

PRICE OF GAS TO BE RAISED IN CISCO?

WINTERS GAS SUPPLY IS GIVING CONCERN TO PEOPLE OF CISCO

Need for Larger Service Pipe in Part of City Discussed — Committee to Make Inquiry — Chamber Commerce and Production Has Important Meeting Last Night — New Secretary Presert.

The big proposition before the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Production, at its meeting last night, was gas—gas for the city in sufficient quantity to meet the demand during the coming winter.

The new secretary, Sam Fowkes, was present at the meeting, and there was a good attendance. Greater interest was apparent in the meeting and several matters of importance were discussed at length and action taken on most of them.

The chief concern, however, was the assurance of a sufficient supply of gas. This matter has been under consideration by the chamber for some time, it being very generally understood that there is a section of the city, south and west, insufficiently served, and President Blankenship declared it was the duty of the chamber to learn if the gas was going to be supplied and if not, to notify the residents of that section of the city to make other arrangements for fuel.

It was stated that the service pipe in that section, which Mayor Williamson described as being west of D avenue and south of Twelfth street, was not large enough and to put in a larger pipe would involve an expenditure of about \$1,000. The former, a committee, consisting of E. G. Gunther, C. H. Fleming and J. L. Stevenson, was appointed to confer with the gas company and learn definitely what may or may not be done as to an adequate supply of gas during the coming winter, for that section of the city.

Another committee, composed of C. H. Fleming, Judge J. J. Butts and J. E. McCord, was appointed to meet with the representatives of the Cisco Clay & Coal company today, to determine some matters still pending between the company and the chamber.

A committee, on which Sam Fowkes, Mayor J. M. Williamson, J. E. McCord and G. C. Richardson were named by the president, will go to Ranger Saturday to make an inquiry relative to the work of the American Cities bureau and report back to the next meeting.

All excursion to Breckenridge immediately following the completion of the track of the Cisco & Northeastern railway into that town, was discussed. It was stated that the track would all be laid within eight days. President Blankenship declared was authorized to appoint a committee of five to arrange for this. The committee will have authority to appoint sub-committees, or additional members of that committee, to complete the arrangements.

A membership drive was agreed upon and this will be started at once. This prompted the appointment of the committee to inquire into the workings of the American Cities bureau plan.

Pending the discussion of the gas supply problem last night and on which Mayor J. M. Williamson had been called in to give some information relative to it, the fact was disclosed that the distributing company will ask the city commission to grant it an increase of rates for gas, from fifty cents, the present rate, to seventy-five cents. This has not been formally presented to the commission, but it is understood it will be at the next meeting.

TICKET FOR RUNOFF PRIMARY ELECTION HAS BEEN ARRANGED

Three Contests on the State Ticket, Three for County Offices, One for Commissioner and Three in Justice Precincts — Judges Appointed for the Election — Warning to Voters.

The Democratic county executive committee has issued the following: The Democratic ticket has been made up for the second primary, which is to be held on Saturday, August the 28th. There are five state contests to be decided, three county contests and four precinct contests in Eastland county. The ticket as will be voted in the primary will be as follows:

For Governor: Joseph W. Bailey, of Cook county; Pat M. Neff of McLennan county.

For Lieutenant Governor: W. A. Johnson of Hall county; Lynch Davidson of Harris county.

For Associate Justice Supreme Court: Wm. Pierson of Hunt county; W. E. Hawkins of Travis county.

For County Judge at Law: J. H. Jones; Albert L. Trimble.

For County Attorney: W. V. Dunnam; G. G. Hazel.

For Sheriff: Sam Nolley; H. Elmer Lawrence.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: H. S. Stubblefield; W. M. Eppler.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 7: G. W. Harkin; T. R. Deen.

KANSAS MOB TRYING TO LYNCH BAD NEGRO WHO SHOT WHITE MAN

Associated Press. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 12.—Learning that several automobiles carrying members of a Fort Scott mob intent on a lynching, has passed through Armour, eight miles north of Pittsburg, Sheriff Armour, of Burbon county, hurried out here today with a negro who last night shot a white man at Fort Scott.

Associated Press. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 12.—A negro who is said to have come to Fort Scott three weeks ago, shot Howard Thomas, a cement manufacturer.

Thomas was wounded in five places but it is said he will recover.

A mob, said to have numbered a thousand persons, immediately began forming but Sheriff Armour eluded them, reaching Pittsburg with the negro today.

WALLINGFORDS WILL HAVE HARD SLEDDING IN WEST TEXAS TOWNS

Special to The News. STAMFORD, Aug. 12.—The cornucopia has been so lavishly overturned in West Texas that grafters, stock selling sharks and other "Get-rich-Quick Wallingfords" are flocking into this section to prey upon the towns and people, according to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which today is sending out a warning to all towns in this region.

Only tongued men with specious propositions to give big factories, are harassing many towns. They come as angels of light, as town philanthropists and put over their scheming designs by spinning bonuses and sites for factories and who use subterfuge to get endorsements of chambers of commerce and responsible citizens, so that they can go forth into the country and among the less enlightened and sell worthless stock. Some of these concerns with which the organizations has already dealt, squeeze out commissions of 50 to 70 per cent on all stock sold and then manage to get away with the remainder, leaving West Texas towns "holding the sack."

"Every town in West Texas which is suspicious about stock selling schemes and apparently philanthropic ventures, should take the matter up with this organization," says the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"The legitimate promoter is not to be molested," says the organization. "If any company seeks cooperation of towns and communities, it should come with clean hands and proper credentials. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce is not opposed to right measures to improve the towns and factories, but it will wage a relentless war against that gentry which comes to this territory presuming that it can make a get-away with the hard-earned substance of our people."

Associated Press. CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—The process by which "aged men may be rejuvenated by grafting into their bodies interstitial glands, taken from monkeys," was explained in detail and demonstrated with motion pictures made in France, by Dr. Serge Voronoff, director of the department of experimental surgery, at a banquet Tuesday night. An experimental laboratory will be installed in America, it is announced.

DEMAND FOR CARS IN WEST TEXAS GROWS AS REPORTS COME IN

Special to The News. CROWELL, Aug. 12.—In reply to the questionnaire of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce the Crowell chamber has made the following report on the car and cotton situation:

Cars needed to move small grain crop 500, for the sorghum grain 100. Cotton production in 1919 was 9000 bales. Twice the acreage planted this year, with an estimated production of 25,000 bales.

Special to The News. CLARENDON, Aug. 12.—Clarendon needs 250 to handle the small grain and 50 cars to handle the incoming sorghum grain crops, according to the questionnaire which has been sent to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The cotton production last year was 30,000 bales with decreased acreage this year but an increase in production of 5,000 bales.

BAILEY REFUSES TO DEBATE WITH NEFF AND TELLS HIM WHY

LUBBOCK, Texas, Aug. 12.—Pat M. Neff's challenge to Joseph Weldon Bailey to engage with him in a joint discussion met with a prompt and curt refusal when it was received here yesterday. Bailey immediately wired Neff as follows:

"Where issues are to be discussed and personalities avoided, joint discussions help the people to better understand public questions and are therefore desirable, but in view of the fact that you have said many things about me which are not true, and some of which I have been compelled to denounce in the severest terms, a joint discussion between us is unthinkable."

"Assuming that you would say to me what you have said about me, and certainly I would say to you what I have said about you, a joint discussion between us could only culminate in disorder."

JOHN M'GRAW CITED TO APPEAR BEFORE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants baseball team, was summoned to appear before District Attorney Swann today to tell his version of the incident at the Lambs club last Sunday, which later resulted in serious injuries to John Slavin, an actor.

Later McGraw declined to enlighten the officials concerning the imbroglio, when it reported he had a fist encounter with a fellow club member.

PONZI IS ARRESTED AND ENTIRE ASSETS OF BANK WIPED OUT

Liabilities Said to Amount to More Than Seven Millions — Fearing Arrest on State Warrant He Surrendered to Federal Officers — Bail Twenty Five Thousand — Says He Will Make Bail.

Associated Press. BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Bank Commissioner Allen announced today that the capital of the Hanover Trust company had probably been completely wiped out. The bank was closed by the commissioner yesterday. Charles Ponzi had been a director up to yesterday.

Ponzi later was arrested on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

Ponzi Surrenders. Associated Press. BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Charles Ponzi today surrendered to the United States marshal, and a warrant for his arrest is being prepared.

The district attorney said Ponzi surrendered because he felt unable to carry out his promise made for the redemption of his notes tomorrow.

Liabilities \$7,000,000. Associated Press. BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Federal Auditor Pride stated today that Ponzi's liabilities were upward of seven million dollars. Ponzi claimed his assets were four million dollars. Commissioner Allen said Ponzi's liabilities will run into the millions.

"Beat Them to It." Associated Press. BOSTON, Aug. 12.—With state action against him expected, Ponzi turned the trick by putting himself in the custody of the federal authorities at the moment when the police were petitioning the municipal court judge to issue a warrant for his arrest.

Ponzi was apparently alive to what was imminent, and leaving his Lexington home early this afternoon, hurried to the office of the United States marshal and asked to be taken into custody.

His arraignment followed, his plea being not guilty, and he was held in \$25,000 bail for a hearing August 19. He said he would furnish surety.

FIGHTING FOR THEIR HOMES PEOPLE OF WARSAW WILL NOT STOP TO COUNT COST IN BLOOD

Boys, Old Men and Business Men Without Regard to Class Are All Armed and Drilling in the Street — More Bravery With Them Than in the Army — Declare They Will Never Abandon the City — Washington Making Estimates on the Relative Strength of the Two Armies.

WARSAW, Aug. 12.—As the fighting front draws nearer to Warsaw, squads wearing ordinary civilian clothing and straw hats, but armed with rifles, are drilling in many parts of the city.

As determined-looking groups pass through the streets, many boys, elderly men and prominent merchants are seen marching together with the more usual type of fighter in the ranks. Class distinction is banished. Newspaper says the spirit of the people is to defend Warsaw, repel invaders and not to count the cost in blood.

Washington Estimates. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The Polish forces defending Warsaw are outnumbered about two and a half to one. A comprehensive detail regarding the bolshevik military organization, officially received here, places the strength of the soviet army on the Polish front at three hundred and fifty thousand men, and the strength of the Poles has been estimated at one hundred and forty thousand.

Details regarding the bolshevik strength, confirming most of the information already in the possession of the American military authorities, estimate the rifle and sabre strength alone of the soviet northern army, north of Pripet, as consisting of forty-six thousand men. The bolshevik rifle and sabre strength south of the Dniester river in the southern army, is placed at forty-eight thousand men.

Twenty-six soviet infantry divisions seem to be identified as facing the Polish lines with thirteen divisions in reserve.

London Astonished. LONDON, Aug. 12.—England has been officially notified of the recognition by France of the government of General Saron Wrangel, as the de facto government of South Russia, and the question is being discussed between the two governments.

Something akin to consternation was produced by an evening newspaper over the French action, which is characterized as contrary to British ideas and a menace to the entente nations.

Meanwhile King George, who was intending to leave for Scotland tomorrow has postponed his trip, owing to the situation.

"Fair Game to Kill." JOHANNESBURG, East Prussia, Aug. 12.—Reports that Mlawa, an important city on the Warsaw and Danzig railway was taken by the Russian bolshevik Tuesday and that the soviet cavalry was within rifle shot of Warsaw, the fall of which is expected Thursday or Friday were brought here by a local newspaper correspondent.

The Americans, British and French fighting with the Poles against the bolshevik are considered "fair game to kill" by the common soldiers of the soviet, the correspondent declares, and says the bolshevik have been told that these fighters are bourgeoisie who should be exterminated.

Great Battle in Progress. PARIS, Aug. 12.—A great battle is in progress on the Russo-Polish front, up on which the fate of Warsaw hangs according to information reaching the French foreign office.

GOV. COX BEGINS HIS CAMPAIGN TODAY IN A NORTH OHIO TOWN

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 12.—With Governor Cox en route to Camp Perry Ohio, to deliver his first address since his notification, and with Franklin Roosevelt on his western trip, the democratic plan for carrying their cause to the people was under way today.

Governor Cox left this morning via automobile for Toledo, and will go to Camp Perry this afternoon. He speaks twice at Wheeling, W. Va., Saturday. In his address today Governor Cox did not plan to delve deep into the major issues of the campaign, but to give his views on the preparation and trailing of war times, including national guard activities.

BRITISH FORCE HAS BEEN DRIVEN BACK IN MESOPOTAMIA

Associated Press. PARIS, Aug. 12.—The situation in Mesopotamia continues serious, says a Havas dispatch from Beirut. The British detachment is falling back, the dispatch says and the garrison of Diwanlich, on the right bank of the river, about ninety-five miles southeast of Bagdad has been cut off.

NEW RATES PROMISED. Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Holding unfair certain rates now being charged by Chicago commission houses on cooperative shipments of live stock, Secretary of Agriculture Meredith today served notice in the interested parties that new rates will go into effect August 16th.

ANOTHER RAILROAD MUST RAISE MONEY TO BUY EQUIPMENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Louisiana and Arkansas railroad today applied to the interstate commerce commission for authority to issue equipment trust notes to the amount of two hundred and twenty thousand dollars at six per cent.

CAMP ABANDONED. WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Orders have been issued for the abandonment of Camp Upton, New York, and salvaging of the camp equipment.

SAP GETS BIG LEASE

Associated Press. PORT ARANSAS, Aug. 12.—The San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad has leased a tract of three and quarter acres from the Aransas Dock and Channel Company for a period of eight years, paying a cash consideration of \$15,000 for the privilege of building two 55,000 barrel tanks upon the site and installing necessary pipe lines for receiving oil over the docks of the lessee. Right of way for all necessary trackage also was granted by the lesor.

ADMIRAL KINKAID DEAD

Associated Press. ANNAPOLIS, Aug. 12.—Rear Admiral Thomas Kinkaid, for several years in charge of the naval experiment station in Annapolis, died at the naval hospital today of Bright's disease, aged sixty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Scott have moved into their new home at 1492 Avenue M.

GAS AND OIL

Special to The News. MORAN, Aug. 12.—The Texas company's Webb No. 7, about two miles west of town, is making gas and also has a strong showing of oil. The Associated Oil company's Snyder No. 2 is also looking good. Strong gas showing of oil.

OFF FOR VACATION

STAMFORD, Aug. 12.—President H. P. Breckford and General Manager Porter A. Whaley of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and W. M. Woodall, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, are touring Colorado on their summer vacation, leaving here this week in two cars for a three or four weeks' pleasure trip. During the absence of Mr. Whaley, Publicity Manager W. Hamilton Wright has been placed in charge of the general management of the organization.

KIRBY GIVES UP

Associated Press. LITTLE ROCK, Aug. 12.—Senator Kirby today conceded the nomination of Congressman Caraway in the race for the United States senate in which Kirby sought renomination.

DEATH OF AMERICAN

Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 12.—Walter Winans, a widely known American resident of London, collapsed and died while driving in a race at Parsloes Park.

RALEIGH, N. C. IS NOT READY TO VOTE ON SUFFRAGE TODAY

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 12.—The North Carolina legislature, meeting in special session, probably will not tackle the suffrage question until tomorrow, perhaps not until Saturday.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 12.—Both sides are re-aligning their forces for a vote in the legislature tomorrow on suffrage. Surface indications today were that suffrage advocates controlled the situation, but are working to avoid a split.

Suffrage in the lower house won a point when a resolution to prohibit action on ratification was tabled.

Judge and Mrs. D. K. Scott have returned from an extended trip to Carolina, Washington and New York.

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COUNTY POOR FARM

County poor farms have very and in this county it was the old
 generally gone out of style. They fields that brought many people,
 are passing. Many counties have coming in, in the first place, with-
 none, many have abandoned the out funds, not securing employ-
 ones they had maintained for ment, becoming ill, or ill when
 years. Just as the old fashioned they arrived in the county, who
 "hobo" no longer asks for a have caused the great expense to
 "hand out" at the kitchen door, the county.
 they went with the reign of pro- No human can be allowed to
 sperity coming along with the suffer for want of food and care
 world war and continuing there- and it is a duty of government to
 after. provide for such cases and the
 county commissioners being fam-
 ilar with the situation, no doubt were satisfied it can best be
 handled through a poor farm.

But there are some communi- A very large proportion of the
 ties where "the poor are always charity of the world is misplaced.
 with us" and just now Eastland The percentage of shams, frauds
 county appears to be one of these. and pretenders is far greater than
 There has been a degree of pau- the charitably inclined know or
 perism in this county making a believe. One thing about a poor
 burden on the taxpayers and farm: It will weed out the frauds.
 while Cisco has witnessed little When an appeal is made for aid
 if any, of this, there has been and the applicant is informed they
 many cases where aid was imper- will be fed and cared for at the
 ative and in relieving this want, poor farm, they will either will-
 the county commissioners have ingly go there, if they are deserv-
 been to great expense and reach- ing, or flatly refuse to go if they
 ing the conclusion, from a busi- are frauds. Were the frauds
 ness standpoint, that money could eliminated the call upon the peo-
 be saved the taxpayers by having ple for charity would be wonder-
 a poor farm, where all these indig- fully lessened.

This pauperism does not exist This class has been largely
 to any large extent among the eliminated in the cities by organ-
 real residents of Eastland county, ized charities which organization
 but is largely confined to a class maintains the plan of investigat-
 always following the rush to a ing every individual case before
 rapidly developing community aid is extended.

"GET RICH QUICK"

Just so long as there lurks in not and continued, to pay out
 the minds of men and women the money on demand of his patrons
 the burning desire to "get rich quick," until stopped by the law.
 just so long will men like Charles Now it has been learned that
 Ponzi appear and take from them Ponzi is an ex-convict, having
 their money. conducted a like scheme in Mon-
 treal thirteen years ago, served
 his time in state prison and re-
 newed the work on a bigger scale,
 this time in Boston.

This time the scene is laid in In this gigantic scheme, so far,
 staid, conservative, proud old none is known to have been a
 Boston and from all reports the loser, but that his business is now
 mad rush for wealth was never tied up in the courts there is no
 exceeded in the wild and wicked telling what the final outcome
 oil fields of the west. will be, but the fact remains that
 the great desire for rapid acquire-
 ment of wealth will continue to
 lead people to risk their money
 in all kind of schemes.

And the magnitude of Ponzi's Ponzi may be guilty, may be
 transactions was never equaled convicted and sent to prison, but
 in communities considered by the there will be another, many of
 Bostonese to be ruled always by them, to take his place and the
 dense ignorance. people will go on and on invest-
 ing in such schemes, in the hope
 of big returns, other than making
 careful investments where the
 rates of interest are legitimate.

The more credit to Ponzi that The ten leading newspapers of the
 it was these blue-blooded aristoc- city have increased subscription
 rats who contributed to his rates from 35 to 250 per cent.
 wealth. Early he began counting The one lead-
 his dollars, not in thousands, but ing the fight against any increase in
 in millions. utility rates raised its annual subscrip-
 tion price from \$3 to \$5, or 167 per cent.

The crash was inevitable. But "Supposing these publications had
 the strange part of it all is that had to go before a public utility com-
 banks, officials, accountants and mission to secure such increases in
 financiers do not yet know if Pon- rates and the commission had refused
 zi is a bankrupt. He insists he is to grant any increases during six years
 as has been the case in many instances
 with utilities; how many of these pa-
 pers and magazines would have been
 in existence today?"—Fort Collins (Col.)
 Express.

"WHY NOT BE FAIR?"

Increase in public utility and rail- His Prospects
 road rates have been necessary to main- Rich Parent—So you want to marry
 tain service. The increases granted, my daughter—and what are your pros-
 however, have in most cases been in- pects?
 adequate to cover increased cost of op- Impetuous Suitor—Simply topping
 eration, and as a result many com- —unless you spoil them!—Pan (London).

"The main fight against increased rates yielding a fair return is always carried on by some radical publication or politician.

"A bitter fight has been on in New York to prevent increased car fares and other utility rates.

"To show the inconsistency of the papers waging this campaign it is interesting to note the increase in subscription rates of New York publications from 1914 to 1920. Eleven of the leading national magazines published there have raised news stand rates from 40 to 233 per cent, or an average of over 44 1/2 per cent each. The most radical against the utilities has increas-

The People's Forum

BERRY NALLS RESIGNS.

To the Editor of The News:
 Never in the history of Eastland county were the people more in need of good officers than at present, especially the peace officers who look after the enforcement of the laws.
 Report comes to me that the sheriff is being criticized over the county because of some of the deputies now serving under Mr. Lawrence. Particularly, it seems, is the criticism aimed at myself. I have earnestly assisted the sheriff without favor or partiality. I have endeavored to treat everybody right and do no one any wrong. I have heard of no criticism of my official or personal acts as a deputy sheriff, but it seems that persons who dislike me have endeavored to prejudice uniformed voters against Sheriff Lawrence because of my being a deputy. As evidence of the fact that I do not want to fill a position subjecting as good a man as Sheriff Lawrence to any criticism, nor be at all instrumental in his defeat, and having the interest and welfare of the people of Eastland county more deeply at heart than I have my own interest, for the people of this county have certainly treated me right in so far as my personal and official relations have been concerned, I am tendering my resignation as a deputy sheriff.

In doing so, I wish to state that I come to Eastland county as a state ranger, ordered here by the government two years ago, and have been working under Sheriff Lawrence a little more than twelve months.
 I have been an officer in this state for more than fourteen years and have never worked under a better man than Mr. Lawrence, no one who more faithfully endeavored to enforce the law during my connection with the sheriff's department there have been apprehended and placed in jail approximately 600 criminals, 53 of these being bootleggers, and many still have been captured and destroyed, as well as numerous "choc" joints, and every gambling house coming to the knowledge of the sheriff's department has been raided and the furniture destroyed. Practically every bit of this work has been directed by Sheriff Lawrence, and much of it has been attended to by him in person. Much of this work remains to be done, and the people could have no better man nor better qualified officer than Sheriff Lawrence to continue this work, and it is my firm belief that the citizens of Eastland county would make a mistake to change sheriffs at this time.
 My resignation is tendered with ill feeling to no one, but for the sole purpose of eliminating myself as a factor in the situation, if it be true that I am a factor.
 Respectfully,
 BERRY NALLS.

BITS OF HUMOR

She Won.

This is as it was told by the moving van man:
 She called him up and said she wanted some furniture moved.
 When he got there he soon saw that it was a case of separation of husband and wife. They were dividing up, and

there was a quarrel over every piece of furniture that she took.
 He said it was his and wanted it; she said it was hers, and was determined to get it.
 Finally they came to a very handsome table. She told the moving man to load it in the van; husband told the moving van man not to.
 "I bought that table," declared the husband.
 "And you gave it to me," asserted the wife.
 "I gave it to you, did I?" with all the sarcasm he could put in the question.
 "Yes, you did."
 "It's a beautiful table, isn't it?"
 "Yes, and I am going to have it," reported she.
 "You are sure I gave you that beautiful table, are you?"
 "Yes, I am."
 "Well, is a man who would buy his wife a beautiful and costly table like that as bad as you try to make me out to be?"
 And she couldn't answer.
 "There is once that the man got the best of the woman in the tongue contest," added the moving van man.
 "But who got the table?" was asked.
 "Oh, she did."—Pipp's Weekly.

Qualified.

"If I marry it will be to a man whose fortune has at least five ciphers in it," declared a girl to a suitor of very limited means.
 "Then I've got you," he replied.
 "Mine is all ciphers."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Assistance.

Peddler—I'm trying to sell some al-

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 Lucky.
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 Second Broker—Splendid. Why, we sold every share before we found the mine.—Edinburgh Scotsman.
 Indefinite.
 Wife—I wish these recipes would be more definite.
 Husband—What's the difficulty, my dear?
 Wife—This one tells how to use up old potatoes, but it doesn't say how old the potatoes must be.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

THREE DAY BLANKET SALE

August Blanket Sale

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3 Days--Friday, Saturday and Monday--3 Days

Here is an Opportunity to Buy Your Blankets

at a big savings; just at the beginning of the Fall and Winter Season. We bought a large stock of Wool Nap and all Wool Blankets especially for our AUGUST BLANKET SALE. We will place in this sale 550 pairs of these blankets in solid gray and tans with colored borders and pretty plaids of blue and pink.

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- \$11.00 All Wool Blankets at...\$ 9.15



- \$10.00 Blankets at...\$8.15
- 9.00 Blankets at...\$7.15
- 8.00 Blankets at...\$6.45
- 7.00 Blankets at...\$5.85
- 6.00 Blankets at...\$4.95

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Remember, there is only three days at these prices. Come early while the stock is complete and get your share of these WONDERFUL BARGAINS NOW.



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Friday, Saturday and Monday, August 13, 14 and 16

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Announcement

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in the Mayhew Building, 208 West Broadway, on next Monday, August 16, for your convenience, with service, courtesy and pleasant dealings.

H. C. Wippern

Licensed Embalmer and Funerary Director.

Director.

Phone 167.

SUGAR PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED BY HAVING MORE BEES AT WORK

ROME, Aug. 12.—Italy is devising means to alleviate the beet sugar shortage. She has been urged to put more bees at work producing honey. Italy in 1917 had nearly 67,000 miles of railways and at regular intervals along the lines are little houses where the railway employes, signalmen, track walkers and repairmen live. The manager of the National Institute for Agrarian Assistance recently recommended that they each be given a hive of bees. In conformity with the suggestion the experiment is to be begun at once on the lines in the province of Rome and, if successful, it will be extended to all the railways of Italy.

Beat the high cost of living by eating at the Liberty Cafe. 284

CANADIAN WHEAT BOARD NOT TO MARKET '20 CROP

International News Service. OTTAWA, Can., Aug. 12.—The Dominion government has decided that the wheat board will not function insofar as the wheat crop of 1920 is concerned. This was announced by Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce. "The marketing of this year's crop," said Sir George, "will revert to the usual and normal methods of pre-war times. The government will, however, carefully watch the conditions outside of Canada and will exercise the right to proclaim the enabling legislation of last season if circumstances make it necessary to act in the public interest. From the present point of view, it is believed no such action will be found necessary."

ONE-ARMED ORGANIST.

ONDON, Aug. 12.—The war has given England a successful one-armed organist. Returning to civil life minus an arm, Douglas Fox concluded his life as a musician had ended. Encouraged by a friend to try to fight his way back to his old job, he proved that he could play the services with one hand and is again organist for Bradford College.

HOW ABSENTEES MAY CAST THEIR VOTES IN AUGUST PRIMARY

Associated Press. AUSTIN, Aug. 12.—In accordance with a recent ruling by the attorney general's department, F. C. Malone, county clerk of Travis county, has made the following statement: "Absentee voters may exercise the privilege of voting at the August primary from the 18th until the 24th, inclusive, it being necessary to present yourself personally to have your poll tax receipt or exemption. "Any qualified voter who expects to be absent from Travis county on the day of election may take advantage of the law. All absentee voters who voted in the last primary may call and get their poll tax receipts." This condition applies to all the counties in the state, and to those who desire to avail themselves of all the absentee voting law.

FRANCE CONTINUES TO MAKE MONEY FROM PRODUCTION OF WINE

PARIS, Aug. 12.—Despite American prohibition and the increased taxes on French wines in Great Britain, France gained nearly 500,000,000 francs in her exportation of elementary products during the first six months of this year. She reduced the balance of trade against her at the rate of 8,000,000,000 a year on all products. The greatest progress is shown in manufactured articles total exportations being 4,888 millions as compared with 1,760 millions during the first half of 1919. Her total exports increased 5,500,000,000 and her imports 1,908,000,000.

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HOW THEY STACK UP

TEXAS LEAGUE.				
Standing of the Teams.				
Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Fort Worth	48	37	11	.771
San Antonio	46	29	17	.630
Shreveport	45	26	19	.578
Wichita Falls	43	25	18	.562
Beaumont	42	20	22	.444
Dallas	42	20	22	.417
Houston	41	17	24	.354
Galveston	40	12	28	.272

Wednesday's Results. San Antonio 9, Fort Worth 0 (called at end of fourteenth inning by darkness).

Thursday's Schedule. San Antonio at Fort Worth. Galveston at Wichita Falls. Houston at Shreveport. Beaumont at Dallas.

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.				
Wednesday's Results.				
Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Ranger 2, Abilene 4.				
Sweetwater 3, Eastland 8.5.				

Thursday's Schedule. Sweetwater at Eastland. Mineral Wells at Cisco. Ranger at Abilene.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.				
Standing of the Teams.				
Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cleveland	106	69	37	.651
Chicago	110	69	41	.622
New York	111	69	42	.622
St. Louis	105	52	53	.495
Boston	104	47	57	.452
Washington	103	46	57	.447
Detroit	104	40	64	.384
Philadelphia	107	33	74	.298

Wednesday's Results. Washington 1, Chicago 2. New York 7, Cleveland 4. Philadelphia 12, Detroit 4. Boston 5, St. Louis 3.

Thursday's Schedule. Washington at Chicago. Philadelphia at Detroit. New York at Cleveland. Boston at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.				
Standing of the Teams.				
Club	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	107	61	46	.570
Cincinnati	102	58	44	.549
New York	103	57	46	.553
Pittsburgh	101	52	49	.515
Chicago	110	53	57	.482
St. Louis	104	48	56	.462
Boston	97	44	53	.454
Philadelphia	103	40	63	.392

Wednesday's Results. Chicago 3, Brooklyn 2. Pittsburgh 1-3, New York 5-6. St. Louis 15, Philadelphia 9. Cincinnati at Boston, postponed, rain.

Thursday's Schedule. Pittsburgh at New York. Cincinnati at Boston. Chicago at Brooklyn. St. Louis at Philadelphia.

Miscellaneous Games. At Henderson—Henderson 11, Carthage 2. At Corsicana—Corsicana 7, Teague 6. At Bonham—Bonham 6, Honey Grove 4.

ABILENE 4, RANGER 2. ABILENE, Aug. 12.—Under the management of Ed Kizzar, and with former Manager Bugs Young playing first base for the Nitros, Abilene defeated Ranger here Wednesday, 4 to 2, in a snappy game. Kizzar broke a 1 to 1 tie with a triple, scoring Segrist, who had singled, in the sixth, and an error by Ezell let

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FOR SALE—Second hand furniture: One library table, two rockers, six chairs, one dining table, one bed and mattress, one ice chest, one Victrola, two gas stoves, one Duofold, one baby bed, cooking utensils, one baby buggy, two rugs, one buffet, one high chair, curtains, one garbage can. 507 West First. 160

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in two more runs for Abilene in that inning. Score by innings—R Ranger ————— 100 000 100-2 Abilene ————— 100 000 002-4 Batteries: Carter and Pemberton; Crowson and Shafter. 264

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PERSONAL MENTION

Dr. M. G. Kahn, an optometrist of state-wide reputation, is in Cisco today and will be here each Thursday hereafter.

He will be at the Fain drug store each Thursday, and those in need of optical service should bear this fact in mind and arrange an appointment.

Stella Louise Nash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Nash, celebrated her seventh birthday yesterday at the home of her parents, 462 H Avenue.

Collins, Bud Leonard, Leonard Paul and Buford Nash, Jr.

Mrs. Edith Buey, of Terrell, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Nash.

Miss Helen Morgan returned to her home in Waco this morning, after a month's visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Morgan, on West Seventh street.

Max Elser has returned from a business trip to Colorado, Mitchell county.

Misses Lucile and Norrell McCord, of Stamford, are visiting Miss Eunice McCord, at 407 West Ninth street, this week.

Herbert Ottlinger has gone to Lubbock for a month's visit with relatives.

Mrs. Rose W. Evans leaves tonight for a ten-day visit to her son, Loyd Evans, in Dallas.

C. A. DeWitt, of Dallas, A. L. Hill and wife, Mrs. Ella Hill, and Miss Hamilton, of Moran, are guests of John Englis, on Tenth street.

Clifton Hyatt is improving after an operation for appendicitis last Saturday.

Mr. McClinton of Gateville, has returned home after a visit to his son, Ben McClinton.

Mr. Buchanan, of the Continental Supply company, and Mrs. Buchanan have gone to San Angelo to attend a

family reunion of Mrs. Buchanan's relatives.

M. L. Turner and family have gone to Dallas to visit during Mr. Turner's vacation.

Mrs. R. Foxworth is spending a month in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Dollie Potter has returned from Eastland.

Grady Calloway met a party of friends from Fort Worth yesterday, and went to Concho for a fishing trip.

Mrs. Robt. Withers arrived yesterday from New Mexico to visit her sisters, Mesdames Cochran, Thompson and Backburn.

Messrs. Hyatt, of Alabama, are here with their nephew, Clifton Hyatt, who is ill at his home on West Tenth street.

H. J. Winchell and family, and E. P. Crawford and family are leaving for Kerrville, Texas, today, to attend the Presbyterian encampment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hendricks, of Parks, spent a few hours in Cisco yesterday and left for Lelain, on a visit to Mr. Hendricks' father.

A. M. Hall made a business trip to Leeroy yesterday.

J. A. Smith, city fire marshal and secretary of the Economy Refining company, left this morning for Richmond, Va., on business connected with the company. He will return about the middle of next week.

New silk underwear has just arrived. The Style Shop. 156

NOTICE. Fred Herman, should this notice meet your eye, communicate with brother, Jack, Cisco postoffice. 156

AMUSEMENTS

Judith. The question eternally confronting the unmarried and unattached young man whose prospective fiancée demands devilishness in her mate will be answered at the Judia Theater when "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," from five stage comedy success by C. W. Ball and Mark Swain will be projected on the screen.

The picture is said to contain all the joyous and human hilarity which characterizes the stage play when presented for a long and laugh-compelling season in New York. One finds at the outset the problem of Reggie Irving, a nice, quiet chap who for an annoying length of time has been seeking to persuade Angelica of the fact that he is absolutely the best article in the matrimonial department store at any price.

Angelica, who has an eye for color, demands a husband trimmed with a scarlet, lurid past, and hence Reggie is forced to arrange circumstances to convince the girl that Don Juan and the proverbially gay Lothario are not even in the same league with him.

Eugene Pallette, who depicted to skillfully a similar role in "Fair and Warmer," when starred May Allison, plays Reggie; and Kathleen Kirkham is Angelica. Ruth Stonehouse has an important part as Polly Hathaway, the society scandal reporter; and Henry Miller, Jr., will be seen in an equally prominent role.

Edward Dillon directed the picture, W. M. Edmond was the photographer, and special art effects were arranged by Sidney Ullman. The scenario is by June Mathis and A. P. Younger.

Victory. One of the sets which David Edwards, technical man with William Fox, has designed for "White Lies," starring Gladys Brockwell, at the Victory Theater is a hall in the castle of the old French family that figures in the story.

This hall is designed after one in the Chateau de Blois, which was a residence in the long ago of French kings, including Louis XI, Louis XII, and Henry III.

The hall is of decorated stone, with cove ceiling, Gothic mantle decorated in plaster and polychrome, and floor of decorated tile. The peculiar hall in Blois from which this set is copied belongs to the transition period when the Italian Renaissance was influencing the Gothic of France (the Chateau de Blois was several hundreds of years in build, and therefore represents several periods architecturally).

Another hall shown in the same picture.

Whiskey High, But In Air, Not Price. BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Aug. 12.—A moonshiner still pitched atop a cliff was discovered by officers in Mercer County.

Cliffs line either side of Brush creek, some of them being 150 feet high. A moonshiner had selected a place that could only be reached by climbing seventy-five feet of the barren cliff and then "shinning" up a giant hemlock that had found room to grow.

Supplies were taken up a wire incline. When the officers reached the place all accessories had been removed. The only thing to be seized was a large quantity of mash.

New fall millinery arriving daily. Popular prices, at The Style Shop. 156

UNCOVER MUSICAL GEMS IN LONDON CUPBOARD. LONDON, Aug. 12.—William Byrd, hitherto unknown to historians of music, is by many believed to have been England's greatest musician. His musical manuscript has been unearthed in an old cupboard and is to be published with the aid of Carnegie trust funds.

The next generation will probably regard him with the veneration given to Shakespeare, declares Dr. Terry, of Westminster Cathedral, who is preparing the manuscript for publication.

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SIR THOMAS LIPTON MAY VISIT TEXAS AND ATTEND DALLAS FAIR

Associated Press. DALLAS, Aug. 12.—Sir Thomas Lipton will visit Dallas if he is able to include Texas in the itinerary of his proposed American tour in the near future.

In reply to the telegraphed invitation of Mal McGilvery, a sporting writer associated with the Dallas Soldiers' and Sailors' Athletic club and an old friend of the famous English sportsman, he wired that "if it is at all possible to visit Texas, will be delighted to accept the courteous invitation to Dallas."

Sir Thomas would be the guest of the ex-service men's club.

The Chamber of Commerce of Austin has reported the receipt of an encouraging acknowledgement of its invitation to Sir Thomas to visit the Texas capital.

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