

# FAIR WEATHER FORECAST

## Scarbrough's Assessment Figures Boosted Into Present Amount Is More Than \$19,000,000 for 1920.

The personal assessment for the city of Memphis was increased by the city board of equalization 40 per cent over the figures certified to the board by Scarbrough, city assessor, according to figures made public yesterday by the city equalization board. The board announced an assessment of \$19,000,000 for 1920, an increase of \$4,500,000 over the amount assessed for 1919. The board also announced an increase of \$1,000,000 in the amount assessed for 1920, bringing the total for 1920 to \$20,000,000.

# ALLEGED SHOOTER OF POLICE

## Police Officer's Statement Revives 'Run' of Investors Despite Denial.

BOSTON, Aug. 2.—The Securities Exchange commission, headed by Charles H. Macomber, has today issued an order against several persons in foreign exchange, who are being investigated by United States attorneys. The order, which was issued by the commission, stated that the persons named had been guilty of a "run" of investors in the stock market, and that they had been guilty of "manipulating" the market.

# MINES CLOSED BY STRIKE REOPENED

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 2.—A strike of 300 coal miners in Indiana and Illinois closed last week because of a strike of day laborers here, according to a statement issued by the United Mine Workers of America.

# GAYOSO'S CHIEF CLERK AWAY ON VACATION

J. V. Cunningham, chief clerk of Hotel Gayoso, has no time to attend to business today, his vacation, which began yesterday, has been extended to today. Cunningham will return to his post tomorrow.

# CHINESE OF TRI-STATES FORGING LOCAL LINK IN BIG TRADE UPLIFT CHAIN

China is entering into a new industrial and business era and will make a concerted drive on the United States to displace the goods of its ancient enemy, Japan. The first move in this campaign is that it will affect Memphis and vicinity, began Monday afternoon when more than 200 Chinese merchants gathered to discuss conditions in general. A tri-state association will be formed. Officers were to be named late Monday. In an interesting picture, the Chinese manager of the Chinese Nationalist, Chicago, and his son, Paul Y. Siueh, who is finishing his education at Northwestern University, are in Memphis attending and guiding the formation of the association. In the past has been a difficult matter to get into the United States, and in the past has been a difficult matter to get into the United States, and in the past has been a difficult matter to get into the United States.

# INTRASTATE RATES TO INCREASE

## Local Committee Plans to Make Welcome at Lyric Theater Greatest of Campaign.

Preparations are being made to give Gov. A. H. Roberts a royal reception on the occasion of his appearance in Memphis Wednesday night August 4, at which time he will conclude his campaign for re-nomination for governor.

# REPORTS REACHING PARIS INDICATE SOVIET ARMIES DRIVING ON WARSAW CHECKED.

PARIS, Aug. 2.—The military experts here were still inclined today to view the situation in Poland optimistically. The reports they receive indicated that the Soviet cavalry had not advanced farther than yesterday.

# W. W. Revis, Escaped Slayer, Wounded In Fight In Swamps

POCAHONTAS, Ark., Aug. 2. (Sp.)—W. W. Revis, city county murderer who escaped from the penitentiary and was shot on a swamp, was today killed in a fight in the swamps.

# THOMPSON RETURNS, BUT DISAPPEARANCE IS STILL MYSTERY

The disappearance of John Thompson, Jr., of Nashville, Tenn., from the Nashville hotel Thursday night, after a visit to Memphis, was today still a mystery.

# WATCHMAN IS ROBBED

M. A. Hilton, watchman for the city of Memphis, was today robbed of \$100 in cash.

# ADMIRES AMERICA

I admire America and I would like to see China adopt its democratic standards, according to Paul Y. Siueh, who is finishing his education at Northwestern University, and who is in Memphis attending and guiding the formation of the Chinese Nationalist association.

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