

J. & W. FISHER'S DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

Come here Tuesday, June 5th and see what a dollar will buy—for Cash Only
We are offering some special bargains for one day only, some of which are listed below:

One lot of Men's Dress Shirts, some neckband, some with collar attached. Dollar Day... \$1	Men's and Boys' Tennis Shoes and Oxfords, white only, in good quality. Dollar Day... \$1	One lot of Corsets, odds and ends of styles that we have discontinued. Dollar Day... \$1	Paul Jones Middy Blouses in white and colors, extra good values. Dollar Day... \$1	One lot of Women's and Misses discontinued lines of Pumps and Oxfords. Dollar Day... \$1	10 cans No. 2 Corn Dollar Day... \$1
Men's Khaki Work Shirts, some coat style and some slip-over Extra good. Dollar Day... \$1	One lot of Men's 50c Neckties, wide ends, plain and fancy patterns. Dollar Day, 3 for... \$1	One lot of Brassieres, odds and ends of styles that are discontinued. Dollar Day... \$1	Gingham Dresses for little girls different styles and colors. Dollar Day... \$1	Dress Voiles in a nice quality, good patterns. Dollar Day, 3 yards for... \$1	12 cans No. 1 Tomatoes Dollar Day... \$1
Men's light blue Chambray Shirts collar attached, triple stitched. Dollar Day, 2 for... \$1	One lot of Men's \$1.50 Neckties wide ends. Dollar Day... \$1	20 CARMEN HAIR NETS Dollar Day... \$1	Printed Georgette Silks, a variety of colors and patterns. Dollar Day, per yard... \$1	One lot of Gingham, regularly 15c per yard. Dollar Day, 10 yards for... \$1	9 cans No. 1 Peas Dollar Day... \$1
One lot of Men's Dress Caps extra good values. Dollar Day... \$1	One lot small boys Straw Hats values up to \$2.00. Dollar Day... \$1	Baby Dresses, many different patterns and styles. Dollar Day... \$1	Fancy woolen goods for Sport Skirts in beautiful materials and patterns. Dollar Day, yard... \$1	Misses Hose, black or white, sizes 8 to 10. Dollar Day, 10 pairs for... \$1	20 bars Crystal White and 3 bars Creme Oil Soap for... \$1
A dandy Clothes Brush, regularly sold for \$2.00. Dollar Day... \$1	Small boys Wash Suits, khaki, blue or white; this includes all grades in stock. Dollar Day... \$1	Baby Bibs in beautifully embroidered designs and good materials. Dollar Day... \$1	Imported Dotted Swiss, regularly sold for \$2.00 yard. Dollar Day, per yard... \$1	5 boxes of Talcum Powder, in one pound boxes. Dollar Day... \$1	25 bars Swift's Napha Soap Dollar Day... \$1

Come Early and Avoid The Rush—Remember These Prices Are One Day Only

TUESDAY, JUNE 5th, and For Cash

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J. & W. FISHER

1923

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SUMMER TOURISTS RATES TO THE MOUNTAINS LAKES or SEA

On Sale Daily, Good All Summer to Return

SPECIALLY LOW RATES TO **California**

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Presbyterian Notes
There will be regular services at the Presbyterian Church. At 9:45 a. m. Sabbath school. And at 11 a. m. the pastor will speak on, The Character of Zaccheus. This is the first of two sermons on the man Zaccheus.
At 8 p. m. the subject will be: A Piece of Money, which is the fifth sermon on the life of Joseph.
The Senior Endeavors will meet at 7 p. m. for their regular Sunday evening service.
You are invited to attend these services and worship with us.

Card of Thanks
It is with full hearts that we extend thanks to friends and neighbors for their great kindness so generously extended during the illness and death of a beloved husband and father. Your great kindness in our time of sorrow shall ever be remembered and appreciated.
Mrs. J. W. Gardner.
Mrs. Pearl Clark.
Mrs. Mamie Wilson.
Mrs. Daisy Lowe.
Mrs. H. E. Dunning.
G. D. Gardner.

Loans at 6 Per Cent
We will loan up to \$50,000.00 to any one person, at 6 per cent per annum, 34 years time, quick appraisements, high valuations, and anybody can get a loan that has the land, whether the owner is a farmer or rancher or neither. **BIG SPRING ABSTRACT COMPANY,** Room 4, West Texas National Bank Bldg. Big Spring, Texas. 35tf

Home for Sale
My home place at 204 Johnson street is for sale. If you want a most desirable home or a close-in place where you can accommodate roomers and boarders, see me at once, or phone 79 or 97. **JOE B. NEEL.** 32-tf

Cement Work
I am prepared to do all kind of cement work, such as coping, walks, water troughs, tanks, etc. I refer you to any work I have done in this city as my reference. **A. B. WINSLOW.** 34-12-pd

Concrete Sidewalks and Curbing
Now is the season to have concrete sidewalks and curbing constructed. Will be pleased to furnish you estimates on this work. **JIM WINSLOW.** Phone 306.

If you want a good used sewing machine see me. **J. R. CREATH**

I. J. and Yuell Robb left Tuesday for a business trip to Dallas.

G. E. McNew was here the forefront of the week from Lamesa.

FOR SALE—Household Furniture and a piano, at 209 Gregg. 36-2t

Don't abuse your self respect, especially if it is too small to defend itself.

The fellow who speaks well of others seldom has to apologize for himself.

Sam Weaver and **O. H. Morris** returned Monday from a fishing trip on the Concho.

A. K. Merrick completed the work of replanting three hundred acres of cotton this week.

No man is ever elected president by talking about themselves. They select better subjects.

Folks who have been worrying about the sun growing colder can now worry about something else.

Mr. and Mrs. Yuell Robb will leave next week for an auto trip to Los Angeles and San Diego, California.

Mrs. N. B. Largent left Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. H. B. Pringle and Mrs. I. H. Burney at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens and daughter, and **Mrs. C. F. Hansen** will leave next week for an auto trip to points in California.

Mrs. John Snoddy of Watsonville, Cal., arrived last week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. B. Evans, and her brother, **W. J. Crawford.**

We have secured the services of a first-class automobile mechanic and are prepared to give you first-class work. **BANKHEAD GARAGE.** 23-tf.

Mrs. M. P. Stevens and little daughter left Wednesday for Palo Alto, Calif., to join her husband who has been there some time and where he holds a responsible position with the Southern Pacific railroad company.

For Plumbing and Stove Repairing. See the old reliable. Have been doing first class work in Big Spring for years. All work guaranteed. Leave orders at or phone the Wigwam Restaurant. **J. S. JOHNSON.** 33-8t-pd.

PHONE 389 FOR PURE MILK
We can now supply you with pure milk from tested cows. To further insure absolute purity we have installed a Clarifier which removes all foreign matter from the milk. Get pure milk. From now on our price is 7 cents per pint and 12 1-2 cents per quart. **THE BIG SPRING DAIRY COMPANY.** J. T. Parish, Proprietor. 12

Want to Loan Money
To ranchers or farmers at 6 per cent, no red tape, quick action, 34 years time, with privilege of paying off on or after the first 5 years. No eligibility clause. Will loan 1-2 the value of the market price of land, and in addition 20 per cent of the value of improvements. Any amounts from \$5,000.00 to \$50,000.00. **BIG SPRING ABSTRACT CO.** Room 4, West Texas National Bank Bldg. Big Spring, Texas. 35-tf

Hemstitching 7 1-2 Cents Per Yard.
Am prepared to do hemstitching for 7 1-2 cents per yard and guarantee work to be satisfactory in every way. Workroom opposite postoffice—open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. **Phone 200. Mrs. Chas. Eberley.**

Eat at the Best Place
Shorty Baird's is the best place to get what you want to eat, prepared the way you like it. Chili and Short Orders always on tap. Bar Chocolate and Candies, Cigars and Tobacco on sale. Come and see us. 29-tf

Cattlemen Attention
Wanted—five thousand dry cattle hides; two thousand green hides. Bring them to **Williams Dry Goods Co.**, and get the highest market price. **Williams Dry Goods Company, Big Spring, Texas.**

Notice — Women — Notice
Do you want a real labor saver? **J. N. Cowan** is agent for the Apex Vacuum Cleaner. Any one desiring to have this household necessity demonstrated will please phone 301 15-tf.

An Invitation To You
When in Fort Worth visit the "LUCILE BEAUTY SHOPPE." **Lucile D. Connelley, Prop.** L-4825, 205-7 Worth Bldg. 33-8-pd

Now is a good time to swat the weeds as they will not be able to stage a comeback so quickly with the hot weather on deck.

Kemble Dunbar, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Dunbar of Garden City, and a graduate of Big Spring High School, who is attending State University, was elected Track Manager for the 1924 track squad at a meeting of the Athletic Council Wednesday afternoon in Austin. The Longhorn track team was undefeated this year. They also won the cup in the Medley Relay at Lawrence, Kansas Relay Carnival. Four men will enter from State University the National meet at Chicago in June. This year Kemble became a member of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity whose members are selected because of their ability as leaders in the University activities and passing in all their courses.

In a communication from Congressman C. B. Hudspeth he states that he has a bill pending before the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds for the erection of a public building for postoffice and other purposes at Big Spring. He further states that there have been no public building bills reported during his tenure, and no authorization of any public buildings in the U. S. but believes some buildings will be ordered during the next session.

Mrs. E. W. Chadwick of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived Tuesday to visit her sisters, Mrs. F. B. Evans of this city and Mrs. Jno. Snoddy of Watsonville, Cal., and her brother, **W. J. Crawford.** A family reunion was in order, since it had been seventeen years since Mrs. Snoddy and Mrs. Chadwick had seen each other.

Take a trip around the old home place or your business place and see if you cannot tidy things up a bit, so our home town will be looking its best when the locating committee for the Tech reaches here in June.

Bring your auto work to the **BANKHEAD GARAGE**, where only first class workmen will work on your car. All work guaranteed. Try us. 23-tf

Mrs. George Holt and baby of Slaton are here this week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Eason.

Trouble never runs from the fellow who is out looking for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stokes returned Monday from a visit in Snyder.

A. E. Pool of Abilene was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Exide BATTERIES

As for economy!

EVEN if you disregard the safety and comfort you get from a dependable Exide Battery, don't overlook its economy. It lasts so much longer than an ordinary battery that you save real money.

Drive around and ask us how we know this—or ask any Exide owner.

Hall Tire & Top Co.

Phone 196

We handle only genuine Exide parts

Are you ready for the big Carnival which will be staged on the courthouse lawn June 15th? A big time is going to be in order.

It isn't wise to be too strenuous in everything you undertake. Some things are best when not accomplished.

If you are one of those who think "every man has his price," it is certain that you have yours.

Mrs. J. J. Hair and daughter left last week for a month's visit with relatives and friends in Anderson.

Miss Saylor's candy... It retains affection... **Cunningham & Phillips.**

Herald want ads get fine results.

Veins from Small Veins
 out-of-the-way region
 side of the Coast
 Monterey County, Cali-
 nuggets have been
 size as to suggest that
 a favorite retreat of
 the geologist that laid the
 Matter-of-fact pros-
 have sought to
 from which such
 loosened by the weat-
 washed into the stream
 search has not been suc-
 J. M. Hill, a United
 geologist of the Department
 in a report just pub-
 that the nuggets came
 superficial pockets in
 veins, and that no large
 deposits are likely to be
 deep mining. The Coast
 California, unlike the
 are not rich in gold,
 occurrence of these large
 exceptional and illustrates
 known to many prospectors,
 discovery of a few large
 does not necessarily indi-
 existence of a rich deposit
 in place.
 Hill's report, entitled "The
 district, Monterey Coun-
 is published as Bul-
 and can be obtained on
 to the Director of the
 Survey, Washington D. C.

Sands of Colorado and Wyoming
 every thick bed of sand-
 the great Cretaceous system
 seems to contain oil at
 all, but the exact number
 beds, the region in which
 produces oil, and the identity
 stratigraphic position of
 not yet been fully deter-

brief report issued by
 of the Interior as
 751-A of the Geological
 entitled "Continuity of some
 sands of Colorado and
 by W. T. Lee, deals with
 of rocks in the lower
 the Cretaceous system in
 and Wyoming, and with the
 of this correlation on the
 of oil and gas. These beds
 therefore been known by
 names, and in this report an
 is made to show their con-
 through areas where they
 thus differently named.
 identification of the beds fur-
 oil men a better basis for
 drilling. For example, the
 that a bed of sandstone
 known in some regions as
 is in others known as
 sand and that it overlies
 beds of sandstone that
 bearing is of obvious prac-
 to the oil driller.

acter makes us friends,
 money keeps people tagging
 after us.

is most displayed by some
 when it is time to quit work.

Two More Roads Settle
 Chicago, May 22.—Reports reach-
 ing the Railway Employees' Depart-
 ment during the past week indicate
 settlement of the shop crafts strike
 has been effected on the Texas Pa-
 cific railway and the New York, On-
 tario and Western railroad. Negotia-
 tions have been in progress for some
 time on both these properties. On
 the Texas & Pacific a conciliator of
 the United States Department of La-
 bor has spent several weeks in an
 effort to bring about an understand-
 ing and he finally succeeded in se-
 curing a proposition which was sub-
 mitted to the men and they voted to
 accept the terms offered and are now
 returning to work.
 The question which for a time
 threatened to wreck chances of settle-
 ment was whether or not the men
 upon returning to work would be re-
 quired to join the "company union"
 and relinquish membership in their
 craft organizations. This was finally
 adjusted by an order of the judge hav-
 ing control of the property, which
 reads:
 "There is no requirement that any
 employe should join any organiza-
 tion, and it is not the policy of the
 receivers to so require them. Any
 man is at liberty to join the new or-
 ganization or to retain his member-
 ship in any other organization. The
 methods of adjustment of grievances,
 collective bargaining and representa-
 tion by committees are all provided
 for, and all employes have the same
 rights thereunder."—Labor.

No Excuse for a Rotten Egg
 It is a violation of the Texas Food
 and Drug Law to sell any "filthy,"
 decomposed or putrid animal or
 vegetable substance.
 It is a violation of the law, there-
 fore, to sell rotten eggs, or have
 them in possession with intent to
 sell.
 There is no way to preserve eggs
 legally except by refrigeration.
 Eggs will keep in this hot climate
 if the hens and roosters are kept
 separated after all eggs are obtain-
 ed for the setting season. Fertile
 eggs must be kept below 70 degrees
 Fahrenheit. Above this tempera-
 ture, incubation begins.
 Infertile eggs will keep at higher
 temperature.
 Observe the following rules:
 Keep the nests clean.
 Gather the eggs, twice daily.
 Keep the eggs protected from
 the sun in delivering to market.
 Keep the eggs in a cool, dry room
 of cellar.
 Market the eggs at least twice a
 week, and oftener in hot months.
 Sell, kill, or confine all male
 birds as soon as the hatching sea-
 son is over.
 All good people have good inten-
 tions. At least they look good to
 those who have them.
 R. V. Guthrie of Coahoma was a
 business visitor here the fortpart of
 this week.

**Roads Which Settled Have Benefit-
 ed, Says Railway Age**
 Railroad executives will not court
 another nation-wide strike in many
 years to come, according to an edi-
 torial under the caption of "Some
 Results of the Shop Strike," appear-
 ing in the May 12 issue of the Rail-
 way Age, official literary spokes-
 man of the railroad interests.
 Which reminds us that when
 Laertes was about to depart for Eng-
 land, according to William Shake-
 speare's "Hamlet," his father, Polo-
 nius, gave him this wise admonition:
 "Beware
 Of entrance to a quarrel; but being
 in,
 Bear't that the opposed may be-
 ware of thee."
 And the railroad executives now
 know that the shopmen are no weak
 foemen in a fight. After reviewing
 the strike in some detail as to re-
 sults, the Railway Age concludes
 with this:
 "The facts about the results gain-
 ed by the railways that settled the
 strike and those that have not set-
 tled may be summarized in two
 sentences: First, those that set-
 tled have, as a whole, thus far gain-
 ed by settling. Secondly, the time
 which has elapsed since the settle-
 ments were made is too short to de-
 termine whether those that settled
 or those that did not settle adopted
 the policy which in the long run
 will be best for them.
 "Perhaps we shall have to wait
 for another shopmen's strike to ap-
 ply the acid test to the question of
 whether it was wiser to settle or
 not to settle.
 "Meantime, everybody will agree
 in hoping that it will be a long time
 before there will be another such
 strike. The more the fact regard-
 ing the results of this one are
 studied the more strongly disposed
 will be both SENSIBLE RAILWAY
 OFFICERS and sensible labor lead-
 ers and employes to try to adopt ev-
 ery reasonable method of avoiding
 strikes in future."—Labor.

Trials, temptations, disappoint-
 ments, all these are helps instead of
 hindrances, if one uses them rightly
 They not only test the fibre of
 character, but strengthen it. Every
 conquered temptation represents a
 new fund of moral energy. Every
 trial endured, if weathered in the
 right spirit, makes a soul nobler and
 stronger than it was before.—
 James Buckham.

We wonder how many remember
 saying last winter that they would
 be glad when summer rolled around
 since they could stand warm weather
 much better than they could wintry
 days. Just remember how you love
 a norther when the heat threatens
 to get your goat, and try to keep
 cool.
 It's a mistake to keep your wife
 in the dark about your business af-
 fairs. If she knew how little you
 have she might not make so many
 touches.

Come on Folks!

Our store is loaded down with the best of Summer Clothing for men, women and children. You can mark it down in plain figures that you can buy Clothing and Furnishings at a less price now than later. WATCH OUR PREDICTION! The unfavorable crop conditions is sure to boost the price of cotton and that soon. Wool prices continue to climb. This means increased prices for Clothing. Be wise, and purchase needed Clothing at once.

We especially wish you to call and inspect our Ladies Organdy and Gingham Dresses and our immense line of dress goods.
 For men—we are featuring Style-Plus Spring and Summer Suits in Greys and Mixtures—that are winners at only \$25.00. See them.
 Straw hats, light weight underwear, shirts, ties for spring wear are here for your selection.
 Boys' Suits, Red Goose Shoes and the best of everything needed for any member of the family.
 Goods continue to advance in price and you can secure articles at less now than you can for some time unless a bumper cotton crop is made this fall.

We purchased our goods when prices were lowest and we are giving our customers the benefit of our good fortune.
 We make the statement that we sell good merchandise for less. We want you to make us prove it. Go to any dry goods store in West Texas—get their prices and then visit our store. We stand behind our statement that we can save you money.

Pay us a visit. You are welcome at our store whether you buy or not.

Grand Leader

Remember you Can Buy for Less at Our Store

More New Furniture!
 Another carload of New Furniture has just arrived.
 Better call and see the latest and best furniture.
 Our Reasonable Prices are going to please you.

SEE OUR
 Our New Day Phonograph--The Golden Throated
CLAXTONOLA
 It surpasses others in TONE, QUALITY, APPEAR-
 ANCE, REPUTATION. Plays any records. Cal
 and learn the many features of superiority. Prices
 range from \$45.00 to \$175.00. A machine to suit
 any home.
 ASK FOR DEMONSTRATION
W. R. PURSER & SONS
 212 Main Street FURNITURE Big Spring, Texas

Productive Power of Workers
 Sir Leo Chiozza Money is one of Britain's most distinguished political economists. He recently made the following important statement while discussing the housing problem:
 "The British Isles have a population of about 50,000,000 people, which include about 20,000,000 workers. If the efforts of these workers were exercised with common sense and decent organization upon scientific production, they could do as much effective work as could have been done by 2,000 million workers in the middle of the eighteenth century.
 "Yet, somehow or other, we have not the wit to keep ourselves warm in decent houses."
 Please read that statement again. What Sir Leo Chiozza Money is endeavoring to "get across" is that THE PRODUCTIVE POWER OF THE WORKERS HAS INCREASED 100 TIMES IN A LITTLE OVER 100 YEARS.
 In other words, one worker today, with the assistance of modern machinery, can produce as many of the things needed by human beings as 100 workers could have produced in the eighteenth century.
 IN VIEW OF THIS STUPENDOUS FACT, WHAT POSSIBLE EXCUSE CAN THERE BE FOR THE CURSE OF POVERTY? — Labor.

There is no reason for us to get in "low" for the Tech committee is due to visit Big Spring in June and we cannot afford for them to find our city run down at the heels. Keep on with the clean-up campaign, swat the weeds, paint and improve your property.
 Farmers lose \$46,000,000 from bad methods of producing and handling eggs. One-third of this loss is preventable. Infertile eggs will save the farmer millions of dollars because they keep best and market best. Why not swat the roosters?
 If it takes the Texas Technological College committee as long to select a location as it does to get started on their tour of inspection many West Texas cities may become nervous wrecks.
 It is plain to understand why some people are never popular. They insist on telling the truth.

RYZON
 BAKING POWDER
 you use less

Guy E. Longboham
 Chiropractor-Masseur
 West Texas Nat'l Bank Bldg. Room 10
 Office Phone 40. Res Phone 205. Lady Attendant.
 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Cigarette Production Shows Amazing Growth
 Enough cigarettes to encircle the globe 26 times, if laid end to end on the equator, were produced in this country in the first three months of 1923. Dr. Julius Klein, director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the United States Department of Commerce told the convention of the Tobacco Merchants' Association at Washington last week.
 In round numbers, fifteen billion cigarettes were manufactured in the United States during that period, compared with ten billion in the same months last year. Incidentally, Europeans caught the American tobacco habit during the war and are consuming more now than ever before.

Junior C. E. Program
 Leader—Pauline Griffin.
 Topic—Why Should We Pray.
 Reading of Minutes.
 Roll Call.
 Song.
 Scripture Reading—Psalm 37:4-5
 Prayer—Pauline Griffin.
 Talks—Why Should We Pray—
 What is Prayer—Calvin Turner.
 What Thing Should We Pray For—
 Marie Vick.
 How Did God Answer Prayer at the Red Sea—Evelyn Creath.
 Why Should We Tell God About Things We Need—Evelyn Turner.
 Sentence Prayers.
 Announcements.
 Mizpah Benediction.

Jersey Bulls for Sale
 Two full-blood, year-old Jersey bulls, good as registered animals — for sale. See or address. S. P. ECHOLS, Coahoma, Texas. 37-2pd

When a horse falls in the ditch we pull him out again, but when we see a young man falling in love we just abandon him to his fate. Which leads us to opine that human beings are more inhuman toward each other than they are to dumb brutes.

The gloom in your life is there because you keep it there. The sunshine is always trying to break in.

You may be wiser than your neighbor, but it isn't the part of wisdom to tell him so.

Figure the cost of papering that room. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

S. P. Echols was here from his home in the Coahoma community Tuesday to transact business. This is Mr. Echols' second visit to our town the past five months. He has been kept at home by the illness of his brother, Will, who suffered a stroke of paralysis, but who is now able to be up and slowly improving.

Miss Iva Newton who has been attending school here the past year, left Saturday, accompanied by her little nephew, Aubrey Davis, for Plainview, where they will spend the summer visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newton.

Mrs. K. E. Driskell arrived Sunday from Oklahoma City, to join her husband who is superintendent of the Redpath-Horner Chautauqua which has been filling a seven-day engagement in our city.

Mrs. O. R. Rutledge of Roswell, N. M., who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Fahrenkamp of this city the past five months left Monday morning for her home.

People who think the United States should take no part whatever in world affairs should build a Chinese wall around themselves and forget to cut a door.

O. Dubberly returned last Friday from Galveston where he had been to attend the annual convention of the Retail Clothiers of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joye M. Fisher returned last Saturday night from an auto trip to San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, Port Arthur and Dallas.

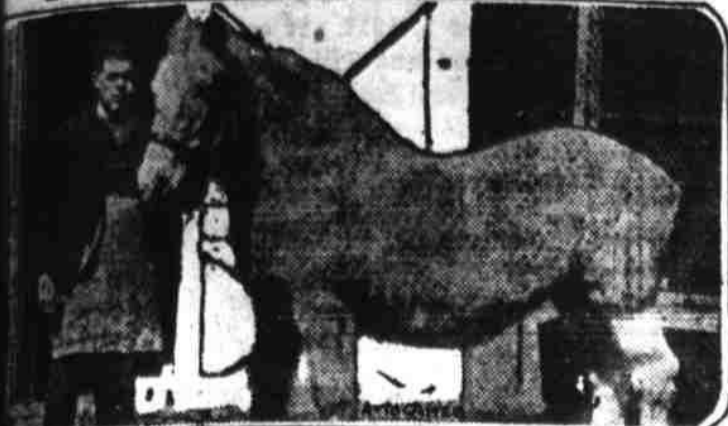
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By Jordan & Hayden

Do You Know of an Older Horse?



Mattie Dougherty makes claim that "Patsy" Dobbin is the oldest horse in the U. S. For thirty-two years Patsy has hauled lumber at Philadelphia, although pensioned now. Do you know of a horse older than Patsy?

Uncle John's Joke

FLOWERS ARE GREAT FRIENDS!
IF YOU DON'T KNOW THE VALUE
OF FLOWERS - PERHAPS IT'S
BECAUSE YOU NEVER
BOTANY!



His Liking for Sweets



Glacier to Gulf Highway

Following the publishing of numerous articles and pictures of Texas scenery in newspapers of the Northwest, many inquiries have been received from that section by the Glacier to Gulf Highway office in San Antonio, according to D. E. Colp, manager of that highway, and many letters and other pictures from this State are being sent to the regions of the National parks which is having a great influence in directing motor travel from those sections to Texas and the Gulf Coast as both summer and winter resorts.

"Heretofore, practically all summer travel has been away from Texas," Mr. Colp stated, "toward the twelve national parks of the Northwest, but the interest that is now being taken in the improvement of highways in Texas and the invitations being sent out by sections in the State to motorists calling attention to the many pretty park sites and natural beauty of Texas is being felt in the way of turning the tide of travel in this direction."

"Work on all sections of the Glacier to Gulf Highway, from Brownsville, Texas, through San Antonio, Brady, Big Spring, San Angelo, Amarillo, and Texline to Denver and on the Glacier National Park, is progressing rapidly and each section through which the highway passes is doing its utmost to complete the work of bringing the roadway to Federal Standard in order to care for the ever-increasing tide of motor travel."

"George D. Marshall, former federal highway engineer, is now connected with the Glacier to Gulf Highway as consulting engineer, and his services are furnished without cost to those sections which contemplate improved roads in compiling estimates of cost of construction, voting bonds and securing of State and Federal aid. This is only one of the many ways in which this organization is assisting in completing a federal standard highway across Texas to the twelve national parks of the Northwest," Mr. Colp stated.

Diamonds from Arkansas

Nearly 6,000 diamonds have been found in diamond mines in Arkansas, and some stones have been picked up in other States. The diamond fields of Arkansas are in Scott County, where a valuable diamond was first found in 1906 by John Huddleston, a farmer. The mule he was riding happened to kick up a stone of unusual brilliance, which caught his eye. He dismounted, picked up the stone and put it in his pocket, and a few days later the performance was repeated. The stones were sent to Tiffany of New York, whose expert said "diamonds," and soon afterward Mr. Huddleston is said to have sold his 40-acre farm for \$36,000. Though the diamond field of Arkansas has never achieved greatness, it has yielded a considerable number of fine stones, the largest weighing 21.14 carats. Another stone weighed 17.86 carats. Many of the Arkansas stones are as fine as any found elsewhere and, according to George F. Kunz of Tiffany's, they include a large proportion of white stones, most of them of a high grade in color brilliancy and freedom from flaws. Doctor Kunz further states, in describing several of the yellow, brown and white stones from Arkansas, that "these are absolutely perfect and are equal to the finest stones found at Jagersfontein mine or that were ever found in India."

A few of the Arkansas diamonds, it is said, have sold for as high as \$600 a carat. Most of them, however, are uncut and have been placed in private and museum collections. Diamonds do not occur in clusters, nor are they gathered together in the volcanic "pipes" of mother lodes in which they are found.

Wm. Menger, enroute from Ardmore, Okla., to Hurley, N. M., to accept a position with a mining company, visited homefolks here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Leonard after a week's visit with her brother Nat Shick and family left Tuesday for their home at Eastland.

Time to Re-tire?

Hubert Rutherford arrived Tuesday from Eastland for a visit with homefolks.

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Clyde Branon of Lamesa spent Sunday in Big Spring.	Razors and razor blades..... Cunningham & Philips.	Everybody is in favor of making everybody else obey the laws.
Paint in small cans for any purpose.....Cunningham & Philips.	Kindness is most appreciated where it is least expected.	When enthusiasm bubbles over it is going to waste.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williamson of Eastland have been visiting relatives and friends here this week.	If you have no faith in others how can you expect them to have faith in you?	Truth is mighty and will prevail, provided a lie doesn't get the better of it.
If you are not trading with us, we are both losing something.....Cunningham & Philips.	Gainsborough hair nets... They look good and are good.....Cunningham & Philips.	Wall paper is the investment that you will never regret.....Cunningham & Philips.
Judge James T. Brooks, Mayor W. R. Purser and T. H. Johnson left Tuesday for San Angelo.	A temper is a fine thing to have. It denotes strength of character; but it is too valuable to lose. Keep it.	A woman's age is never a debatable question. It is whatever she would have you think it is.
BATHING SUITS... BATHING CAPS... IF YOU CAN BE PLEASED AT ALL WE HAVE IT.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.	Chas. Eberley returned Sunday from a business trip to New York, Boston and other points in the north.	Pierrette face powder... You try it once and join the army of satisfied complexions.....Cunningham and Philips.

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U. S. to be the Best?
The answer is out with a statement that will not reduce the amount of reparations due from Germany unless the United States consents to the eleven or twelve billions of dollars in debts the allies owe to the United States.
The sooner we realize it the better it will be for us.
The money, munitions and man power that turned the tide of war in favor of the allies and that they faced certain defeat, we were asked to "come across" and pay their bills as well as ours.
The more galling exhibitions of the United States must be the sooner there will be no adjustment of the present European muddle.
The restoration is to be made about at the expense of the American people.
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Depew's Magic
 "The 80's are a wonderful decade, but I look for calmer times in the 90's," said Chauncey M. Depew, as he celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday with a good hard day's work.

Presidents, Kings, Rulers and Potentates honored Depew on his natal day—and he kept on working at the job of chairman of the board of the New York Central Railroad.

Almost ninety and still working! How in the world does he do it?

Dr. Frank Crane would undoubtedly say that a man is like a bicycle—he must keep going to keep right side up, and the faster he goes, the smoother.

But listen to the old boy talk: "No cures, no fads, no medicine, no monkey-glands, no dead-sure life giving serums of any kind, a good wife and sensible diet, and not much of the diet. That is the important thing—not much of it. I have very little time for exercise, but I believe that real secret of recreation is not eighteen holes of golf, but being able to change from your daily vocation to your hobby.

My great recreation in life—because it employs other cells of my brain than those I use for business—is making speeches. I used to make one every night, and I have twelve volumes of my published speeches."

Depew expects to pass 'he century mark. The simple life and plenty of hard work have given him the stamina to keep going long after others many years younger have fallen by the wayside.

In his autobiography he tells how he used to be able to make a speech every night and still hold down the job. The speech would be scheduled for 8:30. At 6 he arrived home, worked on his speech an hour, ate his dinner, dressed and went to fill his appointment. After his speech, he went back home and went to bed—feeling fine, got a good night's sleep and was back on the job bright and early next morning ready for the big problems of a big job.

Depew also tells how he missed making a hundred million dollars by listening to the persuasion of a close friend when he was about to become one of the six men who organized a company to put Bell's invention—the telephone—into use. "It's a plaything," he friend said, "and I know you'll lose your \$10,000 if you go in." The fact that the friend was president of the telegraph company added weight to the argument and Depew decided against taking stock in the "talking telegraph," as it then was called.

"If I had gone in," says Depew, "I would have made about \$100,000,000, and my whole life's program would have been changed—I would no doubt have died before I was seventy. I've never for a moment regretted not getting the hundred million and since I have grown

older, I'm glad I didn't get it." There you are! What more is there to say?—W. D. Trotter in Southwestern Machinery.

Keep Pulling for Tech
 We are on the home stretch in the race to secure the location of the Texas Technological College. We have submitted our brief to the members of the locating committee and if that has made a favorable impression it will be up to our city to make good when the members of the committee visit Big Spring, sometime during the present month.

We cannot impress on our citizenship too greatly the need of our city presenting an A.N.O. 1 appearance when the committee is here to "look us over."

No one is able to say what city this locating committee is going to designate as the proper place to locate the Tech and we are going to believe that Big Spring is the proper place until the bitter end. If the committee decides otherwise, why of course we will take our medicine, but we are not taking any prescriptions until we have to.

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 640 acres choicest land in Howard Co., \$20.00 per acre; \$500 will secure 160 acres for you.

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One 8-room house with one-half block of land in water belt of this city. Cost \$7,000. \$5,000 will buy Good terms.

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One On the Judge

In a magistrate's court the other day a witness was being examined in a case where the defendant was charged with breaking the windshield of an automobile with a large stone.

"Was it as big as this book?" inquired the judge.

"Why, yes, it was much larger," replied the willing witness.

"Was it as big as these two books together?"

"Much bigger."

"Was it as large as my head?"

"It was as long, but not so thick," replied the witness amid much laughter.—Forbes.

Big Spring folks should boost our chances of securing the Texas Tech by carrying on with the clean-up campaign. A spruce looking town will appeal to them.

Electric fans. Get one. Enjoy the summer. . . . Cunningham and Phillips.

The Marvelous Age

La! 'Tis a marvelous age in which we are living. A man in New York puts a drop of blood on a blotter and sends it to a man in San Francisco; the recipient runs the blotter through a machine and writes the man in New York: "The drop of blood was taken from the left ear of a male sheep eighteen months old; the sheep was in good conditions." And he had guessed it!

I sit alone in my attic and listen in on Havana, Dubuque, Walla Walla, Atlanta, Chicago, Schenectady; I hear as plainly as I could hear the voice of my neighbor over the telephone. A machine is perfected which indicates when a person is lying. Photographs are taken of the spirits of persons dead many years. Pictures of living persons are sent by telegraph across the Pacific Ocean. Boys in their teens can drink a pint of corn likker—and get away with it.

Marvelous age indeed!—W. D. Trotter in Southwestern Machinery.

Why Worry?

Aby was called by his banker who informed him that his account was overdrawn three hundred dollars.

Says Aby to the banker—And how much did I have thirty days ago?

The banker after looking up records replied that he had over six hundred dollars to his credit at that time.

"Well," replied Aby, "I didn't call you up, did I?"—Exchange.

O. H. Morris and family left Thursday for Lamesa where they will make their future home and where Mr. Morris will be representative of the Kansas City State Life Insurance Co. While many friends indeed regret to lose Mr. Morris and family as citizens, they feel that they are just loaning them to Lamesa and we shall expect them to visit Big Spring often.

The Lyric Confectionery, located in the R. & R. Lyric theatre building opened last Saturday with Arthur Breeding in charge as manager. In addition to being one of the most modern and attractive confectioneries in our city, another of its chief charms will be the extra fine line of home-made candies carried in stock at all times.

I. N. Barber and family arrived Saturday from Abilene where Mr. Barber has been taking a special course in preparation for entering the ministry. He will be engaged in work for the Big Spring Baptist Association until September, when he will resume his studies at Simmons College.

You have had a big week because you had the Chautauqua spirit. It's now up to you to cultivate the carnival spirit for June 15th.

Ye Olden Days

In Ye Olden Days all the good things were not buried in King Tut's tomb. Nor can the memory of many of the good things be effaced by the lightning speed of the age of Jazz, Jamboree and Jellybeans.

So long as time shall last, there'll be those who'll hark back to the time when soap was made and corn was planted "in the moon;" when people rode horseback twenty miles to attend a dance; when following the dogs all night was considered good sport; when cornpone, greens, buttermilk and molasses were considered a good meal; when the fist was the weapon of offense and defense and it was considered cowardly to hit a man when he was down; etc., etc.

In those days corn was shucked on rainy days and the average family library consisted of a Bible, a patent medicine almanac and a mail order catalogue; people did their figuring in their head or with a pencil, and a man's character was judged by his penmanship.

People had little rules for doing this and that—rules that were simple, homely and effective. The classical ones had a little rhyme which they said when they wanted to know how many days in a given month, while those less gifted counted on the bare knuckles of the hand—beginning with January on the top of the knuckle of the index finger and moving to the valley between that knuckle and the next which was February, etc., all the months falling on the hills having thirty-one days and all falling in the valley having less than thirty-one. When July was reached all the places were gone and we had to start back at the beginning again, and thus in time we learned that July and August were the only two thirty-one-day months falling together.

Another "ancient" rule is now recalled by a San Angelo woman, and editorialized on in the Sweetwater Reporter. It was a rule for determining the day of the week a date would fall on. The key sentence used was: "At Dover Dwelt George Brown, Esq., Good Christopher Finch and David Friar?"

The use of the sentence is described as follows:

"Take for instance the Fourth of July. As July is the seventh month, take the first letter of the corresponding seventh word of the key sentence which is G. G is also the seventh letter of the alphabet, so begin with Monday, the known New Year Day, and this will be the first day of July and the Fourth of July will be the following Wednesday.

"Another illustration: To find the day of the week of a birthday falling on the seventh of May. As May is the fifth month, take the first letter of the corresponding fifth word of the key sentence which is B. B is also the second letter of the alphabet, so begin with Monday, the Known New Year Day, and count two days which will be Tuesday, and this will be found to be the first day of May and the birthday will be the following Monday." —W. D. Trotter in Southwestern Machinery.

Let the People Say

Those legislators at Austin who have proposed the repeal of all appropriations for the Texas Technological College are doubtless prepared to hear from the people of West Texas. That people is certain to speak out if the proposal is pressed, and in no uncertain tones. The victory which was scored by legislative appropriation for this institution is one for which West Texas has fought for years. If it is denied this by the wielders of the paring-knife a spirit of protest will be awakened which will not be good for Texas as a whole.

The prospect emphasizes a point which the Journal made yesterday, at the close of its comment on the call for the mass meetings throughout Texas in protest of higher taxation. It was said that, inasmuch as the appropriations are before them, the people of Texas would do well to voice their opinion as to what should be trimmed down or cut out entirely.

The question which has been raised by the State's many needs and the State's depleted revenues is one which the people themselves can best answer. In Texas to mark time on all lines that point to progress, in order that Texas may remain safely within the limits of normal revenues? The people in mass meetings should turn from a protesting to an advisory attitude. A timely suggestion from them would make the task of the Governor and of the Legislature less difficult, and the result of their final action more satisfactory to everybody. The people should speak. It is their business. Those who carry on with the details are their servants. And servants often stand in need of instruction.—Dallas Journal.

Does It Save

The first loan we made was to a man south of Town, for \$2,000.00, November 1, 1917. It cost him, appraisal and recording fees, and Title Ex. Fee. He has paid, principal and interest. . . .

He has been paid, in dividends. . . .

Total paid out less dividends. . . .

He still owes now, estimated amount of. . . .

This man was paying 10 per cent per annum, and had he paid such amount during these years, his account would stand as follows:

Amount paid out in interest (estimated). . . .

He would still owe the sum of. . . .

Saved \$557.50 — is it worth while?

We have \$500,000.00 loaned to this Farming and Ranching Community. It costs you \$10.00 per Thousand Dollars of the loan, and you pay for having the Title Examined, and recorded. If you are paying interest, why not make this up? It is better to be a good manager than to slave for other fellow. We can loan up to \$25,000.00 to one person.

Next week we will print the table of amortization payments showing how you pay the principal and interest as you go. No trouble to explain; come in and get full information.

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The man standing behind that door is the YOU of tomorrow. Who he is and what he is depends upon you and you alone.

Initiative is the individual need of today — it's the word with four "I's" in it. Put that word in your tomorrow's tool box — and use it. It will get you somewhere.

Indifference — Doubt — Lack of Self Confidence — Want of Purpose — they all lead to defeat and make labor drudgery and unprofitable.

A bank book is an important text book. Acquire one, filling its entry regularly even though in a small way, and soon you will be able to grasp opportunities which will insure your tomorrow.

START TODAY
West Texas National Bank
Big Spring, Texas

"Business is Business"

"BUSINESS IS BUSINESS," THEY SAY, "TREAT THE OTHER FELLOW FAIR AS LONG AS IT COSTS YOU NOTHING." THAT'S THE IDEA THAT PREVAILS WITH LOTS OF SO CALLED BUSINESS MEN.

No enduring success can be made with a policy of this kind, for Success never stays long with the undeserving. Every practice—questionable deals—taking undue advantage—skimping here and there—pinching of quality—fail to make good when the work fails to, are all frequently justified by merely saying "BUSINESS IS BUSINESS." It may be a good way to clear one's conscience.

It is time to make business really business and it can be done when we stand for upright dealing, and downright honesty. When we are giving—not once but always—utmost in Style, Fit, Quality and Workmanship—when we are showing the same consideration we would expect if we were in your place.

If you insist on a service like that, then get in touch with us, for here you get it whether you insist on it or not.

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JAMES L. MAULDIN Big Spring, Tex.

Texas Chamber of Commerce is to spend \$100,000 to advertise manufacturing opportunities. This is a fine start. It is estimated that after the \$100,000 returns will be so great that the next fund will be for \$500,000. Call Texas a billion dollar corporation and it will pay 5 per cent return on the investment of \$1,500,000,000 a year. A return of 1 per cent of the investment concerns spend 2 per cent to 7 per cent for advertising—and are tickled to death with the returns.

According to the latest guess the locating committee of the Texas Technological College, plan to start on their tour of inspection about June 10th. In the meantime we should be continuing our clean-up campaign so our city will present a neat, clean and attractive appearance.

Remember the Big Rodeo to be staged in Big Spring July 4th under the auspices of the American Legion. Elaborate plans for this celebration are now being worked out. Well known riders and ropers are to be here for the rodeo contests.

She—Did you take a bath this a. m.
He—No, is there one missing? — Exchange.

"A ROCK IN A WEARY LAND"

The West Texas Spirit

West Texas, in area, is larger than many of the original American States combined, larger than any of the most powerful Nations of the Old World. From Texhoma, say, to Del Rio, if the way south were direct, would be a two days' journey by rail. From El Paso to Weatherford would be almost as much.

But West Texas, in spirit is one and concentrated. Fed more remarkable demonstrations of the unified purposing of a people which is widely separated have ever been given than that which is being staged at San Angelo this week. The occasion is the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, ostensibly, but it has become in fact a celebration in which all West Texas participates with the vigor and virility which is characteristic of that section and its people.

Such a foregathering can not do less than to impress the world with the strength and the possibilities of the awake, alert and aggressive western country. West Texas has become great in accomplishment. But it is greater in the possession of a spirit which is indomitable and ambitious, of a vision which looks steadily toward a future of high destiny splendidly fulfilled, and of leaders who challenge their people to conquests as did the conquistadores of old time, but to finer, worthier conquests than were dreamed of by the forerunners.

With such spirit, such vision and such leaders, West Texas is destined to become all that West Texas aspires to be. And many who live outside the virile section know that the aspirations of West Texas are as broad as her prairies. — Dallas Journal.

What of Washington's Bones?

The seer George Washington and erstwhile Father of His Country must have been looking down the vista of time and observing Senator Ridgeway introducing his "yellow-dog party" amendment to our election laws, and have read his provisions for the requirement that all poll tax receipts and poll tax exemption certificates should show "the name of the political party to which the person to whom it is issued belongs!"

Not only that, he must have noted especially that wise provision in this bill for an "open season in politics during which time, April, in any year, voters may change their party affiliations!"

If that isn't the essence of ridiculousness, where would you find it? But, why single out poor old spring-tormented April? Since one's system is recognized to be at its lowest ebb, during April, did this solemn, wittingly or unwittingly, admit that a man could not be trusted to "think politically" when the virility of November surcharges his being? Cato, thou art out-classed. Oh, you hall of absurdum!—Texas Commercial News.

Midland & N. M. Ry. to Be Sold

Midland, Texas.—A. W. Norcop, of El Paso, master of chancery, has set June 5th as the date on which the Midland & Northwestern railroad will be sold. The sale will take place at the office of the railroad at Midland, Texas.

The road was started in 1915, but owing to organization difficulties and handicaps resulting from the world war the road was not completed until August 1918. It extended from Midland to Seminole, a distance of 88 miles. It was originally planned to carry the road on to Roswell, N. M., and as far south as Sterling City, but the road went into the hands of a receiver in 1920 and no additional development work was ever attempted. The road has not been in operation for two years.

The largest stockholder is D. Fasken, wealthy Canadian and Midland ranchman. The Texas & Pacific R. R. holds a lien on the steel used in the construction of the road. At a hearing before special master in chancery Norcop in El Paso two months ago, the receivership was ordered dissolved and the road ordered sold on June 5th.—West Texas News Service.

At the closing exercises of school last Friday night, Supt. Helm uttered a thought that should find lodgment in the mind of every parent when he suggested that there is a tendency to spend too much money on finery for graduation week. Prof. Helm was right. If we had our way, every high school boy and girl should wear a neat comfortable uniform of comparatively inexpensive material, and on graduating day their wardrobes should be limited in cost only to make them neat and appropriate, and they should all be alike, so that the poorest man's boy or girl should wear the same as the richest man's boy or girl. They will all look alike. — Sterling City

Let Justice Decide Cases

This week sees the first of the cases brought by the United States government against individuals and corporations charged with fraudulent oil operations come to trial. It is a principle of American law that a man is presumed innocent until he is proved guilty and that cases shall be tried in the courts of law.

Fort Worth has received considerable publicity as a result of the operations of oil companies and companies selling stock based on real or alleged holdings of oil land. It is to be doubted whether the value to the community of the stock-selling industry was large enough to warrant the risk of unfavorable publicity the city had to run.

Newspapers from such widely separated cities as Boston and Honolulu have carried news items and editorials which will not be quoted in literature put out by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce. That sort of thing is not helpful. It is not sought after.

We are fortunate that the cases are being brought into court. Gossip and rumor often try the innocent and find them guilty on insufficient evidence. Unfortunately it is also true that many of the guilty escape through failures of the law of the individuals whose acts must sustain the law.

A day in court, with impartial judge and jury, with all the safeguards that the law throws about the accused and all the power with which the law can summon for a determination of the facts, should clear of the question as to the oil operators accused. They should be found blameless and discharged or they should be found guilty and punished according to law.

Such statements may seem needless. But the history of criminal proceedings in Texas does not always justify optimism as to a clean-cut determination of the issue before the courts. Learned judges, able prosecutors, experienced counsel, will not avail if the citizens drawn for jury duty fail to serve or to serve with complete devotion to duty.

There should be no abortive procedure, no wavering verdict. The issue before the court is one of vast importance to this community, to this state, this nation. If those now before the bar of justice have done no wrong they should be exonerated. If they have they should receive punishment commensurate with the wrong they have done the people. Let justice be done. — Fort Worth Record.

Livestock Industry Threatened

Fort Worth.—The livestock interests of Texas and other States are threatened with the greatest calamity in the history of the industry in the form of the proposed reduction in the present tariff rates, according to W. N. Waddell, veteran livestock raiser and former official of the War Finance Corporation.

In a statement to the press today, Waddell quotes information just received from Argentine and Brazil which indicates that cattle in that section are in excellent shape and have practically no value. If the present duty on stocker and feeder cattle is reduced fifty per cent as requested by the American Farm Bureau, the next step will be a reduction of the duty on beef and a general decrease will follow on all livestock schedules, Waddell points out, letting the South American cattle replace Texas livestock in the markets of this country.

The same interests which led the fight for free hides when the present tariff measure was before Congress, are responsible for the demand for a reduction of rates on cattle, Waddell asserted. All livestock interests of Texas, as well as the banks and merchants who are in a measure dependent on these industries in conducting their business are requested by Waddell to strenuously oppose any effort at downward revision of the present tariff rates.

The fight being waged by the soap and varnish interests to reduce the duty on vegetable oil is cited by Waddell as an example of the attack that will be made against all raw material schedules, and especially the livestock and agricultural schedules.

The fact that wells continue to be secured in the Mitchell County oil field cause oil men to believe that someone is going to hit a big pool one of these days. Anyway the pumps producing from 50 to 200 barrels per day will bring considerable money into the country.

Wanted

Please Read: I Corinthians 11:6; Deuteronomy 22:5. — advertisement 1t-pd.

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Big Springs, Texas

W. O. Kent, editor of the Stanton Reporter, was a business visitor here Monday.

Fourteen members of the Chautauqua artists were taken for an auto ride last Sunday and they were loud in their praise of our Scenic Drive along Big Spring Mountain.

Big Spring folks should get behind the movement to have a Boy Scouts band. It would prove a fine thing for our boys and a better thing for our city.

Lost — A Bay Mule

16 1-2 hands high, branded X over Bar on right hind leg. If found please call C. T. PAGE, Knott, Texas.

Flash lights and everything you need for them....Cunningham & Philips.

It is easier to get along and make good in a big job, if you know your stuff, than in a small job. Being a "Dub" is hard because there are so many other dubs in the world.

STOCKMEN: MULFORD'S BLACKLEG SERUM. REMEMBER YOU VACCINATE ONCE AND YOU ARE THROUGH.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

We are all going to take in the Carnival and assist the City Federation in their effort to assist the American Legion in securing a Memorial Hall and Auditorium.

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WRIGLEYS

Top off each meal with a bit of sweet in the form of WRIGLEYS. It satisfies the sweet tooth and aids digestion. Pleasure and benefit combined.

FOR THE CHILDREN

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He Wanted to Clean Up
(A Common Sense Editorial by Bruce Barton)

The other night as I was taking my usual walk I noticed a man who seemed to be wandering aimlessly about the streets.

He did not recognize me, but I recognized him. I met him several years ago when he was in his glory. He came to New York from a country town with a fixed determination to get rich. For some years things went remarkably well with him. He formed a fortunate partnership, became the president of a successful enterprise, had his own home and motor car, and the other things that go with a generous income.

But the eagerness for money would not give him a moment's peace. He saw that the enterprise in which he was engaged offered the possibilities of very much larger profits; he began to figure how much faster he could grow rich if the profits came to his partner.

One day he forced his partner to sell out at an unfair price. Power was in his hands at last; he confided to his friends that he intended to make a "clean up" and retire.

Well, he had part of his wish at least. He is retired; rather, he is engaged in a business so small that no one hears of him any more. The big, successful enterprise blew up; he strained it too hard, and it broke.

There is a curious thing about money, as a very shrewd observer of human affairs recently remarked: "Did you ever notice that the man who starts out with the deliberate intention of making a lot of money seldom makes very much?" he asked. "Great fortunes do not come that way. But let a man render a real service, making something better and sell it cheaper than it has ever been made and sold before, and he can forget about the money. It will take care of itself."

To be sure, the business world is full of men who fight and scratch and gnaw their way to fair-sized fortunes. But the men at the top are almost always of a different stamp. Most of them would subscribe to this sentiment from George Bernard Shaw.

"This is the true joy of life," writes Shaw, "the being used for a purpose recognized by yourself as a mighty one: the being thoroughly worn out before you are thrown on the scrap-heap; the being a force of nature. Instead of a feverish, selfish little clod of ailments and grievances, complaining that the world will not devote itself to making you happy."

The man who regards that sentiment as only a bit of fine writing, wholly impractical and visionary, may realize quite a substantial sum as a result of his efforts. But he runs a very good chance of ending like my friend who wanders aimlessly about the streets—"cleaned out" by his feverish desire to "clean up."—Red Book Magazine.

Among the various organizations of our city that should have your cooperation and support is the Cemetery Association. Our big hearted citizens should see to it that the City of Our Dead is not neglected and it is only by means of liberal donations that improvement is possible.

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Right Dress!

She was walking down the street a short distance in front of me. I recognized the dress as that of my good friend Helen, so I whistled in order to attract her attention and give her the pleasure of my company (a-hem). She paid no heed, so I whistled again, at the same time quickening my pace in order to overtake her. Still she did not turn. Soon I was right behind her, and had intended taking hold of her arm and giving her a little surprise—but just then she turned and—it wasn't Helen! No, you're wrong, if you think it was Helen's roommate. The fact of the matter is that it was Helen's negro wash-woman.—The Prairie, Canyon, Texas

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Little Words

It's just the little human touch That makes the game worth while, The little helpful words of praise, The small and cheery smile. Though success crown your efforts and You're near the higher peak— The Lord be thanked for kindly words Men did not fear to speak. When troubles daunt and sorrows sway, And all the world is wrong, When sunshine is obscured by rain, And silent is all song, It's mighty hard to pull ahead When hope is almost gone, But little words like these have helped— "Good work, old man, keep on!" It does not take much time to say A word or two of praise. And yet uncounted worth is there To help through cheerless days. And, Oh! the hearts that have gained hope When life was drear and bleak, From the kindly words, the cheering words, Men did not fear to speak. —Forbes.

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Altruism of Henry Ford Told by Detroit Preacher

"What would you do if you were president of the Pennsylvania railroad system?" was asked of Henry Ford.

"First, I would fire all the lawyers," he replied.

This was related by Dr. William L. Stidger of St. Mark's Methodist Church, Detroit, a close personal friend of the automobile wizard, in telling of a recent conversation with him in an address at the First Congregational Church, Washington, this week.

"Henry Ford has no desire to be President of the United States," said Dr. Stidger. "Ford believes that the job he has is just as big as the presidency, and if you knew of the things he is doing and of the things he is planning to do, I believe you would agree with him."

Speaking of Ford's religious views, Dr. Stidger said:

Ford compares religion to electricity. He doesn't know what electricity is, but he approves of it because of the great things it does for the world. He feels the same way about religion. Ford's interest is now centered on tractors rather than automobiles; and his greatest ambition is to bring a better life and wider opportunity to the farmer, said the speaker, and added:

He believes that, with the aid, of

the tractor and other modern implements, the average farmer shouldn't be obliged to work more than 22 days in a year in caring for any given crop. The farmer, he believes could do all the work necessary in that period and spend the remainder of his time in cultural pursuits.

There are no industrial outcasts where Ford is concerned, the speaker declared. At one Ford plant there are 2,000 tubercular persons at work. These men receive the same pay as the other employees—6.80 for an eight-hour day—and they are actually improving in health while they work.

He also has one-legged men, blind men and cripples of the late war working in his many factories, and they all receive the same pay.

Elegant Though Imprecious

When her friends exclaim over the tastiness of a dainty afternoon frock or the shameful extravagance of a stunning evening gown, a certain clever young married woman laughs: "Well, you know you can be elegant these days even though you are impecunious."

And she is no exception; women everywhere have discovered how easy it is to make their own simple dresses and even more elaborate gowns. The principal difference, in fact, lies mainly in the richness and kind of material and in being able to put on those finishing touches that

give "an air" as indefinable and unmistakable.

The great manufacturer has been quick to sense the revival of interest in home-making. In the stores, everywhere piled high, the most amazing colors in beautiful filmy and never heard of before, in silk and cotton.

The modern wonderful paper put out by the big fashion signers is as far removed from old bungling "dress patterns" as a 1924 limousine model from "horseless carriage" of twenty ago. It not only tells you how to material to buy and how to cut, but provides you with production of an authentic gown with minute directions just how to put together the different pieces, down to the finest tail of finish.

Taken as a whole, American women are undoubtedly the best dressed in the world and they are becoming better dressed every day. For they have learned the art of having a really smart wardrobe practically the cost of the average alone.

Firing a man may do him good but referring him—with a dollar to win—will do him more good if there is anything in him.