### old Fashion Basket Picnic, Parrish Grove, Saturday, July 15. Come

DEVELOPMENT LOOKING GOOD or of Wells Nearing Interest-

th and Several New Tests to Spud In Soon

Activity East of Here tear or five test wells rapidly

and not many more hununtil they reach the which oil was found in the well near Westbrook, big may happen in the Westbrookmost anytime.

E & P. well No. 2, an offset to n No. 2, now producing 200 feet. The Murphy well is below 2200 feet; The Phelan ng below 2000 and the Coleaith and LaSure wells are deep: The Foster No. 2 is 1900 feet with the Stewne mile north of Iatan, spudthe Magnolia to spud in next Maxwell and Johnson geta shaped up to start two

of Wichita Falls oil men are tion in which he has appeared. week making an effort to creage for a test well. ing big doing in the oil game e coming months.

the Enders-Cushing Test

hing well No. 1 on the shing ranch and they are exto reach a real oil bearing sand e drill goes much deeper.

il is now pounding away in a formation alternating with mired and fifty feet. This

Sterling county and he looks a few more drilling contracts ade in his section.

Work on McDowell No. 4 s and Eck Lovelace are on at McDowell well No. 4 of the 09 Company and are not los-

are not had much luck in drilled a short distance until er was struck and it was nec-

in Test To Spud-in

well to be drilled by the

Trial

The Sparkman well is temporarily JULY FOURTH shut down, druler K. K. Biglow having been transferred to Cushing No. 1.

The Cushing well remains the center of interest and expediency. Late Wed- American Legion Picnic and Barbecu nesday evening, the drill passed thru a stratum of waterless sand, and then again into the oil saturated black lime. Every discharge of slush brings good showings of oil.

We learn that the Magnolia Company's Foster No. 3, on Survey 18. miles south of Foster No. 1, was spudded in this week.

### Chaplin's Comedy "The Kid"

Charlie Chaplin's first venture into the field of feature comedles, "The Kid," will be shown at the Lyric Theatre Monday and Tuesday, July 10 and 11. Because the story has a strong vein of pathos throughout, the unusual comedy talent which has made Chaplin It begins to look as if the the most famous funny man in the be the big pool of oil is to go world stands out stronger and more Joyous than in any previous produc-

"The Kid" is a realization of an ambition which the comedian has held men and geologists con- for years. He conceived the story when recrain that there is liable to reer, but could think of it only as something he would like. Then he made went off in fine shape—everything was cluded wild mule riding and steer ridhis contract with Associated First Naof that distributing organization of caused the crowd to become restless, permitting uncontrolled production on the fine baseball game and big platform the part of stars and producers.

Chaplin whipped his idyll into shape and started work upon the production nity Sing Song under the leadership of from the start and ended with the of the story. It took him a year to W. R. Dawes on the courthouse lawn score of 7 to 5 in favor of Big Spring. complete. There are but five charac- at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning The game opened with the Big Spring ters of importance in it and are wherein two thousand or more joined bunch playing in bad form—five fly characterized as The Man, The Woman, in or enjoyed in singing patriotic balls which usually mean an out being The Kid, The Tramp, and the Police- songs. After the singing Judge James dropped by the home team. The team man. The comedian himself plays the T. Brooks made the address of the day, soon pulled up however and began to part of the Tramp, while a real find as substituting for Hon. L. W. Sandusky show team work. Harry Hurt pitched a juvenille actor, Jackie Coogan, has of Colorado, who had promised the a fine game and in addition was re-the stile role and Edna Purviance Legion that he would deliver the ad-

life and fortune to aiding children of takes have been made in our govern- was caught by the Conhoma fielder. the slums. Thus she comes to know ment, the United States was what we suspecting the latter's identity.

seek to separate them, but the Tramp this test to any great extent has spent his life evading authority and does it again. The Woman disact that considerable water is covers that the Kid is her abandoned tered. After cutting off baby and the picture draws to a happy

Chaplin as a nurse, as a guardian to a precocious kid, and as a reason why underream and again set the police force should be increased, this has happened several has one of the best comedy roles that . They hope to drill thru has ever been prepared for him on the streen. First National's six reels of can count on making some loy, as "The Kid" is designated, is If this well to a depth of really a mild statement of the actual strike pay sand before they hilarity caused by the action on the

W. W. Crenshaw, distributor for apany on section 18. Dodge cars has received a new model about four miles south of 23 touring car and this auto with many be spadded in within the improvements and refinements over former models is attracting much favm of the water line is orable notice. Mr. Crenshaw expects mary to permit drilling to be receiving regular shipments of to get under headway. It cars from the factory beginning August that this well can be spud- last. In the meantime he has a complete stock of parts so all Dodge owna have a good outfit, ex- ers may be assured that real Dodge on the job and ex- service is going to continue to be as sured. He will also handle oil, gas and accessories. The Dodge agency is of of in commercial quan- located at the same old stand on East Second street.

### New Cotton Gin for Big Spring

A new five stand cotton gin equipped with the most improved machinery is being erected in our city by Price Brotreat activity among the oil there of Rotan. The foundation for aring leases here. Most the main building is being erected or one are represented and , the property they recently purchased at the corner of East Second and Benton streets and rapid time will be made in apleting the building as they expect made, and the 1000- ning order by the time the cotton begins not for from the bottom to be ready for picking.

C. E. Lytle will be the manager of

Gene Yates of Dawson County atded the celebration here July 4th.

a Huge Success\_TheBig Crowd Had a Jolly Time

The Fourth of July celebration given Block 29, T. & P. Ry. Co., about three the occasion were well pleased with the 1 min. 10 1-2 sec. The following made ment accorded them. It was impossible Many new rigs are going up in the to estimate the number attending the Intan field, and the big oil concerns various numbers on the program of the seem to regard it as a proven field. The day, but some placed the figures as lands owned by W. L. Foster seem to high as five thousand. It was real Jess Slaughter won second prize, time or more daily, is now drilling be the most attractive among the big fourth of July weather, with the exoperators.—Sterling City News Record. ception that we had a fine breeze all John Ramsell, 43 seconds; W. C. Milday to keep the heat from becoming oppressive. A finer or more orderly crowd could not have been gathered time. together and not a single disorder or accident of any kind took place to mar the pleasure of anyone.

> Business in Big Spring was suspended for the day and the town decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the occasion. Main street was blocked to traffic between Second and Third St. and Third street was closed as a speeders and preventing accidents.

The program was carried out in a and speaking in the morning were in- seconds; Solomon, 42 1-2 seconds. deed enjoyed and the Rodeo Program dance were indeed winners.

The program opened with a Commupiness whereas misery, despair and world. We are the favored people of the most favored land under the sunber we have to have food and clothes, nomes and comforts we know that the only way to get them is to earn them, not to take them away from some other pulling for the same port and right is bound to prevail as long as we recog-

run our country if permitted so to do dance. and urged that all foreigners be barred from coming here for years to come. He said he believed in America there and pay their war debts and we would take care of ourselves.

wars and told of the part they took in making our country what it is today. Citing the activities of the American Legion he pointed out that this was not a political party but an organizaworthy that America stands for.

Immediately after the speaking. dinner was spread on long tables arranged along Third street. Many from Big Spring as well as from Coahoma and other points in our county had prepared large quantities of good things to eat, but because of manyand we regret to say it was mostly young folks rushing in and preventing those who had prepared the lunches from properly distributing same, many did not get anything to eat. Much food was absolutely wasted because of the action of those who should have stood back and allowed older folks and visitors to have been served first.

The big Rodeo opened at 1:30 o'clock and a crowd estimated at two thousand thoroughly enjoyed the fine program. Everything went off in fine shape and everybody seemed well pleased with the

The following took part in the wild

cow milking contest wherein one rider BIG BASKET PICNIC was supposed to rope the cow and the CELEBRATION other rider was to milk her, the teammates doing this stunt in the shortest time being declared the winners. The following time was made: Ramsell brothers of Garden City, 33 seconds; W. C., F. M. Miller, 33 seconds-1st and second prizes divided between in this city under the auspices of the these; Alex Roberts and W. D. Coffee, American Legion was a big success and 41 3-4 seconds; Slaughter and Miller, everyone of the many visitors here for 53 1-2 seconds; Lee Parkinson (solo), entertainment provided and the treat no time. Dillard and Merrick, Pardue and Whitmore, Eubank and Merrick.

Williamson and Siper. In the Calf roping contest, Lee Parkinson was the winner, time 31 1-2 sec.; 41 1-2 seconds: others taking part: ler, 43 seconds; Kirby Miller, 54 seconds; W. D. Coffee, Roy Holman, no

In the Brone riding contest, Lee Parkinson, Willie Spears and Guy Horn took part: Guy Horn being de-

clared the winner. In the Novelty race Kirby Miller was the winner, time 20 1-2 seconds; others taking part : Jess Slaughter, 21 seconds, John Ramsell, 23 seconds; Lorin Mc-Dowell, 27 seconds; Lee Parkinson, 31 means of protecting folks against auto seconds; Royce Newsom, 27 1-2 seconds; Bob McGinnis 29 1-2 seconds; Guy Horn 26 seconds; Joe Carpenter, manner pleasing to all. The Sing Song 40 1-2 seconds; I. V. Marchbanks 24 1-2

Extra numbers on the program insnappy, one event following another in ing by I. V. Marchbanks who was the tional Pictures, Inc., under the policy quick succession and no tiresome waits official clown for the rodeo, and a bull dogging stunt by Lee Parkinson.

A ball game between Coahoma and Big Spring wound up the afternoon program. This was a warm contest plays the part of The Woman. dress. Mr. Sandusky or any other heavy swatting. The first time up he The Woman abandons her baby by speaker could not have delivered a swatted a two bagger which brought in leaving it in a limousine car. Thieves better or more appropriate talk than Big Spring's first two scores, in the steal the car and toss the baby into did Judge Brooks on this occasion. He fourth inning he lined out another two an ash pile, where it is found wailing gave a history of our great nation, bagger seoring two more runs; and in Cushing, field manager, re- by The Tramp. The Tramp raises it what it stood for and told why good the sixth inning he put one over the hood. The Woman has made a success celebrating July 4th, Independence at bat he lined a long fly to center on the operatic stage and devotes her Day. He said that while some mis- which looked good for a home run, but

The big platform dance at the corner both the Tramp and the Kid without made it and we had sause to be proud of Scurry and Third street Monday and that ours was a land of hope and hap. Tuesday night proved one of the big attractions of the celebration. More not the Kid's father the authorities chaos reign in most parts of this old than 100 dancers participated Monday night and Tuesday night the platform S0x85 was inadequate to accomodate citizens of the best country on earth the 200 or more tripping the light despite the pessimists. If we remem- fantastic. The number of spectators packed around the dancing pavillion was estimated at between one and two thousand. The fine music furnished by the Bootleggers Orchestra of Big fellow. We are all in the same boat, Spring was enjoyed by spectators as well as the dancers. Visitors from Colorado, Sweetwater, Midland, Stannize the bonds of brotherhood and unity ton, Coahoma, Lamesa, Garden City, Mr. Brooks paid his respects to the Sterling City, Lubbock, Sparenberg and horde of Europeans who would over Lockney were in attendance at the

Taken as a whole the entertainment was a big success and the members of the American Legion deserve all for Americans. Let them stay over kind of praise for same. Any funds left after expenses are paid will be placed in a fund which is to be raised He gave praise to the soldiers of all to erect a Legion building in this city.

### Family Night at Lyric

As long as the members of the six railway shopcrafts are on strike the management will conduct Family 4th at this fine swimming resort. tion that desired to play a part in up- Night Shows once each week at the holding good citizenship and everything R. & R. Lyric-making a low price so that men out of employment can afford to bring their entire families. A price of fifty cents for the entire family\_it matters not whether there are just two or a dozen or more in your family. Regular prices will remain in force as to single admissions.

The first Family Night entertainmen will be given at the R. & R. Lyric next Wednesday night, Treat the entire family to a dandy entertainment and let them know you like this plan.

A meeting of officials and local managers of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was held in this city from Colorado Tuesday evening to at Howard County is cordially invited to last week. Those attending were W. S. Figg of Dallas, C. L. Stewart of Abilene, district manager; D. E. Daniel, Bell chaperoned the party of young manager of Big Spring office; J. H. folks which included Misses Elinor Lee, manager of Lamesa office, and Mr. Thomas, Gertrude Hargraves, Els'e Lee arrived Wednesday night from Phoenix Harris, manager of Tahoka office.

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# JULY FIFTEENTH

Members of Farm Labor Union and Union Men of Big Spring Invite Everyone to Come.

One of those old fashioned Basket Picnics one where everybody has a good time is going to be held at the Parrish grove just east of Big Spring vitation to be present and all in the on Saturday, July 15th under the auspices of the Farm Labor Union and the Union men of Big Spring. A cordiai invitation is extended to everyone in Howard and adjoining counties.

Pack that basket with good things to eat, enough so you can share with trict clerk; J. W. McCutchan, L. S. visitors who may come from a distance Patterson, Andrew J. Merrick, H. T. and come prepared to spend an ideal day, mingling with friends, making new friendships-in fact, enjoying a real old fashioned basket picnic.

No special program has yet been arranged but among the numbers you will be treated to fine talks by Geo. Slater. president of the State Federation of date for commissionery of precinct 2. Labor and W. W. Fitzwater, president of the Farm Labor Union.

Parrish Grove is an ideal place for holding the picnic, plenty of shade is provided, so make your plans to bring all the folks and spend an enjoyable

Remember everyone is cordially invited to come and you will miss a jolly time if you fall to be present. Saturday, July 15th is the date, Parrish Grove, just east of Big Spring is the place. Keep these in mind and take part in given to women they should make use the big community gathering.

Railway Shopmen on Strike

The members of the six shop craft at work at the T. & P. shops here, laid eradicate preventable death's among down their tools last Saturday at 10 babies, child-labor bill, etc. could never a. m. and quietly left the shops in pro- be secured unless the good women of test to the wage cut authorized by the the country fight for them and with a Railway Labor Board. The Mainte united League of Women Voters many nance of Way Employes who were expected to quit work at the same time received a last minute order to remain Prison reform, education and other on the job until the president and other officials conferred with the Labor Board pending a rehearing.

The men who are on strike here have made no attempt to interfere with the community leagues so the women operation of trains, have remained entirely away from the railroad right of gently on every question. At the conway and conducted themselves in an clusion of her talk she requested that orderly and straightforward manner, all who desired to enter into the orspecial officers which we understand were employed to guard railroad property here.

The outlook for the settlement of the strike in the near future seems assured since the Labor Board has decided not to enforce the cut in wages of the Maintenance of Way Employes without a rehearing; and the chairman of the Board and Bert M. Jewell, head of the railway employes department of the American Federation of Labor have shown a tendency to get to gether and thresh out misunderstanding. It is to be hoped that an early settlement, satisfactory to both sides can soon be Chicago, Wednesday, July 5th. Mr.

### Inland Beach Near Big Spring

Everybody is raving about the fine inland beach about twelve miles west of Big Spring. More than one hundred folks were in swimming in the fine salt lake at Wilkerson ranch Sunday where boating is also one of the enjoyments. The sailboat became unruly recently and got away from the cowboy who admitted he didn't quite have the knack of steering a sail boat with spurs. This trouble has been eliminated as the sailboat has been converted into a motor boat and some real sport will now be in order.

Quite a few of our folks spent July

### Banks Make Good Showing

Big Spring made June 30th are fine monster cucumbers, each weighing two Indeed and indicate prosperous conditions in this section.

The following are the combined reports of the First National Bank, First jet them know that old Howard County State Bank and West Texas National of this city: Deposits, \$1,518.968.03; Cash on hand, \$463,830.75; Loans and Discounts, \$1,353,702.44; Total Resources, \$2,061,885.65.

### Colorado Young Folks Attend Dance

A party of young people motored over tend the big platform dance given by the American Legion. Mrs. Brooks enjoyable meeting. Majors and Lillian Majors; Messrs Ariz., where they had been for a visit John Gary, Joe Grant, Mel Beck, Fred with Mr. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dozler, Robt. McIntyre.

### Meeting Last Friday Night

A mass meeting in the interest of good citizenship was held in the district court room last Friday and was attended by a reasonably large crowd of ladies and men.

The main purpose of the meeting was to discuss the organization of a League of Women Voters. Mrs. B. F. Wills, presiding, stated that all candidates had been tendered a cordial inroom would be given an opportunity to make a brief talk. Among those taking advantage of this invitation were W. D. Riser of San Angelo, candidate for Representative; James T. Brooks, county judge: J. I. Prichard, county and dis-Lane, M. W. Harwell, R. S. McDonald, candidates for sheriff and tax collector: G. E. McNew and Clifton T. Tucker, candidates for treasurer; Anderson Bailey, candidate for assessor; Joe B. Neel, candidate for hide and animal inspector: J. S. McCright, candi-

Mrs. F. C. Niedermeier of Van Horn

in an interesting talk explained the aims and objects of the League of Women Voters, pointing out that it was not a political party but an educational party with the object of informing the members as to the merits of measurers proposed for the welfare of city, state and nation, as well as to the qualifications of the various candidates seeking office. She stressed the point that now that the ballot had been of it to make our country a better country in every way. She pointed out that bills such as the maternity bill recently passed by congress to help measures which will mean much to humanity can be more easily secured. measures which need women's attention were pointed out and Mrs. Niedermeler explained that all these questions would be brought up in the county and would be in a position to vote intelliganization of such a league in our county to remain after the meeting. It was explained that men would be admitted to the League upon the payment of the regular annual dues as honorary members but would not be permitted a vote in the affairs of the League.

No action was taken, we learn, except that it was decided to organize in a meeting to be held in the district court room Monday night July 10th.

### Father of Mrs. A. M. Fisher Dead

The many friends of Mrs. A. M. Fisher will be grieved to learn of the death of her father, Louis Kaufman, which occurred at the family home in Kaufman who was aged seventy-two years was one of Chicago's well known and successful business men, and was held in highest esteem by everyone who knew him. He made many friends in Big Spring while on a visit to his daughter and family.

He had been very ill the past six weeks, Mrs. Fisher being called to his bedside about two weeks ago. Funeral services will be held today.

The deep sympathy of friends is extended to Mrs. Fisher in her great

### Jumbo Cucumbers Brought In

E. A. Rowland was the first of our citizens to bring in some Howard County products to represent our county at Agricultural fairs this fall, On Wednesday he brought to the office The reports of the three banks in of the Chamber of Commerce two pounds. If others would follow Mr. Rowland's example it would be no trouble to secure an exhibit which would can deliver the goods.

### Meeting Wednesday July 12th

A get-to-gether meeting of the union men of Howard County will be held in W. O. W. hall in Big Spring Wednesday July 12th at 8 p. m.

Every union man in Big Spring and come and take part in a rousing and

Mr. and Mrs. Jack King and children



D. E. Manigault, district engineer for the Texas Highway Department, was here Monday on a tour of inspection. in the work on the Bankhead National Highway now under construction in Howard, Martin, Midland and Betor counties.

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sheep. For some reason or other the old problem today applies pretty much to cotton raising. Farmers raise cotton because it is a money crop, and one that pays hig money. Other things do the cotton raising to cotton raising. Farmers raise cotton for supper to be served on the grounds. It is a money crop, and one that pays hig money. Other things do that pays hig money. Other things do that pays hig money. Other things do the cotton raising. The institute will start promptly at stitutional, and it has come to be a set. Overdrafts, unsecured.

U. S. Government securities owned:

Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value). 50,000cm and other United States Government securities (including promiums, if any). an article in Sunday's newspapers present. shows different. In Gonzales County there is a man who six years ago had a capital of but \$200. Today he has a small farm and is worth \$25,000. He made a small fortune off of chickens. His success has seemed even more marvelous than it is because of that. But his monetary success has been the smallest part of it. He has taught Gongales County farmers that while

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Land for Sale

trouble.\_J. P. Anderson.

of Big Spring and near McDowell well tisement. for sale. Will sell cheap if sold soon Big Spring Realty Company, Big Spring, Texas.

THE INTEW MONOGRAM IDININIER STERVICE

A few years ago the cattle man who Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. Institute

added sheep to his ranges was consid- A Sunday school and B. T. P. U. Inered of low character, but roday those stitute will be held at the Evangel to his many services to the country. same men are among the richest of all. Baptist Church on the second Sunday In a public letter he has stated: "Year while all of the others are now raising in July and all are co. L. lly invited to after year Congress is lashed into pass-

Call at the "Personal Service Station" even spasmodically urged.

on the Highway opposite the Lyric Theatre, for free air and water. We sell gasoline, lube and accessories. You these matters (anti-lynching, child get a welcome here................................ & Lees.

Services at Evangel Baptist Church

Rev. W. D. Green who accepted the cotton might be a big crop, there are pastorate of the Evangel Baptist church immorality." other things that will pay, too. That in this city has moved to Big Spring Americans honor no virtue above is what all South Texas is coming to, and conducts services at the Evangel courage. Courage in any form makes Mr. Manigault is especially interested sooner or later.—Corpus Christi Caller. Church on the first and third Sun- a mighty appeal to the people whose Capital stock paid in......

ted on my ranch, 20 mileg northwest ot All are cordially invited to attend to do, to think, to stand up and call Big Spring. Take notice and avoid these services.

For Best Meat

Make it a point to phone 190 or call It is a non-courageous act to vote One section of land near Lees, south at Flowers' Sanitary Market.-Adver- for a law which the voter knows is not

Looking on the bright side of life

Passing the Buck

Senator Borah has added one more ing laws which are manifestly uncon-

Try Homan & Loes Service Station. | that it is startling that it should be

labor, etc.) through Congress, then why not give Congress the power to do so rather than urge a course which involves the lowest form of constitutional

day's of each month. Morning services whole existence, from the time of the at 11 a. m. and evening services at pioneers to the present day has been founded upon courage; courage to dare, the truth aloud. The great national heroes, Washington, Lincoln, Roosevelt, are venerated first for their courage.

constitutional merely to placate or win favor of "the folks back home." And it is insulting to the intelligence of 42-4t never put any man behind prison walls. these same folks back home—Americans all, intelligent, able to sift the wheat from the chaff-to suppose that they regard as courageous a man who votes for the law which conflicts with the Constitution merely because the intent of the law voted for is good.

Senator Borah hits the nail on the head when he calls the practice "shame less." Senator Borah has a moderation of speech which is admirable, but many will add "cowardly" to "shameless" and express their opinion freelyat the polls.

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Have three nicely furnished rooms suitable for gentlemen-one block from court house, three blocks from depot. Call at 301 Runnels St. or phone 294. 36-4t.

Absentees May Vote Through Notary.

Austin, June 24 .- From the number of inquiries being received by the Attorney General's Department, it is apparent that many voters in Texas are not cognizant of the amendment passed at the regular session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature to the absentee voting law. This amendment permits an absentee voter to vote through the assistance of a notary

No more than 20 or less than 10 days before the date of an election the voter, according to this amendment, Capital stock paid in....... shall make his personal appearance before a notary public and deliver his poll tax receipt to that official, who shall send it to the county clerk in the county in which the elector resides. The county clerk after verification of the poll tax receipt, shall mail to the elector one ballot which is not to be opened by the elector except in the sence of a notary public.

his vote and it is sent by the notary public back to the county clerk of the county cierk on the day of the election ends the ballot to the judge of the precinct for which it is intended.

It is expected that many absente voters will take advantage of this new provision of the law. Assistant Attorney General L. C. Sutton said that the department has been receiving number of inquiries relative to this nev feature of the absentee voting law. Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Bookkeeper: Married man, experies ed, six years banking, two years railway accounting familiar with all office appliances, excutive ability, correpondence references, wants position in Big Spring. Address B care Herald.

Why are so many people bitterly disappointed when, after years of struggling they get to the position in life which they had looked forward to a to their ideal, the position in which they felt sure they would be extremely happy. It is because they did so thing in their struggle on the way to power and fortune that fills them with orse and unavailing regrets. Unen ghosts keep rising in the background to remind them of some pertidy contemptible act, that stood in the way of another's success; the ghosts of those whose ambitions they trampled upon, whose advancement they hinder ed : the ghosts of dishonesty, of cruelty of selfishness; the ghosts of all sorts of people whom they treated unfairly ose hopes and prospects they crushed, people whom they wronged in some way or other. Orieson Swett Marden

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Charter No. 0068

# REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring in the State of Texas, at the close of business on fa RESOURCES

tect it.

"To my mind such a rule is so utterly shameless, so utterly intolerable that it is startling that it should be even spasmodically urged.

"If the people of this country have "If the people of this country have their minds to deal with all the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 100).

Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank Treasurer .....

TOTAL .....

LIABILITIES

Surplus Fund..... Surplus Fund.
Undivided profits....
Circulating notes outstanding.
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in
United States and foreign countries (other than inch

United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22).

Cashier's checks outstanding.

Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25.

Individual deposits subject to check.

Other demand deposits (other than bank deposits) select to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31. 327,744.5

Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank.

ment of this bank ..... TOTAL
STATE OF TEXAS. County of Howard, ss:

I. Robt. T. Piner, Cashler of the above-named bank, do ain that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and a ROBT. T. PINER, Cashler.

CORRECT\_ATTEST WILL P. EDWARDS. J. J. HAIR P. G. STOKES, Director,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, in R. V. MIDDLETON, Notary Public.

Charter No. 4306

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Ju-RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts..... Overdrafts, unsecured..... U. S. Government securities owned: Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value). 50,000 m Total
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:
Banking House.
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....

Cash in vault and amount due from national banks..... Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United State (other than included in Items 8, 8, 

Treasurer ...... TOTAL .....

Amount due to national banks.

Amount due to State banks, bankers, and frust companie United States and foreign countries (other than in Items 21 or 22).

Cashier's checks outstanding.

Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25.

Individual deposits subject to check.

Other demand deposits.

Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits ject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31....

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, se:

I, R. L. Price, Vice Pres. and Cashier of the above swear that the above statement is true to the best of a R. L. PRICE, Cashier.

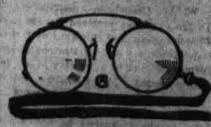
J. W. WARD.

L. S. McDOWELL, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July.

REBA ORENBAUN, Notary Public.

**Are You Getting Results** Out of Your Glasses?



COME TO

Optical Department

Nash automobiles in this territory have recently delivered two more new cars. D. A. Rhotan purchased a six-cylinder seven passenger touring car and T. E. Paylor purchased a four cytinder Nash automobile.

W. J. Carson of San Angelo, candi date for Representative of the Bist dis-trict spent Tuesday and Wednesday in this city getting acquainted, with our folks and telling them why he was the man that should receive their support

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The drawing for the set to be given away will take place

ONLY \$1.00 A WEEK

for a few weeks pays your dues. You get the beautiful

as soon as the members are secured.

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mes that came to us It will take several years of work to overcome the shortage ace with the normal increase

Public Pays The Price of Apathy

The steel kings are cautious, busineaslike, and deeply interested in psycho-analysis. They always study the mental reaction of the people. The price of steel depends largely on fuel conditions, but the steel men know that lespite the coal strike the present is sot a propitious moment to ask for ore money. Eventually, of course the coal strike will result in an advance clusion. But a tilt in prices now would unfavorably, and so the great captains of the industry grit their teeth and await "der tag." Those whose business it is to watch industrial move ments predict that July will see the end of the coal conflict. By that time the miners are likely to have reached the breaking point of endurance, and it is then the public may expect to read in those newspapers whose publishers are the constant and willing victims of the industrial press agents, the accepted propaganda preparing the public mind for a raid on the pocket book. Both coal and steel will advance in price unless the unforseen takes place and there is likely to be a race for the first bid, with the chances in favor of the steel men. Certainly someone must pay the cost of stoppage for the drippin' nectar fells us of production, and of course the victim will be the good old patient public. If be a pippin that can stand the the people only realized how much their pocket books are stripped because they fall to interest themselves in anything that does not strike immediately into the home, we might see a revival of community activity and a unification of public opinion that would result in ore harmonious conditions. Every day the coal strike-quite ignored by the public-is placing a heavier mortgage on the individual citizen, who still passes her days of life serenely and unmindful of the fact that he is continuaously caught between nether millstones. The Lord helps those who help themselves, and consequently good care is taken of the coal

### Homey Philosophy for 1922

Wrestling with the co-operation bug is all right, but if we don't look out, he'll have us gaspin' on the mat. It's all very well for a fellow to work just a little harder than the other fellow, but if the other fellow does the same, where's the advantage? Same with the early worm business. If the bird gets up earlier than the worm then it's all off with Mr. Worm. We can cut down cost to lower profit an' get less, where do we get off? There's lots of schemes that work out well for a fellow as long ason of greatly in- as the other fellow sleeps. Before cooperation will work out properly, we'll have to cooperate with the best that's in ourselves, or we'll all go up the flue,

forced a large number of country negroes to the cities. One of these appiled for a job at one of the large employment agencies. "There's a job open ff Bradford was here last Sat- at the Eagle laundry," said the man bemore the prisoners, Andy Mea- hind the desk. "Want it?" "Tell you son, charged with killing Asa how it is, boss," he said finally. "I a Andrews County. Just why sure does want a job mighty bad, but moved from the jail here we de fact it, I ain't never washed a eagle."-Argonaut.

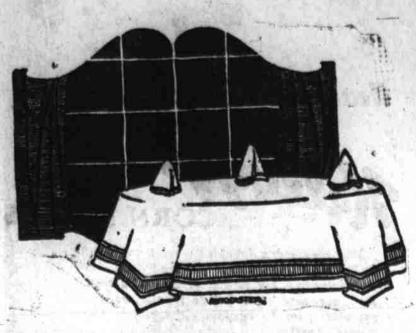
# J. & W. Fisher



# The Fourth of July

has come and gone, we hope you enjoyed the day. Hot weather is still here though, and you will be much more comfortable if you come in here and wear one of our Summer weight suits for the balance of the heated term.

> Mohair, tropical worsted and other cool fabrics, \$15.00 and up.



## TABLE LINENS

that will give you pleasure every time you use or launder them.

We have hemmed table cloths with napkins to match; separate cloths and napkins; and linens in the piece, that will add beauty to your table for any occasion.

> Subscribers Call For August Delineators

Our Prices Are Never High FISHER'S Groceries Quality and Service Special Sale of Aluminum -

Next Week Only!





Retail Grocers Not Profiteers

Again the accused has been justified. This time it is the retail grocers of the country to receive vindication, which is accorded them in a report which the Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry submits to congress. There has been a lot of "loose talk," as well as considerable amount of "official" accusation to the effect that the retail grocers were opposed to taking the "inventory losses" which followed the great slump of 1920, and doubtless a great many people have honestly believed that they were being overcharged for their food supplies. All of these accusations are now found officially to be error.

Chairman Sydney Anderson of the Joint Commission, addressing the convention of the National Wholesale Grocers' Association, dwelt on the grocery figures contained in that report. tion, exclusive of profits, in 1921 was ing reductions in response to price de-He declared the cost of retail distribu-16.8 cents for groceries, as compared with 24.03 cents for clothing, 24.9 cents for hardware and 26.88 cents for shoes in each dollar of sales. He said also that the gross profits of the retailer per dollar of sales were 2.5 cents for groceries, 1.13 for clothing, 1.52 cents for shoes and .82 cents loss for hardware in 1921. He gave the average turnover of retail grocery stocks as 7.7 as against 2.12 for hardware, 1.76 for shoes and 2.9 for dry goods.

Continuing his report, the chairman

"A study of the charts and figures containing the Information brought out by our inquiry indicates that during the period of rising prices which we have had under consideration, that is. 1913 to 1921, inclusive, the percentage of margin for operating expense and profit which the retailer took from the dollar paid by the consumer did not increase. In other words, if the proportion of the consumers' dollar the THEM OFF ..... CUNNINGHAM retailer paid for merchandise in 1913 PHILIPS.

was 70 cents, and operating expense and profit 30 cents, the same ratio was retained during the period of 1913 to 1921. In some instances the percentage It is announced, for example, that the of margin was reduced. However, the Railroad Labor Board has ordered a relation between operating expense and reduction of forty cents a day in cerprofit changed considerably during the period. As operating expenses advanc-

ed, profits reduced. "For 1913 the gross margin taken by the retailer out of the dollar received every one of them he will get under from the consumer was 29.1 cents, of the new scale \$834 for his year's work. which 6.8 cents was profit, while for This is \$60.50 a month. We have ex-1921 the gross margin was 26.16 cents, amined and studied a good many family of which 1.13 cent was profit. In 1913 budgets and analyzed them in compariexpense exclusive of profit, was 22.36 cents, and in 1921 it was 25.03 cents, showing an average increase in operat- \$69.50 a months gets off. If he has a of profit of 5.67 cents.

Out of the profit indicated by these figures must be deducted such items as shrinkage in inventory value of merchandise, federal taxes and stock mov-

For Sale

A \$600 Bush & Lane piano. Will sell for \$400 cash. Telephone 574 or call at 211 W. Houston street.

Fiye Years Hence

Here is what one loyal supporter of the Big Spring Schools hopes to see come to pass within the next five

years: S new rooms at Central.

animal study room.

8 new rooms at High School. 2-room 2-teacher fully equipped at filled commercial department.

2-room 2-teacher fully equipped as filled manual training department 3-room 2-teacher home making and home keeping department. 1-room 1-teacher agriculture and

MOSQUITO LOTION THAT KEEPS

### How to Live on \$69,50 a Month

We wonder whether the railway labor situation is as simple as it seems. tain of the lower grades of employment wherein the pay is now \$3.18 per day.

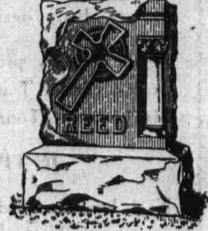
If a man gets 300 working days in the year and is never sick and works son with prevailing costs, and we don't quite see where a man working for ing cost of 2.67 cents and a reduction family the sooner the family gets off the better.

Nevertheless we do not believe that any man who has brain and muscle enough to be employed by a railroad in any capacity should have to spend the leisure portion of the remaining days of June in figuring out how he is going to provide for his family the means of paying the butcher, the baker, the grocr, the milkman, the coal man, the furniture man, for clothes for his wife, his children and himself, the doctor, the landford and perhaps the undertaker to say nothing of books, papers, amusements, holidays or recreation of any kind, out of \$60.50 a month,

We have read many articles on the award of the Railway Labor Board. but we have nowhere come across an analysis of the mental, moral or spiritual reaction of the man confronted with the necessity of solving the problem outlined in the preceding paragraph. McCready Sykes in Commerce and Finance.

Taniac can bring health to you as it has to thousands of others. J. L. Ward Jewelry and Drug Co .- Advertisement

BATHING SUITS AND CAPS ..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.



## Texas Granite

The beautiful red and grey granite can now be sold at the price of mar-

We invite you to let us show you the work we have erected.

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### Let Us Do YOUR HARVESTING

We are in the market to harvest several thousand crops of whiskers, and alw for keeping your hair trimmed and your scalp in a healthy and cleanly condition all the year around.

We guarantee first class tonsorial wor

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### HABIT

Habits of Thrift build up the Bank Account and lead to Satisfaction and

## COMFORT

Habits of Extravagance tend to Unhappiness and Destruction.

you have not started, you will be surprised w much pleasure you will get from saving dadding to a Bank Account.

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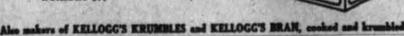
Health and happiness in every spoonful of ORN FLAKES

For temerrow's breakfast—treat the family to Kellogg's Corn Flakes and fresh fruit! See that there is a big pitcher of cold milk ready! And, urge each big and little family member to eat plenty, for Kellogg's are the perfect warm weather food!

Kellogg's Corn Flakes are not only delicious in crispness and flavor, but they're wonderfully nourishing and refreshing. They give stomachs a chance to rest in warm weather because they digest so easily. Eat Kellogg's regularly and get away from so much heavy foods

and see how much better every one in the house feels!

Insist upon Kellogg's Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package that bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes! None are genuine without it!



# NASH!

Nash leads the world in Motor Car values. SEE THE NASH ON DISPLAY AT

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Both Fours and Sixes in twelve different body designs and styles

A car for any profession or any weather Four Cylinder Touring, \$1125, Big Spring Six Cylinder Touring, \$1565, Big Spring

### IN FIVE YEARS

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Tourist Garage

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

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prices .... Countingham & Philips

J. Athans and family enjoyed outing trip to the Concho the first of

Mrs. Jno. W. Pike and daughter, Dorothy, returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in St. Louis.

Gasoline and Oil Delivered We will deliver gasoline and oil in any amount from 5 gallons up. Ph 9. Gulf Refining Company.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Precinct offices.....\$10.00 the fellowing candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 22, 1922:

For Representative 91st District: W. D. RISER (of San Angelo)

W. J. CARSON

Feir County Judge: JAMES T. BROOKS.

For County and District Clark: W. F. COOK. J. L. PRICHARD.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

R. S. McDONALD. L. S. PATTERSON ANDREW J. MERRICK H. T. LANE. M. W. HARWELL

BOB DORWARD. W. McCUTCHAN. W. W. SATTERWHITE

E. G. TOWLER. G. E. McNEW C. T. (CLIFTON) TUCKER

For Tax Assesser:
ANDERSON BAILEY.
LOTHER J. SMITH.

Per County Atterney: CARROLL BARNETT.

For Hide and Animal In J. W. ALLEN. JOE B. NEEL JESS SLAUGHTER

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: O. C. BAYES.

G. ARNETT.

C. A. MERRICK.

J. S. McCRIGHT. missioner Precinct No. 3: I. B. CAUBLE. GEORGE WHITE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: W. M. FLETCHER.

G. O. RICE For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: T. W. ANGEL

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1: J. A. STEPHENS.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 2:

For Constable Precinct No. 3: J. S. SULLIVAN.

For Public Weigher\_Precinct 2: ARCHIE THOMPSON.

siness men for closing their places of preparing food for the big dinner, the young ladies who sold tickets, Mr. operation and assistance. William Frank Martin

American Legion

Pitt Gardner, Post Commander

## HIDES! HIDES! HIDES!!!

50,000 green and dry cattle bide vanted. Highest market prices paid Williams Dry Goods Company, Big Spring, Texas.

### Notice to Everyon

Everyone interested in good governent and willing to assist organise the League of Women Voters is urged to attend a meeting in the district court room in Big Spring next Monday night United States, and a July 10th.

of the League and you will surely be it in Russia today. willing to cooperate.

picnic were Misses Mabel and Pearl McClure and Flint Cosby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vaughan and baby left Thursday for Crownking Ariz, where they go to spend some time in hopes of improving the health of their baby. They will stop over at Prescott for a few days visit with re-

boiled ham, cured ham, always on hand -good, fresh, clean. Pool-Reed Market. Phone 145 .- Advertisement

Miss Jennie Beil after a two weeks risit here with her sister Mrs. C. W. Cunningham left Wednesday night for ing California to spend the summ

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stephens retur Wednesday from a visit with relative at Weatherford and Dallas.

# Our Own Home Town

## Abraham Lincoln Once Said:

"I like to see a man proud of the place in which he lives. I like to see a man live in it so his place will be proud of him.

We believe in this community-in the citizens who are proud of living here—in our good schools and churches-in the successful farmers and enterprising business men. We want to aid in everyway.

We advise setting aside a portion of your income so you can make life something more than mere living. The satisfation of a bank account, accrued from your savings eliminates the worry of how you are going to "get by."

We help you save, protect your funds and pay you 4 per cent on savings account.

We Pay 4 Per Cent on Time Deposits

# West Texas Nat'l. Bank

**BIG SPRING. TEXAS** 

"THE BANK WHERE YOU FEEL AT HOME"

Notice to the Voters and Good Citizens of Howard County It has been called to my attention that I was taking a stand against the Union. I wish to make it clear to you, my friends, just how I stand in my talk at Richland. I stated that I was come as much interested in the welfare of organized labor and the welfare of this country as I was in my candidacy for Sheriff and Tax Collector, and that I believed they would agree with me that religion and politics, and organized labor should stand on its own foundation and that I was there to the Foreign Mission Dollar and To John F. Murphy, Is defend what I thought was to the best What it does\_Leader Mrs. Barrick, and to all persons owing interest to organised labor and to con- and Mesdames Carter, Markham, Ruth- or claiming any inte demn what I thought was against its erford, Cunningham, McDowell, Bar- lowing described land to future welfare. I stated that I was a nett, Ellington, Tucker, Littler and the State of Te me-hundred percent Union man, and stand ready at all times to better our broader plane than to let petty politics neant its destruction, and did not try dred percent against the Union. I said guide as a hitch rack in it. That I didn't believe it should stand for polities that turns fathers, mothers. and that I did not believe it should

what the Government was do

If anybody adds more than I have stated in this, will add something that I have not said, H. T. LANE. Candidate for Sh eriff and Tax Collec tor of Howard County. (Political Advertisement)

Pythinn Sister Pionic This Eve

ith a Basket Pienic at Parrish Gr and their families are invited to attend. You are requested to muci at K. of P. hall at 6:30 o'clock this even-

A. L. Higginbotham of Abilene, p sanager for the Southwestern Bell visitor in Big Spring Thursday

Program Presbyterian Auxiliary

The following program will be given ed to all persons own by the members of the Presbyterian the name of The State Woman's Auxiliary at the church Mon- and the County of House day July 10th, 3:30 p. m. All members to all persons owning as are urged to be present; visitors wel- way interested in the la

Scripture Reading.

Hymn. Circle prayer-For adequate money and workers to supply our Stations. Signs of the Dawn\_Mrs. Caylor.

The Sobbing of a Thousand Million-Mrs. Barnett.

Mrs. McDowall.

Solo-Mrs. Littler. How the Great Father-Mrs. Flani-

Mizpah Benediction.

Garage and Auto Bon

Have opened a garage and auto repair shop at 311 Pecan street, in north part of Big Spring and am prepared spair your auto in quick time. work guaranteed. Also prepared to do tire patching. Phone 479. Bernard A.

John and Frank Ramsell of Garden City were here to take part in the American Legion Rodeo July 4th.

Murray Parkinson of Lamesa was on Rodeo on July 4th.

Notice by Publication to Non-Resi

THE STATE O FTEXAS County of Howard

Whereas, the State through its County Attorney, did, or the 10th day of June A. D. 1922 file in the District Court of Howard County, in the State of Texas, its petition in Suit No. —— on the civil docket of said court, be brought by the said State of Texas as plaintiff against John F. Murph the nature of the plaintiff's an action to recover of the defendants as the owners of the lands returned delinquent (or reported so to the State) for the taxes due ther on for the years 1917, 1918, 192 and 1921; and, whereas, the wher abouts and residences of the said owners are unknown, and upon the

to cite all interested parties and to make parties defendant by notice in the name of The Bints of Toyan, romers.

and the County of He described delinquent to and County for taxes published in a newspa County, one time a wet in consecutive weeks, in the

and style following: THE STATE OF TELL of Howard:

Howard for taxes, to

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prising 320 acres of land Howard County, Texas, land is delinquent for to following amounts: \$343 mit has been brought for the collection of defend such suit at term of the District Co held at the Court He Big Spring, on the 4th mber, 1922, and p omning said land, and

and foreclosure the taxes and costs of Witness my hand and at my office in Big this 10th day of June A.

District Clerk,

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obar of Garden City here this week.

esday evening for

If cows gave milk shake like Munroe makes .. Everybody would own a dairy .....Cunningham & Philips.

Mrs. Lee Majors and daughter Miss Hilds returned last Saturday from a visit with relatives in Waco and Lorena B. J. Lindner met them at Fort Worth and accompanied them home.

Conductor John Paylor of Fort Worth eas here Thursday on the passenger run of Bounce Bennett. This was John's first visit here in over two years and he was kept busy greeting old

Bernard A. Rueckart has opened rarage and auto repair shop at his me, 311 Pecan street, in the north part of the city and is prepared to do all kinds of auto repair work, tire patching, etc.

The members of the Episcopal Suaday school will be treated to a picute. on Scenic Drive Mountain this evening and from 60 to 70 young people will take part in this jolly affair.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McDowell and Lorin McDowell were in San Angelo last week and attended the splendid barbecue given in honor of the visitors and the Sheep and Goat Raisers asso ciation. They also visited in San Saba They report heavy rains and ugly and dangerous mud holes all the way from San Saba to Big Spring. They return-Mrs. Leverett is the sister of Mrs. Mc-Dowell and will remain on a visit for a Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lees.

### Attention Ladies!

Try Ward's new way washing tablets They make washing easier. Guaranteed not to injure the finest fabric. hibit that will do justice to our county. or favor. A consideration of his candi-Get them at the Union Store. MRS. J. M. CHOATE.

### Phone No. 9

iny's store. Apply at on the pike and your car is out of gas- L. Service Station when in need of gas-Goods Company, Big oline. We will deliver gasoline to oline, lube or auto accessories. Adverpoints on the highway .- Advertisement tisement.

E. P. Teele and family of Garden City were visitors here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Curtis and daughter, Vera, returned Wednesday from a visit at Christoval.

Miss Mary Duffus arrived from El Paso this morning for a visit with her cousin Miss Clara Jones.

Mrs. F. J. Roe returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Coffeeville, Kan., and points in Missouri,

Miss Annie Hobson of Greenwood. visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Hodges,

W. C. and F. M. Miller of Borden County took part in the various Rodeo events at the Legion celebration here July 4th.

Pat Neff Henry son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Henry who was bitten by a rattlesnake Tuesday evening is out of danger and getting along nicely.

Miss Willie Saunders and neice Miss Mary Vance Koneaster left this morning for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Lometa and Knox City.

F. Heckler of the Luther community To the Voters of Howard County: was here Tuesday to attend the American Legion celebration. Mr. Heckler report crops in fine shape out his way.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Joe Smith of ed on the 4th and were accompanied Mineral Wells enroute home from a tical man of affairs. He is an old-time by Mrs. W. B. Leverett of San Saba. visit in Odessa stopped over in this "cowpuncher," knows what West Texas city Thursday for a few days' visit with has and knows what West Texas needs.

being handed many compliments by sonal favor. patrons for the snappy service render-Just phone No. 9 when you are out ed. Make it a point to visit the H. &

Endorsing Hon, W. J. Carson

That the citizens of Big Spring and Howard County may know just what kind of a man his friends think he is we publish herewith letters from friends and acquaintances and messages from the officers of the Central Labor Union of San Angelo.

San Angelo, Texas, July 1st, 1922. To Whom It May Concern :

This is to state to my many friends in Howard County, that I am personally acquainted with the bearer of this letter, the Hon. W. J. Carson of San Angelo, who is visiting Howard County Miss., arrived Wednesday night for a for the purpose of getting acquainted with the voters in connection with his candidacy for representative, the State Legislature of the 91st District, and assure you, one and all, that It is a pleasure for me to testify to the uprightness of my good friend, Carson, and trust that he may make many friends and votes by his trip to my old home county.

Assuring one and all of my very pleasant memories of the days spent in Howard County, and believing that Mr. Carson is the man whom one and all could well afford to vote for, I am

Very respectfully,

J. A. Halley.

This will introduce Mr. W. J. Carson, of San Angelo, candidate for the Legislature from this, the 91st District. I have known Mr. Carson since 1906, and know him to be a broad-gauged, prac-He stands A1 for the advancement of all West Texas, whether it be schools, If we want Howard County to make irrigation, farming or stock raising, and good showing at the Fairs and Ex- if elected as your representative, I can positions this fall it's time to begin to assure you fully that he will be found think of preparing an agricultural ex- fighting for our interests without fear dacy by my old Howard County friends The Homan & Lees Service Station is I will appreciate as a very great per-Very truly yours,

> C. D. Ambrose Sterling City, Texas, June 3, 1922 Mr. W. J. Carson, San Angelo, Texas, My Dear Friend:

I was very sorry that I was not here when you came up, but will say that I am with you for representative until the last ditch is crossed. If you run elsewhere like I think you will run here you will have nothing to fear. My best wishes to you for success,

Yours truly.

W. L. Foster. Mertzon, Texas, July 1, 1922. To the Banks of Big Spring, Big Spring, Texas,

Gentlemen:

This will introduce to you Mr. W. J. Carson who is in the race for Representative from our District, and I have known Mr. Carson for sixteen years and feel that we can all depend on him to take care of the interest of West Texas arrives in Austin. Any Invors that you can show him in your County will be appreciated by me.

Yours very truly. Duwain E. Hughes, Cashler, First National Bank, Mertzon, Texas. San Angelo. Texas, July 4th, 1922 W. P. Warren, Big Spring, Texas.

W. J. Carson, candidate for Legisia- the best. ture, this district, in your city today is endorsed by non political conference here. Give this all possible publicity.

P. E. Dooley, Chairman. San Angelo, Texas, July 8, 1922. W. P. Warren, Big Spring, Texas,

Spring through you that the Central tain them in time of trial. Labor Union of San Angelo, after a careful investigation, has endorsed W. these resolutions be spread on the min-J. Carson for Representative from this utes of our lodge. district, and we ask that you give him all the assistance possible in your city. Frank Rosenburg, President.

O. B. Foster, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. J, D. Williams and three children were enroute to Big Spring from their home in Dallas when the sad accident which cost the life of their son Lee Williams, took place in Midland County, Thursday, June 29th. They were traveling by auto and though every possible effort was made to catch them they were not notified of the sad tragedy until they reached Colorado Ciy, late Friday night and not until after their son had been buried. The shock to them was indeed great. It was found impossible to delay the funeral until Saturday morning as at first planned.

Mrs. K. S. Beckett Jr., arrived from El Paso on Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Beckett Sr. From here she will go to Merkel for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J T

T. A. Bunker and family returned Tuesday from an auto trip to Beaumont and points on the Gulf Coast. They had a jolly good time during their month's visit in South Texas.

Miss Nell Phillips of Dallas after a few days' visit with her brother, Gordon Phillips, left Wednesday evening for her home.

Mrs. F. L. Bell arrived the first of he week from San Angelo to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Cunningham.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

### FIRST STATE BANK

at Big Spring. State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1922 published in the Big Spring Herald a newspaper printed and published at Big Spring. State of Texas, on the 7 day of July, 1922.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$440,436.14
Loans, real estate	. 32,700.00
Overdrafts	. 864.24
Bonds and Stocks	. 17,829.68
Real Estate (banking house)	7.000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	. 235,178.75
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	6,502.53
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	. 11,656.21
TOTAL	.\$752,167.55

Capital stock paid in.....\$ 35,000.00 Individual Deposits, subject to check...... 462,630.30 

STATE OF TEXAS. County of Howard, We, L. T. Deats, as president, and T. S. Currie, 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. L. T. DEATS, President.

T. S. CURRIE, Cashier, CORRECT\_ATTEST: BERNARD FISHER

Wm. B. CURRIE Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July 1922. FRED STEPHENS, Notary Public Howard County, Texas.

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STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, We, J. B. Wheat, as president, and J. B. Collins, as cashler, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Other liabilities, Rediscounts...... 30,947.92

J. B. WHEAT, President. J. B. COLLINS, Cashier. CORRECT\_ATTEST:

A. W. ROWE T. M. COLLINS

J. J. HAIR, Directors Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1922. CLAUD WOLF. Notary Public Howard County, Texas.

Whereas the Heavenly father has in His infinite wisdom seen fit to call to that Home on High our beloved brother Lee O. Williams. Be it resolved that we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who does all things for

Be it further resolved that we tender to the bereaved wife and baby boy our deepest sympathy in this, their hour of deepest sorrow, to the parents and sisters in the loss of one dearly beloved, and furthermore we pray to our I am notifying the Union men of Big Heavenly Father to comfort and sus-

Be it further resolved that a copy of

J. W. Martin.

O. Dubberly. E. M. LaBeff, Committee.

Episcopal Church

10 a. m. Holy communion with sermon. The Church in the Apostolic Age. 8:00 p. m. Evening prayer. Woman's Auxiliary meets with Mrs.

Tallaferro Monday July 10th at 7:30 Will every one please notice change

in time of morning service. Rev. F. B. Eteson, Rector.

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e handed out at our store throughout the year. Our patrons have since found that good seasonable merchandise can always be red for less at the Grand Leader.

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he Grand Leader has convinced its patrons that they can sell for because they sell for Cash. Try them and try paying Cash if you

a to get ahead. nember We Won't Be Undersold by Any Store in West Texas



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daughter Miss Clara and A. Whitlow in this city. returned last Friday from a motor trip to Floydada.

ASK FOR THE TRUTH BEFORE Illness of her mother. YOU BUY A PATENT MEDICINE. WE THINK WE KNOW ..... CUN-NINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Niedermeier of of Van Horn after a brief visit with relatives in this city left Saturday for a visit in Waco and Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wynn left last with their son and daughter, Mrs. left Saturday for her home. Owen Jones and F. M. Ross at Fort

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Paint in small cans for any purpose .....Cunningham & Phillips:

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Price made a trip to Rotan the forepart of this week.

Pierrette face powder. Pieases or

H. B. Robb of Dallas spent the fore-

Worth last Saturday by the serious

cream in half gallon paper packers PHILIPS. now . . . . . Cunningham & Philips.

the week in this city, the guest of all week on his ranch southeast of this Miss Marie Boswell.

Miss Ruth Gibson of Monohans after is in great shape. Friday evening for a two weeks' visit a pleasant visit with Miss Mary Happel

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Mrs. George Hall of Baird is here your money refunded .... Canningham for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Birdwell.

J. D. Biles and Adolphus Gallemore Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stephens and part of the week on a visit to relatives of this city and Dacosta Holt of Dallas returned last Saturday from a fishing trip on the Middle Concho river and re-Mrs. G. E. McNew was called to Fort port a delightful time and lots of fish.

> IF YOU ARE NOT PATRONIZING OUR FOUNTAIN WE ARE BOTH We are prepared to pack and deliver LOSING OUT ..... CUNNINGHAM &

> E. W. Douthit arrived Monday from Miss Hattle Paxton of Abilene spent Abilene and has been making a hand city. With a two inch rain down his way Saturday and Sunday everything

Wm. D. Riser of San Angelo was here last Friday and Saturday in the MUNROE SAYS THAT HE DOESN'T interest of his candidacy for State Re-HAVE TO TALK ABOUT HIS COCA presentative of the 91st district. He COLA, EVERY ONE ELSE TALKS expects to be in Big Spring about July FOR HIM ..... CUNNINGHAM AND 20th to address the voters of our county.

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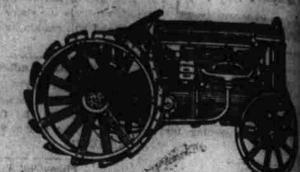
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F. O. B.



The Railroad Owned Press

The Jacksonville, Florida, Journal has openly raised the question as to the right of a public service corporation to own a newspaper. "The newspaper that is owned by any public utility corporation is not a free press," says the exploitation at the hands of uncor Journal. "It cannot represent the people, it represents the special privilege it is owned to foster."

dangerous influence in any commue public fair and impartial facts and editorial opinion on such vital questions classes ranges from \$14 to \$21.20 as freight rates for example, yet upon cubic yard. lications they look to for information. The editors are unkown to them. The picion of their danger.

ownership of newspapers by public service corporations, and it is quite within range of possibility that this much to once in a while, and road contractor be desired restriction can be brought can scarcely be regarded as sp about if the country press unites in pleaders for the preservation of insisting upon it. Reputable newspaper publishers have a right to protect the bonor of their profession. The integrity of the whole press suffers in reputation from this handful of prostituted publications whose policies of buncome and deception are shaped by public service. corporations whose sole aim is to disarm and exploit the people.

Ladies we are prepared to do your dainty laundrying, consisting organdy frocks, lingeries and laces. Call 514 .... Advertisement-It.

M. A. Stewart is back in harness once more, having taken over the management of the Stewart Hotel last ansatisfactory to say the least.

Cost of Road Building Villages and counties contemplating

road building should get in touch with The Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture, if they would save taxpayers from scionable contractors. It appears from information at hand, there has been s sudden and heavy decrease in the cost Presumably the question is being of road building material. Figures agitated because of the growing grip of given cover a wide stretch of territory. the railroads on the newspapers of the embracing practically all parts of the United States. They run in brief as That railroad owned newspapers are follows: earth excavation, common, 33 a dangerous influence in any commu-nity, there seems to be no doubt. It is \$1.26 a cubic yard; gravel, \$1.44 a quite out of the question for newspa- cubic yard; sand clay, 45 cents a cubic pers owned by railroads to present to yard; crushed stone, \$3.42 a cubic yard. Structural concrete of various

an intelligent understanding of the For surfacing, the following are th freight rate situation on the part of figures by the square yard: gravel, 40 the public depends the prosperity of cents; surface treated macadam, 50 the great farming population that feeds cents; bituminous macadam, \$1.06; bitthe nation and the cost of living for uminous concrete, \$1.97; plain cement the public that must depend on the concrete, \$2.17; reinforced cement contiller of the soil. There are thousands crete, \$2.54. Cement has been furof newspaper readers in the cities who nished by the following states at prices never know the ownership of the pub- given by the barrel: New York, \$1.73; Wisconsin, \$1.94; Arkansas \$2.70.

For the most part village boards are city newspaper publishers and his supremely ignorant in matters of road readers have not that close contact that building as might be expected, but they exists between the published of a week- can operate along business lines. Some ly newspaper and his readers. Of of them may be able now to take adcourse, the natural assumption is that vantage of their college courses which, the newspaper is the friend of the if they taught anything, showed th public, the national policeman watching lanes down which to travel quickly to the interest of the people, and so people, obtain accurate information. If our are turned into an army of Little Red, village fathers have never seen a col-Riding Hoods and led to destruction by lege, then a little horse sense will the railroad wolf without ever a sus- guide them along lines that will save the public a great deal of money. Road It would be a beneficial service if building is going on in every state of legislation were enacted prohibiting the the nation and the more we have of it the better, but the poor old brow-bren en taxpayer ought to be consider

> R. D. Matthews and G. B. Cunningham recently purchased the abstracting plant formerly owned by S. D. Bain bridge and are having the book brought down to date. When this work has been completed they will be prepared to prepare abstracts for the property owners of our county and they can be depended upon for satis

George W. Oster of Osterburg, Penn enroute home from San Francisco, Call convention stopped over in Big Spring agement of the Stewart Hotel last oil development in this section and week. Mr. Stewart is owner of the wanted to secure first hand information Stewart Hotel building but had leased as to progress new being snade. He it to others and their management was owns land in Borden County, northers

A. J. Livingston, living near Ashland

City, Tennessee, says: "I feel like died Thursday morning, June 22, no going from house to house and telling the people about Taniac." J. L. Ward Jeweiry and Drug Co.—Advertisement. was due to tuberculosis.

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rs in a speech at Louis-, the golden rule may be accepted by he man who sells his labor and the We labor. He has been versal justice. Man will have to be line to abolish child labor. Failing in line to abolish child labor. and aver the soul of Adam regardless more deplorable than war. Responsi-of his station in life is on the trail of the dollar. He may chant from the rests upon the individual states, a lips out "I am my brother's keeper," majority of which have forward-look-and after the chanting is over he begins ing laws in child protection, but a to figure the price, in cold cash that minority of which are still in the midwill be compelled to pay.—Austin dle ages in the attitude towards child-

The Few Rule the Many A friend of ours sald to us the other

blg guys get all the cream, and we have to survive on the skimmed milk. That's a truth and that friend of ours didn't know just how true a saying he had coined. Man was made to serve, and take orders from a boss higher up, and hinety-nine one-hundredths of the folks in this world are standing around waiting for orders to move on, do this or that, be quick about it, and here's your daily wage, and if it don't suit you, hike for another job. That's self determination, you can work or starve. steal or beg, less you have guts and gumption to rule a kingdom of your own. The trend of all our education today is for the finished product out of which a slave is moulded-just common, ordinary job hunters, each striving to please the boss and to get a raise, and the one ideal of this life of servitude is promotion, so that you can kick and cuff the weakling below you wear a crown and welld a sceptre. The ant hill out there is ruled by a boss, so is the bee-gum, the game cock rules the barn yard and the stiffest necked bull has the largest herd and best water holes-the many serve the few, we can't all be rich and live on easy street, so most of us have to be poor and led around by the other fellow, otherwise, if we were all well fixed, who in the thunder would toll down there in the coal mines, who would clear the land, plow and hoe, weave and spin, pull the throttle on the steam engine, dig ditches, and go out there on the battle line and shoot and kill? No if we were all smart and well educated, and born rulers, we wouldn't have any commerce, hence we would all starve to death. About the only incentive that any of us have to work is that we may get the bosses job and rule the mob. The little old country preacher out there in the sticks is working like fighting fire to get a city church and wear the bell. The country editor down there in that dingy office half fed and half clothed, is striving day and night for the city editor's job, that he may sit in a gilded office like State Press, talk to the millions, mould public sentiment. dictate the policy of parties and shape the destinies of nations. Now that's the reason there are so many country editors working on starvation wagestrying to get the boss's job higher up and rule the ignorant rabble. Now this application will fit all other jobs. The American Colonist decided that man was capable of self government, so the Declaration of Independence was born and they kicked royal robes, crowns into the scrap-heap, and the first real democracy on earth was born. but in doing so, we swapped a crown for a political boss who has always just walk up to the hay rack and get our rations, and do the shouting and digging up. Of course we would rather obey a political boss than to do obeisance to a crown, for the reason that if we have the stuff in us, out of which God makes big men, we can climb up and take his job, but on the other hand, the plebeian can not rule by the right divine, his blood is tainted therefore, us little devils down here in the valley of toll, strive and dig and work, and dream and aspire to be boss of the gang, and name and family and pedigree, thanks to the gods of democracy does not count in the game of life. We said that the few rule the many. Up there in congress of the United States. twenty-five or thirty men run the machinery of the government, the rest of them are just political stool pigeons and take their orders from the men who are non, and by the way, we have always plug gave way before the drillers exadmired Uncle Joe in many ways. First pected it to. he is ultra republican, not a half breed, but a stalwart, and Old Uncle Joe while speaker of the House ruled it with an iron hand, enforced the clothure rule, and made them lick salt from his hand. And we remember one time he used the party lash, made 'em walk up and toe the mark, and one poor weakfor it, but I'm going home and go to plant with commercial profit. plowing, and sure enough he did. Yes, cut out the bosses in politics, religion, commerce, community life or what not, and we would just be a wrangling mob, never get anywhere. In an average political election, us little guys do not make a choice or announce our preference until we hear from headquarters -Waiting for orders - Albany News.

"A final effort should be made to bring all the states of the Union into On Sale everywhere from Now on The New & USCO Tire with many improvements The price remains the same for the HEN "USCO" announced its new low price of \$10.90 last Fall, the makers were already busy developing a still greater "Usco" value. The new and better "Usco" as you see it today—with no change in price—and tax absorbed by the manufacturer. You'll note in the new and better "Usco" these features—

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Spouts of gas which break through the crown blocks and are easily visible thirty and forty feet above the eightyfour foot crown blocks are coming from the Bell No. 1, from time to time, while at other times only a cloudy formation arises from the well as the gas pressure forces parts of the cement for a political boss who has always dictated the policy of the party and in the hole and causes the well to bridge over. These bridges have been easily knocked out, and a close study of the situation at the well has convinced Ira J. Bell that the lower part of the plug, which was placed in the cavity caused by the gas at below 2700 feet is acting as a valve and that the force of the gas flow at times draws this plug to the bottom of the casing and nearly seals the hole, and that the heavy heads are not resumed until this plug drops back when the pressure behind it is evened up.

Close observation of the conditions at the well for the past week have convinced the management that in order to properly handle the casing it will be necessary to place another plug in the hole, and this was to be done late this week. Then the casing will be re-set and the plug drilled through with precautions learned as a result of the difficulty with the first hole when the

Samples of the gas from the well are being sent away this week to determine its casing head quality. These samples when cooled in the air show a considerable quantity of gasoline, and Mr. Bell is confident that the gas is of such a quantity and quality that should the company desire to do so the gas could be used in a casing head

THE LAURA WELL M. A. Heller, manager of the Federal Service interests stated this week that he anticipated that drilling on the company's well, eight miles north of Pecos, known as the Laura well would be resumed about the fifteenth of July wnen a rotary rig would probably be placed on the location and an effort made to drill through the cavey formation at 2400 feet.

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There are very few persons in Little Rock, Ark, who have not come in contact with this very successful woman. She is Mrs. Bene. B. Sterling, who now at 81 years of see has just completed fifty consecutive years of teaching in the public schools there. She started it 1872. It is estimated 6,000 pupils have been in her classes.

Uncle Johns Josh



A dress expert says. "dress reflects the wearer's mind." Some of the girls are doing mighty little in the way of reflecting at present. Marion Star.

Miss Alice Ann Rix returned this tives in Sweetwater.

Eversharp pencils and Parker pens ..... Cunningham & Philips.

There is a notable lack in the Washington administration of the teamwork which President Harding so eloquently advocates and for which he strives as the faithful party harmonizer. Thus, while the Republicans of congress are working overtime to pass the highest tariff law by which the people of the United States were ever victimized, the President himself being so wedded to that project that he goes far beyond his platform in urging it. Controller of the currency Crissinger, the President's own appointee from "back home," slips off to Maine and makes an address to the bankers of that state in which he warns against any such increase on the necessaries of life as the Forney-McCumber bill would effect. "I do not believe," says the controller of the currency, that a public that finds itself unable to buy at a lower price is likely to be able to buy at a higher level unless its income goes up at least a little faster than prices advance. We are not going to restore a feeling of confibdence among the people by presenting them, day by day, pages of wage reductions, with announcements of advancing prices. Where is the teamwork between the President, who is boasting of returning prosperity and boosting a tariff that will increase prices, and his controller of the currency, protesting that confidence cannot be restored by increasing prices?-Louiseville Courier-Journal.

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Homey Philosophy for 1922

Don't it seem fine to get into your boat, lie face up in the sunlight an' drift down the stream of life without a care in the world? You pass hundreds of rocks, the eddies switch the boat from side to side an' get you by safely, maybe with here an' there a little scratch, but not enough to set you worryin'. An' then you get it. Bump, an' over the falls you go. Boy, what a smash! If you have any thinkin' apparatus left you see where you tried to beat the game an' it didn't work out. Old Cap Nature says you've got to take hold of the oars an' row up stream if you want to land safely. Sometime's you've got to row mighty hard to make headway but you might as well tackle week from a ten days' visit with rela- the job, because, there's no room for argument. Every river ends on the rocks or in the mudbanks and that's where the fellow lands who drifts down

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### Bridge Club Meeting

The members of the Bridge Club were My shop will be closed August 1st delightfully entertained at the home of

the interesting games. Mrs. W. W. Inkman made high club score of the afternoon and Mrs. F. H. Etheridge made visitors' high score. The prizes for the best scores of the past year were announced with Mrs. Bernard Fisher winner of first prize and Mrs. W. W. Inkman winner of second prize.

Mrs. Jno. Clarke was elected club chairman for the ensuing year.

Fresh milk powdered means milk as you need it, always on hand. Be sure you take a package on your summer outing. Phone 304 or address 211 W. Howard street.

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Entire contents of 8-room residence, home garden, yard and porch furniture at the low price of \$300 cash or terms; or will sell by the piece. Phone 309-J. MRS. J. D. WILLIAMS. 42tf

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Two rooms furnished for light house keeping for rent. Also one nicely furnished bed room for rent. Phone 375.

Mr. and Mrs. Jed A. Rix, Mrs. Joe Hilton and Henry Brown of Lubbock arrived Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Purser and daughter and Miss Goldie Thomas returned Wednesday night from a week's visit at Christoval.

Come in and look over my second hand stock. I may have something that you want, J. R. Creath, Bauer Block.

Mrs. Joe Hilton of Lubbock is here for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. G. L. Brown and other relatives. Kreso dip around the premises keeps

off files and kills germs ..... Cunning-

### The Best Tires

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best by test. Let your tires be the best, den represents the Magnolia Petroleum

for a week or more and those desiring Mrs. Harry H. Hurt, Wednesday after- shoe repairing should bring it in this month. I have not visited my relatives Six tables of players participated in in many years so I intend to visit them work. Wm. LEONARD.

We wish to express our thanks to our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown us in the death of our loved one, Lee Oliver Williams, also for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be with them

Mrs. Lee Williams and son. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nall and family

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### Presbyttrian Auxiliary

The program meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will be held at church next Monday, July 10th at 4 p. m. Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt and Mrs. E. L. Barrick compose the committee to be in charge of this meeting.

It is very desirous that a full attendance be present.

### MARTIN'S SCREW WORM KILLER.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Tilden of Colorado Goodrich Silverton Cord Tires are the were visitors here Thursday. Mr. Til-Sold by Homan & Lees Service Station, Company in this section and was here The circle meets next week with Mrs. opposite Lyric theatre.—Advertisement to note the progress of oil development. Clayton Stewart.

## W. T. Patterson returned Tuesday

Branding irons, bridle bits and spure

manager for the Southwestern Bell here Thursday.

Mrs. Shine Philips and daughter, Nancy Bell returned Thursday from month's visit with relatives and friends in Abilene, Dallas and Waco.

Robert Helms and Eck Lovelace were in Wednesday evening from Mc-Dowell well No. 4 and report everything moving along nicely at that test.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Eason and daugh ter returned last week from a several weeks auto trip to San Antonio, Galveston, Texas City and other points in South Texas.

Mrs. H. R. Debenport returned Thurs day morning from Galveston where sh had been to visit Mr. Debenport whe is under treatment at John Sealy Hos pital. She reports Mr. Debenport's condition as much improved and his physicians expect to have him up and walking about in the next two or three

F. F. Gary left Wednesday evening for northern markets to purchase select line of dry goods and furnishin for the general merchandise store of Gary and Son. He will stop at Dallas for a day's visit and then proceed to Galveston and sail for New York. I. J. Robb will meet him at Galveston and make the trip by boat to New York.

Ray Carter returned last Saturday cessfully completed the course in auto mechanics at the Sweeney Automobile and Tractor School. In addition to securing a diploma for having success chanics he was also given a diplome in battery work. Ray completed his apprenticeship as a machinist in the railway shops here so he is going to be render expert service in the line of 40-Sp auto mechanics.

### Prayer Circle Report

Circle 4A. Met with Mrs. C. E. Yap. nell this week and nine were present

Pool-Reed Co .- Advertisement.

Judge Brooks on Wednesday of this made to your order. JOE E. HILL, week performed the ceremony which July 4th with relatives in this city. in the rear of the Powell shop. 42-2t united in marriage Felorentino Topia

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Oxshear and Telephone Co., was a business visitor daughter Dorothy were here from their ranch in Martin County Tuesday attend the July 4th celebration.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Heffernan of Hot Springs, N. M., after a visit with her sister in Abilene returned Thursday for Addition from L. S. McDowell, a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Heffer-

Mrs. Eugene Nelson arrived Thurs day from Brownwood and will remain here for the present. Mr. Nelson is ow at Pioneer where the big new oil field is being developed.

Mrs. J. R. Kennedy of El Paso wh had been visiting her daughter, Mrs W. H. Battle left the first of the wee for her home. Miss Hazel Kenned will visit her sister here for the present,

W. W. Rix left for Brownwood this week, to attend the meeting of the board of directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at which time plans for the ensuing year will be out-

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On Friday June 30 Judge James Brooks performed the ceremony which united in marriage Claud J. Crouse this city and Miss Dovie Birkhead of Coahoms. The many friends of ther worthy young people unite in extending congratulations and well wishes.

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### Reward for Lost Dog

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Mrs. E. C. Cook of Lamesa spent

s are sold at the ol prices.....Cunningham & Philips. W. A. Tucker and family arrived

Thursday morning from Brownwood for wisit with homefolks. Bascom Reagan this week purchased a residence lot in McDowell Heights

Mr. Kelley of Lamesa was here July 4th greeting old time friends and taking in the American Legion celebration.

Marriage licenses were issued to T E. Hewitt and Mrs. Minnie Fer ooth of Fort Worth here June 24th.

Tom Good and family were h from their ranch in Dawson County to attend the American Legion celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Wilkinson and saby were here from Midland to spend July 4th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Union men of the county are urged to attend the get to gether meeting at W. O. W. ball here next Wednesday night. Be sure to come

I desire to rent a good five or six coom house between now and Septem ber first. See me at Ste none 14. C. H. McDan

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4th here attending the Sheriff W. L. Les unty was a bu

D. C. Riley and famo enjoyed the American

ion here July 4th. J. A. Smith spent Joy tives at Roscoe and all

Ellis Douthit Jr. of

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Big Spring, Friday, July 7, 1922.

You, and that means every man, woman, boy, and girl in Howard county, are cordially invited to attend the old fashioned Basket Picnic to be say: given by the Union men of Howard county at Parrish Grove, just east of Big Spring, Saturday, July 15th. Come and bring all the folks.

"The Harding administration was elected because of unrest resulting from grievances. Today the unrest is caused by general disgust with Republican management of affairs at Washington. There is even more unrest in the United States now than there was immediately after the World war."-James M. Cox, former governor of Ohio and Democratic presidential n .minee in 1920.

The government's estimate of an 11,-065,000 bale cotton crop for this year caused the price of cotton to advance eight dollars per bale, Monday. Many boll weevils are reported and if they become as numerous as they were last year the cotton crop for 1922 will fall below the governmeent estimate. In the southeast the damage to the crop by boll weevils is reported serious. On account of the lateness of the crop it is difficult to estimate the exac damage.

"There are no accurate world statistics of cotton tenderable under the law-in fact, we have no reliable statisics for the United States. The boll weevil is so destructive of the cotton crop at this time that the amount produced this year, even with last year's holdover, will not be sufficient to supply the demand for next year. We must stop gambling in cotton. The farmers are the ones that suffer most."-Senator William J. Harris of Georgia.

"If the selfish Wall street interests, which, behind the scenes, have been delaying and misrepresenting our proposition, will come out in the open and make the government a better offer than mine, I'll fall right in and coment in any way I can. And if they think they can get over a less worthy private offer I notify them now that the fight for Muscle Shoals so far has been but a skirmish."-Henry Ford, quoted in New York Times.

The indications are that this year is going to prove a big one in business lines. Not only have the northern and southern factories started up with increased activities, but foreign factories are opening up. This means greater demands for American raw materials, cotton especially. Foreign trade is several millions of dollars better in our favor than before the war. We are confidently looking for a period of great prosperity in the United States for the next few years. Texas will get its share of the business Foard Coun-

Just ten years ago yesterday Woodrow Wilson was nominated as the Democratic candidate for the presi- News. dency. At that time he was governor of New Jersey, and in the prime of his physical manhood. During the next eight years he sacrificed his very life for his country, made history that will Uve forever, and demonstrated the greatness to which an American may arise. Then he was repudiated, abused, condemned and literally executed, and retired into private life under conditions which had never before been imposed upon an American President. Such are the rewards of public service, such is the history of a great public servant.-Brownwood Bulletin.

There has always been one main issue in campaigns in Texas. It used to be the liquor question. This year it is the schools. Every candidate from constable to United States senator has jumped on the school question. Of course the school question is an important once, and it would be out of style if he advocated anything else save better schools. There has not been a suggestion as to how they would remedy the situation. We western folks are voting the extra tax. Why don't you East Texas people vote your own tax? Why don't some candidate advocate doing away with the state ad valorem school tax and fix the law where every community would have to do its own educating and pay for it? Where is the man with sufficient nerve running for state office who would go into East Texas and offer this kind of suggestion? There is no such animal. East it three us into newspaper spaces.

That Wasn't the Point

Senator James E. Watson, who was on the floor of the Senate the other day accusing the New York Times of not printing the truth about the tariff because department stores wouldn't let the Times do it, seems to have been pretty roughly handled both in and out of the Senate. Mr. Watson was only trying to help the Republicans out of what he felt was a bad hole. He felt that it would help some if the opposition of some of the most respectable journals in the country could be explained on the ground of virtual bribery. He didn't call it that, but any newspaper that suppresses important news under threat of loss of advertising is being either bribed or blackmailed. As for the Times, it had this to

"We do not know, nor do we care, whether Jim Watson believes what he said yesterday in the Senate, that the New York Times does not tell the truth about the tariff because its retail merchants will not let it. Senator Watson, like some of his colleagues, seems to regard the immunity of legislative halls as a license to utter any libel. If he will be obliging enough to repeat this statement outside the Senate chamber, sheltered by no privileges but those of the citizen held responsible for his words, we shall make a reply to which he will be compelled to pay attention."

Discomfiting as that sore of language may have been to the Senator, the objections and cross-questionings interposed in his speech while he was delivering it must have been still more discouraging. Senator Watson was arguing that the retailers of New York were making such tremendous profits on imported articles that a tariff should be put on the imported articles. The dialogue ran thus:

Mr. Hithcock-Will the Senator advise us whether comparable articles are made in this country?

Mr. Watson They are; yes.

Mr. Hitchcock-They are sold in competition with the American product? Mr. Watson-Why, certainly.

Mr. Hatchcock-And what the Senator is complaining of is that they do not reduce the price so as to destroy the American production.

Mr. Watson-My contention is that without a protective duty they would destroy the American production. There is not any doubt in the world about it. Mr. Hitchcock-By charging a high

price? Mr. Watson-Does anybody pretend to say that if we do not put on a protective duty these imports will not destroy American production.

Mr. Hitchcock - These outrageous profits which are made by charging high prices tend to injure American industry do they?

Mr. Watson...That is not the point

Mr. Hitchcock-Does the Senator want prices reduced so as to wipe out American production?

Mr. Watson-No, that is not the

point I bave made at all. Then Senator Smoot came to the rescue with the suggestion that the Treasury ought to get part of the outrageous profits, even if American industry wasn't being hurt by high prices on imported articles. "What become of the argument the Senator has made here so frequently and eloquently that under the present tariff law these foreign imports of goods made by pauper labor are flooding the country and tending to destroy American industry?" persisted Mr. Hitchcock. But Mr. Watson said that would take a whole speech to answer, and he didn't have time. Evidently that wasn't the point he was trying to make, either .- Dallas

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From Richmond Times-Dispatch: "Yes," said Mrs. Plugleigh, "I always keep my dog tied up. I never can be sure when some tramp might come along and bite him or steal his bone."

### Not So Awful

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Second Actress-I wouldn't care

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So it is only what is to be expected, when the papers begin to give accounts of surgery which is new, that some "legislators" (heaven save the mark!) begin to propose laws which will make it filegal to do "gland surgery!"

It is only what is expected when some educator, who ought to know better than to consider that his knowledge qualifies him to speak on the "morals" of a question which is not a matter of morals but of medicine, rushes into print to read into the ten commandments a prohibition of the use of a part of one man's body to repair another man's, or even the use of an animal body to repair a human frame! dull care than by losing one's self in Skin grafting, blood transfusion, bone transplanting, are they, too, as well as is full of that kind, and new members gland transplanting. "wrong," oh, are joining every week and take adlearned doctor?

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The peaches are ripening.

The cattle are fattening.

The railroads are thriving. Business is reviving .

There is nothing the matter with Texas that isn't the matter with every other part of the country to-wit. Failure to realize on the promise made by the Democratic party in national platform, to-wit: "We demand a return to that simplicity and economy which benefits a democratic government and a reduction in the number of useless offices, the salaries of which drain the substance of the people." But take it all in all. Texas is in fine shape and going on to yet greater triumphs.-Waco Times Herald.

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### Big Spring, Texas The Main Question

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From the New York Sun: Ted\_Has your amateur gardening taught you

Ned-Well, I'll never again believe that we reap what we sow.

From the New York Sun: Ethel-

So Jack doesn't approve of the modern









### Literary Notes

Those of us who can not take a summer trip, are spending at least a part of these lazy summer days reading. What better way to forget heat and all a bright interesting novel. The Library vantage of this good thing at our door. If you want a head hit in this de- Only one dollar for a whole year's sublightful country of ours ... which is truly scription. Library at the Rest Room. delightful because it has so many open from 3 to 5 in the afternoon. The kinds of people in it-all you have to following new books have just arrived one of the few things unaffected by the Read the list below:

> The Vehement Flame\_M. Deland. The Sisters in Law-Gertrude Ather-

The Perch of the Devil-Gertrude

The Profiteers E. Philip Oppenheim The Thing from the Lake-Eleanor

M. Ingram. The Years for Rachel\_Berta Ruck. Sweethearts Unmet\_Berta Ruck. The Bloodred Dawn-Chas. C. Dobie. The List\_Mary T. Wright.

That Which Hath Wings-Richard

The Nest Bullders ... B. F. R. Hale. The Master of Man-Hall Caine. Bat Wing\_Sax Robmer.

Beauty and Nick-Philips Gibbs. Star Dust\_Fanny Hurst. The Mystery Girl-Carolyn Wells. One Clear Call-Frances N. Greene

From Out the Vasty Deep -Belle Lowndes. The Dark River \_S. G. Millin.

The Wasted Generation-Owen John

The Seas of God-Anonymous. The Beloved Woman-K. Norris. The Crystal Heart-Phyllis Battony

Trail's End-G. W. Ogdell. The Unlighted House\_James Hay. The Pride of Palomar.\_Peter Kyne. Her Father's Daughter.-G. S. Porter.

These last two favorites are gifts to the library from Misses Dorothy and Corinne Wilcox. All interested in the library are grateful to these young ladies and appreciate their generosity.

### ESTRAY NOTICE.

A deep bay, 3 year old mare and a bay filley strayed away four weeks ago. Neither branded. The mare ha thin tall and the filley has roached mane and big warts on nose. Any mformation will be appreciated. W. 3. Flowers, Big Spring, Texas.

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He caught a full pint of ants out of one nest in a little more than a day and the few remaining could have be caught had he left the bottle buried short while longer. This method is certainly effective, and as it is inex pensive and does not require much labor, should be tried out by every me owner who has a nest of antshis premises.

Lewin Croft, manager of the H. H. Hardin Lumber Company returned the first of the week from a business trip to Stephenville, also visiting his and his wife's parents while there.

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Mrs. J. V. Davis returned last week from a visit with relatives at Kress.

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Attend the Old Fashion Picnic July 15 Clara\_No. Ho's a young man with