

The Big Spring Herald

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By T. E. Jordan

Greatest Need of Big Spring is a First Class Hotel. Let's Get It!

Oil Field Issues Active

Lockhart No. 1 Stands
in Oil. Will Be
Pumped Out Friday

The situation for How-
ard county is better
than it has been for
some time. The bringing in of a
big oil field this week
has been a great help
to the county and that it
is a clearly shown
number of wells now
in that immediate sec-
tion. This long string
of wells clearly indicates
that the oil is being
brought in every reason to be-
lieve that the oil in that section
is going to find it.
The indication is that ev-
erywhere has had either oil or
gas. So as the oil develop-
ment all over the county
will be made this sum-
mer and big wells will be
made. We understand negotia-
tions are under way for a body
of wells to begin development
and should this happen we
will get oil people in large
numbers. The crying need of this
first class hotel and until
it is built, we are not going
to get people as we would
like. The hotel facilities to give
them are wanted. With the
oil on the road to the
city and every thing looking
so bright, it behooves the citizens
to get busy and see
that hotel and at once.

Deep Rock test on
section 38, showing
oil at 2755 feet.

On July 17, Dora Roberts
completed rigging and
drilling. A drilling crew in
this test the coming

Lockhart on section 38,
showing three weeks on a
test at 760 feet, this week set
and will drill past

operator of San An-
tonio completed a water line to
section 111, Roberts
has been strung and
made to start

from their operations
field to Lutan, a dis-
covery is contemplated by
Petroleum Co. This
making every prepara-
tion for quantity production
and to be caught with
a large should a big
discovery.

Southwest quarter of sec-
tion 23, Marland No. 1
showing two weeks ago. A
test was installed and the
oil well to be making
oil.

The Marland Co. is
showing made in this
oil well, Marland No.
showing in south of their
the near future.

Section 113, the Magnolia
Co. well, located just
west of Sloan's Chalk No.
showing from a depth of
the first of the week
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and the next day made a
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waiting for the arrival of some ma-
chinery. Drilling in this hole will
be resumed within the next few
days, as it is thought that a greater
pay sand will be reached a little
deeper. This well has flowed nat-
urally at a depth of 1584 feet.

Carey and Lockhart No. 1

Carey and Lockhart No. 1 drill-
ing on section 113, block 29, which
encountered heavy gas sand at 1240
feet, has been lowered to a depth of
1486 feet, at which depth an oil
sand was penetrated. Oil stands be-
tween 1100 and 1200 feet in the
hole and results obtained by run-
ning the swab indicates that this
well in which the gas pressure is
several times greater than in the ad-
joining wells, will add greatly to the
total production of the Chalk field.
Everyone interested in the oil de-
velopment in this section is watch-
ing this test, and when necessary
equipment to thoroughly test this
well, arrives are confident that one
of the best wells in the field will be
revealed by the gauge.

GOOD-WILL TRIPPERS ARE GIVEN CORDIAL WELCOME

Garden City proved itself a gra-
cious host on last Thursday evening
in receiving and entertaining the
one hundred or more good-will trippers,
the group composed of Big
Spring business men, their wives
and families who drove to Garden
City on a good-will tour. A barbe-
cue and basket picnic had been
planned by the Garden City bunch,
and it was seen to that all the
crowd, supposedly 500 people, were
well fed. Barbecued beef, barbe-
cued ewe, assorted salads, pies,
cakes, bread, pickles, olives and
plenty of them, was feasted upon by
the big delegation.

The Big Spring Municipal Band
accompanied the trippers to Garden
City and gave an appreciated con-
cert upon arrival there. The good
band music added spice to the pro-
gram of short talks which followed.

Judge Haag of Midland, acted as
master of ceremonies and introduced
the Big Spring speakers, who were
"Uncle Bill" Fisher, B. Reagan, J.
M. Manuel and C. T. Watson, sec-
retary of the C. of C. Each one em-
phasized the need of good roads to
any community, the possibilities of
agricultural development, in fact
the general thought of the speeches
were on community improvement
and expansion.

T. R. Long and other speakers of
Garden City were also heard.

This trip to our progressive and
neighboring little city certainly cre-
ated good will among the citizenship,
and each one feels that he is real
neighbor now, and friends. A more
royal welcome could not have been
accorded the Crown Prince. Every-
thing was done to make their visitors
enjoy their visit while in Garden
City, and each one declares that he
had a splendid time. That is just
expressing it in a mild way.

DALLAS T. & P. TEAM WILL PLAY HERE SUNDAY

The Dallas T. & P. ball tossers
will be in Big Spring next Sunday
afternoon to play the local T. & P.
team, at which time the tie for
championship will be played off.
Fans have seen this team play ball
before and they know what our
players are up against when they
learn that Dallas is coming back out
here. They are all prepared to take
home the victory, with their lines
strengthened for the game, and we
are going to have to back our men
to the finish while they fight the
Dallas bunch for the victory.

Our team has been declared the
champions of the T. & P. system
since they defeated the Marshall
bunch on the Fourth and Fifth of
July, and this good record must be
kept up for our team. It is simply
up to them to wipe out the Dallas
bunch Sunday, and that's what they
are going to do. All local fans who
want to see a real game, be on hand
at the city ball park Sunday after-
noon. The game will start promptly
at 3:30.

Mrs. R. L. Wood of Portales, N.
M., and Mrs. Grace Cardwell of El
Paso, arrived Sunday on a visit to
Mrs. Can Powell and Mrs. J. O.
Tamsitt, and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Stokes of
Dallas spent the week end in this
city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.

Candidate Rally Saturday Night

All Candidates for County Offices
Will be Heard at Public Speak-
ing on Courthouse Lawn

With the polling day close at
hand, the candidates find that these
last few days of the campaign are
busy ones for them, when they have
to say the final words to the voters,
and many speeches in behalf of
their candidacy. Every candidate
running for an office in Howard
county will be given an opportunity
to make a talk to the voters of this
county on Saturday evening, July 17
when a big public speaking will be
held on the courthouse lawn at 8
o'clock. Everybody in the county is
invited to attend this big political
rally, and hear the candidates claims
and qualifications presented for the
different offices.

W. R. Purser, official spokesman
on such occasions will introduce
each speaker, and the things that
will be said at this big speaking will
be well worth your hearing. Every
candidate will come well wound up
and will let you know why you
should vote for him. The members
of the Big Spring Municipal Band
will be on hand to furnish music
for this occasion. Everyone come,
whether you are a voter or not.

Not only are the county candidates
busy campaigning, but the district
and state candidates are busy as
can be. Final speeches of all the
campaigns are being given all over
the State, and two interesting and
able speakers will be in our city to
make talks in behalf of certain can-
didates for governor.

Saturday afternoon, preceding the
big rally on Saturday night, Hon.
Claud Miller of Waco, will speak
on the courthouse lawn in behalf of
Lynch Davidson for Governor. Mr.
Miller is a powerful speaker, and he
invites all of the voters of Howard
county to come and hear what he
has to say in favor of Mr. Davidson.
Remember the hour and date and be
on hand—courthouse lawn, Satur-
day afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

Hon. Cato Sells, a prominent
statesman, will be in Big Spring
Wednesday evening, July 21, to
speak in behalf of Dan Moody for
Governor. Mr. Sells, who was con-
nected with the Wilson administra-
tion, will have some interesting
things to tell the voters of Howard
county. The Big Spring band will
play at this speaking, and it will be
a big affair with delegations from
several of the neighboring towns in
attendance. This will be the last
big speaking in this part of the
State before the polls open on Sat-
urday morning, July 24. Everybody
invited to come.

POLITICAL SPEAKING IN BEHALF OF DAN MOODY

The last big speaking in this sec-
tion of the county in the Governor's
race, before the polls close on Sat-
urday, July 24, will be the one to
be held on the courthouse lawn,
Wednesday evening, July 21, at 8
o'clock, when Hon. Cato Sells will
discuss the issues of the present
gubernatorial campaign for Dan
Moody.

Mr. Sells is a well known states-
man, having been connected with the
Wilson administration and he will
tell the voters of this county a thing
or two.

A very large crowd is expected to
attend this big political speaking,
with delegations from Colorado, La-
mea, and Stanton coming to hear
the final speech of the campaign.

RESUMES WORK ON ROAD TO CHALK OIL FIELD

The road committee of the Big
Spring Chamber of Commerce this
week engaged the services of two
men and their teams and wagons, to
resume the work of improving the
road to the Chalk oil field. Sid
Davis and J. M. Cauble are in charge
of this work and the road to the oil
field will be straightened as well as
improved. The road will be put on
a high level all the way, so that it
will be an all-year road, and the
new road will shorten the distance
about two miles.

This road when completed will be
in fine shape for the heavy travel
that will use it daily and it will be
an attraction for our city, when
other oil companies become interest-
ed in the field.

BIG RAIN SUNDAY

Rain amounting to from one to
three inches fell in the north part
of Howard and the south part of
Dawson counties last Sunday after-
noon. The hardest part of the rain
was at Knott and west of there, but
a good rain fell on down to High-
way school house and from there it
was light, and at Fairview played
out entirely. The east part of the
county got a good rain also the lat-
ter part of last week so the only
portion of the county that is in need
of moisture is the section north and
northwest and the south part of the
county, and farmers tell us that
while a rain would be greatly ap-
preciated in these sections, that
nothing seems to be hurting—not
even the Indian corn crop.

Since the rain Sunday the weather
has been a great deal cooler; the
nights and early mornings being
real cool—just the kind of weather
cotton needs. Crops were looking
better in the section north of here
than this writer had even seen them
before this rain fell. We saw plenty
of early feed already made and cot-
ton looking like the Brazos river
valley, years ago.

So with this rain we will make a
bumper feed crop and unless the
boll weevil shows up the biggest
cotton crops per acre this section has
ever produced.

Some of the farmers tell us that
the Mexican flea is letting up in the
sections where they were the worst
and they have never made their ap-
pearance in lots of localities in the
county. So taking conditions as a
whole it would seem that the Big
Spring country is in for a mighty
good year.

WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

The placing of road signs along
all the highways leading to and
from the city of Big Spring, was
suggested to be taken as the im-
mediate objective of the members of
the Wednesday Luncheon club at
the regular weekly meeting, held in
the dining room of the Cole Hotel
Wednesday. The suggestion was
made by C. T. Watson, secretary of
the Big Spring Chamber of Com-
merce, who is heartily in favor of
placing Big Spring on the map, and
letting our name be known and seen
by all travellers going north, south,
east or west. Mr. Watson was en-
thusiastically heard by the twenty-
five club members and visitors who
gathered here for the noon day
luncheon.

Joye M. Fisher was in charge of
the program for this meeting and he
called upon the out of town visitors
for short talks. W. W. Rix of Lub-
bock, but until just recently of Big
Spring, told the luncheon club mem-
bers how slowly Lubbock was grow-
ing. With only 30 or 40 new homes
now under construction, the Lub-
bockites declare that Lubbock is go-
ing forward at a very slow pace, and
they are getting anxious for it to
speed up a little more rapidly.

Rev. F. B. Etelson of Plainview,
former pastor of St. Mary's Episco-
pal church of this city, expressed de-
light in being back in the fair city
of Big Spring, and stated that it
was a pleasure for him to greet and
talk over things with old friends.

J. T. Strain of Lubbock, who is in
our city in the interest of a new
hotel for Big Spring, offered a few
suggestions in regard to hotel facili-
ties and the need of such in every
town.

John F. Wolcott concluded the
talks with a brief announcement
concerning the road to the Chalk
oil field. The services of two men
have been secured to work this road
straighten, shorten and improve it,
so that it can be accessible for heavy
loads during all kinds of weather.

Wm. Fisher was named chairman
of the program for next week's meet-
ing.

PRIMARY BALLOT APPEARS IN THIS ISSUE

The Official Ballot of the Demo-
cratic primary to be held on Satur-
day, July 24, appears in this issue
of The Herald on page 7, section 1.
We publish this ballot to give the
voters ample opportunity to study
the list of candidates, learn of their
qualifications, and be intelligently
informed as to the best one for the
place by election day.

The last few days of the campaign
things have begun to warm up, and
many wait with anxiety to learn the
final results.

Five Prisoners Escape from Jail

Break Lock Off Cell, Pry Bars From
Windows and Make Get-a-Way
Early Tuesday Morning

Five prisoners made their escape
from the Howard county jail be-
tween eight and nine o'clock Tuesday
morning, and up to the present writ-
ing, only one of the men have been
captured. A man by the name of
Johns, held on a charge of aggravated
assault with intent to murder, was
found on a freight train in the
T. & P. yards at Roscoe about 11:15
Tuesday morning by Roscoe officers.
He has been returned to the Howard
county jail.

Officers up and down the line
have been notified and together with
local officers, are still on the look
out for the other four prisoners:
Craig, held on a charge of posses-
sion of intoxicating liquors; Mc-
Nally, held on a charge of aggravated
assault with intent to murder;
Heath, held on a forgery charge,
and Mendoza, who had been given a
two years sentence in the peniten-
tiary for the possession of intoxicat-
ing liquors, but who was having his
case appealed.

Johnson, another prisoner in the
cell with these prisoners, refused to
escape. He is being held on a
charge of aggravated assault with
intent to murder.

The prisoners are said to have
broken the lock off the cell, and
pried the bars from the basement
window to make their get away. One
of the prisoners was barefooted,
and had only a pair of overalls.

A search for the other prisoners
is still being made.

CANDIDATES RALLY AT COAHOMA, SATURDAY

Quite a number of Big Spring peo-
ple went to Coahoma last Saturday
afternoon to attend the big rally,
and candidates speaking, held in the
new tabernacle there at 3 o'clock.

Judge James T. Brooks introduced
the speakers and all of the candi-
dates for county offices were heard,
and the candidates for office in pre-
dict 2 presented their qualifications
to the voters of Coahoma.

Judge Coe of Colorado made a
talk at this big political speaking in
behalf of Dan Moody, candidate for
Governor.

Some four or five hundred people
attended the big rally.

FOUR MEN RELEASED ON \$2500 BOND, EACH

Bernice Ringer, Wesley Ringer,
Henry Crowley and Curtis Stringer,
held in connection with the killing
of Emanuel Vasquez, Mexican sheep-
herder on the Dora Roberts ranch,
were released on a \$2500 bond, each,
following an examining trial which
was held last Friday afternoon. No
evidence as to the killing was given
at this trial. Crowley made bond
immediately, and the other men
made bond within the next day or
two.

The trial of this case has been set
for the September term of court.

FOUR TOURISTS INJURED WHEN AUTO TURNS OVER

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gillett and Mrs.
A. L. Mohle and daughter, Mar-
guerite Mohle, of Lockhart, were
painfully injured last Friday morn-
ing when the automobile, a Hudson
brougham, in which they were rid-
ing turned turtle on the Glacier to
Gulf highway, about seventeen miles
south of Big Spring. The party
was returning from a visit with re-
latives in El Paso. Mr. Gillett, an
experienced driver, was making
about fifty or sixty miles an hour
on the highway, when one of the
tires blew out, causing the car to
turn over. The car was badly dam-
aged, it turning over four times.

Mr. Gillette, the most seriously
injured one, received two broken
ribs, a deep cut over one eye and a
painful bruise on the jaw, and all of
the other members of the party re-
ceived cuts and bruises. The Eber-
ley ambulance rushed to the scene
of the accident and brought the in-
jured to the Big Spring Sanitarium,
for treatment. They were able to
return to their homes in Lockhart
the forepart of this week and from
all reports are getting along nicely.

C. T. Tucker made a business trip
to Lorraine Tuesday.

MRS. S. A. PENIX DEAD

Many hearts in this city were
saddened last week end when news
of the death of Mrs. S. A. Penix
reached here. Mrs. Penix, who had
been in ill health for almost two
years, was claimed by death at the
family home in Graham, Texas,
shortly after noon Friday, July 9th.
Funeral services were held Satur-
day afternoon at 4 o'clock and the
remains were laid to rest in the
cemetery at Graham.

Flora A. Penix, wife of Judge S.
A. Penix, was dearly beloved by all
who knew her. Making her home in
this city for a number of years up
to 1920, she was one of the most
prominent and outstanding women
of the city. She was a teacher of
expression and was ever ready and
willing to appear in public when she
was called upon to use her influence
in accomplishing some good for the
improvement of our community. She
was an active church and Sunday
school worker, being affiliated with
the First Baptist church of this city,
and her life is exemplary of one who
lived as the Master would have us
live to reap the richest benefits, and
live the fullest. Mrs. Penix was
not only a prominent church, school
and civic worker, but stood high in
lodge work. She was a life time
member of the Big Spring Chapter of
the Order of Eastern Star, and held
the following important offices dur-
ing her membership: Past Grand
Master of Grand Chapter, Officer on
General Grand Chapter, and held
almost every other office in the
lodge.

Deceased is survived by a devoted
husband, two sons Chauncey and
Lindsey, her mother Mrs. M. J.
Lindsay of Lamesa, and two broth-
ers M. C. and Robert Lindsay of
Lamesa, and other relatives, and to
the bereaved ones, bowed in deep
sorrow, their many friends in this
section extend deepest sympathy.

BIG SPRING AND HER HOTEL NEEDS

A state of satisfaction is a most
ruinous condition for either an in-
dividual or a town to fall into. If
our business is as good as we want,
if our place of business is as attrac-
tive as we would have it, if we are
absolutely contented with both our
personal affairs, the size of our
town, its conveniences and its at-
tractiveness, well—we are at least
"satisfied from our neck up." A satis-
fied condition is only a stage of
stagnation and should be avoided as
carefully by a town as by an in-
dividual.

Big Spring needs a modern hotel,
not a big hotel, but an attractive one
equipped with conveniences demand-
ed by the travelling public. With
all our modern means of transpor-
tation, the tourist trade must be
reckoned with. The Pullman Com-
panies learned this lesson long ago
and built cars more attractive, carry-
ing more conveniences than chair
cars, placed a price on these con-
veniences and we "rode, slept, and
paid the bill." We have never seen
a time when people demanded and
were more willing to pay for "ser-
vices" than they are today.

A small but modern hotel, prop-
erly operated would not only be a
good advertising medium for our
city but revenue bearing.

THINK hotel, TALK hotel—then
BUILD a hotel.

BUYS VOGUE BEAUTY SHOPPE

The Vogue Beauty Shoppe, locat-
ed in the West Texas National Bank
Building this week changed hands.
Mrs. L. L. Guley and Mrs. Ruth
Darwin having bought same from
Miss Helen Stewart. The new own-
ers took possession of same on Mon-
day.

The Vogue has always received
liberal patronage since its establish-
ment and it will continue to be a
popular beauty parlor under the
new management.

BUYS A HOME

J. A. Burcham this week pur-
chased of Mr. Padan a four-room
house with bath and two lots on the
Bankhead highway in the east part
of the city, for a consideration of
\$1500. This location is very de-
sirable and is good property, and
Mr. Burcham is fortunate in secur-
ing same at so reasonable a price.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Miller and
daughter, Claudine, returned Wed-
nesday from a visit with relatives at
Frisco.

Pains disappeared

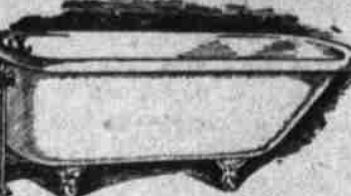
"SEVERAL years ago I was badly run-down," says Mrs. John Bunch, R. F. D. 3, Columbia, S. C. "I could not do any of my work. I was so weak I could not wash a dish. My back and sides hurt me at times dreadfully. I dragged around until I finally got down in bed."

Then, explains Mrs. Bunch, she happened to read about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and decided to give it a thorough trial, the results of which she describes below:

"It seemed to reach the cause of my trouble at once. I did not take it long before my appetite began to improve. I gained in weight from 114 pounds until now I weigh 155 pounds. I soon was able to be up around the house. I took up my household duties and was delighted with my returning strength."

"I now do all my own work. The pains in my sides and back have disappeared and I feel like a different person."

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Tomatoes: 100, 40c; 1,000, \$3.00; 2,000, \$5.00
Pepper: 100, 50c; 1,000, \$4.00; 2,000, \$7.00. postpaid.
J. B. STALLINGS
Roscoe, Texas

BE A KNOCKER!

Knock the spirit of criticism! Knock the spirit of shirk! Knock the obstacles out of the way! Use the hammer of work! Knock reflections on the class! Knock fault-finding, too. And you'll find this kind of knocking is the best thing you can do.—Ex.

T. W. Long of Weatherford was a business visitor in Big Spring Tuesday in the interest of Delicia brand ice cream.

Roup:: Give Walko tablets and your chickens will always be healthy
.....Cunningham & Philips.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

West Texas Chamber of Commerce
Littlefield — Captain Arthur P. Duggan, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will make his first tour of West Texas territory during the month of August. As planned at present he will open his tour at Big Spring August 9th and will visit the recreational sections of West Texas and eastern New Mexico. He will visit the Davis Mountain section and attend the district convention in Marfa August 12, then will swing west to El Paso and go into eastern New Mexico to attend the district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in that district August 16. It is expected that he will open his campaign for equalization of taxes on this tour. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Duggan also Manager and Mrs. Wade.

Washington, D. C. — The West Texas Chamber of Commerce intervened in the recent hearing of the Department of Agriculture relative to control of the Thurberia weevil which is ravaging the cotton fields of Arizona. The West Texas organization strongly urged regulatory measures to prevent spread of the pest to West Texas and was instrumental in getting measures passed which it is believed will control the weevil.

Colorado — Work has been started on a new five story hotel for Colorado.

Marfa — The Davis Mountain-Big Bend district convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here August 11. Arrangements have been made to care for a large attendance. High officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce including President Arthur P. Duggan will attend.

Pecos — The Pecos Valley will celebrate here July 20th with a big all day jollification. The celebration is in honor of the successful fight for the appropriation for Red Bluff Dam on the Pecos River. Congress recently appropriated two million dollars for the project and President Coolidge has signed the bill. This project will reclaim half a million acres of land and is expected to bring a big period of development to the Trans-Pecos country. A barbecue will be prepared for twenty thousand persons and it is expected that many will be here on July 20. Pecos invites West Texas to join in the celebration.

Lubbock — Lubbock will be host to the Texas Commercial Executives Association July 23-24-25 when more than one hundred commercial executives from all over Texas will hold their three day convention and school.

Artesia, N. M. — The eastern New Mexico district of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will hold their annual meeting here August 16. Artesia is planning a big event and heavy attendance is anticipated.

Lamesa — William A. Wilson former secretary of the Munday Chamber of Commerce has assumed his duties as secretary of the Lamesa Chamber to succeed C. T. Watson resigned.

San Antonio — Porter A. Whaley former manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has arrived in San Antonio to assume his duties as secretary of the local organization.

Amarillo — The greatest wheat crop in years is now being threshed on the plains. The Santa Fe Railway reports that there is a great scarcity of cars to handle the crop despite the fact that they had concentrated eight thousand cars in anticipation of the needs. Increasing use of combine harvesters and threshers has sped up the movement of grain and swamped the railway service.

Plainview — Work is progressing rapidly on the new elevators of the Harvest Queen Mill here. When completed this mill will have storage capacity ranking with the largest in the entire country.

Alpine — A determined effort to exterminate wolves in this section of the state is bearing fruit. A comprehensive system of poisoning is under way with stockmen cooperating. Literally hundreds of coyotes and number of lobo wolves have been killed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Springman and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Schull returned Monday night from a week's outing on the Llano and San Saba rivers. They report a most delightful trip, and had plenty of good luck fishing and hunting.

When you can't write a letter... We have a card to suit.....Cunningham & Philips.

There's more power in that Good Gulf Gasoline. 37-4f

C. F. Holmes left Tuesday morning for a visit in Fort Worth.

JES' A-DREAMIN'

By Henry Lamar

Jes' been sittin' here a-wishin' I could up an' go a-fishin'—
Wish I could!
If I had things to my likin' I'd be up and off a-hikin'—
To the wood.
Now's the time to be a-whittin'—
On a sunny bank, or smilin'—
In the shade.
Where sweet winds are gently stirrin'—
By the stream that goes a-purrin'—
Through the glade;
Where the water goes a-tumblin'—
Over rocks and stones, a-rumblin'—
To the sea,
Here a-creepin', there a-fallin'—
I can hear it now a-callin',
Callin' me;
Where the breezes are a-blowin'—
To the music of the flowin'—
Of the stream.
Oh, it sets me all a-dreamin'—
With the magic of its seemin'—
Let me dream!
Dream I've up an' gone a-fishin',
An' the water's softly swishin'—
At my feet;
Dream I've gone right in a-swimmin'—
In the pool so cool an' brimmin'—
Joy complete.

HEAD OF W. T. C. OF C. WILL TOUR WEST TEXAS

Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield, newly elected president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will make his first tour of the territory served by this organization during the month of August, starting at Big Spring, August 9. He will be accompanied on this tour by Mrs. Duggan and Mr. and Mrs. Homer D. Wade.

It is expected that Mr. Duggan will start his campaign for the equalization of taxes on this tour, which will take him thru the mountain section of Texas and Eastern New Mexico. He will go to the Davis Mountains, where he will attend the Big Bend District convention, to be held in Marfa August 11. He will swing back to El Paso, enter New Mexico and will attend the two day meeting at Carlsbad on August 17.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM AT EAST THIRD CHURCH

For Sunday, July 18.
Subject—The Mind of Man.
Introduction—By Leader.
Man, the Crown of Creation — Little Cardwell.
Worth to Christian Workers — Adolphus Gregory.
What Relation Has This to Repentance—Alfred Anglin.
Thank God for the Power to Think—Bro. M. H. Morrison.
God Appeals to Men's Minds — Harmon Morrison Jr.
A True Conception of Christ — Erroth Nance.
Insufficient Conception of Christ — by the president.
We, the members of East Third Street B. Y. P. U., extend a cordial invitation to each and everyone to come and hear this program.

DON'T WORRY

No matter what ails your watch we can repair it. **WILKE'S** Jewelry and Optical Shop.

TO THE VOTERS OF HOWARD COUNTY

It has been impossible for me to see each of you since I entered the race for Public Weigher, but let me say to one and all, that I believe I understand the duties of the office and my eight years of experience at the freight warehouse, keeping records and handling business with and for the public, better enables me to fulfill the duties of the office more satisfactorily to all concerned. I invite your careful consideration and will appreciate your vote. If elected, I will try to give each of you a square deal.

Thanking you in advance, I remain, your friend,
CHAS. C. NANCE
Candidate for Public Weigher
—Political advertisement.

HOMES HOMES HOMES

Do you want to own a home. Now's your chance to get a lot in beautiful Fairview Heights before they are all gone. They are going fast. Can give you a long term lease or will sell you location for any good business, such as gin, hotel site, or store.
See Earle A. Read
H. Clay Read, Phone 8.
42-3t.

Penslar Rheumatic remedy..... Cunningham & Philips.

When Appearance Counts More Wear Eagle Shirts

You needn't worry about your appearance when you are wearing one of these fine shirts, for they are in good style at any time or place.

You get real service from Eagle Shirts, too --- because they are made from sturdy fabrics that wear and wear.



The colors are fast.

They are made to fit.

They are better made than most shirts---having 50 per cent more stitches than ordinary shirts.

We show Eagle Shirts in neckband or collar attached.

\$2.00 and Better

Kaynee



Shirts for boys are extra good shirts. They are made from strong fabrics that give real service---the colors are guaranteed fast---the collars set just right---the patterns are new and good looking---the are cut fuller than most boys shirts, which means they will stand more strain.

We are showing these in whites, solid colors and fancy patterns that will please most any one.

SHIRTS

Neck Sizes 12 to 14

\$1.50 to \$2.50

BLOUSES

ages 5 to 14

\$1.00 to \$2.00

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The Store That Quality Built

Big Spring Needs a Bigger Hotel

NOTICE

Big Spring, Howard Co., Texas
July 14, 1926
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
We, the undersigned Attorneys residing in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, gladly endorse Judge F. L. Hawkins for re-election as one of the Judges on the Court of Criminal Appeals of the State of Texas. His decisions as a member of said Court disclose that he is an able and conscientious judge.

The people of the State of Texas will make no mistake in re-electing him.

Respectfully,
H. R. Debenport,
James T. Brooks,
J. D. Cunningham
M. H. Morrison
S. H. Morrison
Clyde E. Thomas
G. B. Cunningham
W. Carroll Barnett Jr.
D. E. Bishop
James Little
Political advertisement 43-2t-pd.

You wouldn't attempt to fit your own artificial teeth, or amputate a corn-aching toe, nor remove your own appendix. You want the best Medical Service you can get when you are sick. And you are right. You should give your eyes the benefit of the best Eye-Sight Service science and skill can supply—that's Optometric Service, as practiced by **GEO. L. WILKE** Registered Optometrist Big Spring, Texas advertisement- 43.

Good used dressers, oil stoves, cabinets, wardrobes, side boards, settees, davenport and duofolds, galore at **CREATH'S** advertising.

Mrs. W. S. Kennon returned Monday morning from a week's visit with relatives at Lubbock.

WHY THEY ADVERTISE

Newspapers of the United States carried \$720,000,000 worth of advertising during the year 1925, according to William A. Thompson, director of the bureau of advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, who testified recently before the Federal Trade Commission. Of this amount \$600,000,000 was spent in local advertising, the remaining \$250,000,000 representing the amount spent in advertisements of national circulation. These figures show something of the faith that the American business man has in the value of newspaper advertising. This form of publicity must pay, or the advertisers would not be spending three-quarters of a billion dollars annually on it. The keen business leaders of America do not put money in losing ventures. It is doubly significant that two-thirds of this great sum, a half billion dollars, went into the so-called local newspapers, while only one-third of the amount went into the national publications.

Evidently it pays not only to advertise, but to advertise in your local newspaper. When we think of the value of the local newspaper, we usually measure it in terms of its worth as a collector of news and a moulder of sentiment in the community. But the value of a newspaper as an advertising medium is great, too, not only to the business man, but to the general public. It is through advertising in his local paper that the progressive merchant gets his goods before the people. And it is by reading the advertisements that the public learns where it can spend its money economically for reliable goods of the kind it wants.—Eagle, Delano, Minnesota.

LIME ADE. ORANGE ADE. MADE RIGHT. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Dr. Campbell

OF ABILENE
Practice limited to the Ear, Nose and Throat, the fitting of glasses
in Big Spring every SATURDAY

W. A. GILMO

LICENSED PLUMBER and HEATING CONTRACTOR
No jobs too large or too small for us. Estimates given, price is right.
Toilets — Tubs — Sinks
305 Runnels St. — Phone 43
Big Spring, Texas

ELECTRIC FANS ICE CREAM FREEZERS WATER COOLERS STONE'S VARIETY STORE

JAMES LITTLE ATTORNEY AT LAW Office in Courthouse BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Your Doctor: Consult him often.....Cunningham & Philips.

Read Herald want ads.

For Your Next Party

Why Not Serve

DELICIA ICE CREAM
or SHERBET

that will please any one

Clyde Fox
Jewelry and Drug Co.

Big Spring, Texas

The Texas Qualified Druggists' League Says:

"The druggist is a professional, a necessity, a friend, a convenience—more than a merchant. And because when we need him badly, it will pay us, in buying other things than prescriptions, carried in a drug store to think of the druggist."

Member Texas Qualified Druggists' League

J. D. BILES
DRUGGIST

Big Spring, Texas

GUY E. LONGBOTHAM
RESIDENCE PHONE 205

Competent, Dependable, Reliable
CHIROPRACTIC MASSEUR

POST DOOR WEST COLE HOTEL ENTRANCE
OFFICE HOURS 8 to 12 A. M.; 1 to 6 P. M.
OFFICE PHONE 40 LADY ATTENDANT

Big Spring, Texas

\$50.00 REWARD

Will be paid for evidence leading to conviction of party who stole carpenter tools out of Dr. Hall's new residence on South Scurry street on or about June 20. The following tools were taken: 2 claw hammers, 1 brace, 5 wood chisels, 1 bevel square, 1 combination tri-square, 1 pair tin snips, one 6-foot rule, 1 Yankee spiral screw driver, 1 Yankee drill; all these tools were marked with Roman numeral VII, which were cut on them with a file. Carpenters Union, Local No. 1634 hereby makes a standing offer of \$25.00 for evidence sufficient to convict anyone stealing tools from any member of this union. C. E. SHIVE, Financial Secretary, 41-4t.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

The following item appeared in a metropolitan newspaper recently: "Ikey Ikstein accidentally drove his car into the parade of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. He would have been thirty-eight years old next October."

W. B. Currie who has been in Lodi, Wisconsin for several months, visiting relatives, returned home Monday morning.

Powder puffs: All colors and sizes. Cunningham & Phillips.

A. and M. Short Course

By Phebe K. Warner

Here's something that belongs to the whole state. Every tax payer helps to pay for it. Every man and woman, and every boy and girl is entitled to it. It is one of the best personal investments of a few dollars and a week of time during the entire year. And while the A. & M. Short Course is planned and adjusted especially to the needs of the farmer and his family, there is no better way for hundreds of other people to spend their vacation.

Here are a few of the folks who should make a special effort to attend at least one session of the Farmer's Short Course. First of all it is Victory Week for all the prize winners in the boys' and girls' farm clubs as well as all the home demonstration clubs. It takes just one whole year to win your way to the A. & M. Short Course, and there is no finer sight in the State of Texas than those 2,000 prize winning boys and girls from every corner and almost every county in the State gathered there on their own college campus to put to the final test the best there is in the State in every line of home and farm work.

No, it's not much books at that one week of college life. That's why everybody is so happy. The work is practically all done before they go to the college. They took their lessons at HOME. They did their work in their own room or their own garden or their own kitchen or their own poultry yard or their own pasture. The A. & M. Short Course is not intended so much to tie a boy or girl or even their father and mother onto books as it is to link them up with life. The A. & M. Short Course is one happy week of intense living.

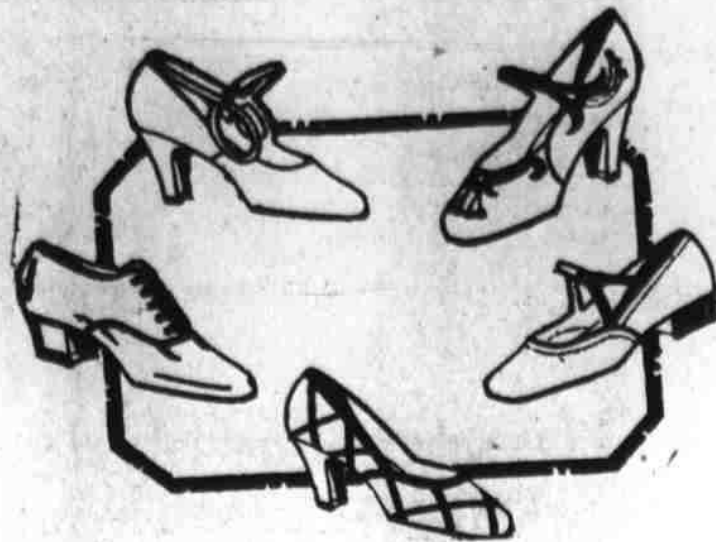
Next to the boys and girls, I believe the happiest people at that great school are the mothers. The most of us mothers never had a chance to go to any kind of a college in our youth. Nobody ever found out just how smart we were because our full mental strength was never put to a test. Most of us never won a prize because most of us were never in a contest outside of getting head marks at the little country school. But here is one school where mother may go and tell the world how SHE won the KITCHEN CONTEST.

And next to the boys and girls and their mothers I believe the proudest folks at the A. & M. Short Course are the county farm agents and the county home demonstrators who directed the work of training those boys and girls in their home projects. The Short Course is more of a human show than a circus. Everything about it is a test of human skill and that's what makes it so interesting. And it's not all athletics either. But it's who is the best judge of hogs in Texas? Who is the best judge of poultry? What Texas girl can make the most beautiful dress? for the least money? What girl can can the best beans and make the most money off of an acre of cotton or most anything else she may choose to do?

But there are others who should go to the Short Course. And there is no other fellow who needs that week off worse than the editors of the home papers where these prize boys and girls live. Every one of you should pack up your troubles in your old kit bags and lock the shop door and let the people go without their home paper one week if necessary to attend this wonderful school for just five days from August 2 to 7. You would get enough new inspiration that one week to make a better paper the other 51 weeks of the year. You would get a new slant on where a part of the people's taxes go and you would be in better condition to vote right next fall, if you do not vote right July 24. If agricultural news is not worth putting into the home paper, what is? How many of you people whose business is to publish a paper for the farmers to read spend a week a year studying or observing the real work and interests of the farmer? Have you ever checked up on your subscription list to see just where your readers lived and what they do and then tried to give all your readers a balanced ration in your news columns? If you have not it would do you good to attend the Agricultural Writers Conference during the A. & M. Short Course.

Next comes the County Superintendent. What will it mean when the farm agent, the home demonstrators, the fathers and mothers, the boys and girls, the editors and the county superintendents all work together to build up the life of the whole county? But there is still another man who ought to attend that school for one short week. And that is the rural minister. And it

Specials In Footwear



We are offering some real bargains in Ladies' Footwear for —

Saturday, July 17th

One lot of tan calf pumps—
with brown kid trim—Spanish
heel.

One lot of black patent leather
high heel pumps with silver
trim.

One lot of French tan kid
pumps with strap — brown
stitch—Spanish heel.

One lot of black satin high heel
pumps with strap.

These are only a few of the many styles that will be offered — there are many other kinds in broken lots—not all sizes in every kind, but we can fit most any foot and these are good-style shoes that you will be proud to wear.

SPECIAL PRICE FOR SATURDAY

\$5.00

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The Store That Quality Built

wouldn't hurt a few of the city ministers to go. They would find a lot to preach about at that college. How much more interesting it would be if we could hear a little more preaching on how to live and how to make an honest living than how to DIE. If missionaries in foreign lands begin to teach the heathen how to become real Christians by teaching them how to raise better corn, why not try it in Texas? If honest work had been made interesting and profitable to all our boys a generation ago we would not have so many criminals today.

Another chap who ought to attend the Short Course is the HOME banker. My! My! What a chance he would see to make future depositors for his bank and better citizens for his community. And another fellow who needs to go is the county judge. It would be a good thing if every woman in the county would say to the candidates for county judge, "Are you going to the Farmers' Short Course this year so you will understand what we mean when we ask for a county home demonstrator? If you are not you don't get my vote. We want a county judge who is in sympathy with the women's and children's rights and interests." And last but by no means the end of the list, there should be a law passed in Texas requiring every county commissioner to attend at least one A. & M. Short Course as one of the essential qualifications for his office. And if he is not willing to spend a few dollars and sacrifice one week of time to qualify himself for that position then he should not allow himself to be elected to such a responsible position.

Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health. Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package, containing full directions. Only 35 cts. At any drug store. (Adv.)

WHY WORRY?

Some people carry three kinds of worry, that which they have had, that which they have, and that which they will have.

Success and happiness depend on getting and keeping in condition, getting the most out of one's energies. Do not anticipate evils that may never come. Anxiety robs one of peace of mind, strength, and ability. We torment ourselves with mental instruments of torture. We borrow trouble, cross and re-cross bridges weeks ahead, worry about a telegram without opening it, worry over the children at a picnic. Do not make a list of unfortunate things that may occur. A woman did this, lost it and found it again, to discover that the time had gone by and not one of these things had occurred. Worry saps the vitality and blights the ambition; it cuts down ability. Work does not often kill, but worry will.

The mental faculties, to do their best, must be free to work. A troubled brain cannot think clearly, attention cannot be concentrated.

Evil passions and harmful emotions cause actual chemical changes and generate poisonous substances fatal to healthy growth and action. Worry impairs the thinking powers, clogs the brain and paralyzes thought, robs the brain of the opportunity to renew itself, by causing insomnia.

The little nagging anxieties and petty cares aggravate like flies or gnats. The pin-pricks mar our comfort and rob our strength and ruin our peace.

Too much attention to worry will rob the brain of its power to even worry. An aged woman said, "My head feels dull-like, and I've kinder lost the power to worry over things."

Worry about disease is a disease producer. Many plague-victims were worriers. One of the worst forms of worry is brooding over one's failures, over past lives. Drop it. Think of what you are doing or intend to do. Stop the habit. Keep up health standards. Your health will be better, your digestion improved. Keep a clear conscience, and you will kill worry and sleep sound. Live a clean and sane life. Fight fear an anxiety with courage, hope and confidence. We can only have one thing in our minds at a time. Choose the good one. Laugh away your troubles. — The Ladies' Review.

age, hope and confidence. We can only have one thing in our minds at a time. Choose the good one. Laugh away your troubles. — The Ladies' Review.

6 o/o — Farm and Ranch Loans — 6 o/o

Pay 3% per cent every 6 months and the debt is cancelled in 33 years. Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank Correspondent.

West Texas National Bank. Big Spring, Texas

OTHERWISE PERFECT

General Tasker H. Bliss, former Chief-of-Staff of the Army, says that force and diplomacy are often a matter of opinion. For example the case of Finklestein—he was a good customer of Abe and Mawruss, manufacturers of ladies' dresses. He was, however, getting lax about settling invoices, his last two were unpaid, and Abe suggested that Mawruss write him a strong, but diplomatic letter calling his attention to this laxity. "But don't say anything that hurts his feelings, Mawruss." Mawruss worked for an hour over the letter, then showed it to Abe for his approval. After reading it over carefully, Abe said, "By golly, dot's a wonderful letter. Strong and to the point, aber not personal or insulting. But you got a couple of mistakes in it, Mawruss. 'Dirty Crook' you should spell mit only vun 'r' and 'lyin' shkunk' don't begin mit a 'z.' —Ex.

The Frenchman did not like the look of the barking dog barring his way.

"It's all right," said the host, "don't you know the proverb, 'barking dogs never bite'?"

"Ah, yes," said the Frenchman, "I know ze proverb, you know ze proverb; but ze dog—does he know ze proverb?" —Ex.

We can obtain loans on Patented Farm and Ranch Lands at 5-12 or 6 per cent on long time. If you desire to borrow money on your land, See STATE NATIONAL BANK, 41st

Zonite is better than Iodine or carbolic acid and isn't poison. Cunningham & Phillips.



July Clearance

We have sold lots and lots of goods since the starting of this big sale. We must sell lots more before the end and if you have not visited this Big Reduction Sale you are the loser, for never in the history of this business have we given you more for your money than now. We need the room and you need the goods so why hesitate longer, come and supply your every need at the greatest savings of your life on high class merchandise.

BE HERE SATURDAY, JULY 17

We want to make this the banner day of our great sale and to do so we are going to have some big bargains for you on that date, so be sure and attend and get your share of the good things we will have to offer. While we have sold lots of goods during this sale, and some stocks are broken, yet in most instances you will find good tocks to select from.

There have been sales and there will be more sales in Big Spring, but there has not nor will there be one held where you will get better bargains or greater values than in our great July Clearance Sale for our motto is and has always been to never be undersold and to only handle high class merchandise and that we have lived up to that is evidenced by our ever-growing list of satisfied customers. If you have not attended this sale be sure you come—

Sale Now Going
FULL BLAST

The Grand Leader

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Sale Now Going
FULL BLAST

LAWN MOWING

Honey Grove Signal: Last week the Signal printed the warning of a Kansas physician against men pushing lawn mowers in the afternoon after working all day in store or shop. The Kansas doctor said such work would break down any man's health. Tuesday afternoon a Texas man fell dead while mowing his lawn. This is printed in support of the Kansas doctor's theory and without further comment. If men will defy death they must suffer the consequences.

This is important. That a man who works downtown all day shouldn't mow a lawn when he goes home is a conviction vouchsafed by a regular graduate doctor, it appears, and his warning should receive the widest publicity. No matter if the man insists on mowing the lawn, and quarrels with his wife when she seeks to prevent him, he should be restrained by her. To be left a widow is not an eventuality to be desired, although there are some exceptions. No man's heart is strong enough to stand an hour's pressure against the propulsion end of a lawn mower after he has all but exhausted himself at his employment at the store or office. The human heart is not an organ that can be imposed on with impunity. Apoplexy is the answer to many men who call for the mowing machine as soon as they come home of a summer evening. On the other hand, a little lawn mowing for the lady of the house is often advisable. Her indoor tasks are light, and many a housewife takes insufficient exercise. For reducing from 175 pounds which is too much, to 160, which is about right, there is nothing so good or so economical as lawn mowing for any woman who dislikes rigid dieting. This information deserves to be as widely broadcast as the physician's warning. The latter may save the lives of innumerable husbands, while the application of herself to a lawn mower should be the means of bringing down the specific gravity of any wife who

finds herself exceeding the measurements of the Venus de Milo.—State Press in Dallas News.

We give the above space not because we think any of the ladies of Big Spring would let their hard-working husbands mow the lawn after a hard day at the domino table or talking politics on the street corner, but The Herald has a wide and extended circulation and some outsider may see it and thereby save a husband. Most of the ladies in Big Spring learned long ago that pushing a lawn mower was great for reducing and even if there was no danger in losing a husband by such strenuous work after he has labored hard all day they would still do this work for the sake of getting that young and willowy form.

Sun burn...Use Ungeuntine.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

CONSOLIDATE COUNTY SCHOOLS IN 2 DISTRICTS

Several schools in Howard county are considering consolidation, the Gayhill and Dorwood districts, about 20 miles northeast of Big Spring, have recently voted 20 to 14 in favor of consolidation. Plans are to build a handsome new school building of brick, for two teachers to be located near the geographical center of the new district. Specifications for the building will be made, bonds will be voted and it is expected that the school house will be ready for the fall term of school.

Other districts have voted down the motion of consolidation.

Don't Be Embarrassed By Skin Diseases

Use Blue Star Soap to clean the affected parts, then apply Blue Star Remedy. It penetrates the skin, kills out the germs, stops the itching at once, and restores most cases to a healthy condition. Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ringworm, Sore Blistered Feet, Sunburns, Old Skin Sores—all of these have yielded to its wonderful healing power. 60c and \$1.00 a Jar; Soap 25c, at

J. D. SILES

Our cigars are always soft.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

AGAIN THE YOUNGER

GENERATION

If there is any one subject that is always good copy for modern periodicals, copy that can be made attractive to almost every class of readers, it is a treatment, fair or biased, of "the younger generation." Magazines and newspapers have been quick to take advantage of what they term a "sure-fire" feature. The field is a broad one. There is practically no end to the number of ways it may be attacked and the writer who is paid by the number of words he writes has worked the inroads overtime—but devised new ones when the old cease to register with the wielder of the editorial scissors.

Young, old and middle-aged are quick to devour anything in type that deals with what apparently is a fascinating subject. The young people delight in reading about themselves. They may be interested—or only amused, depending upon the mood in which they might happen to be at the time of reading. Older people may read to agree with the writer, or to disagree. But in any case all have been doing the same thing since the printed word came into existence, and it is probable that before that time conversation was never without such a discussion.

To decry the actions of the "younger people" as "unmoral, forboding deterioration of the race, immodest" or what-not or to see "a new freedom and a new order of things" which works for the betterment of the race, it makes little difference to the social order, for it must evolve and in the meantime the newspapers and magazines must show a profit for their owners.

A letter writing contest was recently conducted by a widely circulated national magazine on the subject, "What I Think of the Younger Generation." Three prizes were awarded for three distinct opinions. The first prize went to the writer of a dissertation of a few paragraphs entitled "I am a flapper and proud

of it." It started off characteristically as follows: "I am one of those pink-cheeked, short-skirted, bobbed-haired bandits known as the 'modern flapper.' I am glad of it."

The second letter represented the opinion of an older person who blamed the parents for the "waywardness" of youth. "I think the present generation has too little responsibility at home, too many distractions outside, too much spending money, and too little parental control—for none of which they are personally to blame," was the way the writer put it. A third, member of the younger generation, struck a note of regret and declared that the young people should be ashamed of themselves. "Are we of the younger generation," the writer asked, "measuring up in the way we should, considering the training and education which have been our heritage? It seems to me we are not."

So again the reader is left with three opinions at variance. So again there has been placed in black and white some more interesting copy. But still the younger generation follows its natural bent, just as it did ten, a hundred, a thousand years ago.—Exchange.

BIG CUCUMBERS GROWN HERE BY R. W. McNEW

What we call really large cucumbers were brought to the Herald office Wednesday afternoon by R. W. McNew, who resides on a farm fourteen miles northwest of Big Spring on the Lamesa Highway. Two cucumbers, each about a foot long, tipped the scales at four pounds and they are really whoppers. Mr. McNew stated that these two large cucumbers grew without irrigation, the rainfall that visited his place was sufficient to boost their growth to this size.

Such cucumbers as these are fine eating, we say.

Mrs. G. L. Brown returned Wednesday from a visit in Dallas.

Read the display ads in The Herald

No. 362

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

First State Bank

at Coahoma, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th June 1926, published in the Big Spring Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Big Spring, State of Texas, on the 16th day of July, 1926.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	\$ 120.00
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	200.00
Bonds, stocks and other securities, Federal Reserve Bank stock	100.00
Real Estate (banking house)	50.00
Furniture and Fixtures	20.00
Cash on hand	10.00
Due from approved reserve agents	10.00
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1.00
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1.00
TOTAL	\$120.00

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50.00
Certified Surplus Fund	10.00
Undivided Profits, net	10.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	1.00
Individual Deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	74.00
Time Certificates of Deposit	1.00
Public Funds on Deposit:	
State	\$ 5,000.00
School	293.44
Total	\$120.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	1.00
TOTAL	\$120.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard,
We, J. B. Wheat, as President, and Claud Wolf, as Cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. B. WHEAT, President.
CLAUD WOLF, Cashier.

CORRECT ATTEST:

J. L. COLLINS
A. W. ROWE
M. N. BROWN, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July A. D. 1926.
(S) J. H. SULLIVAN, Notary Public, Howard Co.

FREE ICE CREAM SUPPER AND PUBLIC SPEAKING

There will be a free ice cream supper and public speaking at the Lucien Wells school house two miles west of the Lees Store tonight, (Friday), July 16. All candidates in Glasscock county will be given an opportunity to present their claims to the voters and candidates from Howard county are also cordially invited.

Judge Charles L. Klapproth of

Midland will be the principal speaker of the evening.

A general good time is expected and the public is extended an invitation to be there. Plans for ice cream and cake for refreshment.

B. T. Parr and family returned Tuesday from a two weeks trip to points in South Texas.

Le Gears poultry medicine is

Big Revival Meeting



MRS. EZRA JACKS

GOOD MUSIC



GEO. B. KELLEMS

GOOD SINGING



EZRA JACKS

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH BEGINNING JULY 18th

Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

West Texas National Bank

in the State of Texas, at the close of Business June 30, 1926.

RESOURCES

Cash and cash items owned.....	\$491,957.01
U. S. securities owned.....	50,000.00
State securities, etc., owned.....	4,027.61
Real estate owned.....	50,000.00
Loans on collateral.....	40,405.28
Loans on Federal Reserve Bank.....	31,539.79
Loans on other than Federal Reserve Bank.....	31,821.75
Loans on State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13).....	5,100.23
Loans on banks in the same city or town as the bank (other than item 12).....	5,826.43
Loans on banks in other cities or towns (other than items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13).....	\$ 42,748.41
Loans on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town as the bank.....	393.20
Loans on U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2,500.00
Total.....	\$713,581.30

LIABILITIES

Capital paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus.....	50,000.00
Reserve fund.....	\$ 35,986.47
Loans payable.....	\$ 24,346.46
Loans on collateral.....	11,640.01
Loans on Federal Reserve Bank.....	633.91
Loans on other than Federal Reserve Bank.....	50,000.00
Loans on State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than items 23 or 24).....	29,086.67
Loans on banks in the same city or town as the bank (other than item 23).....	5,206.49
Loans on banks in other cities or towns (other than items 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28).....	6,985.27
Loans on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town as the bank.....	41,278.43
Loans on U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	308,497.39
Loans on other than U. S. Treasurer.....	24,500.00
Loans on U. S. Treasurer.....	75,242.74
Loans on other than U. S. Treasurer.....	411,240.13
Loans on U. S. Treasurer.....	75,000.00
Loans on other than U. S. Treasurer.....	23,748.82
Loans on U. S. Treasurer.....	40.00
Loans on other than U. S. Treasurer.....	\$713,581.30

County of Howard, ss:

I, the undersigned, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear

that the above is a true and correct statement of the condition of the bank as of the date hereinbefore stated.

ROBT. F. FINER, Cashier.

W. E. BRACON

W. E. STOKES

W. E. STOKES, Directors.

and others to before me this 5th day of June, 1926.

W. E. STOKES, Notary Public.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Robinson of Toyah visited relatives in this city Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Herbert Green of Portales, N. M., is visiting friends in this city.

The Hotel Stenographer



"T'S a nice day outside," remarked the Hotel Stenographer as she removed her coat, shook her umbrella and prepared to go to work.

"I don't think," agreed the House Detective.

"I know you don't, Kelly," answered the girl. "That's the reason you are a success as a house cop and with the ladies. All the old hens in this hotel cackle around you like you had your pockets full of corn. That's because you don't think, too. Kelly, no woman likes to have a man think in her presence. It is like closing a door in her face. As long as a man talks to a woman he does not have to think. In fact, he better not or she will interrupt him."

"When he stops to think he gets her all fussed up, because a woman always acts on impulse without thinking. While a man is paused to think, she is worried sick for fear he is going to put his brains to the problem before them in which case she always gets the worst of it."

"As long as a man is talking, she can keep up with him. But when he stops to think, he's got her buffaloed. That's why men get into so many messes with women. Women will not let them stop and think. Lots of men walk home from women's houses talking to themselves because they did not stop to think. Alimony, matrimony, hush-money and a lot of other male complications have their origin in women's ability to keep men talking and not thinking."

"But a man like you, Kelly, whose face states that thinking is not your habit, is a great bit with my sex. Most men of your type haven't anything to lose, it's true, but what little there is they are willing to lose it, and that's all any woman asks of any man."

"What are you doing? Trying to kid me?" asked the House Detective.

"No," said the girl sadly, "Just doing it and making you think I am not."

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The Better Way

"You are threatened with heart failure. I think I can cure you."

"Very well, doctor. What is your fee?"

"I had better tell you that after I effect a cure."

There's more power in that Good Gulf Gasoline.

AN ABBREVIATED STORY



THE LAST OF THE RACE

THE time was 1943, and the place was the Zoological Gardens. Feeding time was near, and hungry sounds filled the air—the bawling of pippylions, the shrill piping of semicolons, the rectangular shouts of Mexican gaiters.

The visitors stopped suddenly. In a carefully guarded enclosure two aged and strange-looking animals plodded silently to and fro, swishing long weird-looking tails.

"Well, of all things! What on earth can they be?" exclaimed one.

"They look absolutely impossible," cried two.

"Let's ask a keeper," said three.

"Why," said the keeper, "them's very rare and valuable animals, them is. Them's the only living specimens of malt-fed hosses. They're thirty year old and they were captured in 1920 in the streets of Milwaukee. Malt-fed hosses, that's what them is!"

Marveling greatly, the visitors passed on to the cage of the shimmyming gimicks.

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"CROSS"

THIS is a word which from early childhood we used to describe ill temper or harshness or a disagreeable mood. Yet there is no etymological derivation to be found to justify this significance.

Our practice of calling a spiking or an angry person "cross" goes back to the pictorial representation of a cross, its two lines crossing or in opposition to each other. It was this physical disagreement of the horizontal and the vertical line, no doubt, which inspired the old expression or colloquialism, "don't cross him."

"Crossing" some one meant an altercation. Hence the term "cross" to describe such a frame of mind.

(Copyright.)

Jamieson produces about one-third of the world's banana supply.

A few cents spent in foot powder will be well spent....Cunningham & Phillips.

INVENTORY

An exchange suggests that as this is the time of the year when business enterprises take the mid-year inventory, it would not be a bad idea for a good many individuals to do the same thing.

An excellent suggestion. Every individual should take an inventory every six months at least. It helps him to clear away the debris of his mistakes and to avoid the pitfalls of error in the future.

As a normal human being, you'll probably conduct your inventory something like this:

"Well, I learned a good lesson when the vegetable season came on this spring—overate on three or four items and made myself sick. A regular glutton. Like a durned hog, I was. Hereafter I'm going to remember this experience and try to control my springtime appetite for greens."

"No more hooch for me, either. Got a little too much of the stuff and made a fool of myself right before the folks. A horse hasn't any more sense than to eat loco weed, but I'm no horse, and I can keep from drinking loco juice."

"No more installment buying until I get out from under what I already have. Great gosh, a fellow's wages are spoken for before he earns 'em!"

"I'm through being a confirmed grouch, too. It doesn't pay and besides it's boorish. I can see where I've lost business by being short-spoken and hot-tempered. It doesn't pay."

"Another thing I'm going to quit doing and that's contributing more to various things than I can afford. It's nice to be charitable and public-spirited but a man's first duty is to his family."

These and similar self-examinations and resolutions would be out of place about twice a year.—Abilene Reporter.

OH, NO, MR. WELLS

Marriage is all right for the peasantry, declares Mr. H. G. Wells, the noted British author, but under modern conditions it doesn't work out so nicely.

One of the reasons he advances is that women now have little housework to do, what with electrical appliances and all that, and he suggests that they ought to find some work outside the home. Let a woman try one husband after another until, eventually, she finds the

proper mate and a task she can share with him, is his hypothesis.

We fear Mr. Wells has struck a foul tip this time. What we need is not so much casting about with one husband and another, or one wife and another, but a little plain knowledge and common sense.

Simply because both the wife and husband are employed outside the home, is that just cause for tripping from flower to flower until the sort of honey that just satisfies the taste is found?

And, after it is found, then what? Aren't we right back where we started, with an old-fashioned marriage and all that on our hands again? No matter what you call your mating, there is just one kind of mate to meet your need.—Abilene Reporter.

TITLE INSURANCE Talk No. 1

The abstract showed a true copy or brief of all instruments of record, from the State down to seller, releases, deeds and every thing, to One-quarter section of land in Howard county, 150 acres, and a good attorney passed the title as good and merchantable as reflected by the abstract.

Years ago, however, when the country was fenced, this 150 acres was left short, and was only 120 acres, but the abstract could not show this, and the attorney passed on the title as reflected by the abstract.

The purchaser lost the price of 40 acres, or about \$1600.00, and yet he tried to play safe. He should have had his Title Insured, and such loss would have been on the Insuring Company. This may happen to you.

There are a number of ways whereby a man may have a perfect abstract, and a good merchantable title, and yet lose the whole of his title, or part of the same.

Title Insurance Policies of the Fidelity Union Casualty Company are written by the BIG SPRING ABSTRACT CO., Clyde E. Thomas, Manager.—advertisement, 41

Mrs. Ed Gillespie and children, Theron and Edlene, of Handley, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. D. Boydston and other relatives for three weeks.

Teeth: Are the cause of lots of bad health...See your Dentist twice a year....Cunningham & Phillips.

Big Spring Herald

BY T. E. JORDAN



\$2.00 A YEAR IN COUNTY
\$2.50 A YEAR OUTSIDE COUNTY

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Big Spring, Friday, July 15, 1926

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the editor.

Announcement Column

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24, 1926.

For County and District Clerk:
J. I. PRICHARD

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

FRANK HOUSE

(Re-election)

ANDREW J. MERRICK

B. F. (Bud) McKINNEY

RUBE MARTIN

For County Judge:

H. R. DEENPORT

(Re-election)

W. CARROLL BARNETT

For Tax Assessor:

ANDERSON BAILEY

(Re-election)

MRS. W. W. SATTERWHITE

For County Treasurer:

E. G. TOWLER

W. A. PRESCOTT

D. F. PAINTER

A. G. THROOP

MISS ZOU HARDY

For County Attorney, Howard Co.:

JAMES LITTLE

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:

ALGEN A. BARNETT JR.

ALGIE SMITH

LEM STALLINGS

J. W. CARPENTER

SMITH M. McKINNON

ALBERT EDENS

E. J. STOVALL

JOHN ORY

CHARLES C. NANCE

A. T. LLOYD

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:

O. C. BAYES

A. H. BUGG

JOE STOKES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:

J. S. McCRIGHT

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

G. H. PORCH

J. O. ROSSER

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:

WALTER COFFEE

TOM HOLLER

W. B. SNEED

Candidate for Constable, Precinct 1:

W. B. DAY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:

K. G. BIRKHEAD

FRANK LOVELESS

(Re-election)

H. C. REID

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

W. L. LEMMONS

(Re-election)

A. P. KASCH

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and ELECTRIC WORK
and ITS SUPPLIES

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The Shop that Pleases



A remedy for sick turkeys.....
Cunningham & Phillips

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows: (creating new Section.)

"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred (\$100.00) dollars valuation as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient to meet the deficit from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws; and all such school districts may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (\$1.00) dollar on the hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have written or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

(A Correct Copy.) 40-41

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 and Section 46 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit officers of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold public office in Texas.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States; except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

Sec. 2. That Section 46 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the

State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument, except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public, and Postmaster, officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States."

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States," and:

"Against the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16, Section 58 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained and experienced officer, or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

Section 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 3, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words, "For the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

Section 4. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State, and not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

(A Correct Copy.) 40-41

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1926, at

which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county, to the same extent as land privately owned," and "Against the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county to the same extent as land privately owned."

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.

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CHURCHES

CHURCH OF GOD

Corner 10th and Main Streets
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Meeting each Sunday 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.
C. Y. D. meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Everyone is invited and welcome to be with us.
G. B. WALTERS, Pastor
Residence, Corner Main and 10th.
Phone 682-J.

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207 West Fourth Street
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
Tuesday 4 p. m. Ladies Bible Study.
Thursday 7:15 p. m. Bible Study.
A hearty welcome awaits you.

E. THIRD ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner East Third and Goliad Streets
REV. D. G. WELLS, Pastor
Services each Sunday.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. M. H. Morrison, Superintendent.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday night.
A welcome awaits you.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner Main and Sixth Streets
D. H. HEARD, Pastor
Res. 1411 Scurry Street
Phones: Res. 492; church 460
Services Each Sunday
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Mid-week service Wed. 8 p. m.
Women meet each Monday, 8:30.
Strangers especially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Corner Main and Fifth Street
R. L. OWEN, Pastor
Phone 369
Services each Sabbath, except the third.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 o'clock.
Evening worship 8 o'clock.
Mid-week service, 8 p. m. Wed.
A glad-hand welcomes YOU.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

W. C. HINDS, Pastor
Residence 404 Scurry Street
Sunday services:
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Epworth League, 7 p. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
All services are being held temporarily in the District Court room at the Court House.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Main Street on North Side
REV. KISTNER, Pastor
Mass every second and fourth Sunday at 10 a. m.
Strangers especially invited.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

5th and Scurry Streets
GEO. J. RUTH, Minister
Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Res. 506 Runnels St. Phone 96
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
You are always welcome and we will try to make you feel at home.
Make First Christian Your Church.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

St. Mary's Church
501 Runnels Street
FRANK H. STEDMAN, Rector
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Prayer 11 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hathway returned last Friday at noon from a visit with relatives and friends in Sweetwater. Enroute home they hit the big rain, hail and wind storm that damaged Roscoe, and had to pull mud for some distance.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Lee and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Duke and Mrs. Lawrence Simpson and children left Monday morning for the Davis mountains, where they expect to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Riley Burns left Monday morning overland for a month's visit in Los Angeles and other points in California.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Manuel of Wichita, Kansas, arrived last Friday morning, via automobile, for a visit in this city with his brother, J. M. Manuel and family.

Miss Vera Hall of Abilene has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Hurt this week.

T. E. Palor returned Friday from a vacation trip to Wichita Falls.



IT is natural that you should look to Authorized Ford Dealer in your purchase of a used Ford car -- he is the authority on Ford value.

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Big Spring, Texas



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Phone 387

Big Spring

SWEETWATER VOTES BONDS FOR NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS

In a special election held in Sweetwater last Friday the bond issue for new schools carried by a majority of votes and now Sweetwater will have a new \$175,000 high school building with about \$50,000 available for improvements at the ward schools. Plans for the new school will go forward as soon as specifications can be prepared. Construction should begin in the early fall. Great interest was aroused over the election as was shown by the 783 votes cast. Sweetwater recently voted bonds for the erection of a new city hall.

Soap...One dollar a dozen.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

A young woman met a man who had just returned from his father and mother. In this plump June the young man came into his own. "See," he mused, "this house do you realize 'Sir,' she cried, 'I don't side of any house.'"

Miss Florence Gentry while attending the California at Berkeley of Mrs. J. W. Ward.

Can those not help Write box 277. In advertisement. 43-44

Carry home Cunningham & Phillips.

OFFICIAL BALLOT.

I AM A DEMOCRAT, AND PLEDGE MYSELF TO SUPPORT THE NOMINEES OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

WILLIAM JOHNSTON of Bexar County
WILLIAM H. WILMANS of Dallas County
WILLIAM A. FERGUSON of Bell County
WILLIAM DAVIDSON of Harris County

County Governor:
WILLIAM MILLER of Dallas County

County Sheriff:
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WILLIAM POLLARD of Harris County
WILLIAM W. HORNSBY of Travis County
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County Public Accounts:
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County Clerk:
WILLIAM G. GARRETT of Dallas County
WILLIAM JOHNSON of Jones County
WILLIAM HATCHER of Dallas County
WILLIAM CHRISTIAN JR. of Bexar County
WILLIAM WALKER of Stephens County
WILLIAM HALL of Fannin County
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WILLIAM HUMPHRIES of Hockley County
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WILLIAM X. HARRIS of Travis County

County Commissioner of Agriculture:
WILLIAM BOLIN of Morris County
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County General Land Office:
WILLIAM ROBINSON of Morris County
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County Commissioner:
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WILLIAM R. SPEER of Dallas County

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County Court of Criminal Appeals:
WILLIAM F. PIERSON of Dallas County
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County Court of 10th Congressional District:
WILLIAM H. HUDSPETH of El Paso County

County Court of Civil Appeals, District:
WILLIAM FANNILL of Erath County

County Court of Civil Appeals, District:
WILLIAM L. LESLIE of Mitchell County
WILLIAM R. LITTLER of Eastland County

County Court:
WILLIAM R. DAVENPORT of Eastland County
WILLIAM R. RIDGELL of Stephens County

County Attorney for 32nd Judicial District:
WILLIAM T. BROOKS of Howard County

Representative 81st Leg. District:

J. H. BOGGS of Tom Green County

County Judge of Howard County:

W. CARROLL BARNETT
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County and District Clerk of Howard County:

J. I. PRICHARD

Sheriff and Tax Collector:

RUBE S. MARTIN
ANDREW MERRICK
FRANK HOUSE
B. F. McKINNEY

Tax Assessor:

ANDERSON BAILEY
LULA S. SATTERWHITE

County Treasurer:

(Miss) ZOU HARDY
A. G. THROOP
DAN F. PAINTER
E. G. TOWLER
W. A. PRESCOTT

County Attorney:

JAMES LITTLE

County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1:

A. H. BUGG
JOE STOKES
O. C. BAYES

County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2:

J. S. McCRIGHT

County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3:

G. H. PORCH
J. O. ROSSER

County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4:

W. B. SNEED
TOM HOLLER
W. D. COFFEE

Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1:

J. W. CARPENTER
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ALGIE SMITH
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FRANK LOVELESS
K. G. BIRKHEAD
H. C. REID

Justice of Peace of Precinct No. 1:

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Constable of Precinct No. 1:

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G. B. CUNNINGHAM

Courteous Service FOR 36 YEARS

Statement June 30, 1926

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$706,716.38
U. S. and Other Bonds.....	85,000.00
Banking House, Furn. & Fixtures.....	20,000.00
Redemption Fund.....	2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.....	4,500.00
CASH.....	142,142.64
	<hr/> \$960,859.02

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	137,578.30
Circulation.....	50,000.00
DEPOSITS.....	723,280.72
	<hr/> \$960,859.02

RESOURCES MORE THAN \$950,000.00

PROGRESSIVE SAFE LIBERAL
The First National Bank.
OF BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS.

Save Your Savings With Our Bank

Saving is the reward of labor.
All labors are lost if,
First of all you do not make use of
Every means of protection at your disposal of
The safe-keeping of the fruits of
Vour life of labor and self-denial.
Faith in the institution which you entrust your savings
Is an important thing to consider.
Remember that our customers'
Savings are cared for and protected by
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BIG SPRING TEXAS

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WAGE STABILITY

Our immigration restrictions have been subject for careful study by employers fearing that the lessening of the supply of imported labor through the immigration quota laws might affect costs and facilities of production. Studies conducted by the National Industrial Conference Board, however, tend to meet this apprehension. These show that though the new supply of heavy, unskilled labor has been sharply curtailed since the immigration laws went into effect, this curtailment has been largely offset by increased productivity of our manufacturing enterprises due to better management; and greater utilization of technical improvements.

Production mounted 42 per cent. During a period recently under investigation while the number of workmen employed in the establishment in question increased only 16 per cent, showing that we need not fear for output even though unlimited supplies of crude labor are no longer pouring in through our ports. This increase in productivity has characterized the entire decade since 1915 but has been marked during the later years.

In another respect the studies of the Board are encouraging. They indicate that wages, which fluctuated more violently up and down during the decade 1915-1925 than during any corresponding period in our economic history, are now becoming more stable. From 1915 to 1923 wages were marked first by rapid rises, then equally rapid declines. Now the general trend is upward but unmarked during the past two years, according to the Board, by the violent fluctuations of the preceding years. — Muskegon Chronicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Phillips left Sunday night for a several weeks vacation to be spent in Denver, Salt Lake, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Hay Fever: Sometimes a few drops of Estivin will relieve you, when placed in the eye.....Cunningham & Phillips.

The middle colonies reared their scarecrows. The French might fear a rising power and unite with England to divide the colonies as possessions. The campaign might be unsuccessful, and "it might be better to propose an alliance with Great Britain while our affairs wear a hopeful aspect."

It was the dreaded offer of compromise. It was the time to call for the test, the showdown. Lee called for it.

"Vote now," he demanded, three days after he had introduced his resolutions, "and let the dissenters take their time."

Lee had taken the way great things are done. The colonies voted, seven to five, to let Jefferson head a committee and go ahead with the framing of a Declaration of Independence. Thus the way was paved for that first great July Fourth. Thus the way is paved for every great advance, for every new movement, by "voting now and letting the dissenters take their time." — Abilene Reporter.

B. N. Ralph and family and J. P. Meador and family returned Sunday from a fishing trip on the North and South Llano Rivers.

Herald want ads get results.

PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS WILL HOLD 3-DAY CONVENTION

Primitive Baptists of this section of West Texas are preparing for a three-day convention to be held in Coahoma beginning the first Sunday in August. The people will camp on the grounds, and this will be a great meeting. Some of the leading ministers of the denomination will be in attendance.

B. T. Hale, prominent Midland farmer, is in charge of the committee.

CATHOLIC BIBLE

Any amount of Catholic Bibles in both English and Spanish, can be had at cost (\$1.50 and up) through Rev. S. Kistner, O. M. I. 41-3t.

MULES FOR SALE

Have some extra good work mules for sale. Phone the Guitler ranch or see George White, 911 Gregg street. 29 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Shick left Saturday morning for a two weeks vacation to be spent visiting relatives and friends in Eastland, Weatherford and Fort Worth.

Heat: Prickly heat powder cools and soothes the most delicate skin.....Cunningham & Phillips.

OPENING DAY

We are opening a market, grocery, and produce business in the Estes building on Main street, and kindly invite you to call on us in the new location, look us over, and investigate the store from a sanitary standpoint, as well as a place to save money. We expect to specialize on meat products and market supplies in this store, but will try to carry everything good to eat and keep the best that can be had.

For Saturday July 17th, we offer:

MARKET SPECIALS:

Round Steak	22 1-2c	Chuck Roast	15c
T-bone and Loin	25c	Sausage	25c
Shoulder Steak	20c	Cured Ham	60c
Prime Rib Roast	17 1-2c	Pork Roast	30c
Pork Chops	30c		

2 1-2 lb. Yellow Cling Peaches, heavy syrup	25c
1 lb. can Good Sliced Pineapple	20c
Libby's Pork and Beans, 3 cans for	25c
Lima Beans, per pound	15c
No. 1 Van Camp's Sifted Peas, 13c, 2 for	25c
4-oz. Plain Queen Olives	15c
4-oz. Stuffed Queen Olives, 18c, 2 for	35c
8-oz. Stuffed Queen Olives, for	30c
El Food Salad Dressing	30c
A good Thousand Island Dressing for	30c
One brand 1-qt. Sour Pickles	30c
One brand, 1-qt. Sweet Pickles	35c

EXTRA OFFER!

A five pound bag of pure cane sugar for 25c with every purchase of \$5.00 worth of other merchandise and a ten pound bag of sugar for 50c with every purchase of \$10.00 worth. No charging. No deliveries. A personal inspection will make it much more satisfactory from every viewpoint, both to you and to us.

With an abiding faith in the future of Big Spring, and this section of West Texas, and believing that we can render a service to this community in this new venture, we have launched, we invite your trade and most of all your good will. For the present, we are

The White House

J. B. PICKLE, Proprietor

'GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR AND PAY FOR WHAT YOU GET'

"THE BLACKBIRD," CHANEY'S LATEST THRILLER ON SCREEN

Lon Chaney, "King of Character," has again made good his claim to his unique title in "The Black Bird." Chaney as the queer fakir of "The Miracle Man," the legless villain of "The Penalty," the pathetic half-animal of "The Hunchback of Notre-Dame," the spectral horror of "The Phantom of the Opera," or as the villainous "Professor Echo" of the "The Unholy Three," has in his every role presented a person so different and so original that the real Lon Chaney has never been known.

In "The Black Bird" at the R. & R. Lyric theater Monday and Tuesday, July 19 and 20, he presents the North and South Poles of dramatic characterization—a villain of the darkest hue on one hand—a near-saint on the other.

It is a startling metamorphosis one sees in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mystery play. As "The Black Bird," czar of the Limehouse underworld, he is a vicious, dangerous criminal, venomous as an adder. As "The Bishop," crippled worker in a Limehouse rescue mission, he reflects a love of humanity that almost beautifies him. It is hard to believe one man could play two such different roles so that each fairly lives and breathes. But Chaney has done it, and, what is more, he has done it without make-up. Changes in facial expression, the adoption of characteristic mannerisms and the use of varying costumes have been his only aids in creating the two distinct personalities which he portrays so amazingly in this picture. The screen's man of a thousand faces has done his subtlest and most striking work in "The Black Bird."

The story is laid in the Limehouse district in London, and the battle of two crooks, one an underworld gangster ruler, the other a

suave confidence man from the upper crust, for the love of a French vaudeville performer in a cheap Limehouse music hall—a role played by Renee Adoree, remembered as the charming heroine of "The Big Parade." The ramifications of the plot carry one into all conditions of London society, and the climax is a great smashing surprise.

Tod Browning has directed a remarkably clever cast in the new production. Renee Adoree suggests the late Anna Held as the butterfly of the footlights with the soul of a woman; Doris Lloyd of stage fame is adequate as an English singer of the Alice Lloyd type, and Owen Moore and his smooth villainy as the suave "English Eddy" are startlingly convincing. Eric Mayne, Sidney Bracy, Andy MacLennan, William Weston and others are seen in realistic roles, and Polly Moran, comic heroine of yore, adds sparkling comedy relief throughout.

STERLING COUNTY OIL NEWS

Owen and Sloan Chalk No. 1, on section 113, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., 24 miles northwest of here and a few hundred feet east of the discovery well reached the pay sand Wednesday. The well has not been gauged yet, but is said to be at least as good as the discovery well.

Ben Case who has the contract for drilling the Joe Edgar Roberts well on section 111, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., in Mrs. Dora Roberts pasture, 26 miles northwest of here, will spud in Saturday, so it is reported.

H. C. Bruce has made application to plug the Deep Rock Clark No. 1, on section 17, block 15, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 8 miles southeast of here, at 3011 feet. Drilling was suspended in hard lime.

being plugged at 3050 feet in hard lime.

The Exploration Broome well on section 21, block 11, S. P. Ry. Co., 9 miles southeast of here, is fishing around 1000 feet. Lime was struck at 908 feet and it is expected that the pay sand will be found around 1200 feet. This well is a little over two miles north of the Rumble No. 2, which came in two months ago a good shallow producer.

The California Davis No. 1, on section 288, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 3-4 of a mile north of the town limits, is drilling in hard lime past 2915 feet. Sterling City News-Record.

WORK ON NEW WATER MAINS COMPLETED

The work of putting in the new water mains for the city of Big Spring and of removing the old mains has been completed by the W. L. Supulver Co. of Sweetwater. This job is considered a very fine piece of work, well done.

In addition to the new pipe laid, the former water mains were unearthed, and the pipe will be used to extend the service to the south part of the city.

WILL SPEAK HERE FOR LYNCH DAVIDSON

Hon. Claude Miller of Waco, one of the best stump speakers in the State will address the voters of Howard county on Saturday afternoon, July 17, at 3 o'clock on the courthouse lawn. The public is cordially invited to attend this speaking for it will be a treat for our citizens. Come and hear Mr. Miller at the courthouse Saturday at 3 p. m.

W. W. Rix and Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Etison, who have been visiting relatives and friends here the past few days, left Wednesday for their homes in Lubbock and Plainview.

A GOOD LITTLE KID

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

SHE makes lots of noise lots of times,
At times when you're trying to read;
She asks you for nickels and dimes
For things she can't possibly need.
She doesn't do things she is told,
And does do the things you forbid,
And all of the day you must scold—
And yet she's a good little kid.

Her noise—well, it's innocent noise,
It's healthy, and happy, and glad;
She's rough, she's as rough as the boys,
And yet—well, it's nothing that's bad.
She doesn't say "Yes, ma'am" and "sir"
The way that you wish that she did;
You're worried a bit over her—
And yet she's a good little kid.

We worry a lot over things
That really don't matter so much;
And then ends the day, and it brings
The night with its tendered touch.
Then down on your knees you will fall,
Forgetting the things that she did—
For deep in your heart, after all,
You know she's a good little kid.
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As Told by Irvin S. Cobb

ENOUGH'S ENOUGH

IN SEPTEMBER of 1918 Col. Roseman Bulger, then a major in charge of the press bureau of the A. E. F., was driving in his car up toward the front on the afternoon of a day when there had been hard fighting with the stubborn Germans. Limping down the high road on the way from the forward trenches to rest billets came a company of infantry, or what was left of it, just relieved after more than a week of practically continuous service under fire.

The officer in command was a lanky youth of perhaps twenty-two whose face was gray with exhaustion where it was not yellow with streakings of dried mud. He saluted Bulger, asking for something to smoke. He had been without tobacco, he said, for four days—without food, too, for most of that time; but tobacco was what he mainly craved.

Bulger left his car and he and the youth sat down together in a convenient shell hole to pass the time of day. Between long, grateful puffs on a cigarette of Bulger's providing, the youth discoursed of his recent experiences in the slow drawl of a south-westerner.

"Major," he said, "we've had it pretty terrible tough these last few days—the Germans shelling us day and night, communication interrupted and liaison broken, nochow to speak of, no nothing, no nothing except mud and wet and the chances of being blown into little scraps."

"As a matter of fact, I've had pretty rough shelling ever since I got over here, and that's more than a year ago. I haven't had any leave—they seem to have overlooked me when they were passing out the trips to Paris and other places—and I've been working my head off when I wasn't in the line on active duty. And now, finally, to top off with, we have this week up front."

"Where are you from?" asked Bulger.

"Texas," replied the youth. "Yes, sir, I was teaching school down there when we got into this war. I had a mother dependent on me, and while I wanted to go and do my bit I thought it better on my mother's account that I should wait until the draft took me. But while I was trying to decide Senator Morris Sheppard of our state came to our town and made a recruiting speech. He said it was high time we were satisfying our national honor. Well, sir, that phrase hit me right where I lived. The next day I went in as a volunteer, and after a spell I got a commission—and here I am, sitting in a mud hole in France."

"Major, I don't regret having done what I did do. If it was to do over again I reckon I wouldn't hesitate. But, major, as I look back on what I've gone through with ever since I landed, and more especially on what's happened to me lately, I don't mind telling you, in strict confidence, that my national honor is darn near satisfied!"

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I'll say they fit!



Stepping Right Along

Say bud, I'm on my second mile now and goin' strong. These new Florsheims feel so fine, it's a joy to walk in them. Got the highest mileage rate for the money of any kicks I ever wore. And pipe their class. They get more admiring looks than my diamond pin. I'm not dishin' the applesauce when I say I'm mighty glad I bought 'em.

\$10.00 and \$11.00

WEAR FLORSHEIMS AT ALL TIMES

New Shoes

that go traveling smartly

The "Laridus"

\$9.50

A patent leather with a chic underlay of mottled cobra and with a bright red ring in its strap—a new Parisian touch.



Rainbow French Tie

\$10.50

Patent tie very daintily trimmed with gold, brown and red with parchment underlay on quarter, 17/8 spike heel. See them.

LaMar Tie-Pe \$11.50

Let it tell its own story on your foot! The number yet in the parchment shade spike heel.



PHONE 400

Albert M. Fisher

BIG SPRING NEEDS A BETTER HOTEL

E. H. JOSEY

BUILDER

of "BETTER HOMES"

Alterations and Repairs

HERALD FORCE THREATENED TO SOME FINE GREEN CORN

Our farmer friends have been very thoughtful of us these days since their gardens have been furnishing them with all kinds of fresh vegetables, and we like to be remembered. On Saturday W. H. Robinson treated us to some ears of green corn, and they were unusually fine ones too. They were tender, juicy,

and good to the last kernel. Mr. Robinson has a green corn and the eating fast. The reason this section boasts a crop along considerably. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. David, and daughter, Louie, Mo., are guests visiting Mr. and Mrs. and family.

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Big Spring, Texas, Friday, July 16, 1926

By T. E. Jordan

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IN SOCIETY

SUNSHINE GIRLS HAVE SHOWER FOR RECENT BRIDE

The pretty home of Mrs. J. L. McDowell on Scurry street was the scene of a happy function on Tuesday evening, when the Sunshine Girls of the First Presbyterian church, entertained complimentary to Miss Lena Richardson, formerly Miss Lena Richardson, who was married on July 3. The recent bride is a member of this Sunday school class, of which Mrs. McDowell is teacher, and they chose to entertain the bride with a miscellaneous shower. Each member of the class brought the honoree a daintily wrapped package, which was placed in hiding until the appointed moment, when Little Miss Doris Cunningham and Temp Currie Jr., bore the gifts for the bride, on a prettily decorated tea cart.

Many beautiful pieces of linen and other lovely and practical gifts were received by the bride, and as she unwrapped each package to view its dainty contents, the other things were passed around for all the guests to see.

Pot plants placed here and there throughout the rooms lent floral charm and a white color scheme was carried out in the other decorations.

The dining table, exquisitely laid in an Italian centerpiece with the face of Cupid design, was centered with a beautifully decorated wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Each one cut her piece of cake, and lucky were those who got the ring, wishbone, and other symbols, which revealed to them a part of what the future held in store.

Honeymoon ice cream and angel food cake was served to the guests.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE ON FRIDAY EVENING

A very pretty party of last week end was given Friday evening when Miss Helen Hayden most delightfully entertained sixteen friends at bridge. Pretty cut flowers arranged in vases, lent their floral charm to the rooms of the home, where in four daintily appointed tables were set for the play.

In the series of interesting bridge games played, high score went to Carroll Barnett, and Jack Bishop was consoled for making low score with a booby prize.

At the refreshment hour, dainty luncheon covers were spread, and an attractive luncheon in one course was served to: Misses Frances Sullivan, Virginia Barnett, Irene Knaus, Lillian Jordan, Elza Jeanette Barnett, Lillie Mae Hayden, Jena Jordan and Mrs. W. B. Moore of San Angelo, and Blake Anderson, Pat Allen, Milburn Barnett, Jack Bishop, Carroll Barnett, Tot Hatch, Hubert Rutledge and Edmund Notestine.

LEAGUE MEMBERS ENJOY PICNIC AT NEW WELLS

A jolly good time was in order last Monday evening when a group of young people mostly members of the Senior League and their friends, drove to a pretty spot at the new wells, south of the city, and enjoyed a picnic. Games of drop-the-handkerchief, and others were played before eating time, and it gave the group a big appetite to satisfy when they started eating the delicious sandwiches, cake and punch. The lovely weather made the picnic all the more delightful and we feel sure that the League programs are all the more interesting in warm weather. Let us all be out to League next Sunday at 7:30, to enjoy the good program being prepared.

MRS. EDGAR MARTIN ENTERTAINS 1923 CLUB

Club members of the 1923 Bridge club were very graciously entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Edgar Martin, at her apartment on Main street, with only club members present.

At daintily appointed tables the guests found their places, and became engaged in a two hour play, with high score honor at the conclusion going to Miss Zou Hardy.

A pleasing aftermath to the play, was a salad course of unusual attractiveness, served at the refreshment hour to the twelve guests.

D. B. Cox and family left Wednesday for a visit to Austin and other points in that part of the State.

CHICKEN BARBECUE FOR OUT OF TOWN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Wilkinson most delightfully entertained on Wednesday evening, honoring their out of town visitors, Misses Madeline Ball and Lucille Stave of San Antonio, and Miss Ma Mae Tom of Stanton, giving a swimming party at Jones tank, followed by a chicken barbecue at the new wells south of the city.

After a delightful swim, the group drove to a lovely picnic spot, where they were served a most delightful picnic supper, of barbecued chicken and all of the trimmings that go with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson invited to enjoy this two-fold hospitality with their visitors: Maywood Rix, Lucille True, Vallia True, Winona Taylor, Julia Bess, Nowell, Alice Graham Bishop, Mrs. Jones Lamar of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Battle, Hank McDaniel, Ken Barnett, Bob Parks, Pancho Nall, Ted Rix, Buddie Agnell, Spec Williamson, Lefty Baber and Joe Carpenter.

"DAUGHTERS OF RUTH" ENTERTAIN WEDNESDAY

"The Daughters of Ruth," members of a Sunday School class of the First Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. T. S. Currie is teacher, entertained their friends with a picnic at the new wells on Wednesday evening, and a most enjoyable time was in order. Out of door games kept the merry group entertained until eating time, and a most bountiful picnic supper was spread for them to consume following the play. The menu consisted of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, olives, fruit salad, deviled eggs, iced tea, devil's food cake and ice cream cones.

Those enjoying this delightful outing were: Misses Allen Bunker, Mary Happpell, Stella Elliott, Pauline Sullivan, Allaena Sullivan, Leta Cochran, Marian Hutto, Estelle Hutto, Virginia Whitney, Doris Greaves, Ada Lingo, Agnes Currie, Dorothy and Louise Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie and son, Temp Jr.

PICNIC AT NEW WELLS ON THURSDAY EVENING

The new wells, south of the city, served as an ideal spot for a picnic, as was proven by the happy gathering there last Thursday evening, in honor of Mrs. Christine Hall and little daughter, Gladys, who are visitors here from Lubbock.

The "eats" prepared by the friends were plentiful, consisting of an assortment of sandwiches, potato chips, cakes, pies, salads, fruit punch and lemonade.

After the picnic supper, a jolly time ensued, when games were played, old time experiences reviewed and jokes exchanged. The happy affair was made complete by the enjoyable ride home.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Tripp and family, Mrs. Alice Kemmel, Mrs. James Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. George McNew and family, and Mrs. Christine Hall and daughter, Gladys.

SOCIAL DANCE AT ELKS HALL THURSDAY NIGHT

Quite a few couples of the social set of Big Spring enjoyed a dance at the Elks Hall last evening, Thursday, in response to invitations issued the early part of the week, by members of the local Elks lodge. The good dance music was one feature of the gay affair which if good is an assurance of a good time, and Bobbie Miller's orchestra is being handed the bouquets for the splendid dance music furnished.

Several out of town couples were seen on the floor.

CAMPBELL-CAUBLE

Jack Campbell and Miss Edith Cauble stole a march on their many friends in this community, when on last Sunday, July 11, they were married at Abilene, Texas. The contracting parties kept their plans a secret and did not inform relatives and friends of their intentions until after they were made man and wife. They will make their home in Abilene, where the groom has employment.

Their friend in Howard county extend congratulations and best wishes.

Misses Tommie and Willie Preston and three friends of Midland were visitors in Big Spring Wednesday evening.

TELEPHONE OFFICIALS ENTERTAINED WITH A PICNIC

On Tuesday evening the employees of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. entertained with chicken barbecue complimentary to their visiting officials, P. P. Snowden, district traffic chief, and N. F. Moore, district manager.

The employees with friends met at the office building at six-thirty and motored to the new wells where supper was prepared. After a delicious meal of barbecued chicken, toast, fresh tomatoes, fruit salad, pickles, ice cream and cake, many games were played. Music was enjoyed with Charleston numbers by Messrs Snowden and Moore. Both guests proved to be timely entertainers and their visit was thoroughly enjoyed.

Those attending this outing were: Misses Ruth Russell, Lois Clingan, Ruth Moore, Jessie and Clara Fisher, Grace Wilks, Fannie Gilmer, Pauline and Lillian Schubert; Messrs P. P. Snowden and N. F. Moore, Abilene, Cyril Willis, Ray Jenkins, Walter Coffee, W. J. Stewart, Walter Anguish, W. H. Bondurant.

CELEBRATES SEVENTH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

A happy group of youngsters assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Talbot on last Saturday afternoon to celebrate with "Sonny" Talbot his seventh birthday anniversary. Seventeen little boys and girls engaged in the out of door games that were the diversion during the hours of play, and merriment reigned supreme during this time.

At refreshment time the youngsters were invited into the dining room where a beautifully iced birthday cake topped with seven red candles centered the dining room table. The lighted candles were blown out by the little guests and each one cut his piece of cake, which was served with ice cream and soda pop.

"Sonny" was the recipient of many thoughtful gifts from his little friends.

IRISH POTATOES WILL GROW IN HOWARD COUNTY

From time to time the farmers throughout Howard county make certain agricultural tests, to see just what can be done with our soil, and in most cases have found out that almost every thing that they have tested out can be grown in this section. We have had it proven to us that head lettuce can be raised in this section, we have had proof of the fact that Howard county is a fine berry country, and garden products of the finest kind have been known to be raised in this county, and now we have another item to add to this list.

T. F. Nabors, successful Howard county farmer, who lives on the Gall road, three miles northeast of Big Spring, says that "Irish potatoes" can be grown in Howard county. To prove this statement Mr. Nabors brought several new potatoes to the Herald office Saturday that had been grown at his place and they were very fine. Mr. Nabors stated that he has been trying to raise potatoes in this county for about seventeen years, and it was only recently that he got them to do any good. Sending to Denver, Colo., he got potato eyes of the following species, Luther Burbank, Irish Cobler and Red River Triumph, and planted them at the same time. The Luther Burbank thrived, while the other varieties did not, and now he has a fine potato patch at his home that serves the family daily.

Now that this experiment has been tried and it is known that the potato can be successfully grown in Howard county, more of our farmers will probably plant potato patches for home consumption. We believe that there isn't a home in Howard county where potatoes are not eaten in fact, they are the principle dish around which every meal is planned in most families.

PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES

The three Circles will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the following hostesses:

King's Daughters with Mrs. O. Ducker.

Dorcas with Mrs. H. G. Whitney.

Whatsoever with Mrs. L. S. McDowell.

All of the members are urged to be present.

Miss Lula Elkins of Midland visited friends in this city the forepart of this week.

HEAR THE JACKS SING.



Evangelist Geo. B. Kellem, who will conduct the evangelistic campaign at the First Christian church, beginning Sunday night, comes from a family of preachers. He has been very successful as an evangelist, and many have been saved and added to the church. Those who heard him while in Big Spring several years ago, are glad to know he is returning, and his plain simple gospel sermons and Bible teaching appeal to all who hear him.

Extra Jacks and wife are among the best singers in the brotherhood, and are always eagerly sought for at the international conventions of the Disciples of Christ.



Their solos and duets, together with their pleasing personalities have never failed to win for them a host of friends where ever they have been engaged in work. They have been in many meetings in some of the largest churches in the country, and we are fortunate in being able to get them here.

Geo. B. Kellem and wife, with Ezra Jacks and wife, form one of the strongest and best evangelistic teams ever brought to Big Spring, and there is no reason why this should not be the greatest evangelistic campaign ever conducted in our city.

Meetings will be held every night beginning at 8:15 and everybody is given a cordial invitation to attend.

BIG SPRING LADIES WIN FROM SWEETWATER CLUB

The ladies ball team of the East Side Circle of the First Methodist church brought home the victory on last Thursday afternoon when they went to Sweetwater and played a snappy game with the Women's Business and Professional club of Sweetwater. The game was called during the third inning, due to a driving rain, and the score at this time stood 8 to 2 in favor of the local ball tossers.

The Big Spring players started off with a whizz, and during the first inning six scores were brought in by Miss Zou Hardy, Mrs. R. A. Gary, Mrs. George Mims, Mrs. Martha Moody, Mrs. Chas. Herring, and Miss Bernice Johnson. Two more runs were made in the second inning by Mrs. Gary and Mrs. Herring. Miss Stella Watson of Sweetwater galloped around the bags to make the two scores for Sweetwater.

The line-up for the Big Spring team was as follows: pitcher, Mrs. R. H. Gary; catcher, Martha Moody; 1b, Mrs. Chas. Herring; 2b, Zou Hardy; 3b, Mrs. George Mims; ss, Bernice Johnson; rf, Mrs. Baker; cf, Emily Bradley; lf, Effie McMahon; subs, Mrs. Pickle and Mrs. Smith.

A small crowd of local fans accompanied the ladies to Sweetwater for this game, returning home Thursday night.

WHITE-WAY ORNAMENTAL STREET LIGHTS

Big Spring will have a white-way when the pavement is completed. Forty-three ornamental street lights 13 feet high will be stationed along the pavement, extending around the courthouse lawn and with extra lighting effects on Main and Third street.

The lighting system provides for the standards of press steel with heavy steel cast iron base to be placed on the side of each street. There is a provision for cables for lighting service to be laid in the concrete paving for fifty one lights, but that number is not to be placed in service until later.

With 20 blocks paved and lighted up there is no reason why Big Spring will not have the appearance of the real city that she has been for a long time.

WILL START NEW HOME OF ENGLISH TYPE SOON

A modern English type home of brick veneer will be started the forepart of next week for Victor Mellinger on his lot of Scurry St. The contract has been awarded to Cliff Talbot, builder. The home will be up to date thruout and will consist of eight rooms and bath.

This will be one of the finest homes in our city when completed.

J. W. Middleton made a business trip to Sterling City the forepart of this week.

CHOCOLATE SHOPPE IS TO CELEBRATE 3RD BIRTHDAY

The Chocolate Shoppe, popular confectionery, located in the West Texas National Bank building, will celebrate its third birthday anniversary on Saturday of this week, and in celebration of same, will be ready to serve the many patrons, sandwiches from the new Electric Butter Kistwich Toaster, which is being installed this week. This new sandwich machine, attractive and up to the minute in confectionery furnishings, can turn out nine sandwiches every two minutes, evenly toasted, and filled with an assortment of sandwich fillings. This new machine will be a special attraction for the patrons Saturday who will call and see it in operation, and test the brand of sandwiches that it turns out.

On the third anniversary the price of sandwiches and some of the cold drinks and ice cream dishes will be reduced in price, putting them on the basis that existed before the war.

An electric sterilizing machine has recently been installed in the Chocolate Shoppe, and with the addition of this new electric sandwich toaster to its equipment the Chocolate Shoppe is one of the most up to date confectioneries in all West Texas. The manager of same, E. E. Fahrenkamp, is to be congratulated upon his progressiveness.

Remember to visit the Chocolate Shoppe on its birthday and try out the new Kistwich toasted sandwiches.

LAMESA BALL GAME RAINED OUT SUNDAY

Over one hundred baseball fans drove to Lamesa Sunday afternoon to see the baseball game scheduled there, between the Big Spring T. & P. team and the Lamesa club, which was called off on account of rain. About thirty or forty minutes before time for the game to start a drenching rain fell in Lamesa, accompanied by wind and hail. Two or three hundred fans that had already gathered in the grandstand were drenched when they were ousted on account of leaks and made for their cars to come back into town. Every car owner sought shelter and all filling stations, garages and storage stations were filled to capacity.

The rain was a regular gully washer, and badly needed by the crops in Dawson county, but came at a very inopportune time for the out of town visitors. Notwithstanding the discomfort of wet clothing, and a drop in temperature many were given ample opportunity to wade mud and push cars all along the way home.

Misses Alice, Ann Rix, of Lubbock and Dorothy Ellington will leave Saturday for Sonora, where they will spend a week on a ranch there, visiting a college friend.

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Table Covers, 55x55, ea.79c

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1 gal. Thrift Outing Jugs\$1.49
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1 gal. Aluminum Pitcher, ea.98c
9-qt. Enamelled Pails, ea.49c
2-qt. Cream Freezers, ea.98c
Alarm Clocks, ea.80c
50c Butcher Knives, ea.35c
1-2 gal. Cedar Pails, ea.69c
Tea Strainers, ea.5c
Huck Towels, ea.9c
Ladies Handkerchiefs, ea.4c
Boys Leather Belts, ea.49c
4 Sewed Brooms, ea.49c
11-inch Fry Pans29c
O. N. T. Thread, 6 spools25c
Val Laces, 2 yards5c
1-4-in. Elastic, 2 yards5c
Fly Powder, 2 boxes15c
10c Toilet Soap, 3 bars10c
Hy-Tone Tablets, 2 for15c
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All Straw Hats on Sale

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Sally Ann says:
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And plenty of Bread keeps little folks happy because it keeps them healthy.

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Johnnie McCrary of Plainview and William Thomas of Lubbock passed thru Big Spring Wednesday enroute to their homes, from the Christoval encampment.

Dr. E. H. Happel

Dentist

OFFICE OVER WEST TEXAS
NATIONAL BANK
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Mrs. C. A. Stewart of El Paso, after an extended visit in this city with Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Barnett and family, left Wednesday morning for her home.

BIG JUBILEE AND JOLLIFICATION

Pecos, Texas. — The people of the Pecos Valley thrill since the bill appropriating two million dollars for Red Bluff dam and reservoir, will seek an outlet for their high spirits in a big jubilee and jollification to be staged here July 29. This region, colorful since the days of Judge Roy Bean, "The Law West of the Pecos" will stage the most gorgeous event in its colorful history on that date. Not the least spectacular event of the occasion will be a big free barbecue spread on the banks of the beautiful Pecos river when twenty thousand people are expected to feast together in celebration of the momentous event for the valley. A full program has been arranged for the day which will provide entertainment for the serious minded as well as for the throng of merry-makers. During the morning hours a great parade symbolizing the stages of valley development and depicting the products of the valley will be staged. During the afternoon speaking by persons high in State and national political and business life will feature. While at night the entertainment will climax with a grand ball with music by the Fort Bliss Military Band and by a special orchestra. A feature of the ball will be an old fashioned cowboy's dance with music to be furnished by winners of the "old fiddlers' contest." Both modern and old fashioned dance music will be provided. The Charleston will meet the Virginia reel while the square dance will vie with the Merry Widow waltz for popularity of the merry makers. The Spanish population of this section will have a full part in the celebration. Spanish and Mexican entertainments will be staged for the delight of the visitors.

Pecos wants the world to know that this is going to be a real celebration. The Red Bluff victory they regard as not merely a victory for the valley, but for West Texas and all Texas. Half a million acres of fertile land will be brought under the ditch, adding to the resources of Texas, an agricultural empire equal to that of many entire States. The acquisition of Red Bluff and the recent appropriation by congress of \$150,000 for potash development bids fair to make the Trans-Pecos country stage a great come back and the valley folk are commemorating the bright outlook for the future by this celebration.

Included in the list of distinguished speakers and visitors who will be present are: Senator Earle B. Mayfield, Claude Hudspeth, member of Congress; Arthur P. Duggan, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; J. L. Lancaster, president Texas and Pacific Railway; John M. Cage, State Highway Commissioner; Geo. D. Hunter, general passenger agent, T. & P. Ry.; Major Richard Burgess; Homer D. Wade, manager West Texas Chamber of Commerce; A. P. Barrett, president, Texas-Louisiana Power Co.; R. S. Taylor, president Texas Pacific Railway. Invitations extended to Herbert Hoover and Secretary Work are expected to be accepted by one of the officials.

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U. S. TO PAROLE S. E. J. COX

Leavenworth, Kan., July 13. — Seymour E. J. Cox, sentenced from Houston, Texas, in 1924 to the Federal penitentiary on charges of using the mails to defraud, will be paroled July 20 at the expiration of one-third of his sentence. It was learned authoritatively here Monday night. Approval of the Department of Justice officials for the parole has been obtained, it is understood. Cox entered the penitentiary Feb. 11, 1924, under two sentences, one of from one to five years and the other for eight years, running concurrently. He and E. O. Glenn had been convicted at Houston, Texas, on charges of using the mails to defraud in connection with the Bluebird Oil Company.

Two years before that, Cox was indicted at the time the Federal authorities were investigating Dr. Frederick A. Cook and other oil promoters in the Southwest country. He was arrested at Broadway and Forty-Fourth street, New York, and returned to Texas for trial. He was acquitted.

At that time he was head of three companies aggregating capital of \$41,000,000. At that time Inspector Weldon of the Postoffice Department said Cox's profits on his oil companies had been between a million and a million and a half.

In July of the same year (1922) the trustees of the General Oil Co. at Houston brought suit in a New York court to obtain an accounting

Federal Land Bank Reduces Interest Rate

It's 5 per cent per annum now.

Payable on or before, 35 years time.

Run a full term, a loan of \$1,000 requires \$2100 to retire the principal and all interest.

Run a full 35 years a loan of \$1,000, with interest at 10 per cent, requires \$4500 to retire the principal and interest.

There is a saving between the amortization \$1,000 loan at 5 per cent in the Federal Land Bank on the one hand, and the 10 per cent loan in usual commercial transaction on the other hand, of the total \$2400—a saving of \$67.50 per annum.

This Association is saving the farmers of this community annually the approximate sum of \$35,000.00 with a promise of further saving under the reduced rates of interest.

Big Spring N. F. Loan Association

from Cox for \$200,000 alleged to have been used from the company's funds for the purchase of two airplanes to be entered in the James Gordon Bennett races in France. One plane was damaged in practice and the other was not entered.

Cox had gone to Texas in 1917, first as a driller in the oil fields and later as a promoter.

REHABILITATION OF RAIL LINE IS SEEN

Austin, July 10.—When the Interstate Commerce Commission a few days ago reaffirmed its former decision that it was without jurisdiction in the matter of considering the application of the Texas and Pacific Railroad for a permit to abandon and junk the Midland and Northwestern Railroad, the effort to bring about the rehabilitation and resumption of operation of that line was brought a step nearer accomplishment. It is believed by persons who are interested in the case.

Its rehabilitation is of especial interest and importance to the University of Texas, due to the fact that that institution owns a block of 294,000 acres of land situated in Andrews county, and that the railroad runs alongside this big tract of land.

Although a soil and climatic survey shows that most of these 294,000 acres are ideally adapted to growing cotton and other crops, they are used now only for grazing purposes.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

COLEMAN-MONK HAVE WRECKING DEPARTMENT

The Coleman-Monk Automobile Company have added a wrecking department to their automobile shop on the Bankhead highway, making their business complete in most every line. They are in the business to wreck old cars and anyone wanting this kind of work done call on them. They can furnish new and used parts for all kinds of cars, and give you starter, generator and battery service.

When your auto is on the blink—pay them a visit.

PROTRACTED MEETING AT ROBINSON CHAPEL

A protracted meeting will begin at Robinson Chapel, Midway, between Big Spring and Coahoma on the Bankhead highway, on Saturday evening, July 17. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone. Come, let us pray, sing and work together for the glory of God.

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ANNOUNCE PLANS FOR STORE

Following is an article taken from the Pomona (California) Progress, about a former resident of Big Spring, J. V. Hanson, who was formerly employed by the J. & W. Fisher store in this city:

A new and up to date shoe store with the latest in modern fronts and equipment will open at 113 E. 2nd street about the middle of July. It was announced by J. V. Hanson.

The store room is now occupied by a furniture company. Remodeling work will be started about July 1, when the furniture company's lease expires.

Mr. Hanson for five years has been the manager and buyer of the shoe department of the Orange Belt Emporium. The new store will be known as Hanson's Brown Belt shoe store, a line of quality goods with which he is thoroughly familiar thru long experience.

Leo J. Edelbrock of Los Angeles will be interested in the new store in the role of silent partner. Plans have already been prepared

for the remodeling of the store (they call for a remodeling with large display windows on either side).

Cases and equipment have been planned, and it is estimated no expense will be spared to make the store a place of beauty.

Bishop E. Cecil Semmes of Amarillo, who has been attending the Christoval encampment this week, passed thru our city enroute to Clovis, N. M., where they will visit in turning to their home in Amarillo.

B. Reagan returned Monday from Abilene, where he had attended a directors meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Rix of W. W. Rix left Wednesday noon for their homes in Lubbock, respectively.

C. W. McDonald of Los Angeles, is visiting Cecil Semmes and other relatives in this city.

NOT FORGETTING "LIBERTY"

This year's special and solemn celebration of the 150th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence ought to lead to a more intensive reading of that document. It really meant more than the founding of a new Nation. It went beyond the assertion of the right of America to independence and self-government. A great political doctrine was laid down in the Declaration. This had to do not only with a separate national existence, but with the kind of rule, the mode of life, which ought to characterize not only the new American Government, but all Governments. For the "liberty" spoken of in the Declaration implied far more than freedom from British sovereignty. It looked also to the rights of the citizen under a well-ordered system. These were in Jefferson's mind "inalienable." They could not be transferred from the individual to any government — no more to one republican in form than to one monarchical. And among these inalienable rights Jefferson enumerated liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Could he return to earth today he would see our national independence and unity established beyond question of cavil. But what would he think of individual liberty? The author of the Virginia statute of religious freedom would see intolerance and proscription and bigotry raising their heads in a most offensive and intolerable way. The champion of free speech would see Americans submitting tamely to its impairment. The old Miltonian idea of the citizen who is full-panoplied so long as he is able freely to think and without let or hindrance to express publicly his thoughts on public questions, provided they do not go counter to the laws against sedition and rebellion, seems shrunk to small proportions. The once jealous States meekly acquiesce in all kinds of Federal bureaucratic interference, and even have surrendered many attributes of their police power including the right to dictate what their citizens shall eat and drink, and wherewithal they shall be clothed.

It needs no laboring of the theme to show that modern political tendencies have eaten deep into the Jeffersonian ideas of the liberty of the individual citizen. As if to give a grotesque turn to the whole process, the political party responsible for some of the deepest inroads upon the doctrines of Jefferson proudly calls itself Jeffersonian. Thus do we continue to build the tombs of the prophets. If after 150 years our independence had been so seriously curtailed as has been the historic conception of our liberties, there would be a revolution and a great outcry. Happily, without these outward signs there is reason to believe that many Americans are turning back with renewed interest and approval to the Jeffersonian conception of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, and are anxious to recover something of what they have lost or what has been taken away from them. — New York Times.

INFORMATION WANTED

Any information leading to the whereabouts of this boy will be appreciated by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cotten, 601 Spruce Ave., Amarillo, Texas.

M. B. Cotten, age 18 years, has dark brown, straight hair, large eyes, limps in right leg, is very talkative and friendly. Parents haven't heard from him since January 20, 1926.

Write to the above address, if you know of his whereabouts.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Preston and daughters, Misses Willie and Tommie, and Mrs. Jones Lamar, who were visitors here the forepart of the week, returned to their home in Midland Tuesday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Etson, enroute home from Christoval, where they had attended the Episcopal encampment, visited friends in this city several days before returning to their home in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Eb Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Eck Lovelace, Miss Thelma Fox and Eddie Price returned Saturday morning from a camping trip to the Davis Mountains.

W. R. Marlin was here this week from Monahans visiting friends. He will leave Saturday morning, overland, for a visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Mrs. J. F. Hair and baby left Monday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Novice, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Manuel and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Manuel spent Tuesday in San Angelo.

Headache? Have your eyes examined at WILKE'S.

BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT AT CHRISTOVAL OPENS

The sixteenth annual Baptist encampment at Christoval, Texas, opens today and one of the best programs ever planned will be given throughout this encampment which will be conducted from July 16 to 25. A large staff of the most successful Baptist preachers, teachers, singers, musicians and educators will lend their efforts to the success of this encampment, headed by Charles Forbes Taylor, the noted English Evangelist.

The classes will be held in the mornings, with evangelistic services in the evenings. Y. P. Kuhn of Simmons University, Abilene, will be in charge of the recreational division. Swimming lessons, as well as instructions in trick and fancy diving will be given. Plenty of shady camping ground, electrically lighted with supply stores and telephone service available are attractions to this noted health resort, which is only 20 miles south of San Angelo. The roads between Big Spring and Christoval are in splendid condition and quite a few Baptists from this city will go to Christoval during the encampment.

ROAD MATERIAL ABUNDANT

Austin, July 10. — That road building materials of unusually good quality are well distributed over Texas in practically inexhaustible quantities is shown by the thousands of samples of such materials which have been tested by the engineering experiment station of the University of Texas.

There is a great variety of these materials and they are found in nearly every part of the State. Some of the trunk highways are well favored in the matter of their building material being near at hand, while others are more or less remotely situated from the source of supply.

The tests prescribed for materials for road construction are rigid and by conforming to them a much better type of highway is now obtained than was the case in former years, it is stated. — Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

W. W. Rix who attended the directors meeting of the W. T. C. of C. at Abilene the forepart of the week, visited relatives and friends in this city before returning to his home in Lubbock. Mrs. Rix and Alice Ann, who have been attending the Christoval encampment, joined Mr. Rix in Big Spring, and they will return to Lubbock the latter part of the week.

Mrs. S. A. Hathcock and Lee Otis Rogers went to Lamesa Monday to attend the Lewis-Looney nuptials. Miss Mary Hazel Hathcock, who was maid of honor in the wedding, spent last week in Lamesa, attending the many in-honor affairs given for this popular bride-elect. They returned to this city Monday night, after the wedding.

J. H. Hefley and sons, Frank, and Rogers of Sterling, left Sunday morning for Corpus Christi, where they will attend a family reunion. Mrs. Hefley and Miss Mattie Hefley are spending the summer in Corpus Christi.

George James and W. C. Weddell of San Angelo who were here to spend the week end with T. S. Currie and family returned to their home Monday morning.

Bobbie Miller Orchestra went to McCamey on Wednesday of this week where they furnished the music for a big dance there on Wednesday night.

When in doubt what to serve for desert, when company comes, get a quart, half gallon, or gallon of Delicia Brand Ice Cream. Clyde Fox.

Mrs. Bill Moore of San Angelo arrived Friday night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Sullivan and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. T. E. Owen and children, Margaret Virginia and James of Paducah, Ky., are visiting in our city, the guests of Mrs. Gus Pickle.

Miss Maysie Dee Morris left Wednesday for Stephenville where she will again enter John Tarleton College.

Mrs. E. B. Rutledge of Roswell, N. M. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Fahrenkamp in this city.

J. Y. Robb and Harold Homan left Wednesday morning, overland, for a business trip to Dallas.

COMPARE THE DRINK..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS FOUNTAINS.

Miss Lalah Kinard left Wednesday morning for a visit with friends at Gilmer.

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with **OWEN MOORE and RENEE ADOREE**



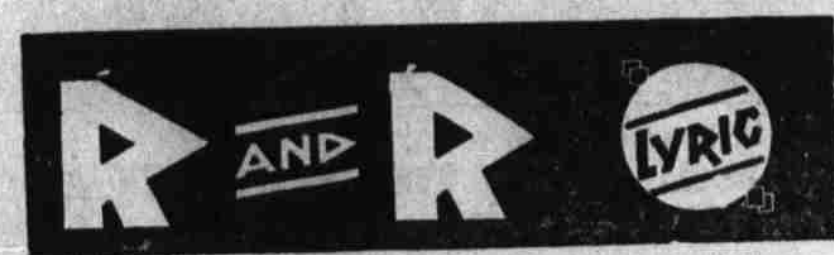
The BLACK BIRD

LON CHANEY has done it again! The most brilliant character actor of all times is here in the picture this public has been waiting for.

This is his greatest starring triumph—as touching as "He Who Gets Slapped", as thrilling and unusual as "The Unholy Three." It is a story of mystery, surprise, romance, played against the glamorous setting of London's underworld.

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Directed by TOD BROWNING
Adapted by Waldemar Young



Monday and Tuesday
JULY 19 AND 20

Why Was He Called The Black Bird?



Against the background of mysterious Limehouse, the colorful underworld of London, Lon Chaney, the screen's most renowned protraiter of gripping characterization now appears in the greatest role of his career.

"The Blackbird" is a romantic thriller of the underworld leader, who finds along the pathway of crime and intrigue, the way to regeneration.

Mystery lurks behind locked doors, and in the foggy streets of Limehouse, London's underworld, a beauty finds romance amazingly, and over it all hovers the menacing shadow of "The Blackbird."

You must see this thrilling picture.

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Mrs. Abner, of Delta, Ala., Gives Her Three-Year-Old Boy Liver and Blood Syrup, With Good Results.

"I can't tell you how Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup has helped us. My little boy, three years old, back in the spring had a cough and was sick. He just got so poor he would not eat anything, and we could not get anything to do him any good, and we got a bottle of Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup and in a short while he was well and all right. He is as fat and pleasant as he can be. We have not been out of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup since the first bottle we got. The whole family takes it and it does lots of good."

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CHAPTER SEVEN

Donors will kindly accept the Herald for receipt for the following gifts for Mexican mission house:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Frye, Springfield, Ill., \$5; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'Barr, \$3.

One dollar each: Mrs. C. T. Gooch, Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, Mrs. Clifford Hurt, Mrs. A. L. Nelson, Mrs. John Notestine, Mrs. J. B. Parrish, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. Rhine Philips, Mrs. Knight (50c), Mrs. Martha Moody, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. John Price, Mrs. J. A. Queen, Mrs. Charlie Read, Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Mrs. C. A. Schull, Mrs. Clayton Stewart, Mrs. Cory, Mrs. W. D. Stutes, Mrs. G. S. True, Mrs. C. T. Tucker, Mrs. F. L. Turpin, Mrs. F. E. Keating, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson, Elizabeth Northington, S. J. Williams, Cash 20c, cash \$1.

Reported last week \$494.80

Gifts this week \$37.70

Total \$532.50 come, May pray, or give, or go."

"Three things the Master asks of us,

And we who serve Him here below

And long to see His kingdom come, May pray, or give, or go.

"He needs them all—the open hand,

The willing feet, the praying heart,

To work together and to weave

A three-fold card that shall not part,

"Not all can go; not all can give

To speed the message on its way,

But young or old, or rich or poor,

Or strong or weak—we all can pray."

Mrs. S. H. Morrison, Mission Treas.

WILL SERVE SUPPER ON COURTHOUSE LAWN

The members of the East Side Circle of the First Methodist church will serve supper on the courthouse lawn Saturday evening, and an assortment of sandwiches, pies, soda pop, and ice cream can be bought at reasonable prices. This will enable the down town people to eat supper and get to the big speaking on time, which will be held on the courthouse lawn at 8 o'clock.

The ladies of the Circle earnestly invite you to come and eat with them. They will appreciate your patronage.

GRESSETT WILL BE WITH SWEETWATER 3 GAMES

Manager Flehary announces that Leroy Gressett will be seen in the Swatter line up for the three game series with Lamesa beginning Friday at four o'clock. Gressett has been playing some with Big Spring this year and has a habit of putting gray hair on the head of opposing pitchers with long and frequent hits. He will be remembered as a former West Texas leaguer, was later with San Antonio and by them sold to the Philadelphia Athletics, who farmed him out to Portland. Gressett was out of the game last year owing to an operation.

Fred Pipkin, well known in Sweetwater and Texas baseball circles, is playing first for Lamesa, which town incidentally, is sporting an all-salaried aggregation that has been dealing much misery to neighboring teams on the Plains.

"Wild Bill" Trammell is slated to pitch the opening game for the Swatters. Trammell has just returned from Menard where he pitched a one-hit game against Eden as well as polling out a long homer. — Sweetwater Reporter.

FAMED BAND AND EL PASO ELKS PASS THROUGH CITY

The Famous Mexican boys band, Rayo Reyes, in company with El Paso Elks, passed through Big Spring Saturday morning in three special cars on the Sunshine Special enroute to the National B. P. O. E. convention in Chicago. The Rayo Reyes gave several band selections, which were enthusiastically applauded by the crowd at the station. The band is composed of thirty-eight members, twenty of whom are traveling on half fare tickets. Rayo Reyes claims to have the youngest band men in the United States. Their costumes are most colorful of Spanish style, with big Mexican sombreros, velvet Valentino pants, red silk shirts and big bandanas. This famous band will head the Texas delegation at the Grand Convention in Chicago.

Among the Elk officials who are making the trip to Chicago are W. W. Bridges, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler; Jack Burke, Exalted Ruler of El Paso Lodge, and E. S. Brache, secretary of El Paso lodge.

Goggles that kill the road glare Cunningham & Philips.

The State National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Statement of Condition as Reported to the Comptroller of the Currency at the Close of Business June 30, 1926

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$591,434.45	Capital.....\$50,000.00
Overdrafts.....NONE	Surplus Earned.....50,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00	Undivided Profits.....28,100.00
5 per cent Redemption Fund....2,500.00	Circulation.....50,000.00
Banking House and Fixtures...30,000.00	Dividend, June 30, 1926.....5,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock....3,000.00	Borrowed Money.....200.00
Cotton Acceptances, 341 bales...16,107.30	Due to Banks.....200.00
CASH.....183,674.60	DEPOSITS.....693,500.00
	\$876,716.35

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NEW MARKET AND GROCERY STORE TO OPEN SATURDAY

The White House is the name of the new market and grocery that will open in this city Saturday of this week. It is located in the Estes building and J. B. Pickle is owner of same.

This space has been remodeled, especially for this new store, the interior of the building being repainted and all of the fixtures therein painted white. A new awning is being placed on the front of the building, and when this work is completed this store will be one of the cleanest and neatest in appearance that can be found in this town.

The management invites the general public to visit this store on Saturday, the opening day, and partake of the special bargains that are being offered. In the market and grocery department.

Mr. Pickle will continue to operate the store in the Bauer block, known as P. & F. Company.

SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES SUCCESSFUL TERM TODAY

The summer school being conducted in this city the past seven weeks at the Big Spring high school and the Central ward school, closed a successful term today. The enrollment in the high school as well as the departmental grades was unusually good, and this term was a week longer than the ones previously conducted in this city.

Supt. P. B. Bittle, Norman Spencer and Brown Hair were in charge of the classes at the high school and Mrs. Della Agnell and Hattie Maye Pickle taught the grammar school work.

THE SOUTH TURNS TOWARD SULPHUR

It is a good thing that the remedy suggested for ridding cotton fields of the flea is sulphur, Texas has plenty of that. All that is needed to bring out a great supply of it is the demonstration to the practical farmer that dusting the flea will put an end to the insect.

The conference called at Austin appears to have entire confidence in sulphur. This year's results will certainly put the method to a thorough test. Indications so far are for its success. Before very long we should be receiving reports from the

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fields of dirt farmers. And these reports will tell the tale.

The scientists seem to have made up their minds that sulphur is the remedy. But no remedy is a success until the application of it is general enough to get practical results. Extermination of the flea is not promised, but the control of the infestation is said to be obtainable if the method devised is carefully followed.

The growing of cotton is rapidly becoming a specialty, and before long growers will have to show expertness in diagnosing insect onsets promptly to the end that they may apply measures in time to combat the destruction of their crop. This makes it a year-round crop, what with soil preparation, fertilization, tillage and gathering. The old days of regarding cotton as a weed ap-

pear to be gone forever. For example, doesn't have a weed. Neither do the or the weevil. They all a highly nourishing deli- as long as they retain the title and taste cotton will as exacting of its caretakers were an orchid. — Dallas

Paving should be started city within the next week and when this work is general step forward will With new business houses construction, many fine new ing up, and the oil develop- this section looking good, a bright outlook on the tions, Howard county Spring should take a stride of becoming more than a progressive little

Love's Entanglement

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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"WHERE are you going, Lena?" asked Mr. Freer, from his comfortable chair in the library.

The girl flushed, then she lifted a firm little chin and told him, "Bob is coming tonight, and I am going across the garden to meet him. Do you object, father?"

"Yes, in a way—he is coming on a business trip, too—he is bringing out some bonds from the office—I had to rush off without them and he said he was coming out anyway tonight and would bring them. I want him to bring the bonds first, before anything happens to them. After that—"

"I suppose there is danger—he will be alone," said Mrs. Freer, looking up. "None at all—none at all," reassured her husband, and both women felt easier about Robert Blair, who was manager of Mr. Freer's office, and future husband of Mr. Freer's daughter.

That was at eight o'clock—an hour passed and Robert did not come.

"The nine-ten is in; I will ring up and inquire if anyone has seen him get off the train—there isn't another one until the midnight," said Mr. Freer, going to the telephone.

After a while he returned to his wife and daughter. "No," he said heavily. "No passengers came in on the nine-ten excepting Joe Lant."

"You must be sure that he started for Blye before you begin to worry about him," said practical Mrs. Freer. "I am sure he started," said Lena. "You know, father, that if Bob says he will do a thing, he does it—it is business first with him, isn't it?"

"It always has been," observed Mr. Freer cautiously.

"How much were the bonds worth?" asked his wife.

"About sixty thousand dollars."

Tears came into Lena's brown eyes. "Oh, father, you speak as though there might be a suspicion that Robert had been tempted by the value of the bonds, and—"

"There, there, dear. I don't suspect Robert, only it's confounded queer that tonight of all nights he should have missed coming on time."

"I thought you were going to telephone around," prompted Mrs. Freer.

"I am—you know his home number, Lena?" Lena gave it, and also the name of the garage where Robert kept his car.

Lena listened in agonized suspense as her father telephoned. She firmly believed that something had happened to her lover.

"Left the house at seven-thirty?" repeated Mr. Freer over the telephone.

"And told you he was coming down here for the evening? Yes—I see—then the car was waiting at the door and he got right into it and drove down here? Thank you, Mrs. Smith; he has probably had a blowout or something." He hung up and faced them, for the first time exhibiting real concern.

"Robert left his boarding house at seven-thirty in his car—told Mrs. Smith that he was coming to Blye, and to ring him up here if any one called to see him. Somewhere between town and Blye—"

Lena had run out of the room, and they heard the screen door slam, as she went out.

"Poor child, she is frightened about him. Horace, you don't think for a moment that Robert would—"

"Of course not—something has happened to him—he's either had an accident or been held up."

"If it had been an accident some one would have telephoned by this time."

"That's so. I'll get the car out and run back along the road. I'll take Lena with me."

When the car was ready Lena could not be found.

"She must be out in the grounds somewhere."

The Freer place was the old homestead that had belonged to Mr. Freer's family for generations. The grounds were extensive and occupied several acres in what was now a suburban town. There were two entrances—the front one, and then the garden entrance on the side street. The garden gate led through the beautiful modern gardens, and also the old-fashioned garden that had survived for 50 years. The garden gate was always locked, but Robert had a key.

When Lena went out she fled to the scene of so many happy hours, the rose garden. Here Robert had proposed to her, and here they often met for a few minutes together when he came down to Blye.

"Something has happened—I can hear some one calling," exclaimed Mr. Freer. "Listen."

"It is from the rose garden—two voices, a man's and another voice. It sounded like Lena's call—perhaps she has found him."

The Freers went running. Lena came to meet them.

"Father—mother—he is here—I am going to get James and Martin to help."

The Freers stared at the sight before them. The famous rose garden was plainly visible and caught in the very midst of the well-known mass of rose bushes was Robert Blair, hatless, disheveled.

"I had a bad cold and couldn't call very loud," he whispered when at last the men had slashed a path to the heart of the maze and had freed him.

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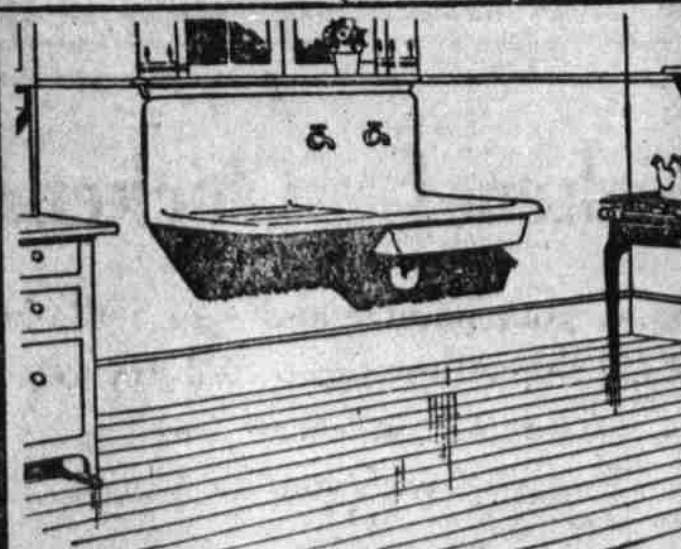
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Hon. Claud Miller of Waco will speak on court house lawn Saturday, July 17, 3 p. m. Don't fail to hear him.

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Basement of Ward Building

Rev. F. H. Stedman and son, James Winslow and Alice Hayes returned the forepart of the week from Christoval, where they attended the Episcopalian encampment.

Miss Andree Walker left Thursday night for a month's vacation visiting relatives and friends in Dallas, Greenville, Glen Rose and other points.

SCHOOL DAYS



SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

WASTING PRECIOUS TIME

THE pleasure-loving young men and women who form the harmful habit of loafing when there is work to be done, or waste precious time in pursuit of vanities, are taking great chances with their future.

Although they may not, in the spring-time of life, be apostles of luxury, there will come a day, if they persist in indifference, when they will be recognized as such, and everywhere shunned.

No man or woman can attain cleverness, alertness and brightness of mind while living in a drowsy enervating atmosphere.

Each day ambition drops a little lower, ideals which were once clear and beautiful, become dim and uninviting.

You may imagine that there is no particular peril in dropping important duties and sneaking away somewhere to smoke a cigarette, but if on return to your desk you will reflect a moment, and impartially examine yourself, you will find that something has been permanently lost.

The continuity of thought has been broken, the threads are awry, frequently very much tangled, and often five, ten or fifteen minutes are required to get the mind going in the smooth, easy running gait it was moving when you stepped out to steal the coveted puff.

The youth who, in the beginning, yields somewhat timidly to such temptations, decides after frequent repetitions that he or she is taking no undue liberty. With this thought come the good-by to self-respect, and the proffering of the glad-hand to bad habits.

It is not surprising that such youths make shipwrecks, but that they get to port.

And yet such persons are indignant if they fail to be promoted, or cannot leap up at one bound to the heights of proficiency.

For their own thoughtless, erring and untrue selves, they blame others. So thinking, they lose their grip on self-respect, become unworthy of trust, sell their birthright for a mess of pottage and drift out to sea hopeless wrecks at a time they should be booming into port under full sail, strong, sunny and prosperous.

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THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY



The young lady across the way says the dictionary isn't enough for some of the puzzles and you really need a plesiosaurus.

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THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

REASSEMBLING SNAKE

A SNAKE known as the "joint snake" can be cut into pieces, which pieces will reassemble into a living snake. This belief is general throughout the United States. In some sections they have a variation of this to the effect that if any snake is cut into two pieces, the part that contains the head will swallow the tail part which will grow on again and the snake be as good as new. Those who believe in this reassembling snake superstition believe in it very thoroughly and regard it not as superstition but as an accepted fact in natural history. Question one of these closely, and while he has never seen the reassembling operation himself, he always knows of some one who has— which some one is generally either dead or "moved away," or if accessible, proves not really to have witnessed the phenomenon, but has it "on the best authority." This superstition is evidently an echo of the old mythological story of that great serpent called by the Egyptians Set—or Apepi and by the Greeks Typhon, the representative and embodiment of the powers of evil. In the Egyptian story Apepi is the great enemy of Osiris, the representative of the beneficent powers, and is at war with him. The myth in its Egyptian form is varied and inconsistent in many ways. The Egyptians in their religion were content to let contradictions and inconsistencies stand calmly side by side. But the gist of the story appears to be with regard to the great serpent that while he was slain by Horus— cut up by some of the accounts—he reassembled and, coming to life again, renewed the war of evil against righteousness. Here is a truth set forth in fable by Egyptian priests thousands of years ago and as the conflict of evil with good still endures, so, in the guise of a popular superstition, still lingers the myth in which the priests of Osiris clothed it.

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Mother's Cook Book

"To judge with candor and speak no wrong. The feeble to support against the strong. To soothe the wretched and the poor to feed. To feed. To feed. Will cover many an idle, foolish deed."

A SYMPOSIUM OF SALADS

SALADS may be made from small amounts of various foods, so arranged and garnished that they are most inviting in appearance.

New Carrot Salad.

Dissolve one-half package of lemonade jello and put to cool in shallow pan, so that it may be cut into small cubes when thick. Grate a cupful of fresh carrot, add a tablespoonful of grated onion and half a cupful of finely minced celery, mix with a good salad dressing and let stand in a cool place an hour to season. When ready to serve alternate heaps of the cubed lemon jello with the carrot mixture on lettuce; heap on a spoonful of mayonnaise and serve.

French Dressing.

This is the simplest of all salad dressings and the easiest to prepare. Take good sweet olive oil, three tablespoonfuls to one of cider vinegar, add a pinch of salt, a dash of cayenne and a bit of powdered sugar. Beat with an egg beater until thick and well-blended. Adding chopped pepper, onion and minced parsley to French dressing makes a seasoning for salads which is most tasty.

Nellie Maxwell
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Big Reduction SALE

To make way for our new fall and winter that will begin to shortly, we will offer the next few weeks, ladies dresses and apparel at

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Mrs. W. V. Ervin of Dallas, a former resident of this city, visited old time friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Manuel arrived Sunday night from Cisco to make their home in this city.

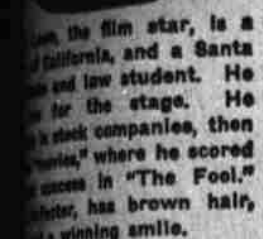
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens and little daughter, Rosella, left Thursday night for a visit in Clouderoft, N. M.

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Oct., and my birthday oc-
curred soon. I was returning
from a trip abroad, where I
had American golf cham-
pionship. July 4 I had expected
at Northwestern univer-
sity, as I had two more
years. All of my business
was against it, but my
mother made me go back to
home, particularly, was
insisted.

the advice of my business partner, and after the two big ones I went to work for a Chicago investment bond company. My father of my most intimate friends had an interest in it. I offered to go to Boston, but he wanted to leave Chicago, the city I think I was the first to leave. I then offered to enter the business. I remained with the company although its name was changed for 12 years, during which I had become a member of the firm and the secretary. I then joined the employ of A. C. Company, another Chicago

It is interesting to state that when I was the Western Hemisphere Editor in 1909 I had written occasional articles on the subject. In the fall of 1912 I was registered in a Chicago newspaper and my work continued until 1920. It may be said that my ambitions were not great. I was twenty-one when I began and I was twenty-one when I finished. I was successful both as a writer and as a writer.

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Wheaton, Minn., Gazette.

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with his many friends.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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A REAL BARGAIN.—I am offering for immediate sale a quantity of High Grade Windmill and Machine oils (summer weight) in 1- and 1-2-gallon cans, at 35c per gallon; also some 500-lb. axle grease, at 5c per pound. A. E. TRUE, Agent Simms Oil Co. 33-4f

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LOTS.—East half of block 27 in College Heights, for sale; cash or terms. Will sell all or in single lots. See S. A. Ashley. 46-41-pd

FOR SALE.—A real bargain in a five room house on a 75-foot lot, also choice lot in the College Heights addition. Must be sold at once. See J. F. Hair at the Grand Lender, 11.

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AIR MAIL INFORMATION

The following schedule is based on the mail plane leaving Fort Worth at 8 a. m. from which can be figured the time made to the different cities leaving other days of the week. The rate of postage at the right is based on 2 cents for each ounce or fraction thereof, and is the amount actually required.

Leave Fort Worth 8 a. m. Monday: Oklahoma City 10:10 a. m. Monday, postage 10c; Kansas City, 1:57 p. m. Monday, 10c; Chicago, 7:20 p. m. Monday, 10c; Buffalo, 5:20 a. m. Tuesday, 15c; Cincinnati, 5:20 a. m. Tuesday, 10c; Detroit, 5:10 a. m. Tuesday, 10c; New York, 5:20 a. m. Tuesday, 15c; Washington, D. C., 1:25 p. m. Tuesday, 15c; Denver, 6:55 p. m. Tuesday, 25c; 20c; Los Angeles, 30c; San Diego, San Francisco, 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, 19 p. m. Tuesday, 30c; Portland, Ore., 7 a. m. Wednesday, 33c; Seattle, Wash., 7 a. m. Wednesday, 30c.

By the above it may be seen that our city has practically the same air mail service as Fort Worth, for the reason that a letter mailed in this office on or before 7:50 p. m. will be dispatched on the 8:25 p. m. train which reaches Fort Worth in ample time to connect with the mail plane leaving at 8 a. m.

While any kind of postage stamps may be used still, it is preferred that one 10 cent regulation stamp for air postage only be used and fill out with other stamps when necessary.

By using a special delivery stamp in connection will insure the delivery of your letter shortly after arrival at destination. For further information or rates to other cities ask any of the P. O. force.

Letters should be plainly marked "Via Air Mail" and Special Delivery if so stamped.

J. W. Ward, Postmaster.



(By McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Mrs. W. W. Rix and Miss Ruth Rix of Lubbock who have been visiting relatives and friends in this city left this morning for their homes in Lubbock. They were accompanied home by Misses Lucille and Eleanor Rix and Louise Hayes.

Friends in this city are in receipt of communications from Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Phillips, who are vacationing in Colorado, and from Pike's Peak they write it is snowing and plenty cool!

FOR RENT.—Light housekeeping rooms. Modern conveniences, close in. Phone 172 or call at 204 Nolan St. 1tp

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MISCELLANEOUS

THE BANKHEAD Market sells good meat and will hereafter make deliveries every morning. Phone your order before 10 a. m. Phone No. 489. 31tf

FOUND.—A pair of shell rimmed glasses in leather case, on Gregg St., between 100 and 200 block. Owner can secure same by calling at Herald office and paying for this notice.

FOUND.—Auto casing and rim for Chevrolet, found south of town about two weeks ago. Owner can secure same by calling at Herald office and paying for this notice.

LOST.—On Gail road between Big Spring and Luther, a brown leather Boston bag, containing infants wearing apparel. Finder please leave at Dr. Longbotham's office in Cole Hotel Bldg. for Mrs. Scott. 1tpd

LOST.—A suit case between Big Spring and A. L. Wasson ranch on Tuesday morning. Finder please return to Herald office and receive reward. C. C. Halley. 1tpd

WANTED

SECOND HAND LUMBER.—For building out houses may be secured at Methodist church, at low price. W. C. Hinds. 43-2t

OLD SETTLERS PICNIC

SATURDAY, JULY 31

It is high time for all of the old settlers of Big Spring and Howard county to begin getting ready for the old settlers picnic, which is to be held at the city park in Big Spring Saturday, July 31. Get your bib and tucker out and ready to do, because this is going to be the finest celebration of its kind that has ever been staged in this city. The olden folks just know how to put this thing over, and active committees have been appointed to take charge and see that it is planned on a big scale to assure all of having a splendid time.

An all-day picnic will be held, with speeches from the old timers, a general get together and a real old time dance will be featured with music of the long ago, for the couples to dance by. This is a day that is long remembered by all in attendance and it should be seen to that all old settlers who would enjoy this picnic, is given an opportunity to attend it.

All persons who have resided in Big Spring or Howard county for the past twenty-three years are considered old timers, and are entitled to and welcome to attend this big all-day celebration.

Come with well filled baskets, have dinner on the ground with old time friends and make a big day of it. Plans are about complete and we can assure all those attending that it will be a real treat, and not a one of you can afford to miss it. Plan now to come to the City Park Saturday, July 31.

CORENI ALICE McGETTIS

Coreni Alice, thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGettis, was claimed by death about five o'clock Thursday morning, June 15, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held at the family home at five o'clock Thursday afternoon by Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the First Methodist church and the remains were laid to rest in the Salem cemetery. The Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co., were in charge of the body.

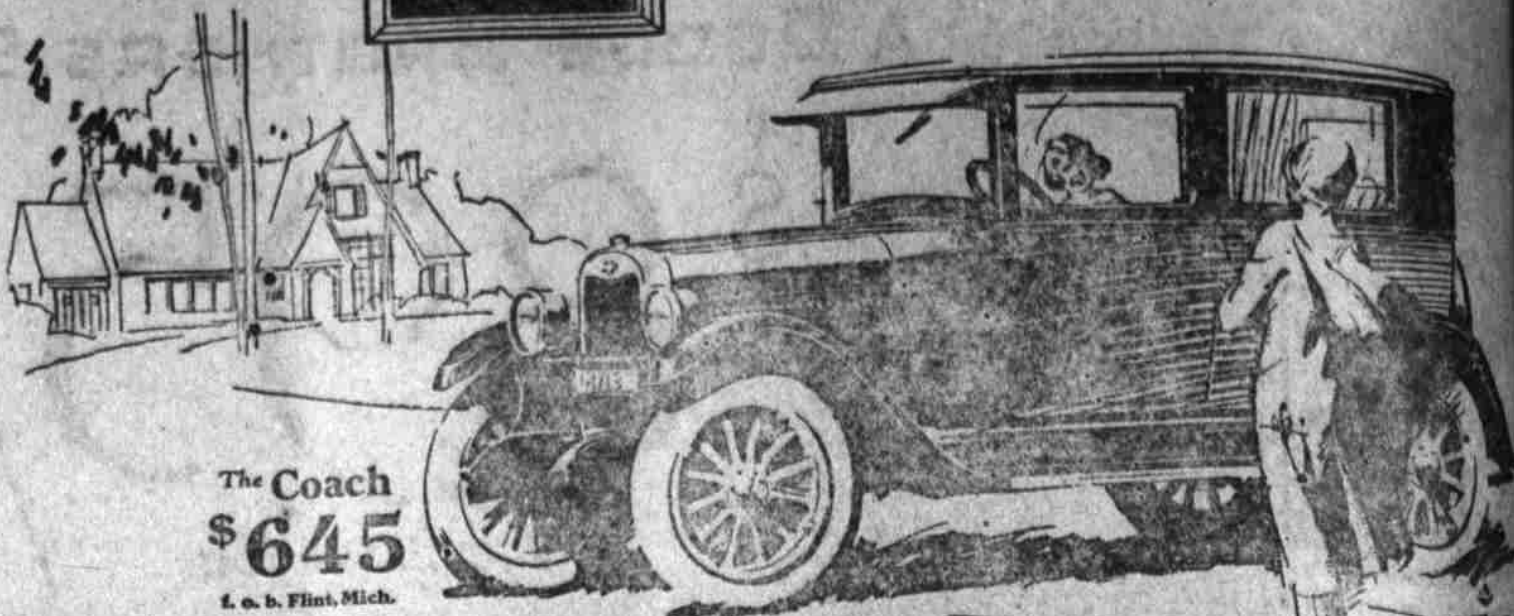
The entire community extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Jed A. Rix of Lubbock who has been on an extended visit to Montreal and Quebec, Canada, New York City, Chicago, Philadelphia, and other eastern points returned to Lubbock Tuesday. Mrs. Rix who accompanied him on this trip, remained in New York City, where she will study voice under Oscar Seagle, the noted baritone at Schroon Lake.

It is being rumored around town that the J. M. Radford Company has bought six lots on First Street from Mrs. J. D. Birdwell, and will erect a new wholesale house on same. Quite a few changes will become effective when this property changes hands.

Mrs. J. O. Hayes returned Tuesday from Christoval where she attended the Episcopal encampment.

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