

TENNESSEE SAVES WOMAN SUFFRAGE

HILBURN ROAD IS DISCUSSED BY THE DIRECTORS

Topics Last Night at the Chamber of Commerce and Production and Arrangements are perfected for the Early Prosecution of the Work — The Gas Problem — More New Industries.

FILIPINOS NOT FIT FOR INDEPENDENCE WANT PROHIBITION

HONOLULU, Aug. 18.—The independence of the Philippines before the next twenty-five years is opposed as a crime of the first magnitude by Representative Randall of California, a member of the congressional party touring Oriental countries, who reached here on the way to the United States.

FOUR MILE RAILWAY HAS EQUIPMENT TO GET EXPRESS SERVICE

Special to the News. HOBY, Aug. 18.—The American Railway Express company has assured the West Texas Chamber of Commerce that it is ready to extend its express service to this city as soon as regular service is established on the Ruby & Northern railroad, which now appears to be operated only when there is sufficient freight for its tonnage run.

SMALL CHILD DROWNS

The eighteen-month old child of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland, whose place adjoins the city, was drowned yesterday morning in a large tank. Mrs. Cleveland was busy at work while the child was playing about the yard. When she looked for it the child was not in sight and later the body was taken from the tank. The funeral was from the residence yesterday afternoon.

NEFF ADHERENTS TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT AND START BATTLE

Thirty-five or forty Neff supporters met impromptu at city hall last night and formed a temporary organization. At this meeting it was resolved to call a general meeting of all Neff supporters on Friday night, at city hall, at which time a permanent and more formidable organization will be formed.

JOHN OSBORNE NEAR DEATH AFTER BEING BRUTALLY BEATEN

Found Unconscious On Street Early This Morning. He is at Sanitarium Hovering Between Life and Death While Officers are Trying to Find the Persons Guilty of the Fiendish Crime.

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Special to the News. DE LEON, Aug. 18.—Nine acres of long uncultivated land just east of town, purchased last fall by Dick Henderson and planted to corn, will make 900 bushels, according to reports to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. At \$1.25 a bushel the corn will pay for the land three times over, as it ordinarily cost him only \$5 an acre. Some of the stalks taken from this patch were ten feet high, with two large, well-formed ears. The possibilities of farming in this section are many.

FEAR WOOD ALCOHOL BEATS THE SLEUTHS IN ENFORCING LAW

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 18.—Prohibition has produced a new mental disease, according to Donald A. McDonald, State Director of Federal Prohibition. And the new disease is proving one of the most potent weapons of enforcement of the prohibition law, he says.

HIGHER PASSENGER RATES

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18.—An early increase of 20 per cent in Trans-Pacific passenger rates was forecast last night by H. N. Thomas, general passenger agent of the China Mail Steamship Company.

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LARGE COMMITTEES NAMED TO PREPARE FOR THE EXCURSION

General Committee Met Tuesday Afternoon and Named Many Others — Everybody Requested to Work Energetically to Make This the Largest Excursion Ever Going Out of a West Texas Town.

SHORTAGE OF COAL CAUSED DEL RIO TO SHUT DOWN PLANT

Special to the News. DEL RIO, Aug. 18.—A coal shortage here recently has caused a great deal of inconvenience and shut down industry. The local water and power company has been unable to operate. Arrangements have been made for the latter company to obtain three cars of coal each week from mines near Eagle Pass. According to information to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce there is a coal famine in several towns in West Texas.

ANOTHER AMERICAN MAKES ANOTHER NEW RECORD AT OLYMPIC

Associated Press. ANTWERP, Aug. 18.—Earl Thompson, star Dartmouth College representing the candidate, won the final heat in the one hundred and ten metres hurdles and hung up a new world's record, fourteen and four-fifths seconds. Barron, of Philadelphia, second, Murray, of New York Athletic Club, third.

TEXAS TO ILLINOIS

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 18.—W. G. Muir, three years athletic director at Cleburne, Texas, high school was named for the same position in the Decatur high school.

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AUSTIN, Aug. 18.—Major General Dickman, commander of the southern department of the United States army, came from San Antonio today to review the Texas National Guard encampment. He may be here until they break camp Friday.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS UNUSUALLY LIGHT AS MARKETS ARE LOW

Associated Press. PORT WORTH, Aug. 18.—Shipments of cattle from Texas ranges continue unusually light, chiefly because of the lack of cars and bad market conditions, according to the report of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association.

FOR SON'S DISGRACE

ABERDEEN, Miss., Aug. 18.—James Marshall, father of the man sentenced to hang for murder and four members of his family, at Amory, swallowed poison. Prompt medical attention it is believed will save him.

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THE PEACE MEETING

Associated Press. MOSCOW, Aug. 18.—The Russian soviet peace terms were read to the Polish delegates at the first meeting at Minsk yesterday. The Polish delegates will answer today.

FRANCE IN FIGHTING MOOD

PARIS, Aug. 18.—The French government intends to protest energetically against a decision of Reginald Tower, alid high commissioner at Danzig, for bidding further debarkation at Danzig of French munitions for Poland.

RUSSIANS BECOMING GOOD

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The Russian bolshevik peace delegation at Minsk is instructed to recognize fully the national existence of Poland and not to interfere with the domestic affairs of the country, says a Minsk dispatch to the Herald, a labor organ.

AWAY FROM BASE

WARSAW, Aug. 18.—The bolshevik advance into Poland is without concern for its lines of communication, according to refugees' statements to the Warsaw Gazette.

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## DEADLY BASEBALL

From a most unfortunate and fatal accident occurring on a baseball field yesterday, some of the ultra timid will draw lessons to teach that baseball is a rude, rough and dangerous game and one which should be prohibited. Ever teeming with minor accidents, there is no class of outdoor sports in which the percentage of serious and fatal accidents is smaller than in the game of baseball.

There is an undercurrent of feeling apparent among ball players of the big leagues which lends to this specific accident, perhaps, more than is shown in the dispatches telling of it. The fact that two teams have asked that the man throwing the ball which struck and caused the death of another player, be banished from baseball and a declaration by many players that they will never play in a game with him, is no less than an intimation that they believe guilt must rest upon him.

Guilt could only be raised, or extant, by malice aforethought and there is no evidence of it in this case. At law, malice may always be presumed and the probability of it drawn

from all the circumstances surrounding the case.

What forms the thought in the minds of these players, who refuse to longer play with him and seek to banish him from the game, is no doubt drawn from their close knowledge of the rivalry between teams and individual players and the many times bitter enmity arises from minor matters.

In this case, as in all others, the man throwing the ball must be presumed innocent until guilt is proven and he should always have the benefit of the doubt before he is condemned and driven from his occupation.

Had there been trouble between the thrower of the ball and the dead man, there might be more cause for the other players boycotting him than now appears, but so far there has been no evidence offered of anything of this kind. It may be something known only to the players and not to the public which prompts their action.

To say the least, it is a very unfortunate affair in the baseball world, one which may have a very wide bearing on the future success or failure of the national game.

## ADVERTISE CISCO

Exhibits from Cisco at the Dallas fair and the Waco Cotton Palace would prove of benefit beyond a doubt, but it would have its limitations. Texas people are all familiar with what is here, but the people in the north and east, people in other states, must be shown.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is sending two special trains carrying exhibits from this section of the state to all the state fairs in the north and east and Cisco has been invited to add its quota of these exhibits.

These exhibits are not limited to agricultural products alone. Cisco

may send samples of its coal, its magnificent clay deposits, and articles manufactured from it. It may send samples of oil and oil products. It may join with the farmers of the community in sending some of the finest products of the farm. There are so many things here that they cannot be enumerated, a good display of which would prove a matter of astonishment to the people in northern and eastern states and induce them to come and see the country where these are found or produced.

This exhibit should be prepared and be ready to go on the next train which will leave August 26, and go to nine different state fairs.

## GOOD FOR POLAND

The latest dispatches telling of the Poles successfully defending their capital against the Russian red hordes, repulsing them, driving them back in disorder and continuing the pursuit, are matters of much satisfaction in this country, for while the people never want to see this nation again engaged in a war, there has been a strong feeling that it was not right to see this people stamped out and by such a force as now dominates the Russian government.

The valour of the Poles has been proven, years and years ago and un-

like some other peoples, of other nations, they appear not to have deteriorated, have not lost their fighting power nor their love of home and country.

There is no nation where home ties, love of country and pride of achievement is greater than in Poland. Driven to the wall, their homes, property and lives threatened, they are fighting a splendid fight and if they receive no aid from others and more powerful nations, in their effort to stem the red flood, they should at least have the moral support of all the civilized world.

### THE FREIGHT ON CIGARS

The head of a big chain of retail tobacco stores announces that he doesn't intend to raise the price of smokes, although he will have to pay twenty per cent more freight. That's generous, but not so generous as it may sound.

Any legitimate increase in the cost of a cigar resulting from the freight increase would be less than the cost of a match to light it. Freight charges, of course, are a very small item in the cost of such goods, so small that the best possible increase dealers could make in the sale of single cigars or small packages of cigarettes or pipe tobacco would mean profiteering.

This fact is worth remembering in connection with any goods of small size and weight. The new freight rates add practically nothing to their cost, and in few cases has the dealer in small wares a right to insist on even an extra cent on account of the freight.—Santa Rosa (Calif.) Press.

### FOOD AND THE MAN

We have made variations, combinations and adaptations in use of the basic foods fitted for sustaining human life, but have not been able to get far away from the sources of supply, and of which primitive man sustained himself. Man's food is now divided into cereals and starchy vegetables, legumes, and nuts, fruits, oils and sugars, and on these the civemen, and farther back the apemen, must have subsisted.

The primitives took as food what they found suited to their needs and safe for their use. They knew nothing of calories, and were monsters in feeding, but their ignorance of medicine and their personal conditions of warfare saved them from that problem of making and holding the food supply equal to increasing demand, which we moderns can now begin to see creeping like a shadow across the face of the world. It is easy to say that the shadow will be a great while in overshadowing any large part of the world, but it is not altogether re-

assuring on that point to reflect on the speed with which it has reached a point where, as now, its approach can be noticed and compel our attention.

During all the nineteenth century no such problem could be said to threaten a later coming. Malthus had sounded a warning of over population and a relatively decreasing food supply. The world was unheeding, because never to that time had a single country reached a point where the population was pressing heavily upon the subsistence. The great masses of population in all lands raised their own food and, at that time, the world could see coming such improved methods in transportation, and could realize dimly the progress of the mechanical sciences and of chemistry, that it had no fear of the Malthusian forebodings. World expectation has been realized as to the growth in transportation facilities, and Liebig's experiments demonstrated how worn-out soils can be chemically renewed. But the problem is more acute now than when Malthus first stated it. Diminutions in food production by the United States, whether relative or actual, give it new point and significance. Science and invention have not failed us. Are we to fail ourselves?—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

### GERMAN VIEW OF POLISH WAR.

Poland was engaged in a war of conquest for which it had no justification. Soviet Russia was fighting a war of defense which aroused all the national and traditional enthusiasm of the Russians and united the Russian people. It is no fair tale that innumerable Russian officers, headed by General Brusilov, have enlisted under the banners of the Red Government, fighting against Poland for Russia and not for bolshevism. Lenin and Trotsky have gladly utilized the services of these officers, and from the military standpoint they have no reason to regret their action. The possible political consequences of such a policy are something to be considered in

the future. They depend upon the relative strength at some future date of the military anti-bolshevist parties and of the government led by Lenin and Trotsky. We in Germany have no data from which to prognosticate what may occur. The campaign against Soviet Russia was decided upon and its broad lines laid out at the San Remo conference. Poland supported by France, invaded the Ukraine from one direction, and that country, when finally separated from Russia, was to be divided into two parts, so that England might control the Black sea harbors. Japan was simultaneously to bring pressure against the Far East in order to create an autonomous Siberia. All the border countries were to be supported by the entente and guaranteed their independence from soviet Russia. It looks as though Poland had missed this project by its impatience.—Hamburg Nachrichten.

### OIL AND SPEED.

Because of the war, Atlantic competition for speed is practically over. The record for a crossing has rested undisturbed ten years—an unprecedented interval. Few big ships and practically no fast ones are being completed unless they were begun or planned before the war.

Yet the Aquitania, which left New York July 31, made an oil burner a new record of short-distance speed when she logged the last 123 miles into Cherbourg at an average rate of 27.40 knots, or 31 land miles an hour. Her captain is not unreasonable in expecting her to excel for an entire voyage the 1910 time of her sister, the Mauretania, 4 days, 10 hours, 41 minutes, New York to Queenstown.

So much for oil. Such instances of its use and evidences of its value in transportation appeal to "mingled emotions." It is a great thing to cut down the man-killing work of ocean-line stokers and in land traffic to lessen or eliminate smoke and the danger of forest fires. But the common stock of oil and its distillates is being so swiftly exhausted, often in senseless and selfish ways, that coal may yet resume its old importance in a spendthrift world.—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

### From Texas Exchanges

**That's Oil, Not All.**  
 The Eastland county oil field is producing 19,029 barrels of oil daily, irrespective of the Deadmound field, which is producing fully half as much more. And that is a pretty good showing for our oil fields and adds just that much to Eastland county prosperity every day.—Eastland News.

**Palmer Will Do It.**  
 Mayor Garner of Providence, R. I., has appealed to Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer to save Providence coal consumers from having to pay \$20 a ton for coal. They are now paying \$15. If the forces behind the attorneys who are testing the constitutionality of the Lever act succeed in winning a favorable decision at the hands of the judges of the court of last resort, then what will happen to the consumers of the country?—Ft. Worth Record.

**Sugar Price Falling.**  
 Sugar market experts in the city of New York say that the retail price of sugar is in for a drop to possibly 12 or 10 cents per pound within a few weeks. They say that upward of 2,100,000 tons of sugar, against probable requirements of about 1,800,000 tons, are calculated to be available for United States consumption during the remaining five months of this year. It is said the surplus has been caused by heavy purchases of sugar from Java, South America, San Domingo and the Philippines attracted to America by high prices. Moreover, the total of such outside sugars coming is estimated at about 500,000 tons which is approximately the amount of the total surplus. This will be cheering news to the housewives of America.—Ft. Worth Record.

**Pedestrians "Rights"**  
 The public is warned not to trespass on railroad tracks, but that is less dangerous than to trespass on the public streets where the automobiles are speeding.—Waco News Tribune.

**Vote for Lynch Davidson for lieutenant governor.** He is a successful business man and stands for a constructive business administration of the state's affairs.—dlt.wl

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## BITS OF HUMOR

**Putting Her Wise**  
 Blake—Young Jobbes has bought a fine car. Its a piece of spite, I fear.  
 Hake—How so?  
 Blake—The money he spent on that car was intended for a home. Young Jobbes wants to show the girl that he has no intention of proposing a second time.—London Answers.

**Not the Arabian Nights Burton.**  
 We understand that Sir Thomas has been heard to refer jokingly to the Shamrock's skipper as "Sinbad, the Sailor." Possibly after the first two races he felt more like calling him "Sinbad, the Sinner."—Boston Transcript.

**Qualified.**  
 Cantrell—"I thing I'll go to prom as a stag."  
 Cochran—"Why do that?"  
 Cantrell—"I haven't any doe."—Princeton Tiger.

**Can You Beat It?**  
 Where can a man buy a cap for his knee?  
 Or a key for a lock of his hair?  
 Can your eyes be called an academy?  
 Because there are pupils there?  
 In the crown of your head what jewels are found?  
 Who travels the bridge of your nose?  
 Could you use in shingling the roof of your mouth?  
 The nails on the end of your toes?  
 Could the crook in your elbow be sued to jail?  
 If so, what did he do?  
 How can you sharpen your shoulder blades?  
 I'll be darned if I know, do you?  
 Could you sit in the shade of the palm of your hand?  
 Or beat on the drum of your ear?  
 Does the calf of your leg eat the corn on your toe?  
 They why grow corn on the ear?  
 —New York Central Magazine.

**His Preference.**  
 "An easy job would suit me, boss."  
 "How about winding the clock every week?"  
 "Well, I might make that do, though I'd prefer the job of tearing the leaves off the calendar every month."—Boston Transcript.

**He Loomed So Large.**  
 Just as the train was about to start, a very stout man struggled into a carriage and sank into a seat breathing heavily. A small boy who sat opposite appeared to be fascinated. His ardent gaze eventually began to annoy the fat man, who demanded angrily:  
 "What are you staring at me for?"  
 "Please sir," replied the lad, "there's nowhere else to look."—London Answers.

## REICH, TEXAS

Cotton looks fine; plenty of rain. Otha Stubblefield was in this community a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McConnell and little son, Lawrence, have returned from a visit at Lubbock.

Edd Callarman was shopping in Cisco Monday.

Fred McConnell of Stephens county visited his brother, Charlie McConnell, here Sunday.

Mise Edith Thompson of Cisco visited her uncle, Charlie McConnell, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dillon visited the latter's parents in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. Kilgore and daughter, Miss Viola, made a trip to Coleman by automobile Saturday.

J. P. Dillon of this community visited at the Bacon home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Abbott of Mitchell visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kinsey left for Tennessee last week for a month's visit with their children. Mr. and Mrs. Comer are caring for their stock while they are gone.

Mr. Levertidge of the Pisgah community visited at the J. P. Dillon home here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Jackson and children have moved back to this community.

Dave Lane of Pisgah visited in this community Monday.

Floyd Rains had business in Cisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boatman visited relatives in Cisco Tuesday night.

## ALL NATIONS REPRESENTED ABOARD JAPANESE VESSEL

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—Aboard the Japanese relief ship Yonai Maru, en route here via the Panama Canal from San Francisco with 728 Russian child refugees is quite an interesting crowd of youngsters.

The oldest is twenty years old, the youngest three years and ten months. The following nationalities are represented:

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When Genius Mates



Mrs. John Barrymore

International News Service. NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—One of the most interesting instances of genius mating with genius that has been noted in recent years is the marriage of Mrs. Mrs. Blanche Olrich Thomas, famed as a poetess of passion and as one of the most beautiful women in the world, to John Barrymore, scion of one of the best-known families of the thespian genius America has yet produced.

Barrymore is a son of Maurice and Georgie Drew Barrymore, and, besides these undoubted geniuses of the footlights, the family includes John Drew and Lionel Barrymore among the living and a host of quite as brilliant stage stars who have passed along.

ABILENE WINS FROM SCOUTS YESTERDAY BY ONE TO NOTHING

ABILENE, Aug. 18.—In a fast played game on a very slow field Abilene's Eagles annexed the first of the series from the Cisco Scouts here yesterday afternoon by a score of 1 to 0. C. Hill's two-base clout in the third inning sent the locals merrily on their way to victory and when Milam followed him with a single the Eagles annexed the count necessary to take the game. The visitors got three on in the sixth, but Hill tightened and aided by his teammates shut off any possibility of a count.

Score table for Abilene vs Cisco. Columns: Team, AB, H, PO, A. Rows: Fuller, Flag, King, Griesbeck, Trash, Beard, Bratcher, Anderson, Billingsley, Totals.

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Cisco. Totals 31 5 24 9. Abilene. Totals 26 4 27 14.

HOW THEY STACK UP

Table titled 'HOW THEY STACK UP' showing Texas League standings. Columns: Club, Pld, Won, Lost, Pct.

Table showing Tuesday's Results and Wednesday's Schedule for the Texas League.

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Table showing Tuesday's Results and Wednesday's Schedule for the American League.

Table showing Tuesday's Results and Wednesday's Schedule for the National League.

Table showing Tuesday's Results and Wednesday's Schedule for the Wheat Shocker Invented.

Table showing Tuesday's Results and Wednesday's Schedule for the Bubonic Plague Cases.

EVER-WAKEFUL OWLS WILL STAGE FISTIC BOUTS OF INTEREST

The local order of Owls, with the aid of Athlete Director Scovill and District Supervisor Pierce, are making arrangements for a great time on the evening of Monday, August 23.

On this occasion there will be a smoker and 26 rounds of boxing between fistic aspirants of real ability. First on the program will come Charles (Hunter) Whitlow, of Cisco, weighing 182 pounds, and Johnny Kolsche, of Cleveland, Ohio, who will weigh in at about 178 pounds.

TAD'S TID BITS

(Wrote for the International News Service.) NEW YORK, Aug. 18. Dempsey's Iron Gloves. Long before Jack Dempsey knocked Jess Willard kicking there were rumors that he had plaster of Paris or horse-shoes in his gloves.

The day before the big Toledo fight we were in Jack's dressing room talking about the coming quarrel with Jess. Dempsey was a perfect specimen of a fighter. His arms and fists were wonderful. Old Mike Angelo would have used Jack as a model in a second had he ever given him the o. o.

Willard looked exactly as did Jim Jeffries after the fight with Johnson. He was just beaten up a bit, but not slashed. Any glow can do what was done to Jeff and Willard without being doped.

Actors Against Artists on Diamond. If you should happen to see De Wolf Hopper, Ed Wynn, Fred Stone, Frank Bacon or Leo Carrillo tearing along the road, wearing a sweater, you'll know that they're training for a ball game.

FAMOUS DREADNAUGHT NEW JERSEY RETIRED. BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Battleship New Jersey, the famous fighting craft, has been placed on the retired list.

FOUR DAYS RACING AT KANKAKEE FAIR. KANKAKEE, Ill., Aug. 18.—Illinois race horses are to compete for purses amounting to \$8,000 at the Interstate Fair, which opens at the Interstate Fair grounds here today.

WOULD HAVE SCHOOL UNDER DIRECTION OF PARENTS - BROOME

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 18.—A large measure of state control and closer articulation of the department of Education in State Universities with the State Department of Public Instruction is advocated by Edwin C. Broome, Superintendent of Schools at East Orange, N. J. He is professor of school administration at summer session at Ohio State University here.

Discussing "Freedom of Supervision," Superintendent Broome declared that the schools will not function adequately in the education of the children of this nation until:

"The people are free and disposed to select the ablest and most high minded citizen for their boards of education. "Boards are free to serve the schools without being accountable to anybody but the citizens. "They are free and disposed to seek the ablest talent available for the management of their schools."

AMERICAN LEGION IS PREPARING FOR HOUSTON MEETING

HOUSTON, Aug. 18.—With the stage set for the second annual convention of the Texas branch of the American Legion, lobbying for convention votes now is the general pastime in local posts, according to letters that continue to arrive at convention headquarters.

The American Legion has passed the stage of frenzied talk. Claude V. Burkhead, National executive committee man, declared today, "and has formed into a compact organization that is going to demand just and equitable treatment of the maimed and disabled former service men. Committees will demand prompt action instead of doing a lot of resolving."

THE MOBLEY. CISCO'S LEADING COMMERCIAL HOTEL. One : Block : From : Union : Depot

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TAKES NAP ON TELEGRAPH WIRES AS CROWD STARES. NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 18.—William Merkel, thirty, told inquirers that he could not remember under just what circumstances he had climbed a telegraph pole and gone to bed on the wires.

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# Public Schools of Cisco in Readiness For the Fall Term

In Perfect Condition to Meet Whatever Demands May Be Made Upon Them — Joint Teachers Institute, With Eastland, To Be Held Here Beginning September 13—Schools Open September 20.

The Cisco public schools will open for pupils on Monday, September 20th. A joint teachers institute with Eastland city schools will be held in the high school building during the week beginning Monday, September 13th.

The Cisco schools were never in better condition to meet whatever demands may be made upon them than they are now. In material equipment and completeness of their courses of study, they rank first in Eastland county and are equalled by few schools in West Texas. The high school building has ten class recitation rooms, a large study and assembly hall, with stage, two science laboratories, two domestic economy laboratories, two rooms for manual training

and mechanical drawing, and offices for the superintendent and principal.

The primary and intermediate grades are housed in two new brick ward school buildings, one of twelve and the other of eight rooms.

The high school has 2 1/2 affiliated credits with the State department, only 42 other high schools in the entire state having as many. It is proposed to increase that number by the addition of six and one-half credits during the coming session: one in English, one-half in history, one in Spanish, one-half in domestic art, one-half each in shop work and mechanical drawing, one-half in commercial arithmetic, one in stenography and typewriting, one in bookkeeping, making a total of 23 credits. Courses are offered in the following subjects: English, mathematics, Spanish, Latin, History, civics, physics, chemistry, physiology and hygiene, physiography, shop work, mechanical drawing, domestic art, domestic science, typewriting, shorthand, bookkeeping, business arithmetic,

penmanship, and spelling. Expression is also taught in the school.

The elementary courses are complete in every respect from the kindergarten to the high school. Public school music is taught in all grades up to the high school and is under the direction of a competent supervisor.

Cisco is particularly proud of its teaching force this year. All teachers in the primary and intermediate grades meet the following minimum requirements, while the great majority of them far exceed them in preparation and experience. Primary teachers must have had one year of normal school training or the equivalent thereof, one year's experience, and held a first grade state certificate or a permanent primary certificate. Intermediate grade teachers must have had two years' of normal school training, or the equivalent thereof, one year's experience and hold a first grade state certificate. Every teacher in the high school holds a standard degree from a Class A college or university except two, and all have had two or more years' of teaching experience. The lack of space forbids the setting forth of the individual merits and qualifications of these instructors. It is a noteworthy fact that seven out of the eleven high school teachers are attending summer schools this year.

Following is a list of the teachers employed for the coming session of 1920-21:

### High School

Geo. H. Wells, principal, mathematics; Minnie E. McCarty, English; Alma Copelin, English; Clara Tucker, domestic economy; Rodney E. Herndon, manual training; E. R. Williams, Latin mathematics; Verna Soderstrom, Spanish; Louisa Alexander, commercial; Mrs. E. E. Kvan, History; May Stephens, history; M. H. M. M. M., Jan McMurray, science; Elizabeth Hughes, librarian and secretary to the superintendent.

### West Ward School

Principal, not selected; Fannie Stevens, Kathleen Bradley, Lucile Hardin, Gustava Putnam, Mrs. J. M. Edwards, Ina Leveridge, Sammie Mae Trigg, Lorene Williams, Nova Shelton, Mrs. R. E. Doty, Mrs. Callie McAfee, Fay Dryson, Lottie Beasley.

### East Ward School

E. B. Isaacks, principal; Lorraine Moore, Minnie Cox, Lucy Kittrell, Ruby Ray Swift, Helen M. Berman, Alice Strickland.

### Special Teachers

Elaine Allison, supervisor of public school music; Ailie Stevens, head teacher kindergarten, assistant to be selected.

The Cisco Home and School Association, organized last year, is a wide-awake body with a deep interest in the school and child life in general of the community. Under the leadership of the president Mrs. Philip Pettit, this association has contracted for an eight-week lyceum course from the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, consisting of the following excellent attractions: Great Lakes String Quartette, which accompanied President Wilson to France; Clarissa Harold, reader, Orchestral Entertainers, Lyceum Singers (Male Quartette); Redpath Concert Company; Geo. C. Aydelet, lecturer; Alton B. Packard, car- tonist and entertainer, and William

Jennings Bryan. The lyceum season will open in October and the attractions will appear in the City Hall auditorium. No organization gives promise of so much benefit to the schools as does the Home and School Association.

The Cisco public school board of trustees is made up of representative, live-wire business men who have the civic and educational interests of the city very much at heart and are willing to give of their time and effort to the end that Cisco may have a school system that meets every educational need of the community.

Public sentiment toward the schools was evidenced last spring by the magnificent response made to a call for \$12,000 to be raised by popular subscription to supplement the school funds for the year. From 50 to 55 of the business men of the city took the job upon themselves and had the amount subscribed within three days. Cisco believes in better schools. This fact was further demonstrated last month when a bond issue of a quarter of a million dollars for the purpose of building a modern high school building was carried by an overwhelming majority.

### School Board Plans

The school board is planning for a building that will be a credit, not only to Cisco, but also to all of West Texas. It is planned to build a three-story, semi-fireproof edifice of brick and stone, equipped with the most modern furniture and apparatus obtainable. Provision will be made for the regular academic courses, domestic arts and sciences, manual training, automobile mechanics, mechanical drawing, commercial subjects, etc. The building will also contain a large gymnasium with locker rooms and shower baths for both boys and girls and an auditorium large enough to accommodate all school and civic gatherings. This auditorium will be fitted with a modern picture booth and a full sized stage with complete furnishings. Such, in outline, is the projected plan.

Cisco has a scholastic population this year of 1351 children and draws large numbers from surrounding school districts. The board feels that adequate provision has been made in the way of buildings and teaching force to meet every possible demand upon the school facilities for the coming year.

### PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. W. E. Finley, with her daughter, Miss Gladys Finley, who have been spending the past two weeks in Houston returned home today.

Mrs. J. D. Alexander had for her guest Miss Lillian Blum of Temple. Miss Blum left last night to spend a week with friends in Baird, where she taught school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander will leave tonight for Colorado, to attend the meeting of the West Texas L. O. O. F. association, where Mrs. Alexander will deliver an address Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bible now occupy their new cottage in Park Addition.

Mrs. J. J. Winston, with her son, Lieut. Barlow Winston, left for a two weeks' stay in Marlin, Monday morning. Mrs. Winston goes in pursuit of health while Barlow goes for pleasure.

Mrs. John Erwin, who has been spending the past month in Eureka Springs, Ark., returned home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. A. Adams is visiting her sister Mrs. Walker, at the Roach Apartments.

Misses Bonnie Lee Suster and Mae Foster, of Baird are guests at the O. J. Russell home.

Otho Kean, who is with the Eastland Supply Company, at Eastland, came home Sunday to see the folks and bid his aunt, Miss Fannie Kean, goodbye, before her departure for her home in

Louisa, Va., Friday. Miss Fannie has been in the home of her brother, E. E. Kean, the past thirteen years, caring for the boys, who were left without a mother fourteen years ago.

O. G. Roquemore was in Abilene this week, returning home yesterday. Mr. Roquemore states he closed a contract to furnish plans for the new \$60,000 church the Presbyterians will build in that city. The contract calls for plans to be delivered within the next thirty days.

Dudley Lee has returned from a ten days' visit in Kerrville.

Mrs. W. H. Whetstone, at 600 W. Tenth street, is expecting the arrival today of her little son, James, and her sister, Mrs. G. B. Jolly, from Montgomery, Alabama.

Bryan Osborn of the Cisco Battery company, leaves today for a few days' visit in the panhandle.

Mrs. S. K. Merritt was the guest of Mrs. J. L. Shepherd Tuesday.

A. J. Olson made a business trip to Eastland yesterday.

Miss Helen Keough entertained Monday with a 6 o'clock dinner, honoring Miss Audrey Walker of Waco, guest of Miss Dorothy Gregory. Music and dancing were enjoyed during the evening by Misses Walker, Gregory, Shepherd and Keough.

Miss Julia Shepherd entertained with a luncheon Tuesday for Miss Audrey Walker of Waco.

Miss Vivian Yoder of Fort Worth is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Louise Fletcher.

F. A. Blankenbecker went to Fort Worth yesterday to meet his brother, who has just returned from a three months' stay in South America.

A large line of first-quality hair goods, curls, ear muffs and switches on sale at reduced prices. Cisco Beauty Shop, balcony of John H. Garner's.

### CITY HEALTH BOARD HOLDS MEETING AND FORMULATES REPORT

There was a meeting of the Cisco Board of Health yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock and an amount of routine business transacted. The following report was made to the mayor and commissioners: Hon. Mayor and City Commissioners of Cisco:

The Board of Health in call meeting to discuss sanitary conditions of the city wish to make the following recommendations as being urgent for the health of the citizens:

Recommend that the alley between sixth and fifth streets and Ave. D and M. K. & T. railroad be paved; that the alley between fifth and fourth streets and between Ave. D and M. K. & T. railroad be paved; that the alley between the Judia Theater and Glibreath's Grocery store and the Red Front Drug Store and Rominger hardware store be either paved or closed.

Recommend that the city commission take immediate steps to have the railroads abate nuisances at the union station where ponds of stagnant water now stand. Also the same condition at the Texas & Pacific freight depot.

Recommend that the commission make immediate arrangements to have garbage and other refuse hauled from the residence section of the city.

Recommend that the National Theater be required to abate the nuisance of stagnant water which is standing under the floor of their auditorium.

The foregoing we consider as emergencies for the protection of health.

Respectfully,  
W. P. LEE, Pres.  
K. J. SCOTT, Sec'y.  
F. E. CLARK, Member.

Cisco Board of Health,  
Cisco, August 17, 1920.

### AMUSEMENTS

Judia.  
Today and tomorrow the Judia Theater will show House Peter's biggest suc-



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## These New Suits and Dresses

Will Attract the Attention of the Discriminating

Women who appreciate exclusiveness will need no further urging to come and select their favored creation from this early showing, knowing first garments frequently possess charming style features not duplicated later.

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This fall's showing of our clothing for men is the most satisfying suggestion we can offer you these days.

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# JUDIA

We failed to receive today's program, "Silk Husbands and Calico Wives" and are forced to show another picture. We hope to show this picture tomorrow.

HAMPSTEAD BENTLEY  
Southland's Sweetest Tenor  
Request your favorite song at the box office

# JUDIA

### Silk Husbands and Calico Wives

These are numbers of stories dealing with the ever present husband and wife problems, but this picture gives a version of the subject that is entirely new.

House Peters plays the lead with his usual excellence but seems to take a great deal more personal interest throughout the entire production than is customary with most stars. He is ably supported by a well chosen cast and able direction gives the action, sustained interest, and balance so necessary to high class photoplays.

### HUSBAND KILLED IN QUEER ACCIDENT, SUES FOR \$10,000

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 18.—Jeanette B. Liske has filed suit against the Chicago & Alton Railroad Company and the Springfield, Peoria & St. Louis Interurban Railway Company demanding \$10,000 for the death of her husband, a Chicago & Alton brakeman. Her husband, she alleges, was electrocuted through the negligence of the companies at Griggs, in Logan county where Liske attempted to dip water from a creek, into which a high voltage electric current wire had fallen.

### WORE A "CANARY" SUIT, IS GIVEN \$50 FINE

ASBURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 18.—For wearing a "regular shoe horn bathing

### William Felton, twenty-two years old, was fined \$50.

Felton was playing ball in front of his summer home in a bathing suit the recorder asserted was "not big enough for a canary bird."

Are you in favor of dividing Texas? Not, vote for Lynch Davidson, of Houston, for Lieutenant Governor, subject to action of Democratic primary, August 28. His opponent introduced a resolution in the 24th legislature asking for a division of the Lone Star State. d3w1

### ROTAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADOPTS PLAN TO AID LABOR

Special to the News.  
ROTAN, Aug. 18.—The Rotan Chamber of Commerce will list all occupational and farm labor opportunities in the county in order to get a perspective of the number of laborers that will be required in that section this fall, according to word to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. All chambers of commerce in West Texas, in addition to the routine services of such organizations, are helping the farmers to get labor this fall. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce will act as a clearing house for this labor this fall.