

The Cisco Round-Up

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Real Estate and Brokerage

I have opened an office with the Cisco Banking Company, where I will deal in Real Estate and Brokerage

I have a good list of leases and royalty for sale, and will be able to give the oil men some bargains. Also will be able to make quick sales for property owners, and the people who have leases and royalties for sale.

I am now devoting my entire time to this business, and although, have had my office opened a few days, have been able to make some good sales. It will be my policy to deal fair and square and to make quick sales. So parties desiring quick action should see me.

Also, I am in position to secure loans for parties desiring such, on both city and country property. I will get you the money on short notice. I know the business and if you want to get action deal with me Good car at your service.

R. C. PASS

With Cisco Banking Company

TALKS WITH THE SECRETARY.

On Friday of last week Mr. Edward W. Wilson, traffic manager, and Mr. A. I. Brainard, manager of the Frick-Reid Supply Co. at Wichita Falls, were in the city and made arrangements for their company to enter Cisco. This gives Cisco five of the big oil well supply houses to date, and observation is to the effect that they always build a city, however do not conclude that YOU are to do nothing.

A District meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in Cisco on January 22nd. This district will be comprised of the following counties: Shackelford, Comanche, Erath, Stephens, Eastland and Callahan, with district headquarters at Cisco. This town is selected by reason of its easy access by rail. All county managers will be present at this district meeting and county membership quotas distributed which are as follows: Shackelford, 25; Erath, 75; Comanche, 75; Eastland, 200; Callahan, 30 and Stephens, 50. The membership fee is \$10.00, and is open to all citizens who care to participate in a move for the general good of this section of the country. News items of this section are being gathered and paraphrased under the names of the various towns in the district and syndicated to the various oil journals and leading newspapers of the north and east. This is being handled by experts and gives the cheapest and most exhaustive distribution of reliable information to be had. Whatever may be good for West Texas is good for Cisco, hence every citizen should become informed about The West Texas Chamber of Commerce and support it in word and money. Do not feel that you are helping neighboring counties to the prejudice of your own for this is reciprocal.

A representative of the M. Bergman Produce Co. of Fort Worth was in town Tuesday looking for a site upon which to erect a wholesale plant. His opinion is that Cisco merchants are handling around \$10,000.00 in produce monthly out of Fort Worth and Dallas upon which they are paying \$1,000 express. If this be true, we are throwing away \$12,000 per year, which would soon pay for a plant of this kind. Will some one see that this company is cared for in a reasonably cheap and advantageously located site.

The contractors for Avenue D, have lost their tools and machinery in transit. Do not lose your patience, this street will be a peach when it is completed, a thing of beauty and a joy for ever, with some maintenance.

If you feel yourself slipping do not get pessimistic. Its going to take grit and gumption to build a town here. Take a drive over town, be-

THE Carnival

When the Masquerade Carnival, given under the auspices of every citizen of Cisco opens at the New Daniels Hotel Friday night, January 24th, at seven-thirty o'clock, after you have paid the admission fee of only 35 cents you can please your appetite of sweets by patronizing the booth of sweets, by buying home-made candy, and receiving the sweet smiles of the young ladies who will wrap your package.

Passing from the booth of sweets you can select from the lunch counter, a splendid lunch, with good coffee, served by dainty hands and all for a very low price you can get a good lunch at this Carnival.

On to the fruit stand. There will be fruits from the Tropical regions that Mr. Punch and Mrs. Judie brought when they returned from foreign shores. Don't fail to buy some of it.

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First Guaranty State Bank

CISCO, TEXAS

THE BANK OF STEADY SERVICE

beginning on second street and zig-zagging down to about fifteenth and note the new houses under way, but after you have done this, do not go

Masquerade CARNIVAL

Thirty-five cents pays your way into this great entertainment and permits you to indulge in games, and see the many valuable costumes that will be worn on this occasion. Pay the price and come and bring some one with you.

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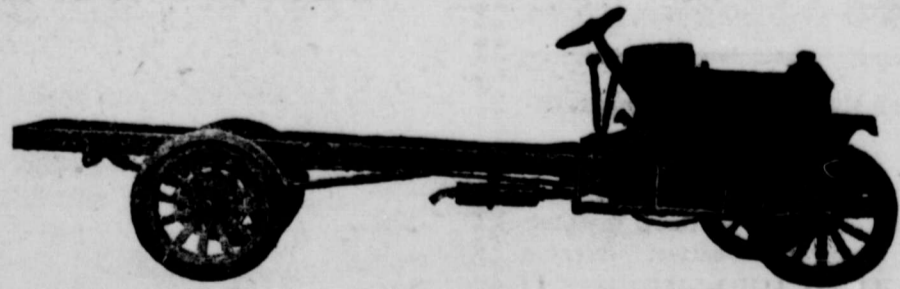
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Dry Goods and Groceries Gude & Sons

Successors to Gude & Pass

OIL ACTIVITIES

This week has been one of the most exciting and the busiest week in Cisco since oil was discovered last fall at Ranger. There has been more trading, buying and selling than there has ever been, and real estate is changing hands at a more rapid rate, and at good prices.

Drilling on the wells near Cisco is going on now satisfactorily, and as it seems that no let up will be made until the proper depth has been reached, leases and royalty prices are soaring.

The oil stock, in the companies, has advanced and has been ready sales.

The bad weather has retarded the progress of the drilling the past two or three days, and has caused a slump in sales, but the first of the week everything was in a stir.

THE HOME-COMERS

It is reported that many of our returning soldiers and sailors instead of going back to their homes are entering the large cities to seek employment.

The large cities are preparing to take care of their own returning men, and employers will naturally replace them in their old jobs in preference to engaging non-residents.

Two things complicate the employment question in cities at present. One is that many employers have been forced by the war-time distinction between essential and non-essential industries to lessen their product, and must wait for the indications of returning demand to increase it.

The second consideration is that many women and older men have taken the places of young men, and in many cases their services cannot in fairness, be immediately dispensed with.

These conditions will make the city a difficult place at present for the young men from small towns. It will be better for such a young man at present to return to his home town, where he is well known, and take his old job for the time being. He can watch the development of business and make his descent upon the city when conditions appear favorable.

The greatest bore of a deceitful woman is a man who can look a hole through her.

When you go shopping, treat the clerks as though they were nearly, at least, as human as yourself. It will pay. A clever clerk, ill-treated, can formulate your package in such a way as to be wholly unsatisfactory to you and yet there is no visible means of a complaint to higher quarters. His little game of vengeance is just as strong as your electric-coated sarcasm, and you would be more discreet in futures if you realized how many times the "bitten has bit the biter."

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R. G. Luse of Gainesville was in the city first of the week.

KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT

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I use only the best grade of materials and employ only skilled workmen. Ask me

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THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP

Nothing could have been better calculated to promote good feeling and agreement between the Allies than President Wilson's trip to Europe at this time.

As long as the war lasted the Allies were obliged to live in amity. When nations were bound together in a life and death struggle against arbitrary power there is no possibility of a disagreement. All separate national claims may well be put aside until it is settled whether the nations themselves shall exist.

With the passing of warfare it would be but natural that different policies and separate claims should come to the front among the Allied nations.

And who could be as well fitted to arbitrate any differences of opinion among the Allies as the United States, who wants nothing for herself and has no stake in Europe?

And who could represent the United States as well as her president, who months ago laid down the fourteen great principles of peace for the world?

Europe has found President Wilson a gracious gentleman, well fitted to his embassy. The acquaintance he has made with statesmen of the allied countries will make his presence at the peace board effective.

America looks to him to protect her interests and to assist in the adoption of a settlement which will mean lasting peace.

Why worry about a General's politics. He must follow his flag no matter whether it flies over a Democratic, Republican or Socialistic dome of Congress; he is bound in exacting duties that do not lend themselves to the forked tongues of personal opinion; he should predominate nothing excepting, perhaps, an office that's not of one party, one opinion, or one religion—his office of General. And besides, only such geniuses as Richelieu are capable of combining political and military standards on one mast-head—and we cannot but admit that no one man betwixt the coasts of Frisco and Yonkers has one grain of that particular salt.

"Senate seeks to stop hasty rail action." We trust it will have nothing to say against speedy rail action

CARNIVAL

It is the desire of the managers of this entertainment that you step on the floral scales that will be one of the attractions of the main room. Weigh yourself before you participate in the lunches and pleasures of the evening, just a nickel will tell the amount you have gained in the few hours you have spent at this Carnival. There will be one of Cisco's fairest maidens to weigh you as you enter, and record it, then weigh you as you retire and tell you the gain you have made by mingling with those who have arranged the evening's entertainment.

In one of the various booths that will be arranged there will be a presentation of Mrs. Jolly's Wax Works, for many years and in many places this has been an attraction that one never tires of. If you have never seen them, view them at this entertainment, just thirty-five cents to see every entertainment given at this Carnival.

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Geo. Winston

When the Boys Come Home

Lets have streets ablaze with cheering light and filled with happy crowds to welcome them

THE war is over and we've won. Its time to celebrate--to brighten up--to light up, to cheer up and brush up. It's time to boom business, to stimulate latent commercial activity

"Lightless Nights" Abolished

By National Fuel Administration

---Burn Your Electric Sign

Use your Electric Sign with its scintillating, brilliant message to help stimulate the true spirit of victory--to aid in promoting your own business and national prosperity--to assist in creating new jobs for the boys when they return.

Brighten Up for the Boys Coming Home

Have your Electric Sign re-painted and re-lamped. If you haven't one telephone 21, and our representative will call with full particulars.

Cisco Gas & Electric Co.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL

Join the fun makers, have a jolly, good time. You will help the public library fund, something that will be an asset to the city, and a great pleasure for the reading public. Encourage the ladies by being present on January the 24th

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Jno. H. Garner's

The Dependable Store

Dr. G. W. Griswold Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat ANNOUNCES

His return from the army and the reopening of his newly equipped suite of offices, January 1st, 1919, over the Red Front Drug Store, Cisco, Texas.

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Notices advertising entertainments, dinners, etc., where a charge is made, will be charged for at the regular advertising rate.

The Allies will fix the peace terms. Germany's only privilege will be to sign them.

The snow during the past two or three days has been the greatest fall since some of us can remember.

It may be that formerly we were too proud to fight, but certainly we are proud of our fighting.

Cisco is building the fastest, and with each week the prospects for her becoming a real city grows better.

It looks as if President Wilson will have a full hand of kings and queens to show down upon the peace table.

Everything has its compensations. The Kaiser's ear trouble will perhaps prevent his hearing the news from Germany.

Don't give your son from abroad either horse or salmon for his first home meal unless you wish to induce an attack of militarism.

One of the former Kaiser's principal pleasures has been cut off. His advisers have determined that he must not talk.

If it is decided to sink the German fleet, better select a few German submarines to do it. They have had experience in that line.

One sweetly solemn thought comes to us o'er and o'er: Our taxes will be higher now. Than they have been before.

Value is a matter of comparison, solely. For instance, a plow is a useful and valuable implement. But if you have neither land nor a horse a plow means but little to you.

Ireland is said to be much exercised about her future. It is singular that she can consider her future— one would think meditation upon her past would occupy all her spare time.

The etiquette books inform us that a young man making an evening call upon a young woman should terminate the call at half past ten. Why is it that some young men (even usually bright ones) should find it so exceedingly difficult to memorize this social regulation?

THE MASQUERADE CARNIVAL

When you pay thirty-five cents admission at the door of the New Daniels Hotel Friday night, January 24th, you will meet grandeur and pleasure as you enter the main room in the first story of this building, which will be used as a reception room where the Grand March will be led by artists of the entertainment. Splendid music will be furnished by various kinds of musical instruments, all donated by dealers in Cisco, citizens of the town, who will help to give this entertainment.

Immediately after the grand march is led, there will be the Old Virginia Reel presented by those who participated in it in their youth. Now both old and young get ready to see the scenes of your childhood days presented again, and help to present them.

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Dean Drug Company

For years and years the people have felt the need of a public library, and the Twentieth Century Club has to some degree, filled this want, but it has been only to a small degree. The club has a splendid collection of books, but because they have had no public and convenient building, the reading public has not had the pleasure that should be theirs. The library has been kept at the private home of Mrs. A. B. Johnson, who has acted as librarian for years. This club has been looking to the future and expecting some day to have a building, hence purchased a lot one block from the main street on which they hope some day to have a building erected. A public library with a reading room is a great asset to any town, and the citizenship of Cisco should encourage these club ladies in arrangements or preparations for the construction of this building. This club has been laying aside money each year for some time and calling it the building fund. They bought the lot when property was cheap and have it paid for. They hope at some early date to begin the construction of a building. The masquerade party which is to be given next week is for the benefit of this building. Every person interested in the upbuilding of Cisco should patronize this entertainment, and if it is so that you cannot attend, send the money. Cisco needs a building for its public library and these ladies will see that we get it if they receive the proper encouragement.

PUBLIC STANDARDS.

Graft is an ugly word, and an uglier thing. And we who have lived in an era of aircraft scandals and pork-barrel legislation are inclined to feel that it is especially characteristic of our day and generation.

This is a mistake. Investigation and comparison give proof that during the last forty-five years there has been a gradual and steady improvement in the public conscience.

Men of better character have been elected to public office. Standards of public morality are higher in the different state legislatures. Though much is to be desired in city government, the old reckless neglect of public rights and disregard of common honesty is gone, we trust forever. Men who in other days robbed the public with impunity and laughed at the powerlessness of law, would in our day face the strong probability of bolts and bars and a disapproved pattern of stripes.

The millennium is far away. But slow and tortuous as the course of American politics may seem, it is headed in that direction. We have a firm faith that as the years pass graft and corruption will be more and more discredited; and public service will be increasingly based on standards of right and honor.

JUDGE PATTERSON LEAVING

Judge B. W. Patterson is leaving the law firm of Thompson, Patterson & Farmer, and will return to his old home at Cisco, Texas. Judge Patterson has been here for several years and during his stay has built a splendid law practice and made many warm friends who will regret to see him leave. He has been one of our most public spirited citizens and has always stood ready to lend a helping hand to every enterprise and has been a most consistent believer in law and order and good government. As a member of the Council of Defense, and as a member of the Garvin county war board he has devoted much of his time to war work in the past year and has done his duties faithfully and cheerfully, sacrificing much of his time in the interest of his country. Judge Patterson will be missed from our councils and his going will be regretted by our entire citizenship but our loss is Cisco's gain from whom we have had him borrowed, as it were, for a few brief years. We bid him God's blessings in his going and assure him and his estimable wife and daughter that the latch string of Pauls Valley hangs on the outside any time they may elect to return to our midst, either as guests or one of our citizens.

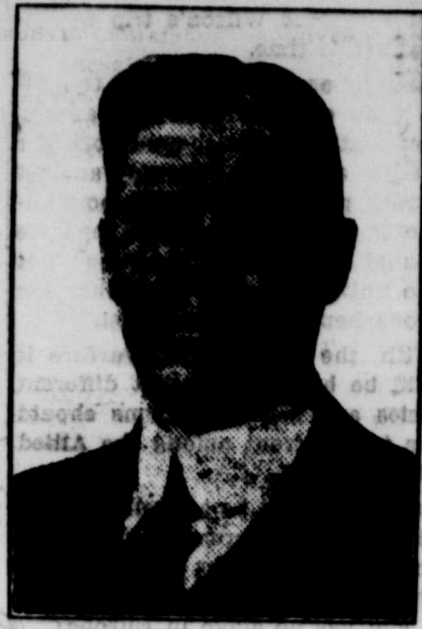
The above article was clipped from the Pauls Valley, Okla., Democrat. Mr. Patterson left Cisco about seven years ago and moved to Pauls Valley, where he had secured a good practice. The people of Cisco are very glad to have him and his good family return. They will be with his father, John F. Patterson, until a new residence can be built.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

On January the 6th, the firm of Gude & Pass was dissolved and passed to the ownership of Gude & Sons, Mr. Pass having sold his interest in the firm, and Gude & Sons assuming all indebtedness and will collect all notes and accounts.

E. B. GUDE
R. C. PASS.

THIS MAN WANTS TO TALK TO YOU



FRANK M. SMITH
Federal Director War Loans and Savings

Suppose you were attacked by a gang of ruffians who nearly killed you, and you were saved by some plucky doctor who himself was injured in the struggle, but who stayed by you night and day until you recovered.

Would you refuse to pay the doctor's bill on the ground that the danger was now past and that paying for past services was an unpleasant task, anyhow?

You would not. You would regard it as a sacred duty to liquidate that debt.

I see no difference between the situation described and the position of every man, woman and child in this country today. At the cost of life and magnificent effort we have been saved by our fighting men and our intelligent, hard-working workmen from something quite as bad as death.

A Most Solemn Obligation

rests upon us to pay the bill. There is so much owing that we can never repay that there should not be heard one murmur about settling the financial part of the obligation.

I do not believe that there will be any difficulty. The American people are just people who pay their debts, they are grateful and generous people.

The Government paid out the stupendous sum of Two Billion and Sixty Million Dollars in war expenses during the month of December alone and the expense will go on for many months to come. Of course the Government was borrowing all this money from the banks, and must soon pay it back—and, of course, we must find that money.

We Are Going to Do It

by buying Thrift Stamps, Savings Certificates and Liberty Bonds on a scale bigger than ever before. We are going to economize and save, not because we are afraid of the Hun getting his foot on our neck, but because we are grateful to Almighty God, our sainted dead, the boys who are coming back with victory in their hands, to our beloved President and his helpers, to all of whom is due the credit for the glorious result.

We Are Going to Save, Too.

because we have found out that it is just the grandest thing in the world for us, mentally and physically. We are going to save because it brings us a solid satisfaction and peace of mind.

The fighting has ceased, the bands do not play or the flags wave now, but the earnest purpose behind our effort in the great world war remains yet to be accomplished. Much effort and billions of dollars have yet to be spent before this objective is attained. Millions of lives, the agony and sweat of countless thousands has been the cost of victory. It is for us to see that this priceless purchase is not thrown away. In such a task we cannot, dare not, do less than our very best.

FRANK M. SMITH.

The Carnival

Let the whole evening be one of getting together of the good people of Cisco; one that new acquaintances can be formed, one where the stranger within our gates can mix and mingle with all the people of Cisco. Show them what a splendid town they have come to, and what a splendid set of people they are living among. Prosperity awaits them by coming to Cisco. Many advantages will be presented in the near future that will be of interest to every stranger that has come to Cisco to live among a progressive set of people. All of this will be shown by the managers of this great Carnival that will be given at the New Daniels Hotel Friday night, January 24th, by the citizens of Cisco, all for the price of thirty-five cents.

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Kelly's Store

Letters From France.

Camp Stuart, Va., Jan. 8, 1919
Mrs. C. U. Horn,
Dear Mother:

Will write you a few lines to let you know that I arrived in Virginia today, and am well and hope this find you all the same. We had a very nice trip across. Left Brest, France, December 26th. We sailed on the Battleship Kansas, had fine weather most of the way across, lots to eat and wasn't crowded much. We sure had a fine new year's dinner, but no Christmas, for Christmas we had corn beef and potatoes, with the jacket on them, and we were at Brest it rained every day, and we were on details in the mud shoe mouth deep and slept on the wet ground in tents. In Sarceels, where we were stationed for some time we had it very nice. We got passes to Paris. I was in Paris about eight times. Any one going to France and don't get to see Paris hasn't seen France, by any means.

We didn't get to the front, but started once and got nearly there and got orders to return to Sarceels, later leaving for port of embarkation, Brest. I was in several air raid on Paris, tho, and helped bring down one German plane with a Lieutenant and a Sergeant in it. I don't think we will be here but a few days; we will be separated and sent to the camp nearest our home, guess I will go to Fort Sam Houston or Camp Bowie.

Oh, say there is snow on the ground here. I haven't seen much cold weather since leaving the States
Your Son,
MARCUS HILL.

Dijon, France, Dec. 18, 1918
To our many good friends of Cisco. There are three of us boys in the same unit, Frank Vernon, Jack Crosby and myself. This is our fourth month in France. We have 1,200 men in our organization, all mechanics, and last month we repaired more truck and auto motors than any unit in the A. E. F., and we didn't work

hard either. We get the Round-Up every week and enjoy reading it very much, so all the folks tell the editor all the news so we boys may know what is going on in the old home town, and before many days we boys of the A. E. F. will be with you. Respectfully,
Sgt. LUTHER E. STANSBURY.



An Ideal Place
—FOR YOUR—
IDEAL'S PICTURE

THE NEW
Watch-Locket
BRACELET

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

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

On sale at our store only in this town.

Dean Drug Company

True Friendship

President Wilson said at Manchester, England, on December 30th, that "friendship is not a mere sentiment. It is based upon a principle, upon the principle that leads a man to give more than he demands. Similarly, friendship is based not merely upon affection, but upon a common service. The man is not your friend unless he is willing to serve you and you are not his friend unless you are willing to serve him. And out of that impulse of common interest and desire of common service arises that noble feeling which we consecrate as friendship."

We want to hold all our old friends and acquire many new ones this year. Let our service be yours.

The Whiteley Co.

City Property, Oil Lands.

Gas Heaters---

We have a nice line of gas heaters we can sell for

\$6.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00

Collins Saddlery Co.

Local and Personal Mention

WANTED:—Clean cotton rags, at Round-Up Office.

Mrs. H. C. Poe has returned from a visit in Fort Worth.

W. W. Eddleman, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Att'y. J. J. Butts made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

Rev. S. J. Vaughan was in Rising Star Sunday and Monday.

Geo. Crossley of Eastland had business in the city Wednesday.

J. R. Niver of Eastland was in the city Monday with a bale of cotton.

W. L. Morris of Albany was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

R. F. Davis of Dallas has been a business visitor in Cisco the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ammerman have returned from a visit in Fort Worth.

Sheriff Lawrence was over from Eastland Saturday on official business.

F. A. Jones and M. J. Smith were over from Eastland on business Saturday.

Mmes. A. A. Webster and E. N. Kittrell have returned from a visit in Dallas.

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

D. L. Rogers had the sad news Sunday of the death of a niece at Sloan Springs, Ark.

Lieutenant Elmer Pate of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, is in the city on a visit with friends.

Miss Anna Boyce of Eastland is ill at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. Strickland, in this city.

W. W. Early of Scurry county spent several days here looking after business interests.

Rev. Jas. T. Gardner filled his regular appointment at the Romney Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. M. J. Dennis of Robinson, Ill. is spending the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Brandon.

Wesley Ammerman of Fort Worth spent several days in the city with relatives and meeting former friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blair or Ranger were here Sunday and Monday, guests in the F. E. Harrell home.

I. J. Patterson of Pauls Valley, Okla., is in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Karkalits.

C. O. Karkalits of Wynnewood, Okla., is in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Karkalits.

Mr. and Mrs. Chavez of Allison, Col., have been guests in the L. W. Tarkenton home for a few days.

Mrs. Baten's private school is a good place for your child to get individual attention by a teacher of extensive experience.

Mrs. R. W. Mancill was called to Waco this week by the illness of a brother and his wife, who reside in that city.

Miss Julia Lee will not return to Baylor University this term, but has gone to Dallas to attend St. Mary's Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. St. John and Mr. E. Roper of Eastland motored to Cisco Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

Misses Addie and Mary Fee have returned to Fort Worth to re-enter T. W. C. after spending the holidays at home.

Jas. Mobley, who has been living in Waco for some time has returned to Cisco and will have charge of the Mobley Hotel.

J. N. Wood of the Sabanno community was in Cisco Saturday, and called at this office and subscribed for the Round-Up.

Miss Sarah Maud Benham left this week for Dallas to re-enter S. M. U. having been detained at home since the holidays by illness.

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

Mrs. A. E. Baten is teaching a school next door to the Baptist church for the benefit of those under scholastic age. Phone 260. It

Mrs. Grover Ellis returned Monday from Temple, where she has been for several weeks, having been called there by the illness of a brother.

H. A. Holford of the Taylor County Times, (Abilene) was in the city Monday. He recently moved to Arlington but still owns the Abilene paper.

J. B. Jenkins has been transferred from Parks Camp to the Cisco office of The Texas Company, and has a position as telegraph operator with a substantial increase in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander were in Stamford Tuesday of last week to attend the funeral of the wife of Hubbard Croom, notice of the death having appeared in this paper week before last.

Jas. K. Garner of El Centro, Calif. is visiting in the home of his son, John H. Garner, after an absence of several years from the city.

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

Mrs. L. M. Moorhouse and Miss Mabel Morris departed Tuesday for Pittsburgh, Pa., after a stay of several months in this city with W. E. Morris of the Ohio Cities Gas Co.

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LOST—Between Albany and Cisco 4x4 1-3 Silverton cord Goodrich tire. Please deliver to E. G. Brasher feed store, Cisco, and receive reward

LOST—Child's white fur neck-piece, Saturday night, near Pock Theatre. Finder please return to Mrs. Jay Warren. It

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Masquerade Carnival

In one of the selected corners will be the snake charmer, with many specimens of the reptile we hate to meet, but under her charming nature there will be no harm done to those who watch her manage those reptiles without fear. Remember all of this is to be seen with the general admission of thirty-five cents.

Those who are hunting for the latest creations in spring styles of Parisian mode, will find them in the Parisian display managed by one who has just returned from selecting such robes with a full array of them which will be sold at this Carnival.

From the Parisian robe booth arrangements have been made with Madames Style and Goodtaste to display a model to exhibit their millinery in a manner that every lady may have the opportunity of seeing themselves just as they will appear when dressed in a Parisian dress, and a French model hat. Be sure to patronize the millinery department and meet the managers.

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BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. C. G. Gray was a very charming hostess on Wednesday afternoon of last week at her new home on 7th street, having as guests the Bridge Club and other friends. In the cozy living room three tables were arranged for bridge and several hours were pleasantly passed.

A delicious two-course luncheon was served to the following: Mmes Geo. P. Fee, G. C. Lingle, R. W. Mancill, John Neel, B. S. Huey, Henry Hill, W. E. Spencer, H. C. Poe, W. E. Chaney, J. Tansey, Kirkland, B. T. Tucker of Dallas.

MRS. LINGLE HOSTESS.

An all-day meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club was the pleasure accorded the members on Tuesday, when Mrs. G. C. Lingle was hostess. In the afternoon dancing gave diversion, the numbers being furnished by the Brunswick, with several dance selections.

Fruit cake and pineapple dainty was enjoyed by Mesdames A. A. Webster, John Neel, C. G. Gray, Geo. P. Fee, B. S. Huey, Tansey, G. C. Lingle.

A DANCE

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lingle entertained on Friday evening of last week with a dance. Phonograph and piano music inspired the dancers until a late hour. Delicious punch was served throughout the evening. In attendance were fifteen couples.

NURSING CLASS ORGANIZED

The class in Home Nursing was organized Wednesday with an enrollment of eight women, even tho, inclement weather prevailed. Three lessons a week will be given on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the City Hall at 2 p. m. The course consists of fifteen lessons at a fee of \$3.05. All parties interested should phone Mrs. J. E. Griffin, Instructor, at her residence.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL.

Come one, come all, to the big masquerade, not a ball, just a carnival, where there will be fun unlimited for old and young. On Friday, January 24th, at 7:30 p. m. the new Daniels hotel will be thrown open to the public, the building will be ablaze with lights, every room and department will be open for inspection. The citizens of Cisco will be justly proud of the new hotel and will welcome it into the business and social circles, such a welcome as every worthy enterprise receives.

There will be an admittance fee at the door. For adults, 35c and for children 20c. A special program, under the management of Miss Cora B. Harris, and consisting of a minstrel and other mirthful features will be free for the grown-ups. Games and other amusements will be provided for the children, with a committee of ladies in charge of this room.

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There will be music throughout the evening which will worth the admittance fee. Come and forget all cares for this one night!

A SURPRISE SHOWER

On Tuesday afternoon the members of the Woman's Missionary Society and other women of the church met at the Methodist church at 3 p. m., the hour for the Mission Study Class. After deferring the lesson, an interesting talk on "Italian Life in America" was given by Mrs. R. M. Ryder, formerly of Patterson, N. J., where there are 2,500 Italians residing. At the close of this hour a committee of ladies carried Mrs. Lee, the pastor's wife for a drive, while the crowd assembled at the parsonage with gifts for the shower. When Mrs. Lee's party arrived a little later, a surprise was in store for her, for packages of various shapes and sizes were heaped on the dining table. Soon Rev. Mr. Lee arrived from town, then the ladies brought in sandwiches, dates and hot tea, which had been prepared by them and a merry social while followed. Several pieces of living room furniture were delivered at the parsonage at this time, a committee having previously made the purchase, and the surprise was made more complete.

The president of the society, Mrs. Remer, presented a pretty little book, in which the large number present had registered, to the honorees, Rev. and Mrs. Lee, who responded with expressions of heartfelt appreciation for this manifestation of thoughtfulness and esteem on the part of the members.

Thus-ended a very happy afternoon for all concerned, and one which presages a year of useful, active work in the church life.

W. M. S.

The Mission Study lesson in the "Sons of Italy" will be conducted on next Tuesday at the church at 3 p. m. sharp. All members are urged to be present, and those having topics assigned are requested to be present.—Publicity Supt.

MERRY WIVES CLUB.

The first meeting of the Merry Wives' Club in the new year was held last Friday with Mrs. C. H. Fee and was enjoyed by the club members and a number of additional guests.

Four tables were set for the games of progressive forty-two, and at the close of the afternoon the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Alex Spears, brought in bamboo trays bearing coffee, cakes and nuts. The social aftermath being spent around the tables. Phonograph music added to the pleasures for Mmes. G. J. Ward, G. B. Kelly, G. Fisk, P. E. Harrell, H. L. Winchell, G. C. Lingle, J. T. Berry, G. J. Dabney, Geo. Langston, S. V. Phillips, E. P. Crawford, J. B. Cate, J. H. Garner, A. H. Culver, Chas. Fleming, Alex Spears, C. H. Fee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Luse have issued invitations to the marriage of their niece, Miss Gladys Becker, to Frank E. Whiteman, Sunday, January 19th, at the Christian church, at high noon. Rev. E. B. Isaacs, the pastor, will officiate. After January 22d Mr. and Mrs. Whiteman will be at home at Albany, Texas.

MRS. FLEMING HOSTESS.

Mrs. Chas. Fleming was hostess for an informal gathering of friends on Thursday afternoon of last week, when bridge was the diversion. At the conclusion of the games a salad course with sandwiches and hot chocolate was offered as refreshments.

Those invited were Mmes. Gilbert Wood, S. V. Shillings, H. C. Poe, H. Beigham, A. H. Culver; Misses Mabel Daniels, and Mary McCarty.

Masquerade Carnival

Citizens of Cisco, remember that you are to take part in the great Masquerade Carnival that is to be given in the New Daniels Hotel Friday night, January 24th. Furnish amusements and entertainment, and support the good women who are laboring to make this entertainment a success. Only thirty-five cents pays your way into this great entertainment, and permit you to see the beautiful structure, built by enterprising men, and liberally donated for this evening's amusement.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

The following resolutions were offered at the meeting of Good Will Rebekah Lodge Thursday, January 9th, in memory of Clyde Aycock, who was killed in action in France, October 13th, 1918:

Whereas, Almighty God, in His supreme guidance, has laid the hand of grief heavily upon our beloved sister, Mrs. Mollie Aycock, by offering her youngest son, Clyde Aycock, for the altar of supreme sacrifice made by the bloody war that has so late come to an end.

Resolved, That the memory of Clyde Aycock should be held in sacred remembrance for the most heroic deed he did when he offered his services and life to the protection of American motherhood, for his country and loved ones.

Resolved, That the members of Good Will Rebekah Lodge No. 102, should at this time pay a loving tribute to his memory by offering this resolution to comfort his widowed mother in her great grief.

Whereas, We commend her to the love of the Master who doeth all things well, to reap the love and sympathy that comes from Him above at such a time, and that every member of this Lodge may offer their sympathy in this dark hour of her life.

Whereas, Clyde Aycock, the youngest son of Mrs. Mollie Aycock

was brave to the last, showing in his dying hour that he stood for humanity and right. His father before him stood for Fraternity, Justice and Love of Country, it was that ambition that Clyde went forth to battle, and his young life went out with the spark of justice flaming high in the heavens above.

With this resolution goes the love of every member of Good Will Rebekah Lodge to our beloved sister, Mrs. Mollie Aycock.

Respectfully submitted,
MISS MAC JENSEN,
MRS. S. G. BLOUNT,
MISS GLADYS FINLEY,
Committee.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Having purchased the Cisco Steam Laundry, we wish to inform its patrons and the public in general that we are taking charge Monday, the 20th, and will endeavor to give you quality work and the best of service. It is our intention to enlarge this plant and give the people real laundry service. Our terms are cash on delivery.

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METHODIST CHURCH.
Owing to the severe weather Rev. S. J. Vaughan has wired Bishop W. N. Ainsworth to postpone his visit to Cisco. The condition of the roads and the prevalence of influenza make it impracticable for the people from other parts of the district to come at this time.—Umphrey Lee.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Regular services next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching by pastor at 11:00 a. m. At the night service at 7 o'clock, the Christian Womens Board of Missions will have charge of the service. Mrs. McMasters, a state worker from Dallas, will deliver the principal address. Everybody invited to these services.—E. Buford Isaacks.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
There will be no services at the eleven o'clock and evening hour next Sunday.

WOMAN COMMITS SUICIDE.

Last Sunday afternoon Mrs. T. C. McCoy committed suicide by taking carbolic acid mixed with arsenic. She leaves four children; two boys and two girls.

Mrs. T. C. McCoy, (nee Miss Bessie Bean) was born in Franklin county, Tenn., died January 12th, 1919, at the age of 22 years last April 3rd. She was married to T. C. McCoy fourteen years ago, the family coming to Texas about five years ago. She united with the Lutheran church in early life, and joined the Christian church three years ago. The funeral services held by her pastor, Rev. E. Buford Isaacks.

Mrs. McCoy had been in bad health for years, and was just recovering from the influenza. She had planned once before to take poison but her husband had discovered it between the mattresses and destroyed it. On last Saturday she gave her ring to the oldest girl and told her that she was not going to live long, and told her that she wanted them to be raised in the orphans' home. Sunday afternoon the husband was away and she sent the children out to play, and when one of the little boys returned to the house he found his mother lying across the bed in great agony. The husband arrived at the home soon after she had been discovered by the children, a physician was called but could be of no service. One-fifth of the poison that she took would have killed her, hence she lasted only a short while and could not speak to her husband and the children. Justice of the Peace J. H. McDonald was called in and an inquest was held when the above facts were found.

Some time after her death a note was found which she had written before she took the fatal poison. It is given below:

"My Dear Sweet Family:
"I hate to leave you all, but I will have to go. God bless my sweet little J. D., how I do love him. Good-bye Lillian, you sure have been good to me. I hope we will meet in the Sweet Bye and Bye. Do the very best you can sweet little children. Theodore, I love you, but you got awfully worried with me because I couldn't get well, but I will not bother you any longer. I have prayed to get well but I can't. May God bless you and the children are my last words."

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas, in Bankruptcy. Abilene, Texas.

In the matter of William Lease Flatt, Bankrupt, No. 626 in Bankruptcy.

Abilene, Texas, Jan. 13th, 1919

OFFICE OF REFEREE
To the creditors of William Lease Flatt of Desdemona, in the county of Eastland and District aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1919, the said William Lease Flatt was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Abilene, Taylor county, Texas, on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

K. K. LEGGETT,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

WANTED:—Clean cotton rags, at Round-Up Office.

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Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Mendoreville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak... I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few doses of Black-Draught." Seventy years of successful use has made Thedford's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way, Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cent a dose. All druggists. J. 69

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Meet Us In the Carnival Next Friday Night

From the moment you pay your thirty-five cents to enter the new Daniels Hotel, when the 24th Masquerade Carnival opens Friday night, January 24th, you will be entertained in a manner that you will wish that it might last many nights and days. When you hear the old time fiddlers with their fiddle and bow dispensing old time melodies, from the cotton field selections to that of modern times, get ready to laugh and shed tears, both for joy that you have patronized this Carnival and aided a good cause.

When the auction sale of lunch boxes is held at the Masquerade Carnival at the New Daniels Hotel, come prepared to either treat yourself or carry a box home to your family. This sale will be one of the attractions of the evening. Come prepared to eat some of the good cooking of the housewives of Cisco. These boxes will be donated by the young as well as the young wives of Cisco. You can make no mistake in buying one or more as you like.

The art of reading the hand, and examining the head by one of the mystic charms will be there, visit the fortune teller's booth and hear your future destiny told. It is especially requested that all oil speculators and all bachelors should visit this booth and hear what this mysterious character, sent from the clouds, will tell you of your future success, and love affairs. All told at the Masquerade Carnival at the Daniels Hotel January 24th by the managers of the Carnival.

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With Our Correspondents

FLEASANT HILL PARAGRAPHS

Since the ground has thawed sufficient for plowing most everybody is getting busy.

Robert Hastings came home Saturday night from Camp Travis. He was on his way to France when the armistice was signed. We are glad to welcome our soldier boys home, and will be glad indeed when each and every one of them return to their friends and loved ones.

Mrs. H. V. O'Brien is sick with influenza. Effie Williams is also suffering from an attack of the flu. We trust that they may soon be restored to their usual health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reeves were shopping in Cisco Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Phillips of Long Branch were guests at the A. A. Abbott home Saturday.

Mrs. N. S. Kinard spent Saturday with her parents, Grandpa and Grandma Lockhart, at Shady Grove.

C. F. Coates and family of Cisco spent Sunday at the R. E. Coates home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lasater, Roy and T. L. Jr. visited Lasater, near Ballard Sunday.

R. M. Linebarger and Jim were among the crowd in Cisco Saturday.

R. L. Poe of Cisco was at his usual post at the Marketing Club here on Saturday afternoon.

Will Shirley and family of Cisco

were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Kinard Saturday.

Little Georgia Sims had the misfortune of being severely scalded a few days ago, when the heating stove was overturned and a kettle of hot water was spilled on her arms and other parts of the body. We are glad to learn that she is getting along nicely.

Master R. L. Tucker came home Saturday after spending a week at home nursing a case of flu.

The Ballard and Word basket ball teams met here Saturday afternoon and played a matched game. Both teams did some splendid playing.

Word won the game, however, as their boys had very much the advantage in size over the opposing team. Next was a game between the Word and Pleasant Hill girls. The Hill girls easily winning this game.

We were glad to have these schools visit us and cordially invite them to come again.—Rex.

GLEANINGS FROM GUNSIGHT

Well, we come again, our last effort missed the waste basket, and that gave us courage to try again, but we have very little hopes of seeing this in print as news is as scarce

as hen teeth, and of course when any one has a job and can't deliver the goods he gets his time and I am expecting my honorable discharge from the letter band of correspondents. Of course I will hate it but it can't be helped.

We had another good rain Monday night, and it is cold and wet this morning. I am afraid we are going to have to move to some dryer climate, small grain is just about drowned out, stock look bad and we have no grass in the country, and if it don't turn warm so the wheat will grow the stock is going to suffer.

The health of this community is very good at present. The railroad survey is completed nearly to Breckenridge. I can nearly smell the coal burning and hear the whistle of the locomotive blowing.

Well, as I said in the beginning, news is scarce in these parts. There has not one died or got killed and no one married or separated since last week, so you see I have nothing to tell but my dear Editor if you will excuse me this time I will get out and stir around a little and take my fine-tooth comb and see if I can rake up some news next time. I am satisfied that there are some folks around here that know a good deal, and if I can get them to tell it I will have it published for the benefit of the public, so no more for this time.—Poor Boy.

NIMROD NEWS

We have been having fine weather the past week, but awoke this morning to find we had another drizzling norther.

The health of this community is better at this writing, though there is some flu. Dewey and Julia Compton are among the sick. They have a nurse from Cisco attending them.

A. B. Hall and wife returned Sunday from Putnam, where they had an attack of the flu.

Weldon, the ten year old son of John Notgrass, died of pneumonia last week and was buried in the Nimrod cemetery. The family has the sympathy of the friends and neighbors.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Munn, a fine girl on the 6th. All doing well. Miss Effie Broyles left last week for Dallas to spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Warner.

Carl Baird spent Friday night in Cisco at the home of his sister, Mrs. Marchman.

Miss Fay Townsend entertained the following girls last Saturday evening on her 14th birthday: Lillie and Grace Merket, Edessa and Ona Brown, Ina and Elva Meadows, Verna Lucille Stanaford, Edith Broyles and Ina Baird, Alma Townsend, and Willie Williams, Elsie Sharp. After playing games for a while they were served with hot chocolate and cake. Miss Fay received a little present from each girl, and they all regretted to see the time come to go home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie O'Brien of Tyler are visiting at the home of Henry Wright this week.

S. G. Baird did jury service in Eastland last week.

Miss Lena Pendleton of Cisco is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Plummer.

Mrs. Philly (nee) Annie Lou Compton of Hamlin came for a visit with her parents, and was taken ill with the influenza, followed by pneumonia from which she died Saturday night. She left an infant boy four days old. She was laid to rest in the Pysgah cemetery Sunday. Rev. Morten conducting the services. The bereaved family has the sympathy of a host of friends.

Mrs. Whittinger of Seranton spent the day Sunday at the home of W. H. Munn.

Prof. and Mrs. Merket of Pleasant Hill were Sunday visitors at A. M. Merket's.

C. W. Hoek had business at Cisco Monday.

Alfred Holt and Miss Inez Comp-

ton were quietly married on New Year's day. They drove to Seranton and Rev. Morten performed the ceremony. We wish for them a long and useful life.

Joe Allen and Flora Maddux were married Sunday evening. They met Rev. Morten and were married on the road. May they have a long and happy life. Cor.

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

There will be a special examination of the first and second grades, on Friday and Saturday, January 24th and 25th, at the High School building in Eastland.

The influenza situation is improving considerably in most localities. It is to be sincerely hoped that this improvement will be permanent.

The County Superintendent will be found in her office only on Saturdays and Mondays when the conditions are such that she can visit the schools while the rural schools are in session.

The Lone Cedar school building in district No. 2A, was burned last week. The building was practically new, and there was no insurance. Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Wyatt were teaching in the school at the time of its loss, and have secured rooms in a dwelling nearby, to continue the school.

Bonds for Peak common school district No. 28, valued at \$2,800.00;

for Center Point district No. 49, valued at \$1,500.00; and for Griggsby district No. 26A, valued at \$1,360.00, have been approved by the Attorney General, and were sold this week to the county.

The shortage in teachers is practically relieved at present, all of the schools being now supplied with teachers.

Instructors and pupils all over the

county are beginning to talk and plan for the County Track Meet which will hold its annual session in April in the city of Eastland. Preliminary contests and games of various kinds are already being held in different parts of the county. It is to be hoped that a large number of contestants will be entered for the different events, from the rural as well as the urban schools.—Ulala Howard, County Superintendent.

Masquerade Carnival

There will be Mr. Punch and Mr. Judy, who will tell you of their trip abroad with President Wilson and wife, Mr. Punch as the President's porter and Mrs. Judie Wilson, Wilson's hand-maid, but have seen the very same sights that the President and wife have seen. They will appear in an entirely new role, listen to them, and this is included in the little price you will pay to see the sights at this Carnival. It is requested by the managers that every one will come in a costume with masks to match (no gas masks will be allowed) Come under mask and be careful not to spend the evening with your own wife, or sweetheart, just choose from among those in mask and you will make no mistake.

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Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the Guaranty State Bank & Trust Co.

at Cisco, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1918, published in The Cisco Round-Up, a newspaper printed and published at Cisco, State of Texas, on the 17th day of January, 1919.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$ 66,972.58
Loans, real estate	50,623.82
Overdrafts	614.09
Bonds and Stocks	7,675.00
Real estate (banking house).....	10,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,175.00
Due from approved reserved agents, net.....	46,104.36
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	2,290.55
Cash items	1,532.99
Currency	4,993.00
Specie	2,554.59
Interest and Assessment Dep. Guaranty Fund	1,500.00
TOTAL.....	\$196,035.98

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits, net	1,889.70
Individual deposits, subject to check.....	144,140.28
Cashier's checks	6.00
TOTAL.....	\$196,035.98

STATE OF TEXAS

County of Eastland,

We, D. K. Scott, as president and G. C. Lingle, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

D. K. SCOTT, President.

G. C. LINGLE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

H. L. WINCHELL

MRS. C. A. GRAY

G. B. KELLY—Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 13th day of January, A. D., 1919.

J. J. BUTTS, Notary Public, Eastland County, Texas.

Come to the Big Masquerade Carnival

Opening of the New Daniels Hotel January 24th, 1919, by one of the greatest Masquerade Carnivals given under the auspices of the citizens of Cisco, promises to be an event of the season. There will be amusements given by every organization, every citizen and every business in the town. Every citizen is expected to take part in making this a decided success. It means improvement for the town in building a reading room where all may have the opportunity of spending their evenings and pouring over rare and costly books, all kind of literature that will be helpful to those of reading minds will be found in this reading room, when finished and furnished by the proceeds of this Carnival.

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock the doors will open and a grand pantomime will greet your eyes; every room will be opened. Every part of this beautiful building will be viewed by we hope, hundreds of people on January 24th, by attending the grand Masquerade Carnival given by the citizens of Cisco and managed by the noble women of the town.

The new corner store room in the hotel will be opened by an entertainment furnished by the younger set, where amusing pranks will be played, and the skill of entertaining by the young folk will be presented in a laughable manner. For only thirty-five cents every entertainment will be given you that will be presented at this Carnival.

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