SAY CLIMATE IS **NOT CHANGING**

Oddities of Weather Are But Repetitions of Past Experiences.

CITES FARM CONGRESS

No Predictions Are Safe Until After February Has Had Its Inning.

Old-timers of Tulsa started to reminisce when the first snow of the reminisce when the first snow of the winter fell two days ago, and their ruminations brought forth some things of quaint interest.

Col. C. B. Lynch, who can recall the little buts that stood where the southwest now rears her lofty towers, shook his head thoughtfully

when asked if the climate were really changing. "Government statistics state that it is not he asserted. "They are based on 10-year periods of reckoning, and show that while we often declare in all seriousness that winter is where summer used to be and arrive has used at the process." spring has usurped autumn's throne, we are wrong. But we're not entirely to blame. Climates that are twisted are often impressive."

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ol off into a past that is not as far distant as his memory goes. In fact, it was but seven years ago. "In October" launched out the colonel. "we always considered that the really beautiful fall weather began. Therefore, when it was announced that the Dry Farming cangress was to be held in Tulsa the commercial club set the date in middle of October. But things went wrong, and when the delegates from all states in the union and some in Canada arrived union and some in Canada arrived winter was with us. It was the third week in October, as I have said, but all procedents had been overturned, and we were shivering and tremb-ling in buildings and tents where not a stove had been erected. This was once," he added, "when the weath-er had changed decidedly and com-pletely. Snow fell in fifful bursts as er had changed decidedly and com-pletely. Snow fell in fitful bursts as a Canadian representative arose to talk. And as he brought greetings to the farmers of the south from those of the far north he was forced to admit that 'Canada has about the same climate as this in the fall, a a little snow, and some wind to start off the winter.' We took it all yery soberly and let them wonder about the oddities of the southwest. And we forgot to tell them when we sent them back that we were expecting a little spring next days. But we were,

fences. But," he continued. "they pulled through the main part of the winter all right. It was when Febuary united her has of troubles that they began to get shin and freeze to death, or die of thirst because of ice that wouldn't break through at the stamping of impatient hoofs. In huddled herds they withstood the winds and snows of that month, and it was ceased, there were fewer in the herds. 'I wish February wasn't on the calendar' old Captain Severs would storm as he saw the rayages on his cattle. 'I don't know what it's there for anyway' he would conclude, and father agreed with him. And I still carry a healthy fear of that month in my own heart" the banker declared. "We have been having a most pleasing winter, but my motto is 'Wait until February, and then determine aright."

PLAN SCENIC ROADWAY

cluded in Route of Proposed
Highway.
Resulting from a movement started by a large advertising agency of the southwest which proposes to build a scenic roadway through the state for automobilists, the commercial club of Sand Springs at its first meeting this spring will take to a meeting this spring will take 1,2 2 proposition to add a branch from the main line of the road, which will undoubtedly traverse Pulsa, that Sand Springs may be included in the tumber of cities crossed by the road. Business men of the town who are

Business men of the town who are interested in the project say that the road, if successfully undertaken, would follow the new Tulsa-Sand Springs concrete road to Lake station, branch off to the park and Sand Springs home, and, going through the city, follow the Wekiwa road, return by way of Keystone, pass through the industrial section of Sand Springs and join the scenic roadway in Tulsa. roadway in Tuisa.

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The Tuisa. Keystone and Wekiwa roads are all in the best of condition, the first two concrete and the last one a wide cinder road. Scenic effects along the Arkansas river are most beautiful, and aided by the imposing sight of the cliffs overhanging the mountain-like trail from Sand Springs to Wekiwa, the chances for including Tuisa's active industrial neighbor in the route of the state scenic roadway if it become a realization seem very probable, citizens believe.

To hear water in small quantities a metal device to be placed in recep-tacles has been invented in which differ sulphuric acid is released upon unslaked lime.

ble, citizens believe.

Diamond Investors Lose, STUDENTS FORM But Bad Luck Helps Impecunious Fiance .

It costs less now than it did three months ago to become en-gaged to be married, which means that the price of diamonds is on the slight decline. But while this news may prove an incentive to the young swain who has been putting off the purchase of an en-gagement link until his limited al-lowance could buy a greater amount of glitter, it has its sadder side as well for it means that the sparkler on your finger is worth just that much less than it was before the Christmas holi-

days.

Jack Gelfand, manager of a lo-Jack Gelfand, manager of a lo-cal jeweiry store, stated Saturday that the prices of diamonds have gone down an average of about 10 per cent. The decline is more noticeable on cheaper than on more expensive stones. He dees not anticipate any decided slump and believes that with the re-sumption of normal business they will go back to the former level will go back to the former level and probably higher, With a diamond in almost every

home even such a slight lowering of prices means temporary losses of millions of dollars over the country. Fut the boy who is un-der obligation to buy a sparkler right now has no cause to worry.

CLAIM SOLICITOR

Firm Which Contributes to Salvation Army Filed Charge

we forgot to tell them when we sent them back that we were expecting a little spring next days. But we were, and it came."

"That is the way one pioneer explained why we often think that the climate is changing every year when in reality it is but repealing itself. For there are few set ules and these have clastic bindings.

"We're not through the worst of it yet," cautioned Lee Cittion, a pioneer banker, when he heard some happy ones talking of the "easy" winter in store for Okiahoma. "The soling to be the same way. February winter in store for Okiahoma. "The soling to be the same way. February is the hardest month, and it syet to come."

This last remark, when inquired into, revealed the fact that anyone who has been in this section of the country for a baker's dozen of years is firm in his fear of February. "Years ago" was the approved of way in which Clinton commenced his oration of times sone by, my father and Capt. F. H. Severs of Muskogee, who owned the F. S. sanch where the Raid Hill of field is now, used to raise cattle, They were free from, the confines of fences. But," he confined "they pulled through the main part of the swincer and right. It was when February according to fences. But," he confined "they pulled through the main part of the winter all right. It was wenter the same way and the same way is a substant of the confines of fences. But," he confined "they pulled through the main part of the winter all right. It was when February according merchandise.

EXECUTIVE BODY

High School Senate Has Control of Extra Curricular Activities.

A student-body governing assembly, known as the "Tulsa High Schoo, Senate," and composed of 28 representative students from the four classes and 19 school organi-zations, forms the student element in the management and control of the management and control Tulsa high school. This body Tulsa high school. This body of boys and girls is elected by the mem-bers of the class or body that they represent in the senate, two being elected from each body recognized by the senate. Their work is to assist in connecting faculty and student interests and to originate and en-force various methods of arranging for the activities of school pupils in their study and extra-curricular

Mrs. Louise M. Dodge, sponsor of the senate, announced this week that among the projects now on the program of the school council were a guide system of assist in handling the numerous visitors that come to CLAIM SOLICITOR

GUILTY OF FRAUD

The hullding each day, an extra-curricular questionnaire circulation to secure information for the colleges entered by graduates of the school, and a home room series of five-minute presentations to be delivered by the students most fitted for that topic before the students of other rooms. building each day, an extra-cur-

oms. The guide system will enlist 20 students who will learn thoroughly the workings of the school and be able to display them advantageously to visitors. The questionnaire, which will be circulated among the students the first week of February,

Filed Charge

Ed Smith, suspected of defranding several business firms in this city of money under the pretense of collecting for charitable institutions, is held in the county jail for obtaining by fraud the sum-of \$25 from the Exchange National bank. An Information was filed against the defendant in the court of Justice H. J. Gray Friday night by the Exchange National bank and the defendant arrested by the police Saturday morning.

Officials of the bank claim Smith interviewed them, and represented that he was Major Edward Jennings of the Tulsa City mission, Salvation Army. The major, as the bankers believed him to be, accepted \$25 as a contribution for the mission. It is alleged Emitht's not connected in any way with the Salvation Army and that he converted the money to his own use.

"Meanest Man" Steals

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We Quote No Former or Comparative Prices in Our Advertising. We Let You Be the Judge

Table

Decorative

Linens Specials

70-inch All Linen Table

70-inch All-Linen Table Damask, half bleached,

70-in. All-Linen Damask in many good pat-terns; yard, special,

70-inch All-Linen Table Damask, pur best qual-ity: yard. special 4.25 18554-inch. Dresser

Scarls, neatly lace-trimmed; each, special,

for 85c 18-inch Startex Towel-ing, part liffen both ways, yard, special, 25c Second Ploor

Colored

Wash Goods

Specials Printed Voiles

Very fine thread and beautiful printed designs; dark patterns in fast, wash-sole colors; 40 inches wide. 49c

Swiss Voile An assortment of new, fresh, sheer voiles embroidered in dots and figures on colored grounds; 40 inches 69c

Silk Tissue Ginghams

All flew, spring patterns in our finest quality tissue ginghams; smart plaid patterns in many colors; 32 special 89c

Imported Dotted Swiss

Fine imported dotted Swiss in fast, washable colors for tub dresses: light grounds with colored dots; 1.19

Staple Goods

36-inch Queen Percales in new, fancy patterns for spring, yard ... 25c 32-inch Serpentine Crepe for making kimonos: the yard ... 35c 27-inch Fancy Outing Cloth in our

Baby Shop

Specials

One-Third Reduction on All Little Sweater Sets, machine and hand made, in white, rose, car-

dinal, Copen, and brown; sizes for ages six months to three

Infants' Hand-Made Carriage

Robes—Half Price, nicely made of wool crepe, cashmere and crepe de chine, silk lined and

beautifully embroidered; hand-scalloped; good selection,

One Collection Infants' Hand-Made Dresses and Gertrudes-some handsome embroidered and hand-scalloped; others daintily trimmed with pretty laces: sizes I to 4 years; an at-

tractive variety to choose from

with prices reduced 20% Half Price on Infants Bath Robes; practical, warm little robes of good elderdown and blanket cloth; some bound with

ribben: shown in pink, blue, tan, and white; sizes 2 to 4

Fourth Floor

HALLIBURTON-ABBOTT

Daily Baturday 8:80 to 6:00

New Spring Styles for Now-and Later

Long before flowers, harbingers of spring, have worked their way through, come refreshing, new apparel modes, selected by our buyers with fine discrimination and care, to be offered now when women are seeking things newer and different for wear immediately and until late in the season. Frequent visitors to the third floor are rewarded with recent new arrivals. Selections are especially attractive

"Suits Have Smarter Lines"

Thus did a customer express her opinion of the new styles in early spring suits, and must be conceded she was right. There are fancy box coat as well as fitted models with their short waistlines-poiret twills, tricotines and serges that are embroidered, others being trimmed with braid, buttons and stitch-. ing. Narrow belts add their touch. Shown in navy, brown. prookie, and gray shades.

-49.50 to 150.00

Distinctive Dresses—Silks

Circular tunics and cut ruffles, basque effects and straight lines mark the various types of Springtime frocks that have just come to us and to be shown Monday. They are fashioned of taffetas, Tokio and Canton crepes as well as georgette, which continues to hold favor. There are street and afternoon models with long or short sleeves, and trimmed with embroidery and beads more or less lavishly. Black, navy, tan, brown, and grays predominate.

-49.50 to 200.00 Women's Wear-Third Floor.

Ivory Pyralin Toilet Ware . Reduced 1/3 Lower

Our entire stock of genuine Ivory Pyralin toilet pieces and sets is included in this sale, which offers a saving of one-third of our regular prices, bring down cost to you to very low



Hair Brushes Mirrors

Clothes Brushes Perfume Bottles Cold Cream Boxes. Pin Cushions Handkerchief Buffers

Boxes Glove Boxes Clocks Jewel Boxes Children's Sets Trays and Vanes Other Pieces

WE seem almost on the verge of spring, with its call for new, light comfortable, less expensive wearables. Our daily advertisements tell of the latest garments and materials in dependable qualities at prices brought about by women the country over, and which they are therefore willing to pay. Now is the time to supply accumulated present and spring requirements when it can be done so advantageously Read our "ads" regularly and keep informed of new arrivals and special offer-

Sheffield Plate Silverware

Manicure Pieces Choice of all Sheffield plate silverware in Hair Receivers many of the more wanted articles. Regular low prices reduced

1/3 Less

Special .

New Showing of Misses' and Children's Taffeta Dresses

Girls between the ages of 6 and 14 years will delight in the lovely little frocks of good wearing taffetas we are showing in browns and nay blues. Some are self-trimmed in pretty ruffles, while others show touches of hand embroidery.

—17.50, 19.50, 29.50

Misses' and small women's youthful styles in taffetas and crepes de chine. Some have straight blouses and short sleeves; other feature fancy embroidery treatment. Skirts are full, many of them tunics. A beautiful collection to choose from.

—39.50 to 79.50

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Specials in the Silk Section

One of the most popular materials for blouses, dresses and skirts; 36 inches wide; in white, black and leading spring shades;

Satin Charmeuse

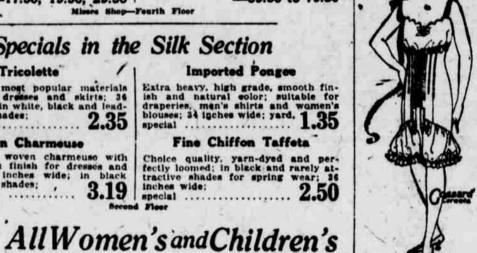
Fine, firmly woven charmeuse with functions satin finish for dresses and blouses; 40 inches wide; in black and various shades; 3.19

Imported Pongee

Extra heavy, high grade, smooth finish and natural color; suitable for draperies, men's shirts and women's blouses; 34 inches wide; yard, 1.35

Fine Chiffon Taffeta

Choice quality, yarn-dyed and per-fectly loomed; in black and rarely at-tractive shades for spring wear; 36



Purchase of Well Known Gossard Front Lace Corsets We have effected a saving for

quite a number of customers who take advantage of this offering of Gossard corsets in the wanted late styles. We bought them at special price concessions, which we pass on to you. Types for small, medium and large figures in pink silk and cotton broches. Choose at

25% Lower

Cotton, Wool, and Silk-and-Wool

Knit Underwear—Half Price

decided on quick clearance of the remaining stock. Every garment for women and children is at your disposal at one-half regular prices.

All Sorosis Footwear 25% Less
This is a generous price reduction that holds special attraction for

prudent, thrifty women; a concession that has all the more appeal when it is taken into account that regular prices on our footwear are conceded to be economically low.



Fine Sorosis High Shoes Women's high shoes come in black glaze kangaroo, brown glaze kanga-

coo, brown calfskin, brown, gray, and black suede; in siender lined, with walking and French heels.

Low Shoes

Women's low shoes in black and brown leathers in pumps, oxfords and strap models; high, medium and walking heels; many pairs just the thing for spring wear.

Splendid Stock of Women's and Children's Rubbers

Than Regularly White Goods Specials

45-inch Fine White Imported Organdy in splendid quality; yard, special 89c 80-inch Fancy Imported Dotted Swiss in white dots; yard, special . . . 1.59 40-inch Plain, White Sheer Voile for dresses; washes and wears well; yard.

39-inch Nurses' Linen in fine quality. Second Floor.

> Bed Linen Specials 81x90 Seamless Sheets, special.

45x36-inch Pillow Cases, 45x36-inch Pillow Cases, special 39c
85x90 Crinkled Bed Spreads, special 225

Drapery Specials
36-inch Beech Cloth Cretonne in black or tan stripe or check stra bases and stripe or check strains and s

extra heavy quality; yard, spe-34-inch Extra Heavy Grade Cretonne, medalilon patterns or black, green or blue grounds special . 75c sorted sized dots, also neat fig-ures; the yard, special ... 39c One Lot Cretonnes, 27, 30, and 36 inches wide; floral patterns in several colors; yard, special. 86-inch White Curtain Marquiscette, the yard, special 15c 96-inch Comfort Silkolines in floral patterns; the yard, special 15c Kimch Curtain Rods, priced, cach, single 35c; double 70c 8ccond Floor

Monday Basement Specials tonid Vencer Of 14-o unce size Once Over Fur- 1-pound can Wiz- Reat

Aluminum Water Pitchers 4.00	Contractor our at, I have become	75c Combination Can Openers 10c	2'.75 Gray Granite Sink Strainers 50c	Straight Clothes Pins, 24 for 10c
Poschers, three sections	We are ver Bis- puit or Cake Pans 1.00 Gray Granite Chambers; small size	2.50 Nickel-Plated Fowel Bar, 21x 1/2 inches. 1.00 Family Scales with scoop, 20-lb, capacity 3.00 Guernsey Earthenware Custard Cups, six for	sh c	14 -quart Alumi- num Coffee Pots 3.00
Cut Glass Sugar and Creamer, per pair 5.50				Inverted Gas Burners; brass finish.
High base Waffle trons: aluminum 4.50				5- and 6-inch Cut Glass Napples 2.00
6.50				Double-edge Srapefruit knives 50c
1.50		nture Polish 25c		Plungers, long handles,