given to it.

Such a one was Sautahlmatawa at Ulawa, a dreaded man eater, to which offerings of porpoise teeth were made. At Saa certain food, such as coconuts from certain trees, is reserved to feed such a ghost shark, and there are certain men of whom it is known that after death they will be in sharks. These, therefore, are allowed to eat such food in the sacred place. In Saa and Ulawa if a sacred shark had attempted to seize a man and he had escaped the people would be so much afraid of the shark's anger that they would throw the man back in the sea to be drowned. These sharks also were thought to aid in catching the bonito, for taking which supernatural power was necessary.

In the Banks islands a shark may be a tangarua, a sort of familiar spirit or the abode of one. Some years ago Manurwar, son of Mala, the chief man in Vanua Lava, had such a shark. He had given money to a Manwo man to send it to him. It was very tame and would come up to him when he went down to the beach at Nawono and follow along in the surf as he walked along the shore. In the New Hebrides some men have the power, the natives believe, of changing themselves into sharks.

The Samoan native believed that his god appeared in some visible incarnation, and the particular thing in which it was in the habit of appearing was to him an object of veneration. Many worshiped the shark in this way, and while they would freely partake of the gods of others they felt that death would be the penalty should they eat their own god. The god was supposed to avenge the insult by taking up his abode in the offender's body and causing to generate there the very thing which he had eaten until it produced death. In one village Taema, the war god, was present in a bundle of shark's teeth. These curiosities were done up in a piece of native cloth and consulted before going to battle. If the bundle felt heavy that was a bad omen, but if light the sign was good, and off they went to the fight.

In the Fiji islands, Vavua and other gods claim the shark as their abode, and their devotees must never eat of that fish, for if they did they would be partaking of the god himself.

It was in the Hawaiian islands, however, that shark worship reached its greatest perfection. Its worship was quite common on the islands, each one having a special shark as his ancestral god. The worship of sharks was due largely to the fact that the belief in the transmigration of souls is quite general among the Polynesians, and the Hawaiians would feed their dead to the sharks under the supposition that in this way the soul of the dead would enter the sharks and so animate the latter as to incline them to respect the bodies of the living.

Several of the African coast tribes worship the shark. Three or four times in the year they celebrate the festival of the shark, which is done in this wise: They all row out in their boats to the middle of the river, where they invoke, with the strangest ceremonies, the protection of the great shark. They offer to him poultry and goats in order to satisfy his sacred appetite. But this is nothing. An infant is every year sacrificed to the monster, which has been feted and nourished for the sacrifice from its birth to the age of ten. On the day of the fete it is bound to a post on a sandy point at low water. As the tide rises the child may utter cries of terror, but they are of no avail, as it is abandoned to the waves, and the sharks soon arrive to finish its agony and thus permit it to enter into heaven.

The Polynesians have an ancient fable treating of the flight of Ina, the daughter of Vatoringa and Ngaetna, to the sacred isle. After the sole dumped her at the edge of the breakers with such disastrous results to herself from the angry princess the latter summoned the shark and by its help succeeded in reaching the sacred island. Feeling thirsty during the voyage, Ina cracked a coconut on the shark's forehead, and this accounts for the bump now found on the forehead of all sharks.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

For Wichita Falls and Vicinity
—Tonight unsettled weather and cooler. Thursday, generally cloudy weather.

Wichita Falls, Texas, May 5th, 1909.

From the present outlook, the prospects for either an average wheat or oat crop is not flattering. The Times is not a pessimist, but it does not believe in holding out hope for something that is now impossible, it matters not how great the rainfall might be between now and the time for harvest. This country has long since learned not to depend on any one crop for its prosperity, and since this lesson has been learned both country and city have prospered. Since our farmers have learned to diversify, land values have more than doubled, as has also the population of both country and town. It has also been most thoroughly demonstrated that in years when the rain did not come soon enough to make wheat and oat crops, they did come in ample time to make bumper crops of corn, cotton and feed stuffs. In fact, during a residence of eighteen years of the writer in this country, there has never been but one year out of the eighteen when there was not sufficient rainfall at the proper time to have produced good crops of corn, cotton and feed stuffs. At that time our farmers were of the opinion that this country was not good for anything except small grain crops, and when they failed on this, they allowed their lands to lie idle until the next year and then again planted them to small grain. Now conditions are very different, and

it is well that it is so. They have cut down their acreage in wheat and oat crops and use their lands for other crops. As a result, such a thing as total crop failures do not occur. Therefore, while it would have been much better had the rainfall been sufficient to produce good small grain crops, there is nothing now to indicate that the rains will not come in ample time for the making of other crops, and reports from the country warrant the assertion that the acreage to cotton and corn will be increased over that of last year.

Ex-Empress Eugenie's Birthday.

Special to the Times.
London, Eng., May 5.—Ex-Empress Eugenie, widow of the last Napoleon who sat upon the imperial throne of France, is celebrating her 83rd birthday today, old, broken in health and spirit and chastened by the misfortunes which befell her after a brief but highly sensational and extremely brilliant career. Few women can look back upon experiences so varied and full of contrasts as the now old and feeble ex-Empress of the French. Few women ever rose from comparative obscurity to a high and commanding position of honor in so short a time and survived their fall, to drain to the bitter dregs the cup of disappointment, regret and repentance.

Eugenie's career was in many respects phenomenal. Born in Granada, Spain, on May 5, 1826, Eugenie Montijo was the product of a peculiar racial mixture. Her father, the Count de Montijo, was a Spanish grandee, who traced his lineage to the early Spanish kings, while her mother was a Kirkpatrick, of Scotch-Irish stock. Her mother was an extremely clever and cunning adventuress and it was due as much to her scheming and careful laying of plans as to her daughter's beauty and brilliancy that Eugenie succeeded in winning not only the love of Prince Louis Napoleon, then president of the second republic, but in bringing him to complete surrender. It was well known that Napoleon's intentions at first were far from being honorable, but so careful did mother and daughter play their game that Napoleon, who had in the meantime become emperor, married the young adventuress, contrary to the advice of his ministers.

The marriage took place on January 29, 1853. The French people were full of enthusiasm over the romance of the alliance and idolized the beautiful young woman who shared the throne. A brilliant time began for the guests of all European courts and for many years Eugenie was the most envied and

most talked-of woman in the world. But, not satisfied with her triumphs as a woman she became possessed with a consuming ambition for political power. Her attempts to gratify this ambition led to serious and disastrous consequences, disastrous not only for France, but for the ambitious empress.

The fall of Sedan, the imprisonment of Napoleon and the siege of Paris were followed by the terrible days of the commune. Eugenie, no longer the idol of her people, made her escape from Paris and France only with great difficulty, under the protection of Dr. Evans, an American dentist, and reached England a fugitive, without a country and shorn of all her greatness. Only her husband and her only son remained to her. Napoleon died soon thereafter at Chislehurst and a few years later her beloved son was killed fighting for the English in South Africa.

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It Contained a Lesson For the Man With a Grievance.

An old farmer once called at the White House and complained that the Union soldiers in passing his farm had helped themselves not only to hay, but to his horse, and he hoped the president would urge the proper officer to consider his claim immediately.

"Why, my dear sir," replied Mr. Lincoln blandly, "I couldn't think of such a thing. If I consider individual cases I should find work enough for twenty presidents."

The caller urged his needs persistently, and Mr. Lincoln declined good naturedly.

"But," said the persevering sufferer, "couldn't you just give me a line to Colonel — about it—just one line?"

"Ha, ha, ha!" responded the president, crossing his legs. "That reminds me of old Jack Chase out in Illinois."

"You see, Jack—I knew him like a brother—used to be a lumberman on the Illinois river, and he was steady and sober and the best raftsman on the stream. It was quite a trick to take the logs over the rapids, but he was skillful with a raft and always kept her straight in the channel. Finally a steamer was put on, and Jack—his dead now, poor fellow—was made captain of it. He always used to take the wheel going through the rapids. One day when the boat was plunging and wallowing along the boiling current and Jack's utmost vigilance was being exercised to keep it in the narrow channel a boy pulled his coattail and luffed him with:

"Say, Mr. Captain, I wish you would just stop your boat a minute! I've lost my apple overboard!" "Think that story over, my friend, and see if you can find any lesson in it."

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What May Be Done With a Plot Twenty by Fifty Feet.

A space 20 by 50 feet may under intensive culture be made to yield fresh vegetables for a small family through half the year. With 40 by 50 feet or 60 by 100 there can be a garden spelling riotous plenty.

Have the spading done as early as possible, use thoroughly rotted manure and supplement it with some good commercial fertilizer, either broadcasted and raked in or put in hills or drills.

It is a waste of seed, strength and time to plant a garden in poor soil. The seed will come up, the spindling plants will be harder to work than if they were luxuriant, and the resultant crop will be mostly conspicuous by its absence. So, if it be impossible to do more, make small rich beds, four feet wide and as long as the manure holds out, and sow them crosswise with such things as radishes, lettuce, cress, parsley, beets and onions. Make the rows a foot to eighteen inches apart or sow the radishes broadcast. Lettuce also yields more for broadcast sowing. Pull out the thickest as soon as edible and leave the rest to grow. Radish tops make excellent greens, something better flavored than mustard. By sowing thickly you can have dishes of greens.

Say the garden is 40 by 50 feet, this is something what the planting of it should be: Dwarf early peas, medium early and late peas, beets, early and later; beans in succession, including bush limas; carrots, radishes, tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers. Do not adventure upon corn unless it be sweet corn planted on the pea space as a second crop, to come in just before frost. Make an asparagus bed all across one end of the plot, setting two-year-old roots and fertilizing the bed heavily in early summer just after cutting ceases.

Peas are so hardy they may be planted before snow is past, provided, of course, the ground is right when they go in. Make it fine and light, cover the seed at least three inches deep, then tramp the earth over them, setting the feet so one track touches the other. A quart of seed will sow a hundred feet of drill the proper thickness. An ounce of beet seed will sow the same row length.—Chico Magazine.

The Last Straw.

"Every time I give a party," cried the discouraged hostess, "I vow I'll never give another, but I've decided this time. No more for me. It's the red cheeked man. I don't find their taking up the rugs and dancing until after midnight and getting dispossession notices served on me the next morning, or leaving cigarette ashes all over the place for me to clean up, or scattering the Welsh rabbit from one end of the flat to the other, but when the red cheeked man sits on my piano keys when he gives an imitation of something or somebody and I have to pay \$4 to have my piano tuned the next day that'll be about all."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Illustrious Barbers.

William W. Stanley, to whom we are indebted for the "Lives of the English Poets," began his career by soaping faces. Farr, who introduced coffee into England; Dr. John Taylor, whose eloquent voice so often sounded in St. Paul's; Jean Baptiste Belzoni, giant and explorer; James Craggs, secretary of the south sea bubble; Mr. Herbert Ingram of the Illustrated London News; Allan Ramsay, the "Gentle Shepherd;" Lord Chancellor Sugden, Lord Tenterden, Jeremy Taylor and Blzet, the composer of the opera "Carmen," were born and bred and were trained in barbers' shops.—London Notes and Queries.

The Sister States.

Probably the sister states are: Miss Ourl, the Misses Sippi, Ida Ho, Mary Land, Callie Fornia Aille Bama, Louisa Anna, Della Ware and Minnie Sota.—Letts Iowa Record.

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Separate and Together.

First Seaman—I say, Bill, wot's this card?
Second Seaman—That's the saloon passengers' menu, of course.
"But wot does it mean?"
"Oh, it's a list of all the things they have for dinner—soup and fish and vegetables and meat. That's the difference between the snoon and the fore-castle; they get them all separately and call it a menu. In the fore-castle we get them altogether and call it Irish stew."—London Answers.

True Tale.

"My daughter gave us an awful scare the other day," said a caller last night. "She went away for a visit in New York. And she sent a telegram from Buffalo, her first stop. My wife was afraid to open it. We had visions of train wrecks, sudden illness and all sorts of things. And what do you think the message said? This: 'I forgot to tell you—don't eat up all the strawberry jam while I'm gone.'"—Cleveland Leader.

As It Happens.

Bobbie—Papa, when a foreign count gets engaged to an American girl, is she his fiancée? Robert—That is a matter of opinion, son. Usually she is his fiancée.—New York Press.

Society is a troop of thinkers, and the best heads among them take the best places.—Emerson.

Walking in New York.

Men walk more rapidly in the streets of New York city than in any other city in the world. The average speed during the business hours, according to the most careful calculations possible, is four and one-tenth miles an hour. After sunset the pace drops nearly one mile an hour.—New York Herald.

The Mistress of the House.

"She spends all her time in the library."
"Ah, she is literary?"
"Not especially. But the cook won't allow her in the kitchen, and the maids don't want her about the halls or parlors."—Pittsburg Post.

Deduction.

"Tell me what you eat, and I will tell you what you are," boasted an amateur sage.
"Well, I ate a Welsh rabbit and a lemon pie last night."
"You're a fool."—Kansas City Journal.

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PHONE 144 CITIZENS' DAIRY & ICE CREAM COMPANY PHONE 144

Personal Mention.

Capt. W. T. Coffield and wife of Bowie are in the city visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. E. Dempsey of Petrolia, was among the local visitors in the city today.

Mrs. George Bouge of Antlers, Oklahoma, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Mater.

W. R. Ferguson, cashier of the First National bank of Iowa Park, was transacting business here today.

The Times regrets to state that J. L. Powell is reported to be quite sick at his home, two miles north of this city.

J. W. Blackstock, one of Petrolia's enterprising citizens, was transacting business here today.

T. B. Wilson, one of Archer county's well-to-do farmers and stockmen, was here today transacting business.

Mrs. T. C. Page returned yesterday from a visit with relatives at Frederick and Snyder, Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. G. Fitzhugh has returned to her home at Duncan, Oklahoma, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Brooks, on Scott avenue.

Mrs. T. H. Huggins and little son of Childress, who have been visiting relatives in this city, left for home this afternoon.

County Treasurer Chas. Humphreys of Baylor county was in the city today on his return from a business trip to Southern Texas.

E. B. Carver of Archer City, Carl Williamson of Seymour, T. B. Whisenand of Holliday and E. A. Stevens of Round Timbers, were made members of Wichita Falls Lodge No. 1105 B. O. O. Elks last night.

C. B. Park of Amarillo was in the city this afternoon looking after his business interests in this section of the country.

No Rainfall Reported. Heavy clouds overhanging the southern skies last night, but so far as can be learned no precipitation fell in any of the territory tributary to Wichita Falls.

At Newcastle and Olney there were violent electrical displays, but no rainfall.

The Wichita Valley reports no rain between Wichita Falls and Abilene.

While reports have not been received from Graham and Jacksboro, it is believed that rain may have fallen at these points.

At the Christian Church. Our services were good last night and we press on hopefully. Subject at 8 p. m., 'Lord, are there few saved.' Luke 13:25. Come and worship with us and we will do thee good. We expect to close Sunday night. Let us make a united effort till then. There will be many lost souls in our city. This is sad, but true.

Married at the residence of A. J. Bush, Mr. Chas. M. Mann and Miss Pearl Baird, at 7:45 p. m. yesterday. Both are residents of our city and will continue to reside here.

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Roberson-Waller. The following account of the wedding of Clyde Roberson, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Roberson, and a former resident of Wichita Falls...

The church was handsomely adorned with palms and pink and white decorations. The ushers were Messrs. Harry Hunt and James Sellars.

The bride party entered the room, accompanied by the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Mrs. D. W. Dunn.

The groom is a young business man of Farwell, and his large number of friends bear witness to his excellent standing and conduct.

Their many friends extend heartiest congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberson, and as an expression of such have showered them with a number of handsome presents.

Real Estate Transfers. Minnie May Addicks to Frank Collier and Rhea Duke, lot 9 in block 219; \$1,750.

Small Blaze Yesterday Afternoon. The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon by a blaze at the home of W. S. Edwards at 1019 Seventh street.

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