

# The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, September 22, 1922

By Jordan & Hayden

## DEVELOPMENT IN THIS TERRITORY

### Going Forward But Little Trading in Lenses. Companies Buying

At present there is not a great deal of activity in the Westbrook field due to water shortage and the price of crude but things are going up as the big companies buy leases as the general belief is that a big pool is going to be struck. We are informed that one company purchased a 40,000 acre tract last week.

Well No. 1 of Chal Daniel was placed on the pump and is producing in the neighborhood of 100 barrels. It is believed this production will be greatly increased when the well is cleaned out.

Well No. 2, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 3, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 4, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 5, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 6, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 7, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 8, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 9, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 10, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 11, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

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Well No. 15, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 16, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 17, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

Well No. 18, one mile north of Chal Daniel, is being drilled. It is believed this well will be good for 150 barrels since it was brought in.

## Death Claims Leonard Fisher

It was with deep sorrow that the announcement of the death of Leonard Fisher was received by the many friends in this city. He passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fisher, at 503 Jack street at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday, September 20th. He had been ill the past three weeks due to an attack of diphtheria but it was thought he was on the road to recovery, as he was able to be up a short time last Sunday. He complained of a sort of paralysis in his legs last Sunday, but thought he would be alright as soon as he regained his strength. His death, coming at a time when it was thought the crisis past and recovery sure, caused it to be a great shock to friends as well as to members of the family.

Leonard was aged twenty-five years and was a noble and dependable young man, one of whom any parents could justly feel proud. He was energetic and industrious and a real home boy. He was a member of the 1918 graduating class of the Big Spring High School, had great talent as a cartoonist and his drawings for the High School annual and other publications showed real merit. During the World War he served in the Navy. For the past three years he has been in the employ of the Texas & Pacific Ry., in the storeroom department. His untimely death is deeply mourned by the friends who loved and esteemed him for his many lovable qualities.

Funeral services will be conducted at the family residence at 4:30 o'clock this Friday afternoon and the remains will be laid to rest in Mt. Olive cemetery.

He is survived by his parents and four sisters, Misses Leona, Zora, Jessie and Clara. Miss Leona Fisher who is in the City of Mexico was unable to reach here in time for the funeral. To those who are bowed in grief over one who was deeply beloved, goes out the sincere sympathy of a host of friends in this city.

## Cotton Gin at Knott Destroyed

The cotton gin at Knott, Texas, twenty-two miles northwest of Big Spring, was totally destroyed by fire of undetermined origin about ten o'clock Friday night, September 15. The gin was owned by B. G. Bly of this city and he is a heavy loser since he did not have any insurance on building or machinery. He had thoroughly overhauled the plant the past summer and had added much new machinery. Owing to the fact that the cotton season promises to be short this year it will be impossible to install a new gin in time to assist in handling the cotton crop of the county. In addition to the destruction of the gin proper, two carloads of cotton seed and two bales of cotton were destroyed.

The loss of the gin will fall heavily on those living in the Knott community as it will necessitate a trip of twenty miles or more to haul their cotton to be ginned.

## Distinguished Visitor To Be Here

Mrs. Maggie W. Barry, Special Agent of the Extension Department of the A. & M. College and Chairman of the Home Economics Division of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, will be here on October 4th, under the auspices of the City Federation and the Hyperion Club. It is planned to have her speak to the women of the town and county in the afternoon and to the men and women at night. Mrs. Barry is a brilliant speaker and a well known lecturer. In next week's Herald the hour and place for these lectures will be announced. Do not forget the date October 4th, and don't miss hearing Mrs. Barry.

## Heavy Shower Here Monday

We had a freakish shower Monday afternoon wherein it rained like all out of doors right in the business section of the city while a short distance away there was no shower at all. The rainfall was sufficient to settle the dust and clean out the gutters. In view of the fact that no rain is desired out in the farming sections until the cotton is gathered, Monday's shower hit just where it was needed and could be appreciated. As long as the rains hold off the grade of our cotton will continue to be classed as middling or better.

## W. O. W. Circle Fossil, September 28.

A feast is on the program at the W. O. W. Hall for Thursday evening September 28th, at 7:30 o'clock. A number of the W. O. W. Circle are urged to be there at the hour designated.

## CONFERENCE TO SETTLE STRIKE

### Officials Of The Shop Crafts And Railway Officials Now In Conference at Dallas

It was hardly to be expected that the officials of the Texas & Pacific Railway would immediately make a settlement with the members of the Shop Crafts out on strike. Even the New York Central and other lines managed by hard boiled officials had to make some wild statements before they came around and signed the agreement.

The heads of the various crafts were in conference with the officials at Dallas Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The daily press has the following report concerning the conference:

"The attitude of the Texas and Pacific and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroads toward their striking shopmen remains unchanged and strikers may return to work only as new employees.

"J. A. Somerville, general manager of the Texas & Pacific after a conference with union officials late Wednesday afternoon, issued a statement in which he said his road had declined to make any concessions to the strikers and advising 'desirable former shop employees' that they should file formal application for employment if they wish to fill existing vacancies."

It's practically certain that none of the men will accept the kind offer, and the strike will be continued until the officials decide to become reasonable.

Chas. M. Boyett, E. L. Hilliard, C. E. Phillip, J. R. Burgh, L. R. Patrick, J. O. Tamsitt and R. Palmer are now in conference with J. L. Lancaster, receiver for the T. & P., and other officials in Dallas.

The following message was received from J. O. Tamsitt this morning at 8:07 o'clock: "Still negotiating for a settlement."

## Cooperating to End Rail Strike

The Big Spring Chamber of Commerce this week sent a message to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce urging their cooperation in requesting the railway executives to accept the peace terms, thus terminating the rail strike in Texas, and give prosperity a chance.

Here is a copy of the message sent: Porter A. Whaley, West Texas Chamber Commerce.

As agreements have been made in other states that look toward early settlement of railroad strike, we believe that by making a few concessions the same condition might prevail in Texas. With the coming on of our crop all we need to bring renewed prosperity is such settlement. Please make a special effort to effect same.

In reply Mr. Whaley stated that he had taken the matter up with the heads of the various railway systems of Texas and was suggesting that everything possible be done to end the rail strike.

## Bitten by Rattlesnake

D. A. Rhotan had the misfortune to have been bitten by a rattlesnake, early last Friday at his ranch near Moss Springs.

He had been securing some ear corn for his livestock—and piled some on the ground while he went to open a gate—returning, he started to pick up the corn when the rattler struck, hitting him on the hand.

He was brought to his home in this city for medical attention and is now rapidly recovering from the effects of the injury.

## Entombed Miners Dead

The rescuers made a heroic effort to save the 47 miners entombed in the Argonaut gold mine near Jackson, California, 4350 feet below the surface of the ground, and after 21 days of heartbreaking effort found the bodies of the men. It is thought that death came five hours after the men were trapped. On a piece of paper was found this message: "3 a. m. Gas bad. Getting too strong. We are going to leave you. William Fessel."

Eighty-two gallons of alcohol were captured by D. C. Dale, deputy sheriff of Westbrook. Two cars and two men were arrested. The men were Jark Tramble of Fort Worth and M. B. Harrison of Dallas. They were released on \$1500 bond each. The alcohol was in one gallon cans and the men were on their way from El Paso to Fort Worth and Dallas.—Washbrook Banner.

## C. O. Jenkins Claimed by Death

Charles O. Jenkins one of our well known and highly esteemed citizens was claimed by death at Mercy Hospital in this city at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon September 16th. He was to be operated upon to relieve an attack of locked bowels, but death took place before the operation had been started.

He was at his ranch in Glascock County when he became ill and realizing his condition was serious he went to a neighbors home and requested them to take him to a physician. He was taken to Garden City and after administering a hypodermic injection to relieve the intense suffering they started to Big Spring, a physician going to meet the sufferer. It was decided an immediate operation was necessary but death took place before it was possible to prepare for the operation.

Mr. Jenkins was born in Georgia and was aged fifty-three years, four months and five days. He had made his home in West Texas many years during which time he engaged in the cattle business. His family have made their home in Big Spring the past five years while he had ranching interests in the Coahoma section and later he secured a ranch in Glascock County. He was a big-hearted, generous man, a progressive citizen, a true friend and neighbor and many hearts are saddened by his death.

Funeral services were conducted at the family residence on Main street at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Rev. Summers of Merizon and the remains were laid to rest in Mt. Olive cemetery. Services at the graveside were conducted by the Masonic fraternity.

To the wife, two sons and two daughters, Clinton and Oliver, and Misses Lula and Loretta who mourn for a faithful husband and a kind and indulgent father is extended the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends throughout West Texas.

## Mrs. H. L. Williamson Dies at El Paso

Mrs. H. L. Williamson of Pasadena, Calif., and formerly a resident of Big Spring, died at a sanitarium at El Paso Saturday night September 16th. She was a sufferer from tuberculosis and had been very ill for a number of months.

Mrs. Williamson who was twenty-three years of age, resided in Big Spring several years and was loved and esteemed by a wide circle of friends here. Her death brings sorrow to many hearts. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Castlow and Mr. Williamson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williamson were at the bedside of the sufferer when her soul took its flight to her Maker.

Funeral services were conducted at the J. J. Kaster chapel in El Paso at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery.

We join many friends here in extending to the bereaved husband, mother and other relatives our deepest sympathy in their deep bereavement.

## Conditions Improving in This Section

Conditions in the Big Spring section are in reasonably good shape and will improve at a rapid rate with farm products—especially cotton, being marketed at a fairly good price. If the strike was finally settled and the men called back to their former jobs, things would certainly pick up.

Following is a report of the conditions of the three banks in this city on September 15th, an excellent showing indeed: First State Bank deposits \$594,865.84; Cash \$105,937.63; loans \$483,426.14; resources \$677,092.08. First National Bank deposits \$357,258.69; cash \$116,765.85; loans \$432,467.09; resources \$626,014.53. West Texas National Bank deposits \$454,733.77; cash \$145,685.83; loans \$437,261.82; resources \$665,086.04. Or total deposits of \$1,426,858.30; cash on hand \$428,329.31; loans \$1,355,155.06; total resources \$1,908,292.95.

## B. S. H. S. Football Team at Lamesa

The members of the Big Spring High School football team left today for Lamesa where the football game between Big Spring and Lamesa will be one of the attractions of the Dawson County fair program.

A strong team is being lined up with Hayden Griffith as captain. Carl Montgomery will again serve as assistant coach for the team. Here is the probable line up for today's game at Lamesa: Lee Rogers center; Hayden Griffith, Right Guard; William Bonner, Left Guard; Charles Stovall, Right Tackle; Melvin Pitman Left Tackle; Adolphus Gallemore Right End; Jack Nall, Left End; Abe Bailey, Quarter; Buell Cardwell, Right Half; Ron Jones, Left Half; Oakley

## DISTRICT COURT CLOSES SESSION

### Having Completed Its Work For The Term District Court Adjourned Thursday

The business of the term having been completed the fall session of district court came to an end here Thursday afternoon and District Judge W. P. Leslie left for his home at Colorado. The following business was transacted since our report of last week.

In the case of Lucy Currie vs. D. M. Trammell, suit for damages, on trial last week, the jury was dismissed Friday when it was found it would be impossible for them to agree upon a verdict.

In the case of M. E. Anderson et al vs. J. W. McCutchan et al; suit by injunction, the jury was unable to reach an agreement.

In the case of the First National Bank vs. M. B. Ermich, a judgment for plaintiff was granted.

In the case of W. T. Roberts vs. J. G. Leavelle, receiver, and the General Oil Co., for cancellation of lease, a judgment for plaintiff was ordered.

Only one divorce case came up for a hearing at this term of court.

The following cases were disposed of this week on the criminal docket.

State of Texas vs. W. T. Johnson charged with burglary. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and recommended a three year suspended sentence.

In the case of the State of Texas vs. J. A. Rogers the defendant entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary.

In the case of the State of Texas vs. Robert Shoop, charged with violating the local option law on trial Wednesday; the jury was dismissed Thursday afternoon when it was found they were unable to reach a verdict.

In the case of the State of Texas vs. T. B. Weaver, charged with forgery, the jury returned a verdict of guilty and assessed the penalty at five years—with the suspended sentence clause applying.

The case of the State of Texas vs. John Bowser, charged with incest was dismissed.

The following were appointed jury commissioners for the ensuing year: O. T. Lacey, A. G. Hall, S. T. Eason.

## The City Federation Notes

The City Federation met in regular session September 5th at the Rest Room with seventeen members present. Mrs. J. M. Morgan our new president in the chair.

For the benefit of the members present that do not attend regularly, the two amendments to the By-laws were read.

Mrs. E. N. Brown's resignation as president also as a member was read and accepted with regrets. She made a splendid president and was one of our loyal members. She talked and worked for the City Federation at all times and will be greatly missed at the meetings.

Mrs. Brown has served on a number of important committees with credit to herself and entire satisfaction to the club. She was always ready to do her part of the work in anything for the benefit of Big Spring that the Federation undertook.

On account of Mrs. Morgan, as vice president, taking the chair left vacant by Mrs. Brown's resignation, it became necessary to appoint a vice president. Mrs. A. W. Flaniken was appointed first vice president and Mrs. K. S. Beckett second vice president.

The committees reported favorably on the plans that had been proposed at a previous meeting to help raise the amount the Federation had promised to give to the fund for the auditorium and swimming pool; after some discussion it was decided to wait until conditions were more settled.

A rummage sale was suggested as a means of raising money. If this can be arranged it will be held sometime this fall. Please remember this and do not burn your old clothes but save them to help a good cause.

E. E. Fahrenkamp, city secretary; T. H. Johnson and Ben Allen, city aldermen; and W. W. Rix, president of the Chamber of Commerce, made a trip to Colorado Thursday to inspect the pumping plant at the waterworks system of that city.

## W. H. Cardwell Brings in Products.

W. H. Cardwell who is always ready to boost for his home county brought in a fine array of agricultural products, Tuesday, to be added to those that are to be sent to various fairs in Texas and elsewhere by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The products brought in by Mr. Cardwell will certainly reflect credit on the agricultural possibilities of this county—and especially so in a year such as the present, when there has been so little rain thruout the entire state.

Included in the exhibit brought in by Mr. Cardwell were two giant stalks of Mebane cotton, as green and fresh as river bottom cotton under the most favorable conditions; and filled with well formed bolls. Samples of white and red maize and Kaffir corn, the heads as large and well filled as that raised in any man's country under ideal conditions, large and well formed ears of Squaw corn, two varieties of large kershaws, a large pumpkin and squash, some dandy watermelons and fine tomatoes. It was an eye opener to our folks to see such fine products in a year of such scant rainfall during the growing season; and the exhibit which has been placed in the window at the Chamber of Commerce office has been eliciting much favorable comment.

Mr. Cardwell is certainly to be commended for taking the time and trouble to bring in these specimens to add to our county exhibit, but he can always be depended upon to do everything in his power to boost for his home county. Others are not any busier than Mr. Cardwell and while they may not be able to bring such a varied exhibit, they can at least bring some fine specimens for the agricultural exhibit that will prove an eye opener to the people of the East and North who seem to think that sand storms are about all we can raise in West Texas.

## Bring in Products For Exhibit

If everyone holds back, expecting the other fellow to bring in agricultural products for the exhibit that is to be sent to the Abilene, Dallas and other fairs, we are not going to be able to have Howard County represented as it should, and could be if our folks had the best interest of our county at heart. In spite of the drought during the summer months our section has made exceptionally good crops, much better than most anywhere else in Texas and we could make folks in other sections come to the conclusion that we had a real farming country if all were interested and would take the time and trouble to bring in a few of the best products of farm, garden or orchard.

This exhibit must be prepared for shipment within the next few days so everyone who wishes to see Howard County make the best possible showing are urged to bring their best maize, corn, cotton, kershaws, pumpkins, etc. at once. Leave with T. H. Johnson, in basement of First State bank or at the office of the Chamber of Commerce.

## Some Violating Game Laws

Some Big Spring hunters are going to get in bad if they continue their practice of killing quails and ducks out of season.

Notwithstanding the fact that the quail season does not open until December 1st some would be sportsmen are already taking pot shots at coveys of quails at any and every opportunity. Game wardens report that while they do not wish to file complaints against any of our citizens for violation of the game laws, they will be compelled to if some persist in killing quail.

A fine of from \$10 to \$100 and a jail sentence too are the penalty if convicted.

Play fair—don't violate the law—Wait until the season opens before you go gunning for quail, duck, etc.

## Big Spring Boys Honored

Harry Wheelon and E. D. Notestine, Big Spring boys, are eligible for commissions in the U. S. Army if they desire to accept same. They were included among the thirty-six who graduated from the A. & M. College of Texas in the class of 1922 and have been designated as honor graduates and are thus eligible for appointment as Lieutenants in the regular army without further examinations.

Orders for the appointment of thirty-six men for this distinction were received some time ago and the selections have just been completed.

Born Saturday September 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Allen an eight pound girl.



REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring, in the State of Texas, at the close of business September 15, 1922

RESOURCES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and Discounts, U. S. Government securities, and Total.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Undivided profits, and Total.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, as: I, Robt. T. Piner, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT-ATTEST: J. J. HAIR, WILL P. EDWARDS, W. W. INKMAN, Directors. R. V. MIDDLETON, Notary Public.

Charter No. 4906 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring, in the State of Texas, at the close of business September 15, 1922

RESOURCES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, U. S. Government securities, and Total.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, and Total.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, as: I, R. L. Price, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT-ATTEST: R. L. PRICE, Vice President and Cashier. L. S. McDOWELL, R. C. SANDERSON, J. W. WARD, Directors. REBA ORENBAUN, Notary Public.

Turkish Armistice Terms Paris. — The Turkish armistice terms were made public Sunday in a semi-official dispatch from Ankara, seat of the nationalist government.

Property for Sale A house and lot on Scurry street. Choice lots in College Heights moving fast, better get yours now. J. F. Hair.

See J. R. Creath For New Simmons Cabinets, dining tables, iron beds, rockers, dining chairs, etc.

WOMEN FOR RENT Nice room for rent, suitable for one or two young men. Private entrance and use of bath. One block from court house. Apply 409 Scurry St., phone 402.

Education vs. Laws

We all see. But do we see clearly. When we see an evil, we often say, "let us pass a law against it" in the child-like belief that what is forbidden is eradicated.

Quite a few folks will find it to their advantage to visit the P. & F. Company and secure choice fruits, vegetables and groceries for less money.—Advertisement.

Senior Christian Endeavor Program Subject: How can we help foreign mission work? Leader—Esther Leach.

Notice Ford motors overhauled \$15.00; rear ends \$5.00. Shorty McDonald's Auto Shop.

Junior League Program, September 24 Subject—Kindness. Leader—Yawna Bell Horton.

Pathe Phonograph For Sale Have a dandy Pathe phonograph. It cost \$50 and will sell for \$30. See me at once. E. A. Rowland. 52-3p

A Surprise Party A party of young people surprised Miss Marie Bowtell last Saturday evening by calling at her home about 8:30 p. m. and announcing that she was to be hostess to the bunch for a little surprise party.

Notice Dodge motors overhauled \$15.00; rear ends \$5.00; transmissions \$6.00. Shorty McDonald's Auto Shop.



THE Studebaker Special-Six Sedan will win your admiration at first glance. After you have examined it you will be even more delighted with it.

MODELS AND PRICES—f. o. b. factories

Table with columns for LIGHT-SIX, SPECIAL-SIX, and BIG-SIX models and their prices.

HALL, TIRE AND TOP CO. Phone 196 BIG SPRING, TEXAS - Phone 196 THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

The Real Solution History is full of tales of desperate chances which succeeded because some man was not afraid to lead.

And Now—What? The Turkish victory over the Greeks in Asia Minor threatens to have stupendous repercussions.

A Fine Farm For Sale A fine farm of 320 acres, 150 in cultivation; 60 acres sub-irrigated—located 2 1/2 miles from Big Spring for sale.

Notice See our way of tightening Ford wheels for \$1.00. Shorty McDonald's Auto Shop.

LADIES WILL FIND GOOD COMPLEXION ADVICE IF THEY WILL ASK US FOR IT. IT'S FREE. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Business Booming A farmer was paying his bill to the seaside. He inquired of a man if he could have a better wife to take home with him.

The big celebration held by the Mexican population last Saturday night in honor of Mexico's Independence day proved to be a joyous affair for those taking part.

Our folks may not be making hay while the sun shines but they certainly are dragging in the cotton while the weather remains clear.

Corpus Christi had ten inches of rain the forepart of this week. That's quite a bit more than we care for just at this time.

Charles Ray Lee left Wednesday for Georgetown, Texas, where he will attend the Southwestern University.

Mrs. W. R. Whitcomb left morning for Texas.



Texas Granite The beautiful red grey granite can now be sold at the price of white.

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

RIX Furniture & Upholstery BIG SPRING

RYZON BAKING POWDER



**Looking Over the Heads**

It is to be seen that the railroad officials hope to bring about a situation that will force the government to take over and run the railroads for a long enough time to establish the seniority rights to the shopmen.

The railroad officials know that the shopmen are not going to go back to work without their seniority rights, and they are unwilling to admit defeat in the strike and re-establish the seniority rights. Because they admit defeat they have lost the opportunity to destroy union labor and establish the open shop, being disorder in American industry.

In bringing about a national strike, as they hoped to do, the railroad officials may be expected to start cutting off passenger trains, placing embargoes on freight shipments, until the government will be forced to take over and run the roads. Because the talk of the railroad officials does not stand against the re-establishment of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The railroad officials say they are going back to normal in all ways: that the public knows and the shopmen know that the railroads cannot get back to normal with their cars and locomotives 60 per cent deficient.

We know that even here in Little Rock an embargo was placed on passenger trains a few days ago, and then modified by an embargo just the same. It was stated at the time that the embargo was due to scarcity of coal.

There is no scarcity of coal. The miners are at work, and counting thousands of tons of the incarnate of the sun-god's fiery youth are being shipped to the mines, with no freight cars to haul them, and the reason there are no freight cars is because the shopmen are not working and the cars are being to wrack.

That's why there is now an embargo on freight.

That's why there will be still no passenger train service shut off. It would not be a total surprise if all the passenger trains taken because of this shortage (?) of freight.

That is all a part of the scheme to force the government to take over the railroads and operate them long enough to establish the seniority rights of the men, and get the roads going again.

That done, and the railroad officials will come back and want the government to give them a few million dollars which they will allege was lost to the government operation of the roads.

We hope that doesn't happen.

We hope the government never is forced to make the losses of a private citizen and corporation at the expense of the tax paying citizens of this country.

We hope that congress never again mistakes to make the railroads whole amount of losses they may sustain. The people are in no way responsible for this strike, and they should not be called upon to reimburse the government for the losses they are sure to sustain because of the strike.

If that is done, then the striking men should also be reimbursed.

That is as much entitled to government aid as the other.

Neither of them are entitled to government aid.

We figure that the officials could have prevented the strike in the first place if they had followed the rules laid down by the Railroad Labor Board and stopped farming out the work, and they surely could have stopped it if they had been willing for the shopmen to have another wage hearing before the labor board—they offered to do both these things after the strike was in effect.

That the bugbear of seniority arose, and this gave the railroad officials every opportunity to refuse to settle. They do not want to settle.

They have never wanted to settle.

This strike was forced on the shopmen by the railroad officials, who brought the time was here for a show-down fight on organized labor, and they see they were wrong, and that the time has not yet come when organized labor can be destroyed in this country, they are very willing, nay, anxious for the government to take over the roads and pull the hot chestnuts out of the fire they kindled.

—The Rock Daily News.

A. G. Thomet, district secretary of the International Association of Machinists left Tuesday evening for Dallas in response to a message from James M. Boyett, chairman of the organized Shop Crafts. The purpose was to open negotiations with the Union Pacific railway company to end the strike on the Warfield road.

**Generosity Mops**

Shop owners and lease owners of land in Howard County. Address: W. C. GARNIKER, Big Spring, Texas.

Men live to learn and thus learn to live; they accumulate knowledge but only the wise ones put theoretical knowledge to a practical use. Knowledge is power only when applied.



The Young Man chooses his hat for style and color. His Father chooses his for Quality and Service.

We can take care of both in our New Fall Styles

STETSON'S . . . \$7 and up  
MALLORY UNION MADE . . . \$5

**J. & W. FISHER**  
The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

## Now is The Time

For the Cool Days  
not far away  
we have

**NEW PERFECTION  
OIL HEATERS**

**USE LESS FUEL**



**For Scissors and Shears**

sued to the work, that cut  
keen to the point, whose  
blades can't loosen, ask for  
Keen Kutter.

**J. & W. FISHER**  
Everything in Hardware

Gainsborough hair nets win friends  
.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Haley Farley left Sunday for Austin  
where he will attend the State University.

Stationery in seventy-five cent  
boxes for thirty-five.....Cunningham  
& Phillips.

Dog fanciers say that a dog fills an  
empty place in a man's life—especially  
"hot dog."

Big shipment of Carters Inks. Any  
thing from a quart down to a dime...  
Cunningham & Phillips.

Wilbur Matthews left Tuesday evening  
for Austin to reenter the University  
of Texas.

Robert Currie is attending West-  
worth Military Academy at Lexing-  
ton, Missouri, this year and expects  
to enter Boston Tech next year.

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live; they accumulate knowledge but  
only the wise ones put theoretical  
knowledge to a practical use. Knowl-  
edge is power only when applied.

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

Lynn Hatcher left Sunday for Aus-  
tin where he will attend the University  
of Texas.

Tally-score cards for bridge 25c and  
50c. Score pads for bridge 25c; offi-  
cial books on cards 50c. Ward's.

Paper: Those walls now and keep  
the heat inside this winter.....Cun-  
ningham & Phillips.

Misses Tommie, Johnnie and  
Willie Preston of Sonsh left Sunday  
evening for Abilene where they will  
attend Simmons College.

Better to study than to guess—  
better to learn than to sneer—better  
improve than boast: none of us are  
"different"—all just common little  
people with common little faults.

**OUR NEW SODA FOUNTAIN  
HAS ARRIVED AND WE ARE PRE-  
PARED TO HANDLE ANY SIZE  
CROWD AND HANDLE THEM LIKE  
THEY DO "UP TOWN".....CUN-  
NINGHAM & PHILIPS.**



We have a wonderful collection of Coats this season in Normandy, Brytonia, Lapinex and other new fabrics, some with fur trim, others plain—and the prices are reasonable, but the tailoring and models are exquisite. \$25.00 and up.

**J. & W. FISHER**  
ESTABLISHED 1882

To get the best fit and drape in  
the new Dresses one should also  
have one of the new Gossard's.  
They have the correct lines.

\$2.00 and up



## TYPE CORSETRY

THE whole ideal of Gossard Type Corsetry is to bring you to graceful proportions, one curve growing out of another with no part unduly emphasized. When this is done you will have an appearance of slimness that the woman with a four-inch smaller waist and your own hip measurements can never have. A faithful following of this simple rule will alone take pounds and pounds away from a woman's apparent silhouette and years away from her apparent age.

Let us classify your figure and select the proper corset for you

**J. & W. FISHER**  
ESTABLISHED 1882

**"BIG BEN" THE ALARM CLOCK**  
.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

The new cotton gin at Sparenberg, Texas, began operations last week. L. F. Keisling of Big Spring is owner of this new and up-to-date gin and he expects to secure twenty-five hundred bales of cotton at Sparenberg this season.

K. D. Hopper who has been a tenant farmer in our county for the past six or seven years has purchased a farm of his own. He purchased 100 acres in the Hart Wells community from H. F. Taylor. The deal was made by the Shockley-Curtis Realty Company.

Kemble Dunbar left last Saturday for the State University, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Dunbar of Garden City. Kemble is a graduate of Big Spring high school and a worthy young man making good in the University, this being his third year there.

We lose lots of trade because we tell you the truth.....Cunningham and Phillips.

The fire department was called out Monday in response to an alarm sent in from the Guitar gin, in the north part of the city but fortunately the employees were able to extinguish the blaze before the arrival of the fire department and before any appreciable damage resulted.

The present is the time we should be putting forth a strenuous effort to attract folks to Howard County and show them just how our county can make good. Many home builders could be secured if we could induce folks from other sections of the state to come and look us over.

**Notice**  
Ford cylinders rebored \$8.00; valves ground \$3.00; bearings tightened \$3.00. Shorty McDonald's Auto Shop.

Window glass. Put them in now.. Cunningham & Phillips.

**Meeting Presbyterian Auxiliary**

The monthly business meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will be held at the church next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. It is hoped that our president Mrs. Barnett may be present after her long absence on account of serious illness. Let all members be out to greet her and to bear their part in the business that will come up.

**Milk Prices Effective Sept. 1st**

Beginning Sept. 1 and continuing thru the fall and winter I will maintain the following prices for pure, fresh milk: per pint 6 cents; quart 10 cents; gallon 35 cents. This milk is pure and from government tested cows. Let us supply you with the best milk regularly. A. B. WINSLOW. 47-8p

**Desirable Room For Rent**

A large, south room, upstairs—with bath—to rent to couple or two young men. Concrete walk all the way to business district. Phone 18. 1p



No. 302  
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION  
**FIRST STATE BANK**

at Big Spring State of Texas, at the close of business on the 15 day of September 1922 published in the Big Spring Herald a newspaper printed and published at Big Spring State of Texas, on the 22 day of September, 1922.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$449,316.55
Loans, real estate	32,600.00
Overdrafts	2,100.50
Real Estate (banking house)	7,000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	165,937.00
Interest on Depositors' Guaranty Fund	6,502.53
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	11,920.80
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	2,304.92
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$677,682.08</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 35,000.00
Surplus Fund	35,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	22,238.24
Individual Deposits, subject to check	402,077.92
Time Certificates of Deposit	182,701.57
Cashier's Checks	86.35
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$677,682.08</b>

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard,  
We, L. T. Deats, as president, and T. S. Currie, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

L. T. DEATS, President.  
T. S. CURRIE, Cashier.  
**CORRECT—ATTEST:**  
Wm. B. CURRIE,  
A. C. WALKER,  
BERNARD FISHER, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of September A. D. 1922.  
(Seal) FRED STEPHENS, Notary Public Howard County, Texas.

**Mrs. A. M. Evans Entertains**  
Mrs. A. M. Evans delightfully entertained with rook Thursday afternoon of last week.  
Score cards were passed to seven tables of players and at the close of many exciting games cuts were made for table score and interesting favors awarded the winners.  
Mrs. Northington and Mrs. Menger tied for high score and in the cut Mrs. Menger won the prize, a lovely compote.  
A delicious ice course was served. Hostess was assisted in entertaining by her charming granddaughter, Miss Ada Lingo.

**Farming Land For Sale**  
2500 acres fine agricultural land in Dawson County, Texas, is to be placed on the market. The land is all tillable and close to good school and church. Will sell in any size tracts from 100 acres up. Price \$20 to \$30 bonus \$2 due the State.  
No cash is needed if you have property elsewhere as I will accept deed of trust on real estate or other property as first payment; and you can pay balance in nine equal annual installments. This is some of the finest farming land in Texas and it will pay you to investigate if you want to own a home in the West. Come, write or wire.

I also own 8,000 acres in Gaines County which I will sell on the same terms, but at a lower price. Address all inquiries to A. L. WASSON, Big Spring, Texas.—Advertisement.

Mrs. J. M. Garrett left Saturday night for Longview in answer to a message announcing the serious illness of her mother who was operated upon for an attack of appendicitis. She underwent the operation Sunday and at last report was getting along nicely.

**SMOKERS!—Cut down the expense with a pipe....Cunningham & Phillips**

**Dad, Mother, Ironized Yeast for Rheumatism**

Do You Realize What Ironized Yeast-Vitamins Will Do for Rheumatism and Lumbago?



Do you know that vitamins and iron are part of your very life? Do you know that the tissue-and-blood factory in your body needs these two materials, and needs them badly? Do you know that if your body furnace does not get enough of these, that queer poisons, joint poisons, muscle poisons, acid poisons are formed instead of the healthy flesh and the rich blood you need to have in days gone by? If you hobble in your gait, if pains distort your body, if bending over is an unpeppable agony, if dull pains make you breathe heavily and moan, do not grumble at the roughness of the way—smile sweetly, there is a rainbow ahead. Things are different now than they used to be, in the days of liniments, salves, complicated drugs, and all that—remember? The happy secret today is Ironized Yeast, one of the greatest body-and-blood builders of all time. Begin taking Ironized Yeast today. Beware of imitations and substitutes, because Ironized Yeast is not a mere combination of yeast and iron, but is yeast ironized, which is a substance all by itself. There is only one Ironized Yeast in all the world. Sold at all drug stores at \$1.09 a package and containing 60 tablets, each tablet sealed. They never lose their power. Mfg. only by Ironized Yeast Co., Atlanta, Ga. Say goodbye to rheumatism from now on!

**Notice of Election**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard,  
Whereas, on the 13th day of September A. D. 1922, the same being at a regular term of the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, a petition in writing, signed by more than fifty Freeholders residing in Howard County, Texas, praying that an election be ordered to be held in Howard County, Texas, to determine whether hogs, sheep, and goats shall be permitted to run at large in Howard County, Texas, was presented to said court;

And whereas, on said date the Commissioners' Court of said County granted the request as prayed for in said petition and ordered said election to be held in each and every voting precinct in Howard County, Texas on the 28th day of October A. D. 1922.  
Therefore, I, James T. Brooks in my capacity as County Judge of Howard County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held at the usual voting places in the several election precincts in Howard County, Texas, on the 28th day of October A. D. 1922, the same being the 4th Saturday in October A. D. 1922 to determine whether hogs, sheep, and goats shall be permitted to run at large in Howard County, Texas.

All persons who are Freeholders in Howard County, Texas, and are qualified voters, under the constitution and laws, in Howard County, Texas, may vote at said election; and all voters who desire to prevent hogs, sheep and goats from running at large in said county shall place upon their ballots the words:  
"For the Stock Law."  
and those in favor of allowing hogs, sheep and goats running at large in said county shall place upon their ballots the words:  
"Against the Stock Law."

The Election officers heretofore appointed by the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas as presiding officers of the several voting precincts in said County are hereby appointed as managers in their respective precincts to hold said election and each of them shall elect two Judges and two Clerks, who are Freeholders and qualified voters in said county, to assist him in holding said election.  
The Sheriff of Howard County, Texas is hereby directed and ordered to give public notice hereof by causing this notice to be published in The Big Spring Herald, a weekly newspaper published in Howard County, Texas, for at least thirty days before the day of the election.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Big Spring, Texas, this 13th day of September A. D. 1922.  
JAMES T. BROOKS,  
County Judge, Howard County, Texas.  
(Seal.) 1-4-

**Notice in Probate**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To all persons interested in the estate of C. O. Jenkins, deceased, M. E. Jenkins has filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 21st day of September 1922, for probate of the Last Will and Testament of C. O. Jenkins, deceased, and for Letters Testamentary to be issued to her, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 2nd day of October 1922, at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.  
Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
Witness my hand and official seal, at Big Spring, Texas, this 21st day of September 1922.  
(Seal) J. I. PRICHARD,  
County Clerk, Howard County, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Sanderson of Dallas, enroute from a visit in the Plains section, arrived in Big Spring this morning for a few days' visit with his uncle, R. C. Sanderson.  
Eversharp pencils. They are always ready....Cunningham & Phillips.

**Education Makes Big Return in Money**

Let us take a boy who leaves school at fourteen and another who continues his education until he is eighteen, and see how both stand at the age of twenty-six. Will the salary made in twelve years by the boy who left school at fourteen equal the eight years' salary made by the boy who continues his education until he is eighteen? Figures compiled by the United States Bureau of Education show that at twenty-five years of age, the boy who finished high schools is not only getting a larger yearly salary but has made a larger total amount of money than the boy who started to work four years earlier. Here is the proof that education pays: Earnings per week. Earnings per week of children who of children who left school at 14, left school at 18, end of grammar end of high school, school.

Age	Total Salary till 25 years of age, years of age
14	\$ 4.00
15	4.50
16	5.00
17	6.00
18	7.00
19	8.50
20	9.50
21	9.50
22	11.75
23	11.75
24	12.00
25	12.75

Total salary till 25 years of age, years of age \$5,112.50 \$7,337.50  
At the age of twenty-five, the high school boy was making \$900 a year more than the boy with only a grammar school education. This is equivalent to 5 per cent on \$18,000.

From twenty-five years of age on the salary of the better educated boy will continue to rise more rapidly, for in fact, even at this age the increase in the salary of the grammar school boy has slowed down very perceptibly. Although the wages paid now are much higher than when these figures were compiled, the comparison remains applicable. Moreover, while the value of high school education is here given in terms of cash salaries, we believe the same principles will hold good on the farm. The farmer with the better-trained mind will not only get more out of life but make larger profits.  
Better insist that John go on back to school this fall!—The Progressive Farmer.

**Same Heat That Generated Klan Will Consume It.**

The movement to nominate an independent candidate instead of Mr. Mayfield should be frowned upon by all good Democrats. It amounts to a bolt of the ticket and is fraught with grave danger to the party. Why should the anti-klan element of the party be discouraged. We elected three out of the four candidates in the State run-off primary, held on the 20th ultimo. That is to say, we elected our man for Lieutenant Governor, State Superintendent of Public Instruction and Comptroller, losing only the nominee for United States Senator. While personally I supported Mr. Ferguson wholeheartedly and have no apologies to make for so doing, there was a large element in the party who, though eschewing the klan, could not support Mr. Ferguson on his prohibitive plank. In fact, I did not agree with him on a single issue except that he was in favor of a constitutional government. I did not think he could do anything to affect our present prohibition law as written into the Constitution, and when some of the men who impeached him as Governor confessed that it was purely political impeachment, and that of their own knowledge they knew the \$150,000 transaction was a bona fide loan, made on gilt-edge security, and that it and every cent of the \$5,600 had been fully repaid with accrued interest at the cost of Mr. Ferguson's fortune, then, as between the personal records of Mayfield and Ferguson, I did not think there was any comparison and still adhere to that opinion.  
In view of the overwhelming victory of the remainder of the ticket, I can, with good grace, take my crow as evidenced by Mr. Mayfield for six years. I wouldn't be a good Democrat if I didn't. This hob-nobbing with the Republicans does not look good to me, and I am against it. As to the klan, in my deliberate opinion, after full investigation, I am firmly convinced that it is fundamentally founded upon ignorance, intolerance and cowardice. I have reached this conclusion by reason of the fact that when a set of men tell me they are intolerant of another man's religion or political opinion, they thereby confess a complete lack of comprehension of the broad principles of humanity as read in the light of universal history, and have not made a patient and open-minded study of the institution that mark this Republic and define its character. When they are not courageous enough to admit membership in an institution that can not be defended in the forum in the open light of day, it is an acknowledgment of lack of conviction as to the righteousness of their cause. The same heat

**Garrett's Forced Removal Sale!**

*If you fail to attend this big sale we both lose!*

We feel that we have made a REAL OPPORTUNITY for you to do your Fall and Winter buying. All of our big stocks of new goods are being offered

**At Prices That Will Move Them!**

We cannot afford to move this big stock to Lubbock. Nothing to be reserved, everything on sale. Our loss will be your gain—so don't fail to come and get your share of the bargains.

*May We Look for You In?*

**W. J. GARRETT  
Garrett's Style Shop**

that generated it will consume it. Let us hope it does not effect a complete debacle before sinking into its certain oblivion.  
Too true it is the party has fallen upon unhappy days when the great principles of equality of religious opinions and justice to every man, irrespective of station or creed, can not get an indorsement in a State Democratic convention. It would seem that what formerly constituted the party's Ark of the Covenant has become its Pandora's box has been aptly said. But we have had fights over great issues in the party before, and its principles and autonomy have survived. They are imperishable.—ELMER GRAHAM, Graham, Texas in Dallas News.

**Owe Obligations to Commonwealth**

What do you owe your home town? Whatever the bill is, none will be presented to you for payment. The debt is an intangible one, no matter how large it is. If you do not realize the size of it, nobody will try to tell you. You know what the town has done for you, and you know better than anybody else what you ought to do for the town.

When your wife and children were critically ill, was it the doctor from the city who pulled them through? You didn't even think of calling him. Your first thought was of the home town doctor, and he saved the lives of your dear ones.

When you lost your job, who gave you credit and tided you over the winter? It certainly wasn't the store in the city that advertises "bargains" for the country shopper. The merchant on "Front Street" or "Main Street" stood by you then, as he has for others, and as he will again some time when the emergency arises.

If these things have not happened to you, they have happened to your neighbors, and you know about them. Mere money cannot pay for disinterested service such as the doctor and the merchant render under the circumstances. And they are not cited with the idea of wakening a feeling of obligation toward those individuals who render us signal service on extraordinary occasions. They are brought up, rather, with the view of making every man, woman and child realize his partnership in the community and his responsibility in that partnership which means so much to him.

The doctor and the merchant are not the only men toward whom others in the community owe this obligation to maintain the community as a self-sustaining entity. They are simply given as examples of how the proposition works out concretely. They are among the leaders who have consecrated what they are and what they possess to the service of the town in which they live, and all for the well-being of its people and their future as a community. On the basis of the law of compensation alone they ought to receive some form of pay for their effort, because even the Bible concedes that the worker is always worthy of his hire.

The cure effected by the doctor and the credit extended by the merchant are two specific instances of benefits coming to the resident of the small town. These are not all the benefits for their number is legion. In good times as well as hard times they come, because they are not restricted by the season of the year or limited to periods of necessity. Like "the gentle rains from heaven" about which Pottia speaks so benignly in her famous courtroom speech to Shylock in "The Merchant of Venice" Shakespeare's masterpiece, these benefits fall upon "just" and "unjust" alike. Nobody is shut out from their enjoyment.

For instance, there are the schools: Everybody pays toward their support in proportion to his ability to pay. They are open to all the children, and by their precept and example they are helping your boys and girls to their place "in the sun." Schools bring to the young a bigger share of life, and set before them the high ideals of our democracy. They show the son of the rail-splitter the road to the president's chair.

The church is another institution that makes community life pleasant for every member of the family. It stands for a better community all around. As the word is used here it refers to all creeds, and is in no sense to be considered in its sectarian or denominational significance. Pastors are leaders in all good causes, and they rally their congregations to civic wholesomeness in the life of the community.

Happiness and contentment bring about also a rich social life. You get together with your neighbors in moments of relaxation from your day's toll and enjoy intercourse with them. Clubs and organizations unite in bonds that hold you together for one purpose

or another.  
A score of other things might be mentioned, but space forbids. For instance, there is the library, with its rich storehouses of the best of the world's literature. Also, there are material things that minister to the comfort and well-being of the people. Among them are macadamized streets, concrete sidewalks, street lights, police protection and a fire department, electric lighting for the home, and similar improvements and conveniences.

The stronger the community the more of these there are. The taxes you pay settles the bills for things already acquired; the wisdom of your cooperation with the progressive leaders assures others in the future. Be a home-town man all the time—patronize home-town merchants exclusively.

**What History Teaches**

History teaches us that concentration of wealth and the enslavement of the working people brings national disaster and death. Rome didn't fall until its workers were in direct poverty and refused to defend a government that permitted this condition to exist. When the common people are kept healthy, and contented is a nation invincible; then no power on earth can conquer or annul the influence of the nation. The people will give the drop of their blood in defense of a nation that contributes substantially to their well-being. It is strange indeed, that employers of labor, who have vast interests that require protection, do not recognize this fact. History still that a government agency misses an earnest appeal for a wage with a stipendancy that has been allied only in the ante-mortem state of France's foolish queen that the starving population might eat in lieu of bread that it lacked.—Benjamin, Fort Smith, Ark. in Dallas News.

**Book Club News**

The Book club had a very pleasant afternoon Thursday with Mrs. Clarke as hostess.  
Twenty-five guests took part in entertaining games and Mrs. Hail won in the cut with Mrs. Hail, Sr. for high club score; high score was won by Mrs. J. J. Jr.  
A very delectable salad course served at the close of play.  
Herald want ads get results



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Mexico's famous Artillery Band.

Radio Show—signalizing science's latest strides.

"Kiyote China," magnificent festival fire.

Lillian Boyer, girl flyer, in thrilling air feats—Flying Circus of two aerial acts.

Watch for special days.

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Careful drivers get no consideration from present day juries if they err just once and injure a pedestrian.

### Hartford Automobile Insurance

is logical protection for careful drivers as it covers all legal expenses and pays awards even when the crash is no fault of the driver; you—as a careful driver—need automobile insurance.

Get your automobile insurance through this agency—Insurance sold but SERVICE given

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We guarantee first class tonorial work

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Motor Drives Hearse  
Service Day or Night  
Lady Assistant

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Big Spring, Texas

### Concrete Sidewalks and Curbing

Now is the season to have concrete sidewalks and curbing constructed. Will be pleased to furnish you estimates on this work.

**JIM WINSLOW,**  
Phone 308.

### Residence Property For Sale

Now is the time to purchase residence property in Big Spring. Can sell you some choice lots. See me J. F. HAIR.

### Home For Rent

Rooms furnished for light house-keeping for rent. Also a nice south-east bed room for rent. Call at 800 Johnson street.

Kodaks! Yes we've got them—all sizes and all kinds. Ward's.

Herald want ads get results.

### Home and School Club

The first meeting of the Home and School club for this year was held at Central school Friday afternoon September 15th, with a splendid attendance present.

Mrs. Chas. Koberg, the new president, presided in her gracious and efficient manner. After the invocation by Rev. Hardy, the audience sang "America," with Mrs. Hughes as accompanist.

Mrs. Koberg welcomed the teachers and said that she hoped the club would be a mutual benefit and that the spirit of cooperation would prevail throughout the year.

Miss Elsie Willis rendered a beautiful instrumental selection, which was very much enjoyed.

The minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Yarnell, and approved. A motion was made and carried that a note of thanks be sent to the Elks for charitable donations, made through the club last year.

Mrs. Freeman was elected vice president to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. W. W. Rix. The Lyceum Course was discussed by Mrs. Holmes and tickets will be sold at an early date.

The following committees were appointed:

- Program Com. — Mrs. Flanken, Mrs. M. H. Morrison, Mrs. Hathcock.
- Membership—Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Joe Carter, Mrs. Holmes.
- Visiting—Mrs. Clyde Thomas, Mrs. Creath, Mrs. Martin.
- Delegates to City Federation—Mrs. Homan, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Bly.
- Sanitation — Mrs. Rippe, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Leslie Thomas.
- Auditing—Mrs. Lees, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Elliot.

The Book contest was discussed at length. Heretofore the room in each school building which had the largest representation of mothers at the club meeting received a book, but it was decided to give instead of the book, a cash donation to be used as the teacher sees fit, for something that will be useful in her room.

Mrs. Agnell's room was winner for Central school; Miss Jordan's for South ward; Miss Guion Pool's for grammar grades, and the Sophomore class in High school.

The president called on Mr. Flanken for a talk. He seems to be very enthusiastic about the outlook for the year's work, and very appreciative of the cooperation he has received. He expects good results from such a splendid beginning.

It is evident that there is much interest in the club work this year.

We were delighted to have so many mothers join and hope that many more will come and take part in making this the most successful year in the history of the club. A reception is being planned for the teachers to be given at an early date. Come again and bring another with you.

Press Reporter.

### The C. E. Rally

The Christian Endeavors of Big Spring, Garden City, Coahoma and of all other nearby towns will meet at the Christian Church at Big Spring, Thursday, September 28th at 7:00 p. m. for a rally before leaving Friday for the District Convention which will be held at Lamesa, September 29, 30, and October 1st.

There will be a program of one hour only, on account of this being school night. For this reason we hope to close the service early hence it is necessary that you be promptly on time. There will be a fifteen minute song service followed by a forty five minute talk by Mr. Jack Hupperts, the field secretary, who has been in our city several times previous.

Our mothers, fathers and members of the church are especially invited, also we ask our associate members of the society and the members of the B. Y. P. U. and Epworth League to meet with us to receive the instructions, learn the progress and report of the Young Peoples Organizations and whatever else this inspiring field man has to say.

### Prayer Circles

Circle No. 8 which disbanded some months ago has been reorganized and will meet every Wednesday hereafter. The members of the Circle met Wednesday at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Schultk, Mrs. Boublin was leader and ten were present.

They will meet with Mrs. Green at 3 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon and Mrs. Lane will be the leader.

### Card of Thanks

We desire to sincerely thank each and every one of the kind friends who assisted us in this great sorrow, the sickness and death of our dear husband and father.

May God's richest blessing rest on each and every one of you.

Mrs. C. O. Jenkins and children.

### S. C. E. L. Red Cockerels

Early hatched; every cockerel from a high producing dam and of standard type and color. This strain has won more in the Texas Egg Laying Contest the last two years than all other red breeders. Choice \$2.50. J. M. Garrett.

### Immorality Grows Fast

The Salvation Army, which is in intimate touch with the nether strata of society, has its views on the present topic of discussion, is immorality more general today than in the past?

The following editorial in the Advisory Board News, a local army publication, of which Brigadier John C. Smith is the publisher, Frank L. Bynum editor and Easign W. R. Conway associate editor, reflects the Army's views:

"There is more immorality in the United States today than in any previous era in the history of our country. A tide of corruption has crept so completely over the nation that not a city or hamlet has escaped contamination. Vice, under one name or another, has ingratiated itself into the lives of more boys and girls, more men and women, than ever before.

"These are mean facts, but they are cold facts. Statistics might be employed to refute them. But statistics on moral conditions at this time are meaningless; evil of this sort cannot be tabulated. The Salvation Army recognizes the situation. It is alarmed. Aside from religious bodies some few others may also be apprehensive. But the fathers and mothers of America either do not realize or do not care.

"It is not difficult, however, to understand their failure to see clearly. The moral sight has been dimmed; it, too, has been affected by the trend. Gradually men and women have learned to overlook as 'all right' things that are all wrong. When 'everybody' does a brazen thing, the thing ceases to be brazen. And so sensual dancing, illicit liquor, wild parties, a frightful lack of modesty, a drawing away from the Christian religion, and all the angles that are included, play a leading part in our social life, from the top strata to the bottom. Pleasure has ceased to become innocent, and has become vicious.

"Red-light districts are springing up again, with a new class of girls—girls who have slipped clear to the bottom before they knew they were slipping at all. The line of demarcation in this form of vice is less distinct than of old. Many of 'partying' girl who thinks she has only been having a good time and has received little or no censure for it, suddenly awakens to the fact that she has become bad. Then the fall is more abrupt. Often she is very young. She may be from the country or the city. There isn't a great deal of difference any more. The small-town girl is, as a rule, the match for her city cousin in point of sophistication.

"Paternal neglect is largely to blame. Parental restraint, or even parental influence, is as rare as innocence. Yet nothing else in the world but an awakened moral and religious consciousness on the part of parents can stem this wave of wickedness and save the sons and daughters of the period."—Kansas City Star.

### Orphans in Need

Buckner Orphans' Home is not a child-placing institution. It is maintained as a real home for the children where they grow up with all the home advantages it can possibly furnish. They have their own church, high school, light plant, water works, laundry, bakery, dairy, machine and blacksmith shops, business school, dressmaking rooms, farm and garden and orchard. The upkeep requires \$15,000 per month. Three hundred and sixty five dollars per day is required to feed the big family of 700. Still Dr. Buckner says they have turned away 100 applicants per month for 2 or 3 years, for lack of room and support. One batch of bread alone requires: 8 sacks of flour, 15 pounds of sugar, 6 pounds of salt, 3 1-2 pounds of yeast, 1 1-2 gallons cooking oil, 10 buckets of water.

If any one will or can do himself the honor and kindness to help these children and the people who are giving their lives in service there at the Home he can send his donation direct to H. F. Buckner, care Buckner Orphans' Home, Dallas, Texas. Or if he does not wish to take this trouble, notify Mrs. S. H. Morrison and she will be glad to collect your money or clothing and forward same without cost to you.

### Concrete Work

I am prepared to do any kind of concrete work—sidewalks, curbing, etc. See me for estimates. W. M. SHEPARD. 1-41-pd.

Sale of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad under auction, formally terminating the receivership, which was scheduled for September 20th has been postponed until the first week in October. The sale was postponed to allow time to arrange various details that must be complied with.

H. B. Stratton in charge of the phonograph department of the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. at Lubbock, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Camel Cigarettes—15c a package—WARD'S—Advertisement.

# New Fall Goods!

## CONSTANTLY ARRIVING

and you will be more than pleased at the prices. The kiddies will need lots of things for school, and you can get everything needed at a saving. Why not come in and look through our stock? It will be a pleasure to us, and profitable to you.

### OUR STORE IS HEADQUARTERS FOR THE BEST GROCERIES

IF IT'S NOT GOOD, WE'LL MAKE IT GOOD

# GARY & SON

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES & GRAIN  
BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS

EVERY MONTH						THIS YEAR
SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.	FRI.	SAT.
				1	2	Save
					9	Save
				15	16	Save
18	19	20	21	22	23	Save

# HABIT

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

## COMFORT

Habits of Extravagance tend to Unhappiness and Destruction.

If you have not started, you will be surprised how much pleasure you will get from saving and adding to a Bank Account.

We Pay 4 Per Cent Interest on Time Deposits  
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# The First National Bank

OF BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS.

## THE OLD RELIABLE

### Every Community Should Have a Community Fair

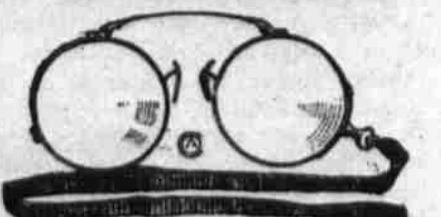
This is one of the greatest agencies for stimulating friendly rivalry in all good work. In this way the biggest achievements of individuals are brought to the attention of all the people. Moreover, the training in cooperation and public service that the people get in developing a community fair prepares them for progressive cooperation along many other useful lines. Farmers who have made a success of a community fair acquire a new pride in themselves and their locality. I know hardly anything else requiring so little effort that is better worth while than the community fair.—The Progressive Farmer.

### It May Reverse Rule

Electricity, that made the bright lights and lure of Broadway, now promises to take Broadway—or Main Street—to the farms. It has taken the aching back and a lot of toil from farming. The telephone makes the rural dweller a neighbor of the man in town. It is interesting to speculate about the effect of electricity on the movement of population. The country may some day be faced with the problem of keeping the city boy at his desk and finding men enough to run lathes and drive street cars, just as it has been bothered to keep enough men on the farms in the recent past.

J. M. Cramer returned Thursday morning from a business trip to Coahoma.

## Are You Getting Results Out of Your Glasses?



COME TO

# CLOUGH'S

## Optical Department

**Fraternity Pin Found**  
A gold fraternity pin with the letters A. L. S. and date thereon. Owner can secure same by paying for this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis of Dallas arrived Wednesday to make their headquarters in Big Spring. Mr. Davis succeeds Mr. Bell as representative of the Sun Oil Company in this territory.

Misses Jena and Lillian Jordan, Helen Hathcock and Doris Chalk left Sunday evening for Denton where they will attend the College of Industrial Arts.

Herald want ads get results.



# Fordson

THE UNIVERSAL TRACTOR

Cut your farm costs in half with the Fordson

## \$395

F.O.B. DETROIT

Save money on every acre plowed with the Fordson

Multiply the work of your farm tools four to six times with the Fordson

Cut your hours in the field over half with the Fordson

Give yourself an 8-hour day you can with the Fordson



### This Value Has Never Been Duplicated

It takes something besides engineering to furnish a tractor like the Fordson to sell at this astonishingly low price.

That something is owner confidence built on permanent satisfaction. There are 170,000 Fordson tractors in use—wherever Power Farming is being done Fordson is showing superior service.

If you are not using a Fordson now, start right. The working ability of this remarkable power plant is cutting farming costs in half in almost every kind of work done, at the draw bar or from the belt.

Ask us for all the details—call, write or phone.

## Stokes Motor Company

Cor. Main and 4th St. Phone 636 Big Spring, Texas

### Sheriff's Sale

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard.

By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Kaufman County, on 29th day of August A. D. 1922, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of First National Bank of Kaufman, Texas, versus P. H. Dismukes No. 10,818, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in October A. D. 1922, it being the 3rd day of said month, before the Court House door of said Howard County, in the town of Big Spring the following described property, to-wit:

140 acres of the N. end of the E 1-2 Section No. 24 in Block No. 35, Township 1 South, certificate No. 2495 T. & P. Survey, situated in Howard County, Texas, levied on the 8th day of September 1922, as the property of P. H. Dismukes to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$11,350.62 in favor of First National Bank of Kaufman, Texas, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 8th day of September A. D. 1922.

J. W. McCUTCHAN, Sheriff.

### A Good Investment

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, through its local manager D. E. Daniel has announced the sale of a new issue of its 7 per cent Cumulative Preferred Stock.

This security has become well-known as a good investment because of its safety and the good return offered.

Last April the second issue was offered to the public and was oversubscribed within a few weeks. Since then the stock has continually risen in public favor. The general downward tendency of interest rates should make the security even more popular now.

According to the Company's announcement, more than 14,000 people in this territory purchased the first two issues, buying either for cash or on the partial payment plan. The Company now has stockholders in almost every city or hamlet in the states in which it furnishes telephone service.

This new issue should have a special appeal to the people of Big Spring because it is a home investment. Investors seem to appreciate very highly the opportunity to put their money in an investment which they can see working right before them in their homes and offices.

Shares may be bought for \$100 cash and accrued dividend or on monthly installments of as low as \$5 per share. Purchases may be made at the telephone office or from any telephone employe.

### British Hero Predicts Holy War

Paris.—The allies must surrender Constantinople or precipitate a holy war which will menace the existence of the British empire, General Sir Charles Townsend, hero of Kut El Amara, declared today to the United Press.

"We had better make peace with Mustapha Kemal while we can," he warned.

General Townsend said Kemal had outlined his terms to him and that he forwarded them to Lloyd George. They included independence for territories where Turkish population is in the majority.

"We have no business in Constantinople and the sooner we get out the better."

"Mustapha Kemal can take Constantinople. If he does I would not be surprised to see the bolsheviks march to Constantinople to help the Turks. Then we would have another world war."

"The Kemalites have a big, well disciplined army—I would rather not say how many."

"We had better settle while we can. I know what is in the minds of Turks. And I warn of the consequences. A holy war would set the whole east aflame from Turkey to India—and remember Russia."

"Didn't I see the soviet officers at Angora aiding the Kemalists? That is worth reflection."

### Epworth League Program

Sunday evening, Sept. 24 at 8:30.

Subject—"Our Border Neighbor, Mexico."

Leader—Marian McDougal.

Hymn—"O Lion, Haste."

Scripture Lesson—Gal. 6:1-9.

Prayer—Bro. Hardy.

Duet—Lillian and Louise Shive.

"As the Inert Millions of Mexico Live Today"—Aline Crowley.

"Does Mexico Need Our Help?"—Miss Barnes.

Song—Mrs. Flewelling.

Roll Call.

Offering.

### Loans

I make a specialty of handling farm and ranch loans. Also buy Vendor's Lien notes. No delay. C. W. GILL, Abilene, Texas.

Pierrette face powder. Invaluable, delightful....Cunningham & Phillips.

### CLYDE E. THOMAS

ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Office in Courthouse Big Spring, Texas

### The Street Called Straight

Enlightened selfishness is so vast an improvement over the other kind, that it deserves respectful recognition. But, after all, enlightenment tacked on selfishness is only a pair of spectacles that can but slightly improve hopelessly blurred and short vision. If the world wants to see any farther than just in front of its toes, it needs better vision than that. Enlightenment and selfishness can't go far together. They don't match. "The Street Called Straight" is straight and wide, but it isn't straight enough or wide enough for those two. Yet, down that street the world must go, sooner or later, for it is the only thoroughfare that leads anywhere except to swamps or deserts. There is one chart for it and its name is Enlightened Unselfishness.

Enlightened Unselfishness doesn't imply the enthusiastic surrender of purse, watch and laundry to the other fellow. It doesn't even demand that we should turn the other cheek to an individual who has already stung us good and plenty on one. It means simply the realization that all human transactions include at least two parties and that no arrangement can be permanent or even of reasonably long endurance if it is only for the selfish interest of one side or the other. Enlightened Unselfishness means that "putting something over" on somebody is not smart, but blind stupidity; that grabbing while the grabbing is good, is to grab two dollars' worth of hatred for every dollar of cash; that what is bad for one side of a bargain is bound in the long run to be bad for both. Enlightened Unselfishness knows that Honor is the keystone of every human relation and that magnanimity is not a luxury but a necessary part of the business of life.—The Linotype Bulletin.

### One Killed Every Six Minutes in 1920

Detroit, Mich.—Careless America's total of accidental deaths during 1920 was 76,000, a life every six minutes, according to a report of the National Safety Council at the Eleventh Annual Safety Congress here.

Automobile accidents were held responsible largely for the unfavorable experience of 1920. In that year there were 1200 more deaths from that cause than in 1919. Thirty deaths a day, a total of 11,000, was the record of automobile fatalities in 1920. Reports now available indicate an increase in 1921. General traffic accidents in 1921 are expected to show a 5 per cent decrease, the report stated.

People died from falling accidents of all kinds at the rate of 34 a day in 1920. Burns claimed 22 a day, a total for the year of 8,068, and an increase of 215 over 1919. Other major causes of accidental deaths were: Railroad accidents 7,769, drowning 6,066, gas 3,618, firearms 2,767, mine accidents 2,660, machinery 2,660, street cars 2,128, other vehicles 2,022, conflagrations 1,227. Deaths from poisons, crushing, sharp instruments, heat cold injuries by animals, lightning and electricity were among the general causes.

### Live to be 100

An old gentleman in Freeport, Ill., celebrating his one hundredth birthday says anybody could equal his age record, as follows:

"Don't burn the candle at both ends, banish worry, eat plain food, get plenty of sleep."

This old gentleman by the way, has smoked tobacco for eighty-eight years, but does not attribute his long life to tobacco.

The fact is that anybody, if he could really "banish worry," which kills a majority of prosperous people as well as many of the poor, could live to be a hundred. The normal life of man is at least one hundred and forty four years, and living to one hundred would be easy enough if men would begin early. Conaro did it, starting after forty, when he was given up to die, as a result of foolish excesses.

He was past ninety when he wrote his last book and rode horseback daily, mounting unaided.

The majority of us begin trying to live long when it is too late. Save your heart, nerves and lungs early, and you will be working at one hundred, not merely reminiscing.

### A Cowman Backsliding

Things are coming to a pretty pass when an old time cowman will condescend to permit cotton to be planted on his ranch; and worst of all, actually haul the cotton to the gin himself. His friends claim he camped outside the city limits until after dark, but anyway E. W. Douthett is accused of being the guilty party. Ed, or his manager rather, will secure about eight bales of cotton on his place this year so it is possible he may decide to turn out his registered cattle and give all his attention to raising cotton—uh!

### "THE BALDWIN PIANOS"

See W. H. DAWES, Phone 318. Sole Dealer for Big Spring.—Advertisement 44-12.

OUR FOUNTAIN IS ALWAYS ON THE JOB. TRY ONE OF OUR COCA COLAS.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILLIPS.

### RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Big Spring who suffers from backache, headaches, or distressing urinary ailments can afford to ignore this Big Spring woman's twice-told story. It has confirmed testimony that no Big Spring resident can doubt.

Mrs. W. F. Morris, 401 Scurry St., Big Spring, says: "Several years ago my kidneys were disordered and I had a weak, lame back. I had an ache in the small of my back most of the time and I always felt tired and worn out. My kidneys didn't act regularly, either. Doan's Kidney Pills certainly were successful. They helped me a lot. I advise anyone to get Doan's Kidney Pills if troubled from kidney weakness. I get Doan's at Ward's Drug Store." (Statement given November 3, 1915.)

On April 10, 1919, Mrs. Morris added: "Whenever I find my kidneys are not toned up I take a few Doan's and they give me fine relief." 60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (Advertisement—3)

### Independent Pioneers

During the last two months, four new and entirely different fields have been opened by the drills of the wildcaters, the pioneers of the oil industry.

These new areas were opened despite the recent slashes in the price of crude. True courage of the independents, the pioneers of the oil industry.

Without exception all of these new fields were opened by the independents. The big companies followed the lead of the independents in these new fields in a wild effort to get control of acreage near the discovery producer. In many instances they succeeded, but most of the acreage is still in the hands of the independents.

Ice was broken at Camden during July, when the V. K. F. Drilling Company opened an entirely new producing area for the state of Arkansas by the completion of its Richardson No. 1. Initial production was estimated at 1,000 barrels. The bigger companies followed the lead of the independent.

Next came Kosse, where Col. A. E. Humphreys, termed the "greatest Pioneer of the oil industry," completed his No. 1 Jones, thirty miles south of the great Mexia field, which he also discovered. He owns considerable acreage near the producer and the bigger interests are making a vain effort to get into the new field on an extensive scale.

Then the Harris well of the Pine-woods Company in Webster Parish, in North Louisiana, opened up a new producing area. This time another independent, Lloyd Harris, a Canadian, brought in the new field. Now the bigger companies are trailing in after him.

To cap the climax, Seay and Cranfill completed a big gusher north of Currie, which opened up an entirely new producing area. Estimated production of the No. 1 of these operators was estimated at several thousand barrels. Now the big concerns are scrambling for acreage in the vicinity of the well with little success.

Money is made by the investor in the new fields. Millions have been paid to investors by concerns when new fields have been opened by a wildcat concern. Millions more will be paid. Both the wildcatter and the investor will profit.

Other fields are sure to be discovered—by the independent, the wildcatter, the blazer of trails in the oil industry. The independents lead—others follow.—Oil Gazette, Fort Worth.

### NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS AND CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the First State Bank has been closed and is now in my hands for the purpose of liquidation.

All persons having claims against the First State Bank, Garden City, Texas, must present such claims and make legal proof thereof on or before December 21, 1922.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS MUST BE PRESENTED AND LEGAL PROOF THEREOF MADE NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 21, 1922.

ALL CLAIMS OF GUARANTEED DEPOSITORS PRESENTED AFTER DECEMBER 21, 1922 SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO PAYMENT OF ANY PORTION THEREOF OUT OF THE DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND.

All claims and proof of claims must be presented to the special agent in charge at the banking house of the First State Bank, Garden City, Texas, or mailed direct to me at Austin, Texas.

J. L. CHAPMAN,

Commissioner of Insurance and Banking of the State of Texas.

### Cotton Seed

I am authorized agent for Geo. W. Baker and Sons, handling the Keweenaw Pedigreed Cotton seed. Let me send your order in for your 1923 planting supply. F. A. TYLER, Exclusive Agent, Box 522, Big Spring, Texas. 1-4.

Figure your wall paper now...The prices are right....Cunningham & Phillips.

Subscribe for The Herald now.

# 7%

Cumulative Preferred of the  
**SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY**

A New Issue to Be Offered to the Public September 18th

On September 18th, a new issue of the Company's 7% Cumulative Preferred Stock will be offered to the public in this territory.

Previous issues amounting to 58,000 shares have been sold to more than 10,000 investors in our territory. The special payment plan makes this security an attractive investment to the small as well as the large investor.

Price \$100.00 and Accrued Dividend

If you prefer, you may purchase on installments of as low as \$5 per month per share.

**SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY**

Every Subscriber a Shareholder

## Mattresses are Good Up Every Day



BUT

We are lucky enough to have good stock bought at the low prices that have prevailed several years.

Sealy Made Mattresses From \$10.00 Up

**RIZ FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING**  
THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION  
BIG SPRING

YOU SEE SOME FOLKS JUST COMING AND GOING

With us, ONCE is nearly always enough. We haul your car, or any part of it, we give the kind of service that does not require the everlasting return to our "fix shop". The weather is favorable, we are in the finest shop in town, so if your auto needs "fixing," we are equipped to do it for you and you don't need to be a millionaire.

**BLANCK'S GARAGE**  
Phone 124 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rix left Thursday for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rix at Lubbock. They will attend the South Plains Fair to be held at Lubbock Sept. 29-30-31.

Candy Kid: Try Saylor's once and you have rented a chair in her Parlor for keeps....Cunningham & Phillips.

As a result of the given by J. Adams...shipment recently...secured for the shipment now in...Box stationery...than tablets....Cunningham & Phillips.







# Watch the little folks speed home for Kellogg's Corn Flakes



"Mudder, I always wins the race when I carry home Kellogg's Corn Flakes. I can't hardly wait till I have some quick, mudder!"

It's great to see child-enthusiasm for Kellogg's; great to see every one in the family enjoy their crisp crunchiness and wonderful flavor! To sit down before a heaping bowlful of these joyous oven-browned "sweet-hearts-of-the-corn" and some milk or cream—and fresh fruit, if it's handy—is just about the very last word in appetizing appeal! And, your good taste will prove that!

Kellogg's Corn Flakes ought to be superior—they are the original Corn Flakes! Kellogg's are never tough or leathery; never hard to eat; never a disappointment!



Be certain to get Kellogg's—the delicious kind of Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package—because none are genuine without the signature of W. K. Kellogg, the originator of Toasted Corn Flakes.

## Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and k-rum-bled.

### We Want a Share of Your Grocery Business

We can guarantee you Choice Groceries, Prompt Delivery, Right Prices and Courteous Treatment. We want to purchase

#### CHICKENS--EGGS--CREAM

Secure our prices before marketing these products.

### The Howard County Union Store

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

Phone 131—First Door North of First National Bank.

## Pure Milk

From tested cows is safest and best. It is the only kind we sell. When you buy from me you are assured

### Quality Cleanliness Service

PHONE 267

## JACK WILLCOX

15c Quart

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

8c Pint

#### Book Club Meeting

The members of the Thursday Book club were the guests of Mrs. Ray Woodford last week and an especially jolly meeting was in order. The delicious refreshments served at the close of play proved an added pleasure.

Mrs. Arthur Woodall had the honor of making high club score at this meeting.

#### Prayer Circles

Circle 4B. Met with Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Martin led; 12 were present. Will meet next week with Mrs. Settle; Mrs. Throop will lead.

The United States government does not intend to get into another European war and will take no part in difficulties in the Near East growing out of the war between Greece and Turkey. We wonder where the money is coming from to carry on wars with all the countries tottering on the brink of bankruptcy.

J. E. Blakey, C. E. Larson and E. D. Tiner attended a Safety First meeting for employes of the West Texas Electric Co. at Sweetwater Wednesday.

Post card views.....Cunningham & Phillips.

# "111"

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They are GOOD! 10¢

#### They were Only Visitors

The Big Spring Herald of Big Spring, Texas, publishes the following:

We have had on exhibition in our windows the past week a sample of the grasshoppers that make their home in Texas, the insects having been sent here evidently for the purpose of impressing upon the minds of the residents of this vicinity that they have no complaint to make about grasshoppers. These insects are three inches in length and built proportionately. They are bigger than a humming bird and would make a dozen of the grasshoppers seen here. If they have mosquitoes built on the same lines, we are glad that we are living in Wisconsin.

The above article appeared in the Door County News, published at Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, descriptive of some animals Harry J. Lawrence sent to his former home. Mr. Lawrence who is treasurer of the Chase Oil Association, Inc., of Boston, Mass., and in charge of their office in Big Spring, forgot to tell his old friends that the monster grasshoppers were not actual settlers in these parts, but were supposed to be from Kansas and dropped into Howard County because we have the best crop prospects in Texas and several other states. These were wise "hoppers" they were looking for the best and naturally decided on Howard County. As to our Wisconsin friend fearing that our mosquitoes might be constructed along the same generous lines as the said grasshoppers, we wish to inform him that mosquitoes are pests we do not have to contend with; but if we had them we would want them big so we could hunt them with a shot gun, instead of the little runts that crawl thru the openings in the Wisconsin mosquito bars. Come to Texas and especially Howard County.

It is indeed surprising to learn of the intelligence of these hoppers and it is safe to assume that if they visited Howard County in any great numbers that the crops in the fall were not as good as the prospects were in the summer. Texas should pass an emigration law and forbid the entrance into their fair state of any such undesirable as insects of that kind and dimensions.

We hope our friend Harry has not divulged to them the splendors of Door County and imparted to them its fame as a fruit growing district, for with their high intelligence and sweet tooth, they might take it into their heads to make a trip north, in which event we would fear for our cherry crop.

As the insects never mentioned the fact that they hailed from the state of Kansas, we were of course lead to believe that Texas is their home, as they grow big things in this big state. Judging from the reports published in the Herald we note that even their oil wells are all booming. Accept our humble apology.—The Door County News, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

#### They Hear Henry Ford

Henry Ford says the coal profiteers are using the Interstate Commerce Commission to help them rob the public. "In the control of empty coal cars the Interstate Commerce Commission is playing into the hands of profiteers," says Mr. Ford. "Sometimes he is wrong, sometimes he is right."

Always it is a good thing for the country to have a man whom the newspapers MUST quote, a gentleman worth at least a thousand million dollars, saying what he believes emphatically. If he were worth only 10 cents he WOULD'N'T be quoted, but somebody WOULD put him in jail.

Kill flies and Mosquitoes with our insect powder....Cunningham & Phillips

Something Special at M. E. Church. Remember the story of Ruth will be given promptly at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning at the Methodist church. Be sure to hear Miss Ricker sing at this time.

All are tendered a cordial invitation to attend this service. We know you will appreciate and enjoy it.

New stock perfume. The highest grades at the lowest prices. Ward's.

Flash: Lights are a good investment.....Cunningham & Phillips.

# ATHANS' Second Benefit Week

Starts Monday, September 25  
Closes Saturday, September 30

GIVEN FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SHOP CRAFTS—OUT ON STRIKE  
HELP THE BOYS BY HAVING YOUR CLOTHES CLEANED AND PRESSED  
MAN WHO KNOWS HOW AND HAS THE EQUIPMENT TO DO THE WORK  
\$40.00 WAS SECURED FOR THE MEN IN OUR LAST BENEFIT WEEK. BOOM!  
THE BOYS AND HELP THEM SECURE \$80.00 DURING THIS BENEFIT WEEK

ALL WORK CALLED FOR AND DELIVERED

A Journeyman Tailor for Journeymen People

## J. ATHANS

Phone 321

### Notice to the Public

We, the members of the Federated Shop Crafts call on all of our friends and neighbors urging them to turn all possible work to the J. Athans establishment during Benefit Week, Sept. 25 to 30, inclusive. We received \$40.00 in the last Benefit Week. We now to raise the amount to \$80.00 or more.

We will appreciate your support to thus aid us in raising funds for men out of employment.

T. E. O'KEEFE  
WALTER RUECKART  
W. A. TUCKER

Shop Crafts Committee

#### Westbrook Now Has Paper

The Westbrook Banner is the same of a live little newspaper published by W. V. Ervin at Westbrook, the coming oil town of West Texas. Mr. Ervin is a good newspaper man and if given the loyal support of the citizenship of Westbrook he will give them a paper that will boost early and late for its home town. Here's his salutation: "In launching the Westbrook Banner we do so simply to be of benefit to the town and community primarily and ourselves in particular and if the people will give us their hearty cooperation we will do our best to give them a good paper. Do not expect us to burn any grass while running the Banner, but help to make it a new paper by giving all the news at your command."

#### Elks Entertains With Dance

The members of the B. P. O. E., their families and friends enjoyed a social dance at Elks Hall last Friday night and an especially delightful time was the report of everyone present.

Fine music was furnished by the Bootleggers Orchestra; causing every dance on the program to be one of real enjoyment.

#### Piano For Sale

A good piano to be sold at a big bargain if sold at once. Phone 65. 1

A breakdown at the Planters Gin at Coahoma caused the gin to be out of operation several days this week. Repairs have been completed and this gin is again able to turn out cotton in quick time.

Jno. W. Curtis has received a summons to appear at Abilene Monday, September 25th to serve as a member of the Grand Jury in Federal Court.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carrarick, Mrs. Mildred McKinney and John M. Chase left this morning for Colorado to spend the day.

As a means of speeding up work on the Bankhead National Highway it is planned to open up additional gravel pits.

Mrs. Gus Crawford returned Thursday from Fort Worth where she had been to place her son in school.

Glasses fitted by Graduate Optician. All work guaranteed. Ward's.

Razor blades at prewar prices. Cunningham & Phillips.

#### Stop! Look! Read!

No, you are wrong! This isn't a danger signal at a railway crossing or anything pertaining to a railway. It's about an Endeavor Convention. Of course if you are a regular Endeavorer you will know all about this convention. But for the benefit of those who aren't let me say, that Sept. 29, 30 and Oct. 1, a district Endeavor Convention is going to be held at Lamesa, for the purpose of learning how to do better work in the Endeavor. It will be worth your while whether you are a regular attendant or not to attend this convention. The Endeavor society in the district who has the most delegates to attend this convention will receive a prize. Just what this prize is I am unable to say, but wouldn't it be great if Big Spring could get it? Just as soon as you get through reading this rush to the phone and tell Miss Mittie Owens that you're going to Lamesa. She'll be so glad and when we get the prize you will be sure and notify Miss Mittie if you intend to go so she will know how many are going. We're off to Lamesa and we'll win that prize. Come to the Christian Church Friday and help us learn some dandy good yells and songs, so those Lamesa folks will know we're on the map. Everybody come. Reporter.

#### Resolutions of Sympathy

We, the members of the Christian Endeavor, extend sympathy to our bereaved member, Miss Lois Jenkins in her hour of trial and sorrow.

"And I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Write, Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from hence forth; yea, saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them."

#### Committee:

Mrs. Joe Jim Green.  
Pauline Schubert.  
Stella Schubert.

C. E. Amery of the land department of the Texas Company was a business visitor here Thursday.

John M. Chase, president of the Chase Oil Association, made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

The Democrats of Texas seem to be divided into three parts: the Ku Klux Democrats, the Republican Democrats and the Disgusted Democrats. Some smooth politicians are certainly playing a big game, and a clean up from within will be in order after the damage is done.

Herald want ads get results.



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### Democratic Nominees

For District, County and Precinct, Election November 7, 1922:

Representative 51st District — J. T. Carson.

County Judge—James T. Brooks.

Sheriff and Tax Collector — W. W. Satterwhite.

County Treasurer—E. G. Towler.

Tax Assessor—Luther J. Smith.

County Attorney—Carroll Barnett.

Hide and Animal Inspector — J. W. Allen.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—O. C. Bayes.

Com., Precinct No. 2—J. G. Arnett.

Com., Precinct No. 3—Geo. White.

Com., Precinct No. 4 — W. M. Fletcher.

Public Weigher, Prec. 1 — T. W. Angel.

Public Weigher Prec. No. 2—A. W. Thompson.

Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 1—J. A. Stephens.

Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 2—J. S. Sullivan.

### Our Collegiate Leemen

American colleges prepared for the greatest year in their history. In almost every state of the union the enrollment figures show marked advances and records broken.

Yale, Princeton, Wellesley, Union, Pennsylvania, Vassar and Dartmouth reached the pinnacle of their prosperity. It is also true of many western colleges.

Fact is that this prosperity for colleges is due largely to the change in the viewpoint of our educational institutions. Many cobwebs have been swept away.

Today the college means more than the accepted understanding of academic teaching. It means a broader vision of life and a greater understanding of the necessity for the thing worth while.

The college man today is to be found everywhere. He is at the head of a great banking institution, he is a chauffeur, he drives an ice wagon, he tills the soil, he appears in literature and ornaments the plumbing establishment.

Sometimes the unthinking criticize the college because its graduates may be found driving a milk wagon and the like. The answer, of course, is that if all milk wagon drivers were college men milk would be delivered more orderly and even our babyhood would be helped.

The greatness of the college does not lie in its being the gangway down which one may walk to the professions. Its worth is in giving to the country men who can thoroughly perform the duty of the hour.

The college is not the panacea for empty skulls. The best it can do is to equip the man who has something under his hat.

### Alas The Angle Worm

And now we have a device by which the angle worm is hunted in his lair, brought to the surface to be devoured for the sustenance of the great American hen. Peter J. O'Keefe, of Greenwich, Connecticut, is the inventor.

The device is an electrical one and literally shocks the worms out of the ground. It consists of two brass rods that are pushed into the earth several feet apart. A wire is attached to each rod and each wire connects with an ordinary telephone magnet.

By twisting the handle of the magnet the angle worm feels it is time to take the air. Rapidly he moves to escape, but, alas! the chicken is waiting, and as soon as the worm imagines he is safe from danger his troubles come to an end.

Thus does the world move on. If the mentality of the angle worm were properly developed, he would sense the greater danger of leaving his natural environment.

As time goes on and the standard of angle worm intelligence advances, things may improve for him; but in the meantime, he will have to look for temporary protection to the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Angle Worms, an organization which undoubtedly will come into being as soon as the cruelty of the O'Keefe device is conceived.

Surely such an opportunity for a new protective and paternalistic society cannot be missed.

This winter we will all be singing the touching little, ballad entitled

### Recovers Dodge Automobile

A brass screw in the door of his Dodge car was the means of restoring to G. C. Dean, the automobile stolen several days ago from the Gentry Brothers circus show grounds.

Mr. Dean and Chief of Police Johnson returned with the car from Seymour Wednesday night where it had been located.

Earl Busby is in jail at Big Spring charged with the theft and Fuller Brothers Garage at Seymour is endeavoring to recover a Chalmers car and \$500 which they said they turned over to Busby in payment for the car.

A few days after the car was stolen, Mr. Dean received a message saying the car was in Juarez, Mexico. He made a trip to El Paso, but the car in question proved not to be the one.

In the meantime local authorities had been hard at work on the case when Sheriff Bardwell received a phone message from Seymour to the effect that the car was there.

Sheriff Bardwell was unable to make the trip so Chief of Police Johnson accompanied Mr. Dean to Seymour. The car was in a Trade Trip excursion and was located and identified at Throckmorton and taken back to Seymour.

The license plates and motor number had been changed, but a small screw having fallen out of the door, Mr. Dean had replaced it with a brass furniture screw and that was the principal means used in identifying the car.

Earl Busby is awaiting trial in Big Spring on a charge of theft alleged to have been committed in that section. He was out on bond at the time the Dodge car was stolen in Sweetwater. As soon as his trial in Big Spring is concluded, he will be brought to Sweetwater to await action of the Grand Jury.

The car was in good shape when recovered, not having been damaged appreciably.—Sweetwater Reporter.

### To the Fort Worth Railroads:

In the long list of railroads which have agreed to end their warfare with the shopmen and to end the transportation chaos from which this nation has been suffering nearly all summer, I see none of your names.

Perhaps your officials are prodded by false pride as they refuse to enter into the agreement which is ending the railroad tie-up in many other states.

Perhaps, on the contrary, it is contempt for the best interests of the public that encourages them to a continuation of their stubborn attitude.

In either case I wish to express the opinion that the public will soon change these officials' minds. The public is weary of industrial strife. It is weary of a disorganized transportation system. It is weary of inability to travel with comfort and safety.

It is weary of rule by the minions of martial law and the open port law and the federal courts.

As it sees many other great railroads enter into an amicable agreement with the strikers, both sides pledging themselves to do their best to repair the damage that has been inflicted, the public will not consent long to the Texas and Fort Worth railroads holding out for more war.—UNCLE PANTHER in Fort Worth Press.

### He Was a Little Late

During a convention of ad. writers held recently some one told the following:

"A man entered a shop one cold day and bought a woolen muffler. When he opened the muffler he found inside the photograph of a beautiful girl with a note encouched in these terms:

"If you are single, please write to me."

"A name and address followed, and the man smiled. He was single. He placed the photo on his library table. In a week he had fallen in love with the picture of the beautiful girl. So he wrote to her.

"A week passed, during which the bachelor was in a fever of impatience. Finally he received this terrific blow in the shape of a letter:

"Dear sir—The Mary Jones to whom you wrote was my grandmother. She died nine years ago, aged eighty-seven. Yours truly."

"Upon investigating this strange case the brokenhearted bachelor discovered that he had purchased the muffler from a dealer who did not advertise."

Moral: Get our ad. rates.

Aaron Johnson left Saturday night for Stephenville, Texas, where he will attend John Tarleton College. He will take a special course in music and shorthand during the coming year.

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Model 42, Roadster, old price \$1105, new price \$1050.

Model 41, Touring, old price \$1125, new price \$1075.

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Tourist Garage

PHONE 615

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

### Life and Eternity

Time at longest is but a span. Then a long silence, the years of that pile upon one another in confusion. No one knows how eternity is. No one who reasons is sure of the inevitableness of death. Then why should we harbor such a selfish and malicious? In that brief period allotted to us mortals come to me that it should be our desire to cultivate good feelings, cherish love and build personal character, and try to leave behind us as much of sweet recollection for help and service as we possibly can. Let us be kind and merciful.

lections. If we should but act sensibly, we would realize there is nothing in life worth while, but service, good will and love. Love is the greatest of all things, for it is love that keeps the old world moving, everything else, life itself, revolving around it.—Clerburne Enterprise.

### For Sale

Ward's New Hotel. Small cash payment, balance 1 to 5 years or will trade for residence or business property. Will pay or receive cash difference. See me at once. J. L. WARD.



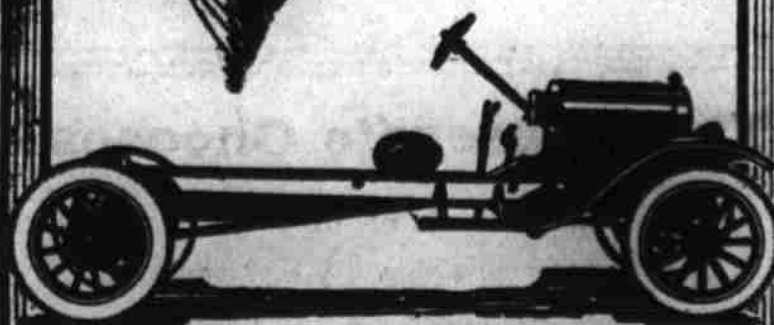
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We Wander

City Boy—"What's that, pa?"  
Father—"That's a cow, sonny."  
"And what's that on his head?"  
"Those are horns."  
They turned around and the cow moored.  
Boy—"Which horn did he blow then, dad?"

Not Knicker, Our Guess

"She has refused my suit!" the hero on the stage exclaimed dramatically.  
"Mother," loudly whispered a little boy in the audience, "what does he want her to wear his clothes for?"

Yes, Indeed

"The new neighbors are certainly up to the minute."  
"Why?"  
"They sent in this afternoon to borrow our radio set."

Worth Trying

Willie would not study,  
It broke his mother's heart.  
So father spanked him good,  
We hear it made him smart.

A Deep Shaft

"You say that you haven't had any gold filling in your teeth; well, there was some gold flakes on my drill, then," said the dentist working on Ed Purdy. "How do you account for that?"

"It must be you went clear through my neck into my back collar button," garbled Ed.

Dumb Dan

He is so stupid he thinks a powder magazine is a woman's fashion publication.

Have you got a Dumb Dan? Send it in, and we will print it.

"Satisfied" Farmers

A Boston paper notes the alleged fact that Nebraska farmers are not worrying about the strikes because they have 200,313,000 bushels of corn which they can burn if necessary—cheaper fuel at 30c a bushel than coal at \$15 a ton.

"That," says the editor, "may give a certain sort of cold, short-sighted comfort to the prairie farmer, but it won't be of much service to the rest of the United States, whose people need the corn."

The Nebraska farmer, and others in the same fix, will certainly agree that the necessity of burning corn is "cold" satisfaction—if any. He slaved to prepare the ground, and he worked as hard to plant it. He sweated to cultivate it. He tore his skin from his knuckles and shivered to husk it.

And now to have to burn it! It is a tragedy for the Nebraska farmer; for really, what the Boston editor should remember, is that that corn is all he has in many cases for his year's work. In burning it, he is turning to ashes a year out of his life, and out of that of his wife and his children.

When food is burned for fuel there is something rotten in the United States of America. And there is about as much satisfaction in being forced to believe that as the farmer enjoys when he burns corn.—Fort Worth Press.

State Press Thinks This Man Earned Medal

C. E. Mersberger, manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company at Shiner, has been awarded a gold medal in recognition of completion of his twenty-five years' service with the company.

Twenty-five years of service and faithfulness to the company and to the people of Shiner can be truly said to be a pretty good record for any telephone man. A quarter of a century of running down trouble, answering and adjusting misunderstandings, dealing with temperamental "hello girls" and generally keeping things going can be set down as one long picnic. Think of it—a quarter of a century of complaints; probably some of them were in the newspaper, too—complaints behind his back, complaints over the telephone with great three-cornered cuss words hurled from that safe distance; complaints that showed up only at bill paying time; complaints just for the sake of complaining. Why the chances are that Mr. Mersberger has heard more grumbling and growling than any man in all Shiner. The company gave him a medal. Shiner should at least rejoice with him in the receipt of it.—State Press in Dallas News.

J. W. Carpenter of Dallas, general manager of the Texas Power and Light Company and the West Texas Electric Company, and Lon J. Geer, of Sweetwater, district manager of the West Texas Electric Co., were business visitors here Tuesday.

H. H. Slaughter returned the first of the week from a business trip to Fort Worth.



Successful Men Ask Questions!

The mere asking of questions does not insure success. We must learn, then ACT. Don't mistake us. Fools and knaves can often make reasonable replies. However, the man who investigates thoroughly before making a business move asks neither of these. Instead, he goes to the institution or person qualified through experience to know—and therein is the secret of his success.

There should be the utmost confidence between this bank and you. You should feel at liberty to ask questions concerning your business, stocks, bonds and loans. We want you to consider us as an adviser on anything that directly or indirectly involves money.

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How the Cotton Farmer Who Wants to Do So May Have Rich Land

For the cotton farmer who wishes to plant not over one-half his land in cotton, the increasing of his soil fertility and crop yields is a simple and easy proposition. It is true that even then the task will be impracticable if not impossible for many, because they will lack the will or a sufficiently strong desire to do so. But no such man should blame Providence or the climate or other conditions when the fault is his own lack of will and persistence.

For those who have the desire or will to do so, there are many crops or variations of crops which will serve their purpose to get richer lands. One man will put half his land in pasture, generally using lespedeza or some other legume, and in legums or small grain crops followed by legumes, while the other half will go into cotton, or perhaps into cotton and corn. The land will be kept in meadows and pastures two or three years and then to cotton and corn for two or three years. By such a system the fertility of the land will be increased if the supplies of lime, phosphorus, and potassium are kept up by purchase, when they fall below the requirements of the crops. Another farmer, provided he is satisfied with one-half or less of his land in cotton, will grow a crop of small grain and a legume or a crop of corn and a legume one year and cotton the next.

There are numerous combinations which will meet the cotton farmer's purposes, provided always that he has the will or the desire to use them. For instance, crimson clover, or rye and crimson clover followed by corn one year and cotton the next year will appeal to some or fit certain conditions. To these crops, some may even add a legume in the corn. Others will prefer vetch and rye or vetch and wheat and corn one year, with cotton the next. Still others will use bur clover and corn followed the next year by cotton. And it may be that others will prefer oats and lespedeza for two years followed by cotton for two years, on some of the land.—The Progressive Farmer.

The railroad and coal strikes have brought about a freight congestion that will be felt for months to come. It is necessary to give more time for freight to reach you than you would usually think necessary. In this situation orders for lime, fertilizer, fall seeds—or anything else the farmer needs—should be hurried up. "Place your orders well ahead of time in order to have goods reach you in time" is always a good rule but doubly so now.—The Progressive Farmer.

Rainbow play balls—the kind you can stand on and they won't break 15c to \$1.50. Get the kiddie one, at the Rexall store. Ward's.

J. F. Hair left Sunday night for a visit in Ranger, Fort Worth and Dallas.

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Republicans Already Preparing Alliance This Democratic Year

Attempt to place the blame for the Republican defeat that is already foreseen on Nov. 7, and the preparation of alliance, are just now engrossing the minds and time of the Republicans in the House and the Senate.

Western Republicans in the House of Representatives say that the eastern wing of their party has "spilled the beans" and made it difficult for the G. O. P. to win. The eastern Republicans retort that the "farm bloc" is responsible for the impending debacle. Others think the seating of Newberry is the outstanding sin, and blame the Senate. Republican Senators are convinced that the popular branch is a "mad House" and utterly loopy.

as an explanation of the unexpected and unacceptableness of Republican policies and candidates. He is in with all Attorney General Dunning's offenses and mistakes and shames the word, "wobble" to their leader. His champions rejoice something about "wiggle" instead for Congress.

The only thing beyond compare is that there are a good many who why the Republicans can't win these reasons have all been furnished by the Republicans themselves.

DR. CAMPBELL HERE SATURDAY

Dr. M. E. Campbell of Abilene, be in Big Spring every Saturday treat eye, ear, nose and throat, and glasses.

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100 acres of fine land, mostly but all tillable. Located about 10 miles north of Stanton. For cash WILL HUNT, R. F. D. 1, Mason City, Iowa.

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"Young man," said the doctor, "one of the young ladies in the town of Big Spring has just been found that you should know."