

# The Big Spring Herald

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## Development This Section

Tests spudded in — Marland and other big companies are making much development

Oil Company's Activities  
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Well Showing Oil  
Marland Oil Co.'s test well south of Iatan, in county is now attracting attention due to a fine well at 2680 feet. The slush was drilled deeper. A test of gas has been made this well for some time. Company is not giving out the worth of this oil

Drilling Below 3800 Feet  
The Humble Oil Co. is on the Slaughter ranch in county is now pounding away at 3800-foot mark. The well was 3500 feet but the slush went on down until oil or gas encountered before the mark is reached. They are drilling in a hard lime, only about fifteen feet a tower. It has been in this formation 10 feet.

Well on this well has made a wildcat drilling in West Texas completed the well to a depth of 3500 feet in 60 working days.

Firm Invades Texas  
The rapid development of oil in West Texas for taking place can readily be seen in the number of wildcat wells in the past few days. Tests are being drilled by Henshaw of New York large blocks of acreage. They have been acquired with the Marland Oil Co. The Marland Co. is making tests in West Texas that are good looking structures by them.

County is receiving the attention of the major companies. The Gulf Commissioning a well on a block their geologists, Choate have made location for test on the Connell land, the Gulf test, well being in the center of the quarter of Section 55, Alveston, Houston & Henderson Company Survey, a 3,500-foot test and made ready on the ground.

County has already returned tests but drilling is on. The Marland Company locations for two are preparing to start these tests are located in the southeast quarter 140, Block 29, Waco & Railway Survey, and in the northwest quarter 34, Block 32, Township 4 P. Railway Survey. Rig has been hauled to location of the southeast quarter 27, Block 33, Township, for the No. 1 test of Henshaw, on the Neal

of Choate & Henshaw and other wildcat tests in Howard counties. The test will be known as I. Scott and will be located in the southeast quarter of Section 32, S. P. Block Howard county test is located in the center of the southeast quarter 34, Block 30, South, T. & P. Survey, called their No. 1 O'Daniel is on the ground for tests and drilling will be in the near future.

Showing secured by the Co. in their test well

## WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

A full attendance marked this week's meeting of the Wednesday Luncheon club but the time was all too short to handle the big subject. Bernard Fisher was the toastmaster and the subject was "Our School Problem and How to Meet It."

Mrs. Fox Stripling, secretary of the School Board, was the first speaker and she made an especially interesting talk. She also gave an outline of the money collected and the cost of operating the schools.

Below is a few of the figures quoted to give our people an idea of what it is costing them to run the schools and the source of the funds received for school purposes:

Operating Expenses—	
Teachers salaries.....	\$43,420.00
Janitors salaries.....	2,781.00
Interest on notes.....	1,386.00
Insurance on buildings.....	1,037.88
Building repairs.....	400.00
Census roll.....	60.00
Tax roll.....	600.00
Fuel.....	550.00
Telephone.....	60.00
Telegrams.....	12.00
Crayon, floor sweep etc.....	500.00
Water and Lights.....	450.00
Supplies Science Laboratories.....	100.00
Typewriters.....	400.00
Fire Escape central bldg.....	350.00
Fire proof cabinet for records.....	245.00
Deficit last session with interest.....	3,150.00
	\$55,501.88

Plus interest on \$27,420 to be borrowed to meet expenses to Feb. 1, 1926.

Balance on hand June 4, 1925

State and County Available fund.....	\$ 145.44
Local Maintenance fund.....	407.04
Building fund.....	125.89
Interest and Sinking Fund.....	\$7,310.00
	\$7,790.37

Receipts—  
From State 1235 scholastics at \$14..... \$17,290.00  
From county, 1235 scholastics, at \$20..... 247.00  
Transfers (possibly 60) at \$14..... 840.00  
Tuition and Laboratory fees (last year)..... 2,400.00  
Federal Aid, Home Economics..... 200.00  
Taxes, last year..... 25,029.66  
Total..... \$46,006.66

Between \$9000 and \$10,000 needed to cover increased cost of conducting the school.

The valuation for the Independent School district last year was \$3,485,720 indicating that it will be necessary to increase the valuations about \$1,000,000 or nearly thirty per cent in order to meet the necessary expense of conducting the school.

Mrs. F. M. Purser gave an interesting account of the trials and tribulations of the tax assessor and stated that the people would have to show a broader spirit in rendering taxes.

While they tried to assess property as equally as possible it is very difficult to do as so many are unwilling to give in a fair rendition. Personal property assessments are the most difficult to secure. The rolls show only ten diamonds in the district, practically no vendor lien notes and very little money. In cooperation with the board of equalization they had arrived at an equitable basis as to the value of lots and business buildings in the city but outlying resident lots needed to be equalized

W. W. Rix as a member of the board wanted an expression from those present as to the possibility of authorizing the thirty per cent increase and called upon B. Reagan, B. L. Price, Wm. Fisher and others who stated they did not think this the proper plan. Mr. Rix then asked that a committee of ten or more be named to meet to thresh out the proposition and arrive at some decision before the Board of Equalization convened.

H. L. Rix announced that the district meeting of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges was to be held in Big Spring Thursday and Friday and urged business men to display welcome signs in their windows and give the visitors a cordial welcome during their stay in our city.

L. J. Berry of San Marcos and J. B. Harding of Paradise Valley were guests at this meeting and Mr. Berry made an appreciated talk on the difference to be noted in this section in 1899 and 1925. He said this visit had caused him to form

better crops than those now to be noted south of Big Spring.

Announcement was made by R. H. McNew that 375 San Angelo boosters would visit Big Spring next Wednesday at noon and suggested that we have them as our guests at dinner on that date. B. Reagan was appointed

## I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs Meet

Visitors From All Over West Texas Attending the Joint Session of These Two Lodges Here

Visiting members of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges from all over West Texas were in Big Spring Thursday and will be here until Friday evening, attending the West Texas I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Association, which is holding its annual convention at the First Baptist church.

Between one hundred fifty and two hundred visitors are expected to attend this meeting.

The session on Thursday morning began at 10 o'clock, and a large and enthusiastic audience enjoyed the following program:

Meeting called to order by president—Bro. Compton

Song—Nearer My God to Thee—Congregation.

Prayer—Chaplain W. L. Doss.

Welcome address in behalf of Big Spring, I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs—Mayor Clyde E. Thomas.

Response to welcome address—Bro. W. L. Doss

Music—Miss Otere Lloyd.

Appointment of credential committee.

Reading—Miss Helen Reagan.

Adjournment until 1:30 p. m.

The afternoon session was well attended and the program which opened at 1:30 was as follows:

Song.

Prayer.

Address on Oddfellowship—George Ruth.

Music—Mrs. Chas. Morris.

Why I am a Rebekah—Mrs. Katie L. Doss, Colorado, Texas.

General order of business.

Adjournment.

4:00 P. M. Contest on unwritten work in subordinate lodge and Past Grand Charge in the Initiatory Degree.

Rebekah unwritten work. Past Noble Grand and Chaplain Charges.

All members and visitors were treated to a chicken barbecue at 6:30 o'clock at the City Federation Park.

The night session was taken up with the degree work in I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges.

The following program, starting at ten o'clock, was given on Friday.

Association called to order by President Compton.

Song—Special.

Prayer—Chaplain.

Reports of committees.

Music—Miss Nell Brown.

Reading—Miss Mary Wade

## NEW ROAD BODY ORGANIZED

Organization of the Texas Road Maintenance Association was effected Friday at Sweetwater at a meeting of county and state highway officials from a number of Texas counties. The new organization is to be kept free from personal interests and free from politics," according to an address by A. S. Mauzey, Nolan county judge, who was made president.

County judges, commissioners, highway engineers, foreman, state department officials and all private citizens interested in the work will probably be admitted to membership. It was indicated at the meeting. Contractors and road machinery and equipment salesmen will be barred. The object is to make the organization state-wide in scope.

Officers selected are: A. S. Mauzey, Nolan county judge, president; T. A. Bandy, maintenance superintendent, San Angelo, vice president; Victor Gilbert, county judge, Callahan county, Baird, secretary; Will Dawkins, highway foreman, Taylor county, Abilene, treasurer.

The next meeting will be held in December at San Angelo. At that time a committee on by-laws, regulations and resolutions composed of the following, will report: Judge Mathison, San Angelo; Road Superintendent J. L. Hawkins, Lubbock; Division Superintendent Joe Gresham, San Angelo; Judge Luker, Comanche county; Engineer Larry O. Cox, Amarillo.

To work in the interest of better roads for more efficient and satisfactory road maintenance, to lend a moral support to the State Highway Commission in road maintenance problems and to educate the public in the methods, aims and importance of scientific highway maintenance, were some of the aims of the new organization as pointed out by Highway Commissioner Joe Burdett and Judge Victor Gilbert of Callahan county.

## SAN ANGELO BOOSTERS COMING AUGUST 19th

San Angelo, Texas.—San Angelo's second annual series of Friendship Trips advertising the All West Texas Exposition and promoting good fellowship between the Concho City and her West Texas neighbors is under way this week. Big Spring will be visited on the second trip which is to be made on Wednesday, August 19th. The San Angelo trippers expect to arrive at Big Spring about 12 o'clock and will stay for dinner and long enough for a band concert by the San Angelo DeMolay Band and short talks on the big San Angelo Fair and San Angelo Trade Week, a plan devised to keep West Texas dollars in West Texas. The crowd will depart about 2 p. m. for Colorado.

The friendship tours are made one a week for eight weeks, in nearly all cases the advertisers return to their home city the same day. In all fifty-four towns and cities will be visited and over 1,600 miles will be travelled by automobile and special train to advertise October 26 to 31 as the dates of the All West Texas Exposition and San Angelo Trade Week. The DeMolay Band will be carried on all trips besides several "stunt" specialists to ballyhoo the crowds.

On the second trip stops will be made at Carlsbad, Water Valley, Sterling City, Big Spring, Coahoma, Westbrook and Colorado, the trippers returning direct to San Angelo from Colorado.

## FINE SPECIMEN OF EGGPLANT

W. J. Crawford brought to The Herald office this week an egg plant that weighed two pounds. It was indeed a hearty specimen, and grown at his home place in the Cole and Strayhorn addition. Mr. Crawford said that he was merely experimenting with this as he had heard that it was hard to grow in this section. He did not find it so; however, it is no dry land plant as he said he had to water it abundantly. On one stalk Mr. Crawford said that he had fifty just such specimens.

Mrs. Harry Hurt who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene is reported to be getting along nicely.

Thurston Orenbaun of Lubbock visited homefolks here last Saturday

## Additional Rains Visit Our County

With Much of the County Receiving Rains Crop Prospects Have Been Improved

Big rains visited portions of our county Saturday, Sunday and Monday nights, other portions received showers but one strip thru the center of the county from northeast to southwest continues in the dry belt.

Where the rain was heavy good crops are now practically assured. The southern portion of the county seems the fortunate section this year as rains came just as needed and crops could not be any finer. Visitors to the Elbow section state that the Brazos bottoms under favorable conditions could not show finer looking crops.

The Knott and Ackerly sections came in for big rains which arrived in time to do worlds of good.

The Vealmoor section was also in the favored section to receive a regular ground soaker last Monday night.

The farming section just north of town received good showers Saturday and Monday nights. These showers did not extend five miles northward. From that point north for a distance of seven or eight miles the rainfall has been light all year. This belt extends to the northeast, taking in the Luther and Vincent sections.

The southern, western and northern portions of the county have had enough rain to insure good crops. The eastern portion has had enough good showers to keep crops coming along but a good soaking rain would be beneficial. The strip thru the central part of the county is the only section where rain is badly needed and it must come soon if it arrives in time to do any good.

## 123 MILES OF HIGHWAY IS IN FINE SHAPE

The work of placing the asphalt topping on the Bankhead Highway thru this district will be completed within the next ten days or two weeks, according to district engineer R. W. Baker.

A stretch of 123 miles, extending from the east line of Howard county to a point 5 miles west of Pyote is included in the section that has had an asphalt topping placed on the gravelled highway. The portion between where this improvement ends and the west line of Ward county is being gravelled and will also be given an asphalt topping.

A second topping will be given to all places where the coating of asphalt was too thin so that practically all the rough spots will be eliminated when this road work is completed.

It is certainly a treat to drive an auto over this fine highway and the highway department is being handed many compliments for this good work.

## BURGLARS AGAIN VISIT Y.M.C.A.

Burglars visited the Y. M. C. A. last Sunday night, but found no coin to pay them for their trouble. This is the fourth time the Y. M. C. A. has been entered recently by someone who is mighty anxious it seems, to serve a term in the reformatory or the penitentiary. A trap should be laid to catch the one responsible for this series of burglaries.

The Dodge Sales and Service Station was broken into Tuesday night. A couple of tourists are supposed to have done the job. They requested permission to leave a couple of knapsacks in the building for an hour, early in the evening. About eleven o'clock that night they phoned Mr. Crenshaw to come down and open up so they could get their stuff. He told them he would open up at 6 o'clock the next morning. It is thought they then broke into the building as only the bundles they left were found to be missing.

## MCCALL GARY IS PROMOTED

McCall Gary has been promoted from the Dallas branch office of the Radio Corporation of America to the main office of this company in New York City. Mr. Gary will have charge of the exports there. In the fall, McCall will go to Mexico City where he will be in charge of the office branch there. This promotion is evident proof of the success he has made in this business, and

## COMMITTEES APPOINTED AT CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Committees to work out in detail the paving problem were appointed at the regular monthly meeting of the city council on Thursday evening, August 6th.

John F. Wolcott, J. R. Créath, and W. L. McCollister compose the committee to investigate the water mains, fire plugs, and to decide on the lighting system. They will go deeply into the matter and come to some definite conclusion before the bonds are sold and a contract is let.

S. A. Hatcock, John F. Wolcott, and A. P. McDonald were appointed on the committee to decide which streets in the business section of the city shall be paved.

A report from the Charter Commission was made to the City Council at this meeting, stating that they had organized, and were working harmoniously on the Charter for the new form of government for Big Spring. They will have the work drawn up and ready to present to the people in the time limited them, which was ninety days, according to this report.

The sewer connections are being installed rapidly, every connection in the ascribed district was either made or a contract let for it on the date designated by the Mayor.

Transcripts on the \$30,000 bond issue are being prepared now by the City Secretary.

The Board of Appraisers was also appointed at this meeting.

## MARJORIE LEWIS DEAD

Marjorie Lewis, aged ten years, five months and sixteen days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Lewis of Pineville, Louisiana passed away in this city on Tuesday, August 11, at 5 a. m. Marjorie came to Big Spring on August 4, with her mother to visit the families of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Lloyd and Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis.

She underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils at ten o'clock Monday morning, and she passed away early Tuesday morning.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd by Rev. D. H. Heard, pastor of the First Baptist church at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, and the remains were taken to Marshall on the evening train, where they were laid to rest in the Marshall cemetery. Her mother, Mrs. V. R. Lewis, and brother Vernon, her aunt Mrs. A. T. Lloyd, and cousin Mrs. R. L. Davis and daughter, and aunt Mrs. F. C. Niedmeier and daughter Valerie, accompanied the remains to Marshall. Marjorie was the only daughter and the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis. She is also survived by three brothers, Vernon, Augustine, and Van Jr., and other relatives to whom sincerest sympathy is extended in this hour of sorrow.

## RAISE SOME VALUATIONS FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

At a meeting of members of the school board and citizens interested in the school it was agreed that the schools needed an additional \$10,000 to successfully operate this coming year and it was decided that there was but one plan to follow and that was for the Equalization Board to raise the valuation of property. If property was rendered at eighty per cent of its value, and a fair valuation was given by the owner there is not a doubt but that a sufficient sum could be secured for the school.

The board of equalization was instructed to increase the values on an equality basis; to raise the valuation of the property owner who failed to give in his property at anything like its real worth.

It was also agreed that where a property owner was now rendering his property for all it was worth that no increase would be made in the valuation of same.

## HOWARD COUNTY'S RURAL SCHOOLS

Howard County has excellent rural schools and the very best teachers are selected to teach these schools. Thirty-eight teachers are needed for the nineteen schools; of these, fourteen teachers have permanent certificates and ten have first grade certificates. There are now fourteen hundred and eighty-two pupils in the rural schools as compared with eight hundred and forty-six in 1920.

# Early Autumn Modes

## In Dresses

for the fall season are here now, and ready for your inspection and approval. Whether you are ready to buy now or not come in and get acquainted with what the new Fashions for this season bring forth.

The straight line tailored mode plays an important role—and the new flared skirt is strongly favored. Sleeves are long, while collars adopt almost as many different styles as the number of dresses that are shown.

### EVERY CORRECT MODEL

of assured favor in styling, material, trim and color can be seen here now, and most every express brings in new additions to our showing.

### Mirrorkrepe, Frostkrepe, Satin Crepe

are the most favored materials and the "ever-new" black is leading in the color race, but many other colors are to be had too—Pansies, Blues, and Browns in many varieties of shades. Let us show you today:



1882 **J. & W. FISHER** 1925  
The Store That Quality Built

#### WORTH CONSIDERING

How would you like to receive a fine Sellers Kitchen Cabinet, a New Home Sewing Machine, an Ardsley Axminster Rug or a \$50.00 allowance in trade.

Some one is going to receive one of these dandy prizes without any extra charge.

All our customers are given Dials with every dollar cash purchase of furniture, stoves, etc. The person holding a dial that corresponds nearest to the dial of a sealed clock that has been allowed to run down wins their choice of these prizes.

This is the third Dial Gift Series to be conducted. Mrs. Herman Porch, winner in the first Dial Gift Series, was given a Sellers Kitchen Cabinet; Mrs. Malone, winner in the second series, was awarded a New Perfection Stove.

The contest is now on so be sure to begin saving Dials immediately.

If you don't thoroughly understand the gift plan call at our store and let us explain it to you.

W. R. PURSER & SONS  
Furniture, Stoves, Etc.  
Big Spring and Stanton

—advertisement—

#### RESULTS OF WAR

LONDON, July 24.—After several years' work the League of Nations has finished the first complete assessment of the material losses of the World War, officially compiled from all the nations that participated.

Here is the net result of the shot fired 11 years ago July 28, by a gay Austrian officer:

3,998,771 known dead,  
2,991,800 presumed dead,  
6,295,512 seriously wounded,  
14,102,019 otherwise wounded,  
\$1896,033,647,097, direct cost of the war,  
\$29,551,276,280 property loss of the war,  
\$33,551,276,280 capitalized value of loss of life.

In asserting the latter the League figures the value of a human life for war purposes at \$4,720 for Americans, \$4,140 for British, and \$2,900 for the French.

Get the baseball results every day at the Chocolate Shoppe—advertisement.

#### J. D. SUGGS DEAD

J. D. Suggs, aged 74 years, millionaire banker, ranchman and capitalist of San Angelo, Texas and Chickasha, Okla., died at Chickasha, Okla. Tuesday, August 11th. He owned about 600,000 acres of land in Reagan, Irion, Sterling and Tom Green counties and business property in San Angelo and Chickasha.

#### FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE

One 1923 Ford roadster at a real bargain. Call at Stone Bottling works and see GLENN C. BELL. 1p

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Lloyd arrived Tuesday night from Plainview called here by the death of Marjorie Lewis, Mrs. F. C. Niedermeier and daughter of El Paso, who were in Plainview, visiting the Lloyd's, accompanied them to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Landers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elders left Monday for a fishing trip on the Pecos river, near Grandfalls.

Mrs. J. M. Bates and son Alvin and Mrs. D. C. Maupin left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives in Throckmorton.

"Fly funeral"—The wonderful insect killer.....Cunningham & Phillips. Either store.

Mrs. Dave Jones returned home Tuesday evening from a several months visit in Los Angeles, Calif.

### Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package, containing full directions, price 35 cts.; trial package, 10 cts. At any drug store. (Adv.)

#### LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN

A large flock of sheep. Have been gone for some time. When last seen they were browsing along the by-way of indifference that opens up and out into the road of neglect, leading to the highway of worldliness that ends in the state of death. Any one finding same will please drive them home if possible and receive an ample reward. If they persistently refuse to come home, drive them into the nearest fold, lock the door and report to the undersigned. Sufficient fodder for the entire flock will be provided next Sunday morning at the usual feeding place. All strayed sheep will be welcome, and those in the fold will be glad to know that they are all safe.

#### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

11 a. m. Sunshine and Shadows, 8:15 p. m. Lucifer a Son of the Mornings.

You ought to visit the adult bible class in our bible school. It is growing every Sunday.

#### HE WAS FAITHFUL

A bride of two months had just made a cake and put in the oven. She had an errand to do at the corner grocery, which would take her about five minutes, and asked her husband to watch the cake so that it would not burn. When she returned she found her husband sitting in front of the stove with the oven door open, watching the cake.

#### WE MAKE A SPECIALTY

ON BANQUETS  
We serve them from 25c to \$5.00 a plate. Gullety & Robinson Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hrdlicka were visitors here last Friday. They were enroute from Van Horn to Ft. Worth. Mr. Hrdlicka who is in charge of construction work on the Bankhead Highway for the H. K. McCollum Co. reports big rains between Van Horn and Toyah last week.

Jack Carter of Colorado, Buick dealer, was a business visitor here last Saturday.

O. Dubberly who holds a position in the gents department of the J. & W. Fisher store, is enjoying his two-weeks vacation.

#### BEST BALL GAME OF SEASON

One of the finest ball games of the season was enjoyed last Sunday afternoon when the Fort Worth T. & P. Sunshine team and the Big Spring T. & P. team fought an eleven inning contest which ended in a tie 3 to 3; the game being called on account of darkness.

This was one of the most interesting games of the season; the members of both teams fighting every inch of the way throughout the contest.

Moore and Baber pitched the best ball they have ever pitched. For seven innings Moore had the Fort Worth bunch helpless giving very few hits and striking out twelve of the hard-hitting Fort Worth crew. He had a run of hard luck in the eighth inning and the opening of the ninth so he called on Baber to finish the game. Baber was certainly in fine form and had the Fort Worth boys as badly bamboozled as did Moore during the early part of the game. Only eleven men faced Baber during the three innings he pitched and seven of them returned to the bench via the strike-out route.

This was one time the fans didn't leave the park until the last man was out in the last half of the last inning.

A big black cloud hung in the West, a sprinkle of rain was falling, and it seemed that a gully washer was due to descend any minute but this failed to scare the fans away from the game and quite a few of them set up a howl when it was decided to call the game. In addition to the darkness, the Fort Worth boys wanted to return home on the evening passenger train at 8:10 p.

M. It was just about 7 p. m. when the game ended.

The Fort Worth team agreed to return Saturday and Sunday, August 29th and 30th to fight it out for supremacy.

On Saturday afternoon the Westbrook team was here and gave the T. & P. team a good fight. Big Spring won this game by a score of 4 to 1.

Below we give the box score of the two games.

Big Spring—	Sunday's game					
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Romano rf.....	5	0	2	1	0	0
VAndrews ss.....	6	0	2	1	2	0
DAndrews cf.....	5	0	2	0	1	0
Graves 1st.....	5	0	0	10	0	0
Thornton lf.....	5	0	0	1	0	0
Smith 3rd.....	5	1	1	0	1	0
Payne c.....	5	0	1	19	0	0
PAndrews 2nd.....	5	1	0	1	2	0
Moore p.....	3	0	0	0	3	0
Baber, p.....	2	1	1	0	0	1
Totals.....	47	3	9	33	9	1

Fort Worth—						
AB	R	H	PO	A	E	
Arnold ss.....	5	0	0	2	3	2
Vincent 2nd.....	4	0	0	4	3	2
DeVaney 3rd.....	5	0	0	0	4	1
Lackey c.....	5	1	1	5	1	0
Irby 1st.....	5	1	1	17	0	2
Maxwell cf.....	5	1	3	0	0	0
Cobb rf.....	5	0	3	1	0	0
Nichols lf.....	4	0	2	4	0	0
Greble p.....	5	0	1	0	2	0
Totals.....	43	3	11	33	13	7

Two-base hits, Payne, DAndrews, Waxwell, Nichols; stolen bases, Thornton. Innings pitched, Moore 3, Baber 3, Greble 10, DeVaney 1. Struck out: Moore 12, Baber 7, Greble 4. Bases on ball, Greble 1. Umpires, Letwich and Slaughter.

Big Spring—  
Romano rf.....  
Smith 3rd.....  
DAndrews cf.....  
Graves 1st.....  
Thornton lf.....  
Payne c.....  
Williamson ss.....  
VAndrews 2nd.....  
PAndrews 2nd.....  
Ratliff p.....  
Westbrook.....  
Reid 2nd.....  
Wilson 3rd.....  
Miller 1st.....  
Carter ss.....  
Grissett p.....  
Cook cf.....  
Garber cf.....  
Freeland lf.....  
Cramer rf.....  
Totals.....  
Two-base hits, Carter, Ratliff 5, Grissett 4, Baber 2, Grissett 4, Wilson 4, kins and Wood.  
Abilene Baseball Team after winning 25 and since its organization is banded last week, due to funds to operate. The club at home games had been client to cover running expenses.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Taylor left Thursday morning for definite stay in California.  
"The world is always men to do things that have done."  
A real Fried Chicken Sunday, August 15th, Robinson Cafe.

# A Sure Way--

TO OWN A FORD — JOIN THE

# Ford

## "FIFTY WEEK CLUB

## SAVE THE FIRST PAYMENT

We Arrange Convenient Terms on Balance

Your Money Is Deposited in Bank to Draw Interest for You

At the expiration of 50 weeks you will have

SAVED THE FIRST PAYMENT

# 10c Enrolls You Join Today

Deposits May be Made at Our Office

SELECT	
The Club that most nearly meets your financial abilities. HERE THEY ARE:	
CLASS 1.	
10c deposited first week, increasing 10c each week for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$127.50
CLASS 2.	
\$5.00 deposited first week, decreasing 10c each week for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$127.50
CLASS 3.	
\$1.00 deposited first week, and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$50.00
CLASS 4.	
\$2.50 deposited first week and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$125.00
CLASS 5.	
\$5.00 deposited first week and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$250.00
CLASS 6.	
\$10.00 deposited first week and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$500.00
CLASS 7.	
\$15.00 deposited first week and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$750.00
CLASS 8.	
Lincoln Club, \$100.00 deposited first week and each week thereafter for 50 weeks, totaling.....	\$5,000.00

# Wolcott Motor Car

Cor. Main and 4th Sts.

There are only three weeks until

SCHOOL TIME

We are showing some wonderful new styles in youths suits, and now is an excellent time to fit up the boys for a season of hard study, combined with much football.

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# Early Autumn Modes In Dresses

for the fall season are here now, and ready for your inspection and approval. Whether you are ready to buy now or not come in and get acquainted with what the new Fashions for this season bring forth.

The straight line tailored mode plays an important role—and the new flared skirt is strongly favored. Sleeves are long, while collars adopt almost as many different styles as the number of dresses that are shown.

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Mirorkrepe, Frostkrepe, Satin Crepe are the most favored materials and the "ever-new" black is leading in the color race, but many other colors are to be had too—Pansies, Blues, and Browns in many varieties of shades. Let us show you today.



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One of the finest ball games of the season was enjoyed last Sunday afternoon when the Fort Worth T. & P. Sunshine team and the Big Spring T. & P. team fought an eleven inning contest which ended in a tie 3 to 3; the game being called on account of darkness.

This was one of the most interesting games of the season, the members of both teams fighting every inch of the way throughout the contest.

Moore and Baber pitched the best ball they have ever pitched. For seven innings Moore had the Fort Worth bunch helpless giving very few hits and striking out twelve of the hard-hitting Fort Worth crew. He had a run of hard luck in the eighth inning and the opening of the ninth so he called on Baber to finish the game. Baber was certainly in fine form and had the Fort Worth boys as badly bamboozled as did Moore during the early part of the game. Only eleven men faced Baber during the three innings he pitched and seven of them returned to the bench via the strike-out route.

This was one time the fans didn't leave the park until the last man was out in the last half of the last inning.

A big black cloud hung in the West, a sprinkle of rain was falling, and it seemed that a gully washer was due to descend any minute but this failed to scare the fans away from the game and quite a few of them set up a howl when it was decided to call the game. In addition to the darkness, the Fort Worth boys wanted to return home on the evening passenger train at 8:10 p.

M. It was just about 7 p. m. when the game ended.

The Fort Worth team agreed to return Saturday and Sunday, August 29th and 30th to fight it out for supremacy.

On Saturday afternoon the Westbrook team was here and gave the T. & P. team a good fight. Big Spring won this game by a score of 4 to 1.

Below we give the box score of the two games.

Big Spring	Sunday's game				
	AB	R	H	PO	A
Romano rf.	6	0	2	1	0
VAndrews ss.	6	0	2	1	2
DAndrews cf.	5	0	2	0	1
Graves 1st.	5	0	0	10	0
Thornton lf.	5	0	0	1	0
Smith 3rd.	5	1	1	0	1
Payne c.	5	0	1	19	0
PAndrews 2nd.	5	1	0	1	2
Moore p.	3	0	0	0	3
Baber p.	2	1	1	0	1
Totals	47	3	9	33	9

Fort Worth	Sunday's game				
	AB	R	H	PO	A
Arnold ss.	5	0	0	2	3
Vincent 2nd.	4	0	0	4	3
DeVaney 3rd.	5	0	0	4	1
Lackey c.	5	1	1	5	1
Irby 1st.	5	1	1	7	2
Maxwell cf.	5	1	3	0	0
Cobb rf.	5	0	3	1	0
Nichols lf.	4	0	2	4	0
Greble p.	5	0	1	0	2
Totals	43	3	11	33	13

Two-base hits, Payne, DAndrews, Waxwell, Nichols; stolen bases, Thornton. Innings pitched, Moore 3, Baber 3, Greble 10, DeVaney 1. Struck out: Moore 12, Baber 7; Greble 4. Bases on ball, Greble 1. Umpires, Lewich and Slaughter.

Big Spring—Saturday

AB	R	H	PO	A	
Romano rf.	4	1	1	1	0
Smith 3rd.	4	1	1	1	0
DAndrews cf.	3	0	0	0	0
Graves 1st.	3	0	0	0	0
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Payne c.	3	0	0	0	0
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Ratliff p.	4	0	0	0	0
Westbrook	5	0	0	0	0
Reid 2nd.	5	0	0	0	0
Wilson 3rd.	5	0	0	0	0
Miller 1st.	4	0	0	0	0
Carter ss.	4	0	0	0	0
Grissett p.	4	0	0	0	0
Cook c.	3	0	0	0	0
Garber cf.	3	0	0	0	0
Freeland lf.	3	0	0	0	0
Cramer rf.	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	45	1	1	1	1

Abilene Baseball Team after winning 25 and losing since its organization in Abilene All Star baseball banded last week, due to funds to operate. The club at home games had been closed to cover running expenses.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Talbot left Thursday morning for definite stay in California.

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A real Fried Chicken Sunday, August 15th. Robinson Cafe.

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All our customers are given Dials with every dollar cash purchase of furniture, stoves, etc. The person holding a dial that corresponds nearest to the dial of a sealed clock that has been allowed to run down wins their choice of these prizes.

This is the third Dial Gift Series to be conducted. Mrs. Herman Porch, winner in the first Dial Gift Series, was given a Sellers Kitchen Cabinet; Mrs. Malone, winner in the second series, was awarded a New Perfection Stove.

The contest is now on so be sure to begin saving Dials immediately. If you don't thoroughly understand the gift plan call at our store and let us explain it to you.

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### RESULTS OF WAR

LONDON, July 24.—After several years' work the League of Nations has finished the first complete assessment of the material losses of the World War, officially compiled from all the nations that participated.

Here is the net result of the shot fired 11 years ago July 28, by a gay Austrian officer:

- 3,928,771 known dead.
  - 3,921,890 presumed dead.
  - 4,295,512 seriously wounded.
  - 11,102,919 otherwise wounded.
  - \$1890, 323,637,987, direct cost of the war.
  - \$29,551,276,280 property loss of the war.
  - \$33,551,376,280 capitalized value of loss of life.
- In asserting the latter the League figures the value of a human life for war purposes at \$4,720 for Americans, \$4,140 for British, and \$2,990 for the French.

Get the baseball results every day at the Chocolate Shoppe.—advertisement.

### J. D. SUGGS DEAD

J. D. Sugg, aged 74 years, millionaire banker, ranchman and capitalist of San Angelo, Texas and Chickasha, Okla., died at Chickasha, Okla. Tuesday, August 11th. He owned about 600,000 acres of land in Reagan, Irion, Sterling and Tom Green counties and business property in San Angelo and Chickasha.

### FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE

One 1923 Ford roadster at a real bargain. Call at Stone Bottling works and see GLENN C. BELL. 1p

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11 a. m. Sunshine and Shadows. 3:15 p. m. Lucifer a Son of the Morning. You ought to visit the adult bible class in our bible school. It is growing every Sunday.

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A bride of two months had just made a cake and put in the oven. She had an errand to do at the corner grocery, which would take her about five minutes, and asked her husband to watch the cake so that it would not burn. When she returned she found her husband sitting in front of the stove with the oven door open, watching the cake.

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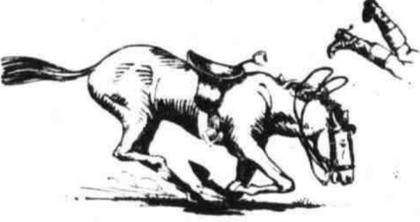
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It takes from 3 to 5 years of actual experience to make anything like a good Jeweler... WILKE, Jeweler and Optician.

If all our citizens were as progressive as some of our citizens the old town would have a neat and attractive appearance. There are property owners who keep their premises free of weeds, neat and attractive at all times, and then there are others who let Jack Frost attend to the weed crop around their homes.

One-eyed automobiles are an abomination as you will agree if you ever had occasion to drive on our highways at night. The driver of the afflicted car may know on which side of the auto the light burns but it is difficult for the other car to guess. It will be a good thing when the headlight law goes into effect so these one-eyed cars can be cured or kept off the roads at night.

Andy Gump is being groomed for president of the Anti-Collar Club which is now being started in Paris and London.

**LAND BARGAINS**

320 acres of fine land, one-half mile of good school. Deep soil, shallow water. Price \$22.50 the acre; good terms.

4 150-acre tracts, level, deep soil, two miles of good school. Shallow water; no better land in West Texas. Priced \$25 per acre; good terms.

150 acres improved, one and one-half miles of good school. 8 miles from Big Spring. Price \$30.00 an acre.

320 acres on Big Spring-Lamesa Highway, level, deep soil, good dwelling. 150 acres in cultivation. Priced right.

320 acres of fine land, good five-room bungalow, deep soil, has 130 acres in farm; right up against school; large cement tank, good well of pure water. This is a real home and priced right.

3 sections of the best land in Martin county, cat-claw land, shallow water, priced to sell, with good terms.

One of the best farms in Howard county located near Big Spring; good home for some good farmer. Priced to sell. 43-2t

R. L. COOK  
Big Spring, Texas

**SATURDAY OUR LAST \$ \$ \$ DAY**  
**STONE'S VARIETY STORE**

We can obtain loans on Patented Farm and Ranch Lands at 5-12 or 6 per cent on long time. If you desire to borrow money on your land. See STATE NATIONAL BANK. 41-1f.

Watch repairing... every job guaranteed. Clyde Fox.

**AUTO FOR SALE OR TRADE**

A Maxwell sport touring car in first class shape for sale or will trade for residence property. See BART WILKINSON. 43-2t

Down and out... Try Dynamic tonic... It puts pep into you... Cunningham & Phillips.

Plenty of good home-raised tomatoes. P. & F. CO.

Quality goods only. Chocolate Shoppe.

**Storage — Storage**  
FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 33-4f

**CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES**

Bible school 9:45 a. m.  
Communion services 11 a. m.  
Ladies bible class every Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:15. These meetings are all being well attended, but we want more to come. Always a welcome to everybody.

Bro. W. C. Smith delivered us a fine sermon Sunday, also Sunday night. We are very glad to have Bro. Smith with us.

Let us remember that Bro. Homer Davis will be with us after the first of September. We all are very anxious for the church to have a regular pastor. Let's all be ready to assist him in to do our duty when called on.

**COTTON PICKING SEASON**  
**OVER FOR J. A. DAVIDSON**

I have been picked two bolts of cotton which were already opened from the one stalk of cotton that I planted in my yard. I know the seed is good for him. These two bolts are the first to be brought to the Herald's office this season, opened and ready to pick.

This one stalk of cotton was also called to our attention as being about the first to bloom in this county.

**RIX TO FURNISH EQUIPMENT**  
**FOR TUBERCULAR COLONY**

The Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. bid and was awarded a contract to furnish the Tubercular Sanitarium at Carlsbad, Texas, with additional equipment. The order for shipment has already been made and the furnishings will arrive in the near future.

Bathing suits at a liberal reduction. Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Creath Harvey and family and Miss Gladys Lewis of Nugent, Texas, spent several days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, and Arthur Campbell and family. They returned to their home Monday.

Harold Bell Wright's new book, "A Son of His Father." Clyde Fox.

The skylight burglar was busy again last Saturday or Sunday night. He gained entrance to the S. A. Hathcock store and took five or ten dollars from the cash register. As usual he entered the store thru the skylight.

Don't let your wife cook on Sunday, when you can buy a fried chicken dinner for four-bits. Gulley & Robinson Cafe.

**OPPORTUNITY** — Want reliable man with car to handle Nationally advertised line. Good pay, permanent work. See MR. R. O. HOLCOMB, 509 Main. 6 to 8 p. m. 1p

**ATTENTION!**

I will begin a class in expression September 8th. Two lessons a week. Terms, \$4.00 per month. Phone 662. JIMMIE BEEBE. It

**FINE LOTS FOR SALE**

East front lots on the highway in beautiful College Heights addition, for sale at reasonable prices. Phone 325 or 30. J. F. HAIR.

**PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES**

The three Circles of the Presbyterian church will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at each of the following places:

King's Daughters with Mrs. Roy Tucker, Dorcas with Mrs. C. W. Cunningham. What-so-Evers with Mrs. H. G. Whitney.

All members are urged to be present.

Come to Boone Bros. Healthatorium, Christoval, Texas, (20 miles south of San Angelo.) Famous Christoval mineral baths, followed with scientific adjustment and massage treatments. Ideal climate, boating, swimming and fishing. Open the year round. 47-7p

Watch repairing... every job guaranteed. Clyde Fox.

**LOTS FOR SALE**

Twenty-eight good resident lots, 50x140 feet, in Cole & Strayhorn Addition, for sale. See WILL GARTIN or M. H. MORRISON, Owners. 24-1f.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**

Eight head registered cows, calves and 2 yearling bulls. As good as can be found; also some 2-year-old horse colts and mares and colts, at my place 15 miles south of Big Spring. LAWRENCE SIMPSON.

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

Sandwiches... the best in town. Chocolate Shoppe.

**A Sweet Breath at all times!**  
THE FLAVOR LASTS  
After eating or smoking Wrigley's freshens the mouth and sweetens the breath. Nerves are soothed, throat is refreshed and digestion aided. So easy to carry the little packet!  
**WRIGLEY'S**  
- after every meal!

Turnip seed in bulk. P. & F. CO.

R. L. Pennington, sent to the penitentiary from Howard county for violation of the prohibition law, has been given a conditional pardon by Governor Miriam Ferguson.

How about that hair brush? Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Castle and family of Abilene arrived Tuesday for a visit here with relatives at Big Spring and Knott. Miss Una Castle and Una Dorothea Campbell accompanied them home.

Buy your chickens here. P. & F. COMPANY.

Don't let your wife cook on Sunday, when you can buy a fried chicken dinner for four-bits. Gulley & Robinson Cafe.

The president does not swim, fish, nor play golf or tennis. Politics is his only game.

We appreciate your business. Chocolate Shoppe.

School: Calls for fountain pens... We have them... Cunningham & Phillips.

Vernon Lewis arrived Wednesday morning from Marshall, Texas, summoned here by the death of his baby sister, Marjorie Lewis, who was visiting relatives in this city.

E. P. Driver returned Saturday from Midland where he had been visiting relatives. His cousin, B. C. Driver returned home with him for a week's visit.

Fly poison... Convenient but dangerous to use... Cunningham & Phillips.

**Deep Rock Oil Company Drilling**

The Deep Rock Oil Company's W. T. Scott Hyman No. 1 is now going down steadily, this test having been spudded in last week. This well is located on section 33, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. survey in Howard county.

**LOTS FOR SALE**

48 fine residence lots in Cole & Strayhorn addition at \$100 to \$175 each; and 33 lots in Jones Valley addition at from \$20 to \$40. See or address M. W. HARWELL, Big Spring, Texas. 261f

**—HEADACHE—**

Glasses properly fitted will relieve it. See WILKE, graduate and registered optician in Ellis building. All work guaranteed.

**PROGRESS BEING MADE**  
**ON NEEL WAREHOUSE**

The fireproof warehouse being erected at the corner of East First and Goliad streets by Joe B. Neel is going up in good style. The frame of the building is completed, ready for the concrete. This is going to be one of the finest buildings in our city.

**ROOF FOR COMPRESS PLATFORM**

A roof is being placed over the big platform at the Big Spring Compress just north of the railroad tracks. This covering will be an improvement, and will serve as a great protection to the compressed cotton stored there.

**BANKHEAD GARAGE ROBBED**

The Bankhead Garage was robbed of about fifty dollars last Sunday morning. The attendant closed the place of business about 2 a. m. while he went to a restaurant to secure a lunch and upon his return found a burglar had visited the place, and had robbed the cash register of all the cash, amounting to about fifty dollars.

Turnip seed in bulk. P. & F. CO.

New Jersey newspapers are waging a fight on mosquitoes, but mosquitoes can't read, so that will spare the fight.

Ivory... See the new designs... Cunningham & Phillips.

Don't tell son to hitch his wagon to a star. The jazz-minded youngster might interpret it as meaning, "Let's go joy-riding with a movie actress."

**WORK ON NEW METHO-**  
**DIST CHURCH DELAYED**

Failure of the structural steel to arrive is causing a delay in the work of erecting the \$50,000 Methodist church now going up in our city.

**McMURRY QUARTETTE**  
**HERE LAST SUNDAY**

The McMurry Quartette, composed of Messrs. Smith, Runyan, Martin, and Cliff, under the direction of Professor Boutwell, rendered a sacred song concert at the morning services at the Methodist church Sunday. The concert was praised very highly, because of its appropriateness of selections, and quality of tone of the male voices.

Foot powder... Easy walking... guaranteed... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cordill and two children, Ollie Jr., and Edith Dow, left Friday evening for a fishing trip on the Llano river.

Herald want ads got results.

**STOP THAT ITCH!**

If you suffer from any skin diseases such as Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Children. We will sell you BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your skin and has a pleasant odor. J. D. BILES

**MANY SATURDAY**  
**STONE'S VARIETY STORE**

MISS MABEL RICKER STAYS VOICE UNDER OSCAR

Miss Mabel Ricker, who studying voice in Fort Worth, is spending the summer months at Schroon Lake, New York. She will study voice under Seagle, the noted baritone.

**Love or a Million Dollars**

A Romance of the Girl of Today. See It!

AT



**Monday and Tuesday**  
**AUGUST 17 and 18**



**CHICKIE**  
The glorious American girl as you have never seen her before

Have you heard the story of "CHICKIE?" It's on a million lips. A million hearts have responded to this little girl who wanted more than she had—who took love rather than millions—who could have been a Queen for riches, but cast all aside for one true love.

The kind of romance and drama you seldom see.

Heart interest, pathos, tragedy, comedy—all are found in this wonderful picture. It's the kind of a picture you can't help but like. BE SURE TO SEE IT!

Also Showing a Pathe Comedy

**'CHANGE THE NEEDLE'**

Continuous Show 3 to 10:30 P. M. Admission 10c and 35c

# WALLYADS



... needs flowers, buys her...  
 ... how nice she is, and...  
 ... marry him; what does...  
 ... all his pains? He gets...  
 ... that good liniment at J. D...  
 ...  
 ... now made from por...  
 ... the banana skin still...  
 ... the best slipper. The best...  
 ... slip on and off are from A...  
 ... and Co.  
 ... say terrible things may...  
 ... by kissing. A woman has...  
 ... to "catch a poor fish"...  
 ... When you land the man...  
 ... the furniture from W. R...  
 ... & Sons.  
 ... bred to loaf with some...  
 ... because they need the dough...  
 ... to get the roll. The best...  
 ... bread is City Bakery "Butter...  
 ...  
 ... grocer short weights your...  
 ... would you be arrested for...  
 ... the salt seller? Speaking...  
 ... willar, save now by having...  
 ... filled with McAlester coal...  
 ... Spring Fuel Co., Phone 64.  
 ... "This new skirt shows...  
 ... my anticipations." French...  
 ... "It's not what you Americans...  
 ... want!" A calf or any other...  
 ... goes above anticipations...  
 ... on Parina Cow Chow from...  
 ... Feed and Transfer.  
 ... ladies wear their skirts...  
 ... their knees, the police should...  
 ... them to the plumber. It's our...  
 ... to cover joints properly...  
 ... Plumbing, Heating & Elec...  
 ...  
 ... the party who took my night...  
 ... from the clothes line will re...  
 ... so embarrassing exposure...  
 ... be made. Henceforth my...  
 ... will be taken care of by Big...  
 ... Steam Laundry.  
 ... ladies show that when people...  
 ... get sugar, they raise cane...  
 ... raise Cain when they don't...  
 ... the food they want. The food...  
 ... is at "M" System Store.  
 ... modern woman is spending...  
 ... to change her face, while...  
 ... baby has nothing to spend...  
 ... she faces the change. There is...  
 ... any change when a person...  
 ... use of those reliable Good...  
 ... from Homan Service Sta...  
 ...  
 ... (Continued Next Week)

**DO NOT FORGET**  
 KASCH does Quality Plumb-  
 We both lose if you don't  
 KASCH do your Plumbing.  
**KASCH'S**  
 Plumbing and Electric Shop  
 Phone 167; Res. 652  
 Ward Building

**Plumber & Runyan**  
**PLUMBERS**  
 REFRIGERATORS, BATH TUB,  
 SINKS, COMMODOES,  
 PIPES AND FITTINGS  
 FOR SALE  
 We make an estimate on your  
 Plumbing Work.  
 Phone 187  
 Big Spring, Texas

CALL  
**SPRING TRANSFER**  
 — is —  
 & RASON BARBER SHOP  
 Local and Long Distance  
 Office Phone 632  
 BOTTLES, Res. Phone 438-R

**E. H. HAPPEL**  
 DENTIST  
 OVER WEST TEXAS  
 NATIONAL BANK  
 Big Spring, Texas  
 Your bill gives pipe sat-  
 Cunnigham & Phillips

## SCHOOL TRUSTEES OF COUNTY

The school trustees of the rural schools of Howard county met at the court house here last Saturday for the purpose of discussing school affairs and conferring with Dr. L. D. Borden, Chief Supervisor of the Rural Schools of Texas. Some forty trustees were in attendance and a number of others were present to hear the fine address delivered by Dr. Borden during the morning session.

Dr. Borden in discussing school matters said that the idea seemed to prevail that the main purpose of an education, was to learn "so you could get money easy," whereas the high aim should be to secure an education so you would be able to serve, and make better citizens. The fact that things were not just right were evident from the crime ocean that now submerged our country. The majority of criminals these days are young folks between the ages of 17 and 23 years, and the majority of these had high school education or better.

He said this was not due to the fact that the home, the school or the church was falling down completely but it was evident that all three of these institutions were falling down on the job.

In view of the fact that a child learns more in the first four years of its life than during any other period it is very essential that the parents teaching be right. If a child is started right in the home, the school and church will stand a much better chance of making a first class citizen of him. If the home falls down on the job the school and church oftentimes get the blame.

He said the rural school deserved the very best teachers that could be secured and urged trustees to secure the very best talent. He said a teacher should not be favored solely because he was a home product and needed the money. The trustees owed an obligation to the pupils and that was to provide able and conscientious teachers.

He said the State would do everything possible to aid the rural schools. In districts where the citizens voted 75c or more local tax the State would give aid toward maintaining an eight months school. No school to receive more than \$1000.

After his talk Dr. Borden conducted an open forum and answered any and all questions propounded.

In the business session following the salary of County Superintendent H. R. Debenport was set and the County Board apportioned the school funds.

The proposition of consolidating rural districts for high school purposes was discussed but the matter was deferred for further consideration.

The citizens of the Richland community will, today, vote on a bond issue of \$2000 to build an additional room to their school building.

66-oz. Wapco preserves, \$1.35 P. & F. CO.

The Coahoma baseball team was here Thursday afternoon for a game with the T. & P. team.

Follow the crowd—you can't go wrong. Chocolate Shoppes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Baker are in Snyder this week. Mr. Baker is district engineer, and has gone there on business.

All men's furnishings at cost. A good chance to save. Clyde Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Campbell and children, Lorena and Jack, left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Nugent, Texas.

A ten-pound bucket new comb honey, \$2.00. P. & F. CO.

**POSITION WANTED**  
 Middle aged lone lady wishes to keep house in a motherless home. Also is a practical nurse. Write E. M., c/o Herald, Box 188.

Akin Simpson was in Tuesday from his ranch in the northern part of the county and says he will not grumble about a shortage of moisture for a few days at least. Big rains visited his section on last Saturday, Sunday and Monday and crops and grass will now be fine.

We are an official headlight test station. HALL TIRE & TOP CO.

T. H. Johnson returned Monday from McAllen, Texas, where he has been looking after his fine irrigated farm. He brought samples of corn just harvested on his farm; this corn making 35 bushels per acre. The corn crop was planted following the harvesting of an onion crop that netted \$300 per acre.

A 10c can Del Monte beans for 5c. P. & F. CO.

Wilbur Matthews suffered a painful accident this week when he stepped on a nail which entered his foot. He was compelled to use crutches when he wanted to take a walk.

U. D. Lane is to play third base for the T. & P. team from now on until the close of the season. He will replace Elmer Williamson who is unable to play on account of an injury to his arm due to an accident at the T. & P. shops Tuesday.

Johnston's chocolates. "They satisfy".....Cunnigham & Phillips.

Hylo Hatch was compelled to resort to the use of crutches this week in order to navigate, due to an infected foot. He was accused of having the goat, the fat and mouth disease and various and sundry other complaints.

Give us a try, we'll do the rest. Chocolate Shoppes.

Mrs. P. ... of Fort Worth is visiting her daughter Mrs. G. E. McNew.

Wm. J. Weeg returned to Austin Saturday evening to resume his duties on the Austin Statesman, after spending a delightful vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weeg.

Harold Bell Wright's new book—"A Son of His Father." Clyde Fox.

Folks who have visited the Elbow section recently declare the finest irrigated sections in Texas could not show any finer looking crops. Take a trip down thru that portion of the county.

**Storage — Storage**  
**FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 33rd**

Flies and Mosquitoes. We have the dope... Guaranteed... Cunnigham & Phillips

**FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE.**  
 One 1923 Ford roadster at a real bargain. Call at Stone Bottling works and see GLENN C. BELL. 1p

Yes, there are already too many laws, but we'd like to see just one more squeezed in to prohibit a woman from suing her husband for alimony before the last installment is paid on the wedding ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Stallings and son Mack, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stallings returned Sunday evening from a several weeks visit in Mahan, Mississippi.

School... we have the supplies... Cunnigham & Phillips.

**FOR SALE CHEAP**  
 A 1924 Chevrolet touring car for sale cheap for cash. Call at Bankhead Garage.

**6 Per Cent—FARM and RANCH LOANS—6 Per Cent**  
 Pay 3 1-2 per cent every six months and the debt is cancelled in 33 years.  
**Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank**  
 Correspondent—  
**WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK, Big Spring, Texas**

The leaves were stripped from a ninety-acre field of cotton in the R-Bar community belonging to Oscar Musgrove last Saturday night. V. Lee Hamlin's place last Tuesday evening came a regular flood from a small cloud. A cow on the Hamlin ranch was killed by lightning during this rainstorm.

## TURNIP SEED

We have several varieties of Turnip Seed in bulk, and it is a good time to sow — also RED TOP CANE SEED.

**We Buy Chickens—**  
 all the time and pay cash or trade for eggs and chickens.

**P & F COMPANY**  
 "The Best Place to Buy or Sell"

Baseball headquarters. Chocolate Shoppes

L. L. Freeman left Thursday evening for Ocean Park, Calif., to join his family who is there spending the summer.

A handsome prize absolutely free is to be given away at Purser & Sons. Make \$1.00 cash purchase there and get a dial...advertisement

Mrs. W. J. Garrett of Lubbock returned to her home at Lubbock on Saturday after a delightful visit with her mother, Mrs. Dora Roberts at Cloudford, N. M., and a few days visit here.

We can obtain loans on Patented Farm and Ranch Lands at 5 1-2 or 6 per cent on long time. If you desire to borrow money on your land. See STATE NATIONAL BANK, 41st

Flash lights and supplies... R. R. lantern batteries... Cunnigham & Phillips

**TRUCK FOR SALE OR TRADE**  
 An International truck in first class condition for sale, or will trade for residence or trade in on \$9,000 159-acre farm. See BART WILKINSON. 48-2t

**SPECIAL NOTICE**  
 Reverend Green will begin a meeting at Robinson's Chapel on Thursday evening, August 20. Everybody welcome.

**RHODE ISLAND REDS**  
 Pullets and cockerels, as long as they last at \$1.00 and \$1.25 each. LAWRENCE SIMPSON, G. C. Rt., Big Spring. 482t

**WISE PEOPLE: WILL BUY THEIR HOT WATER BOTTLES NOW BEFORE THE ADVANCE.**  
 CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

**AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 Rev. W. L. Shepherd of Westlaco, former pastor, will conduct services at the First Presbyterian church in this city at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend this service.

**DRS. ELLINGTON & WETSEL**  
 DENTISTS  
 BIG SPRING, TEXAS  
 Office Phone 281



They Love It!  
**SHAW BROS.**  
 ICE CREAM

How the eyes of the children light up at the idea of a cool dish of ice cream. And how we grown ups never out-grow the taste and desire. And because Shaw Brothers Ice Cream is best of all — in purity, in taste, in wholesomeness, in refreshment, it has a large army of followers of all ages today. Ask or phone for it.

Palace of Sweets  
 PHONE NO. 380

**LISTEN LADIES**  
 Hemstitching 7 1-2 cents. Am now located in McRea Hat Shop, at the Grand Leader. Will appreciate you bringing me your work. GERTIA CURTIS. 28-4t



**LOOK!**  
 Large, Strong, 10-qt. Galvanized Pail With These Famous Procter & Gamble Soaps

Value \$1.45  
 12 BARS P. AND G. ...  
 2 GUEST IVORY ...  
 1 CHIPSO ...  
 1 IVORY (medium size) ...  
 1 GALVANIZED PAIL ...  
 all for **ONLY 99c**

**SALE STARTS FRIDAY & SATURDAY, August 14-15. With the following dealers:**

- POOL-REED COMPANY
- ALLEN GROCERY CO.
- GARY & SON
- GOOCH CASH GROCERY
- P. & F. COMPANY
- "M" SYSTEM STORE
- SCOTT & MCGINNIS
- H. F. TAYLOR
- BUGG BROS.
- BURROUGH'S GROCERY

## SULROSS

**State Teachers College**  
 ALPINE, TEXAS  
 Elevation, 4500 Feet

- FALL TERM Opens September 23.
- AN IDEAL CLIMATE, Winter and Summer, for Recreation and Study
- GIRLS' DORMITORY Under Faculty Supervision
- ADVANCED COURSES Leading to B. A. and B. S. Degrees
- WELL-EQUIPPED LIBRARY AND LABORATORIES
- CREDITS ACCEPTED By Best Colleges and Universities

Write for Bulletin  
**H. W. MORELOCK, President**

## Hello Neighbors!

The San Angelo Friendship Tour  
 WILL VISIT  
**BIG SPRING**

—AT—  
 12 o'clock noon  
**Wednesday, August 19th**

To shake hands with you and tell you about  
**The All-West-Texas Exposition**

These trips sponsored by—  
 SAN ANGELO BOARD OF CITY DEVELOPMENT  
 SAN ANGELO FAIR ASSOCIATION  
 SAN ANGELO KIWANIS CLUB  
 SAN ANGELO LIONS CLUB  
 SAN ANGELO AD CLUB

WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

# Lower Prices

Buick always leads in motor car values

Standard Six			
2-passenger Roadster	\$1125	5-pass. two-door Sedan	\$1195
5-passenger Touring	1150	5-pass. four-door Sedan	1295
2-passenger Coupe	1195	4-passenger Coupe	1275

Master Six			
2-passenger Roadster	\$1250	7-passenger Sedan	\$1995
5-passenger Touring	1295	5-passenger Brougham	1925
5-pass. two-door Sedan	1395	3-pass. Sport Roadster	1495
5-pass. four-door Sedan	1495	5-pass. Sport Touring	1525
4-passenger Coupe	1795	3-pass. Country Club	1765

All Prices F. O. B. Buick factories. Excise tax to be added.

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY, Flint, Michigan  
Division of General Motors Corporation

**CARTER MOTOR CO.**  
Colorado, Texas --- Phone 421

Kodaks and supplies..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Miss Clara Pool returned Tuesday morning from a several months stay in California.

Mrs. H. W. Leeper of Fort Worth is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Bennett and friends.

FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow and calf. Call at 269 Arlington St. or see J. P. HAWK. 1tpd

We appreciate your patronage — give us a chance to prove it. Clyde Fox.

Miss Sallie Jordan returned Tuesday morning from Los Angeles California, where she had been visiting relatives.

THE WORLD'S STRONGEST COASTER WAGON.  
STONE'S VARIETY STORE

Louis Skalsky returned home Sunday from Little Rock and Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he had been to spend his vacation.

We're waiting here to serve you Chocolate Shoppe.

Joe Flock returned Sunday morning from a two months tour of some of the principal cities of the United States. While in Portland, Oregon, Joe attended the Annual Convention of the B. P. O. E.

### ABSTRACT OR TITLE, WHICH?

Since an abstract is a brief of all instruments at the Clerk's Office affecting the title, it must show all the defects in the title, and you may have a perfect abstract and a mighty poor title. The ambition of the abstractor is to get all the instruments out of the records; he must have a set of abstract books to do it. It is the business of an attorney to pass on the legal sufficiency of the instruments. THE BIG SPRING ABSTRACT CO. has a complete set of books of all city property and acreage in Howard county, Clyde E. Thomas, Room 4, West Texas National Bank Bldg., Big Spring, Texas. 44-ft

### Dr. M. E. Campbell

OF ABILENE

Will be in Big Spring every Saturday to treat

EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT and FIT GLASSES

Jess Arnett of Midland was a visitor in our city Saturday.

Silverware on easy payments..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Miss Donna Carter is in Baird this week, visiting relatives.

E. E. Fahrenkamp and Valentine Day made a business trip to Westbrook Monday.

J. M. Morgan attended a meeting of the Texas branch Association General Contractors of America at Abilene last Saturday.

Mrs. M. D. Stevens and daughter after an enjoyed visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hefley, left Tuesday morning for her home at Wilmington, California. Her brother Rogers Hefley accompanied them to California for a visit.

If you can't come to town to see the score board... phone us... we'll give you the dope. Chocolate Shoppe

### FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE

One 1923 Ford roadster at a real bargain. Call at Stone Bottling works and see GLENN C. BELL. 1p

The panhandle and other sections who are telling of bumper crops are going to attract thousands of folks from the drought-stricken sections of Texas. These people are going to drift in long before their services are needed in the cotton field and as a result they will have to be fed until the cotton season opens. The advance guard of this army has already started and they are, in many instances, in destitute circumstances. Later on their services will be in demand but they are coming a month too soon.

## West Texas National Bank

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

We wish to call your attention to the splendid showing made in our report to the comptroller of currency on June 30, 1925

We want you to have a part in this fine showing and earnestly solicit your business, promising to give you every service that sound banking will justify

### STATEMENT, JUNE 30, 1925

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$501,894.82	Capital Stock.....\$ 50,000.00
United States Bonds..... 50,000.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits..... 58,881.11
Other Bonds, Securities, Etc..... 1,037.61	Circulation..... 50,000.00
Building, Furn. and Fix..... 50,000.00	Bills Payable..... 25,000.00
Other Real Estate, Livestock, Etc... 12,089.88	DEPOSITS..... 572,920.11
Federal Reserve Bank Stock..... 3,000.00	
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE... 137,802.85	
Total.....\$755,824.96	Total.....\$755,824.96

The above statement is correct.

ROBT. T. PINER, Cashier

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### TEXAS INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Floresville — City to vote on \$40,000 bond issue for improvement of waterworks.

Houston — Sixteen-inch pipe line from Moody Gas Company's fields in Refugio, Edna and Markham to reach here by December 1st, supply 48,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas daily.

San Antonio — Olmos dam will be constructed in Alamo Heights for retention of flood waters, to cost \$1,300,000.

Plainview — 100 blocks of streets to be paved shortly.

Panhandle — Contract awarded at \$45,852.95 for paving Main street, McKinney — Eighth annual Collier County Fair to be held here October 5-8.

Port Arthur — Strand Theater to be completely remodeled at cost of several thousand dollars.

Panhandle — City to vote on sale of light plant.

Merkel — Planters Gin Company constructing new gin here.

Comanche — Contract awarded for constructing dam and reservoir.

Electra — Three new buildings to be constructed at race track.

Fort Worth — \$2,000,000 bond issue sold for building new schools, and repairing and constructing additions to present structures.

Tyler — Commercial Natural Gas Company contracts for construction of 70-mile line from Waskom field, in Harrison county, to this place.

Longview — First bale of cotton this year brought here from Rusk county.

Port Arthur — Modern commissary and store to be constructed on Houston Avenue at cost of \$17,600.

Grayson county to vote on \$5,800,000 bond issue for road improvement.

Temple — Sparks, Little River and Academy districts vote \$20,000 bond issue for erecting new rural high school.

Dallas — Addition to LaMode store and improvements of present structure to cost \$60,000.

Ballinger — West Texas Utilities Company to extend power line from here to Paint Rock, Eden and Menard.

Dallas — Concrete being poured on 56-foot floor of Lake Dallas spillway.

Ennis — City votes \$106,000 bond issue for municipal improvements.

Dallas — University Park stretch of Preston Road being paved at cost of \$172,000.

Parker county fair to be held first week in November.

Dallas — Contract soon to be let for constructing new brick addition to Mount Auburn School.

Port Arthur — Bids requested for erecting first unit of memorial auditorium-armory, to cost approximately \$14,000.

Austin — Plans under way for improving Austin-San Antonio highway.

Port Arthur — Plans being prepared for two-story, 75-room addition to Plaza Hotel and roof garden, estimated to cost \$125,000.

Mexia — This city in midst of great building campaign; three school additions under construction, at cost of about \$100,000.

Many textile mill owners of New England ready to move their mills to this state if citizens will subscribe to one-half of investment, based upon appraised value of machinery and cost of new buildings.

Laredo — Work progressing on paved highway from here to Corpus Christi.

Dallas — Contract let at \$20,410.90 for constructing storm sewers on Paris street from Ross to Thomas avenues.

Plano — City votes \$15,000 bond issue for paving residence streets.

Dallas — Junius Heights Congregational church to construct new \$20,000 building.

Weatherford — North side streets being graveled.

Winchester — Pine Oak Creek bridge to be constructed, at cost of about \$12,500.

Tornillo — Cantaloups being shipped from this district at rate of two carloads daily.

Galveston — City to sell \$75,000 bond issue, for construction of incinerator.

Emory — More than 300,000 pounds of cucumbers pickled here this season.

Waco — Twelve-acre lake and 520-foot dam under construction near Elm Mott.

— WORTH THE MONEY — This nice four-room house, well located, Owner leaving town, \$1150 will buy it, \$400 cash, easy terms on balance.

This modern 5-room bungalow close in; sewer connection made and side walks built, good garage; \$2500, \$1000 cash, balance good terms.

This dandy four-room modern home with built-in garage and two good lots, \$2650 will buy it, good terms. This is a new home just completed.

We can save you money if you will buy that home thru us. 482 D. F. PAINTER REALTY & INS. CO. Office in basement of Fox Drug Co.

D. E. Hennafin and H. made a business trip to Tuesday.

D. E. Hennafin is in representing the DeLaval Co. While in the city he is showing the merits of the Milking machine to the dairy.

Miss Frances Douglass and Dorothea Vandagriff spent a of days with Mrs. Walter at the Barcroft Hotel at this week.

A real Fried Chicken Sunday, August 15th. Robinson Cafe.

Misses Alice Ann Rix and Ellington returned Tuesday visit in Dallas.

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### STATEMENT

JUNE 30, 1925

#### STATEMENT

Loans and Discounts.....	\$668,976.50
U. S. and Other Bonds.....	82,397.50
Banking House.....	18,000.00
Redemption Fund.....	2 500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.	4,500.00
CASH.....	135,920.11
TOTAL.....	\$912,294.11

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....	142,915.21
Circulation.....	49,400.00
DEPOSITS.....	669,978.90
TOTAL.....	\$912,294.11

RESOURCES OVER \$900,000.00

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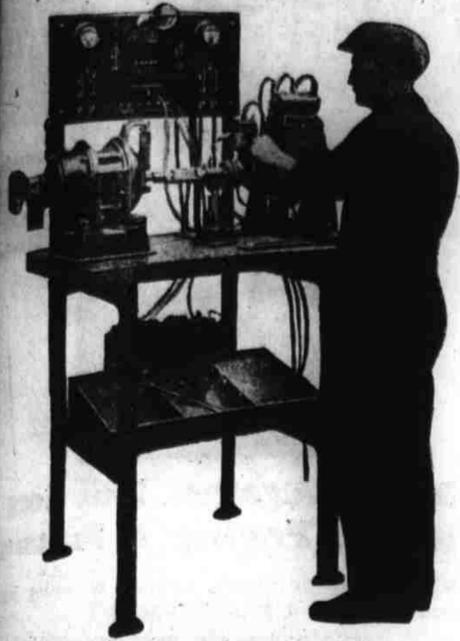
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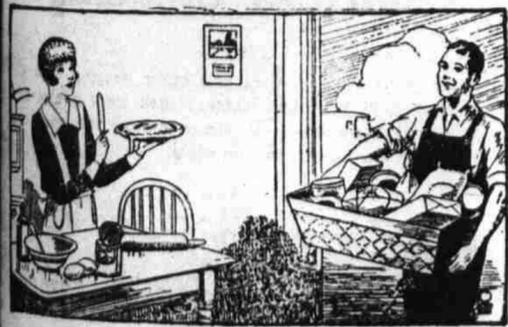
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Good Groceries



Pool-Reed Co.'s name has stood for quality groceries in Big Spring now for twenty years and the economical housewives of the town have learned that if they want the best groceries for the lowest price to trade with us. If you are not already a customer, try us for a month and see if we don't save you money.

Meat at the Lowest Prices

The entire family will be pleased with the meat you buy from us and these choice meats are priced below their standard. You will find here full flavored meat—tender and juicy—the really good kind of meat. Give us your order and see for yourself.

Pool-Reed Co.  
Grocery and Market

DOC DISSERATES BRIEFLY ON DIVORCE PROBLEMS

Every now and then a group of citizens hold a meeting and decides what's wrong with the United States. Usually the decision is that divorces are too easy to get.

I don't know whether they prove it by getting some, but I presume they must know what they are talking about or they wouldn't mention it.

Not having been divorced more than four or five times, I can hardly qualify as an expert on easy divorces. Besides I am a bachelor, anyhow.

I do know I didn't have any trouble getting divorced, altho I did have a hard time finding enough money to pay the attorney fees, court costs and alimony.

Easy divorce doesn't cause divorces as much as easy alimony.

No woman is going to divorce her husband and start out in the cold world without having a little mad money to keep the wolf from the door.

No husband is going to divorce his wife if she turns out three square meals a day and doesn't object to darning his socks, washing his shirts, etc., and giving him a couple of nights a week out with the boys.

When a wife sees a chance to get a good income thru alimony and have a good time without having to listen to her husband groan while he shaves and snore while he sleeps, she will jump at the chance.

As a grass widow with lots of dough she is far more attractive to the public than the wife of a rich duck who's too lazy to step out after 8 o'clock at night.

Folks who get married, have children, work and pay their bills seldom think about divorce.

Those who marry, shun children and spend their money on pleasure while their creditors pound in vain on the front door usually end up in divorce court.

If there wasn't a divorce court for them to go to, they'd probably shoot each other, which is a worse crime.

Instead of bothering divorce, we ought to make marriages harder.

If we reduce the number of marriages, we are bound to reduce the number of divorces.—DR. B. U. L. CONNER, in the Ft. Worth Press.

Keep in mind the fact that Howard County should have an exhibit at the Dallas Fair, Waco Cotton Palace and West Texas Fair at Abilene. We want the folks back east to know we are still in the ring and coming strong.

"You can fool all of the people some of the time and some of the people all of the time but you can't fool all of the people all the time," is as true to-day as it was the day Abe spoke these words.

Work on the new \$30,000 brick school building at Sparenberg is to be started soon. Jim Biffle, Lubbock contractor was awarded the contract to erect this building.

THE PRICE OF COTTON

The price of cotton this fall can not be other than high. From all over the south where the bulk of the cotton of the world is grown there is a report of the greatest shortage yet known due to drouth conditions. We have just returned from Hill, McLellen, Bell, Williamson and several other black land counties and for miles there is not a stalk of cotton. It has never come up since planted last spring. There is little hope of a tenth of a crop in any of these black land counties where the largest yield is always obtained in the state. This year the west will lead Texas in cotton production provided we get the rain but conditions are far from flattering here. A drouth is on her and there are several counties on the Plains that the crop is going to be distressingly short. A shower this week has fallen in portions of Dawson County but the crop cannot be large.—Lamesa Reporter.

THE SIMPLE TRUTH

I am fain to believe that the time is drawing near when the Christian church will be able to discern and declare the simple truth that religion is nothing but friendship; friendship with God and with men. I have been thinking much about it in these last days, and I cannot make it mean anything else; so far as I can see that it is all there is to it. Religion is friendship—friendship first with the great Companion, of whom Jesus told us, who is always nearer to us than we are to ourselves, and whose inspiration and help is the greatest fact of human experience. To be in harmony with His purposes, to be open to His suggestions, to be in constant fellowship with Him—that is religion on its Godward side.—Washington Gladden.

I. C. C. DECLINES TO MAKE RULING

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today declined to act on the petition of the Texas and Pacific railway for abandoning of the 65 miles of line of the Midland and Northwestern railroad, claiming it lacked jurisdiction.

The ruling of the commission, however, left the way open for the road to abandon the track on authority already given it by state authorities of Texas.

NOTICE TO BANKS AND BANKERS IN COAHOMA

Scaled bids will be considered from banks and bankers desiring to be named as depository for the funds of the Coahoma Independent School District on Thursday September 3th 1925.

All bids must be in the hands of the trustees of the Coahoma Independent School District at their office in Coahoma Texas on or before said date.

J. M. Wilson President of Board  
A. C. Bass, Secretary.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County.—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Jim Lawson by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Thirty-second Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Thirty-second Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, at the first Monday in September A. D. 1925, the same being the seventh day of September A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court at the 23rd day of August A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered at the docket of said Court No. 929 wherein Irene Lawson, as Plaintiff and Jim Lawson is Defendant and said petition alleging Plaintiff is also has been for a period of twelve months prior to exhibiting this petition an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided at the said County of Howard for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit that Defendant resides without the State of Texas. Plaintiff further avers that she was married to Defendant December 25th, 1905, and that the said marital relations still exists; and that without cause the Defendant voluntarily abandoned Plaintiff August 12th, 1918, with the intention of never again living with Plaintiff, and has not since such date lived with Plaintiff as husband and wife nor in any manner supported her, remaining away voluntarily and without cause for more than three years; that of the said marriage Willie May Lawson, a girl age 13 years in April 1925, and Arthur Alvin Lawson, a boy, age 8 in June 1925 was born and still live; that at all times Plaintiff has supported and had custody of the said children; that the Defendant is shiftless, moving from place to place and not able or willing to support and educate the said children; that the Plaintiff is able and willing to support and properly rear them. Premises considered Plaintiff ask that citation issue in terms of law, and that on hearing hereof, she be granted a divorce from the bonds of matrimony and that she be granted the custody of the said two children.

Herein fall but have before said Court at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said County, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 1st day of August A. D. 1925.

J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk.  
District Court, Howard County

ONE WAY TO REDUCE

A rather robust woman recently asked a doctor what she should do to reduce. "Take a certain kind of exercise," said he. "What kind do you recommend?" she asked. "Push yourself away from the table three times a day," replied the doctor.—Topeka Capital.

Some of our farmers are going to plant wheat and oats this fall to provide pasturage for their livestock. If it don't look good next Spring they can turn under these crops in plenty of time to plant cotton and grain sorghums.

AMERICAN YOUTH AND RELIGION

The United States offers a fresh religious field, in that millions of her citizens are as ignorant of Christianity as any jungle dwellers are. It is not entirely a disadvantage. When religious teachers are reduced to repeating the same old sayings to the people who know beforehand what is coming, the result is deadness. When, however, religious teachers are faced with the task of winning a Christian nation back to an understanding of Christianity, the challenge is heroic and the possibilities are great. Teaching gets a meaning under such conditions.

Dean Walter S. Athearn, in his recent book, "Character Building in a Democracy" discusses the general question of religious or ethical education from a very evidently wide experience, and together with excellent counsel gives some very startling statistics.

He says that there are 27,000,000 American children, nominally Protestant, who receive no religious instruction whatever, who are unattached to church or Sunday school. He says there are 8,000,000 American children, nominally Protestant, under 10 years of age, who are growing up in homes that have no contact with the church.

Of the 8,676,000 Catholic youth of the country, under 25 years of age he says that only 1,870,000 are in religious schools, although in these figures it must be considered that most of the others received religious training and instructions previous to their confirmation. Still, his figures show 6,806,000 who forsake instruction through middle and later adolescence.

There are 1,636,000 Jewish youth under 25 years of age, of whom only 87,000 are in religious schools, and 1,549,000 are not.

He thus concludes that 19 out of 20 Jewish youth under 25 years receive no religious education; three out of four Catholic youth under 25 are receiving no religious education; and two out of three Protestant youth of the same age group receive no formal instructions.

Of course the figures are not all youth enrolled in the Sunday schools of one religious group alone. But nonetheless the adverse figures are impressive, especially when laid alongside these which show that the bulk of the crime is committed by youth under 25.

Is it the fault of the young people? Is it the fault of the church? Is it the fault of the method of instructions? Is there lack of reality in the kind of religion offered? Surely a truth that is true and vital should have resources of strength within itself to make its way to men's minds.—Dearborn Independent

The man who takes the oath today to preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States only assumes the solemn obligation which every citizen should share with him. The Constitution which prescribes his oath is yours, the laws and the entire scheme of our civil life, from the town meeting and the State capitals and the National capital, is yours. Every voter as surely as your chief magistrate, under the same high sanction, though in a different sphere, exercises a public trust. Nor is this all. Every citizen owes to the country a vigilant watch and close scrutiny of its public servants and a fair and reasonable estimate of their fidelity and usefulness. This is the price of our liberty and the inspiration of our faith in the republic.—Grover Cleveland.

Seems like we are all going to be compelled to quit violating the law because we may not like the particular law we smash. It matters not whether it is the prohibition law, the traffic regulations or what not. If we willfully disregard one and get away with it, it is that much easier to break another and we soon begin to think we are a law unto ourself. Crime is rampant in our land today because man has lost respect for law. A revival to bring about respect for all our laws is very much needed.

Storage — Storage  
FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 83-4f

Dr. Blader the eminent sociologist says that spanking is the ideal punishment for disobedient children; that other forms of corporal punishment soon lose corrective effect, and that verbal castigation and threats are more harmful than any form of bodily chastisement.

Herald want ads got results.

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It isn't only the make and the year of your car that counts in determining the correct oil. It's important to know the "wear" of your engine. Drive in and we'll give you the answer to your car's lubrication problem. We'll prescribe the proper grade of Sinclair Opaline Motor Oil that will suit the present condition of your engine — and seal its power. Perfectly!

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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO EXECUTE MINERAL LEASE GUARDIANSHIP OF FRANCES M. MELTON AND PAULINE A. MELTON MINORS.**

No. 274-A.  
To Whom It May Concern:  
Notice is hereby given that the following Application to Execute a Mineral Lease for the purpose of mining and operating for Oil and Gas on the estates of Frances M. Melton and Pauline A. Melton, Minors, has been filed by Cora M. Holmes, Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Frances M. Melton and Pauline A. Melton, Minors, in the Probate Court of Howard County, Texas, on July 30, 1925, as follows, to-wit:  
ESTATE OF FRANCES M. MELTON AND PAULINE A. MELTON MINORS No. 274-A.  
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HOWARD COUNTY, TEXAS.  
To The Honorable H. R. DeBartolo, Judge of said Court.

Now comes Cora M. Holmes, the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian of the persons and estates of Frances M. Melton and Pauline A. Melton, Minors, and respectfully shows the court that the property of these said wards consists in part of an undivided 3/8 interest each in the following real estate, to-wit: Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29, and in Block 40; Sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 in Block 52 1/2; Section 15 and 16, Block 41; Section 4, Block 44; Sections 2, 11, 12, 13, and 14 in Block 45 1/2; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25 in Block 53 1/2; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 in Block 55 1/2; Sections 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 22, and 30 in Block 56, all Public School lands; and Section 6, Block 67, Township 7, T. & P. Ry Co. Survey, all in Hudspeth County, State of Texas, and containing 47460 acres, more or less.

That all the above described land is used almost exclusively for grazing purposes, and that she believes it to be to the best interests of the estates of her wards to lease said lands for the purpose of mining and operating for oil and gas for the following reasons, to-wit: It would not interfere with the present uses of the said property, which is ranching, but would bring an income of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty (\$4760.00) Dollars annually, in addition to the sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty (\$4760.00) Dollars for the execution of such lease, which sum would be enough practically to pay the yearly operating expense of the ranch. Also, in case oil or gas were obtained in paying quantities on said property, it would greatly enhance the value of said lands, to the benefit of her wards. That the above offer of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty (\$4760.00) Dollars for the execution of such an Oil and Gas Lease has been made by Oliver Ritter of Hudspeth County, Texas, said lease to cover all the above described property, which said lease would also bear an annual rental of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty (\$4760.00) Dollars, to be paid in advance to lessors to cover the privilege of deferring the commencement of a well for twelve months, should a well not be commenced within a year from the date of the execution of the lease, and said lease to last for ten years from the date thereof. That your petitioner believes said offer to be the best that it is possible to obtain on new and unproven territory, as there is no oil development in that section of the country, and that it will be most advantageous to enter into such lease contract.

Wherefore, premises considered, your petitioner prays that the clerk do immediately call the attention of the Judge of this Court to the filing of this application, and that the Judge do fix a date to hear such application, either in term time or in vacation, and that upon hearing he do make such order for the leasing of such above described property for the purpose of mining and operating for oil and gas as above set out.

CORA M. HOLMES,  
Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Frances M. Melton and Pauline A. Melton, Minors.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of July A. D. 1925 (S) W. CARROLL BARNETT JR., Notary Public in and for Howard County, Texas.  
That said notice will be heard at the Court House of Howard County, Texas, at Big Spring, Texas, in the county court room thereof at ten o'clock A. M., August 8th, A. D. 1925  
CORA M. HOLMES,  
Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Frances M. Melton and Pauline A. Melton, Minors.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To The Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon Julia Watkins by making application of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein; but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, on the 1st Monday in September A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of September A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of May, 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 989, wherein J. W. Watkins is Plaintiff, and Julia Watkins is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is and has continuously been a bona fide resident of both Howard county and the State of Texas for more than one year next preceding the filing of the petition in this case, living here all

of the time continuously, and that plaintiff and defendant were married in the State of Kentucky on the 1st day of November A. D. 1918 and lived together as husband and wife until June 1st, 1920, when defendant left plaintiff with the intention of permanently abandoning him; and that they have not communicated with each other or lived together since said 1st day of June A. D. 1920, and plaintiff prays for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony which still exist.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 20th day of July A. D. 1925. 45-41  
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard Co., Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of Benjamin James Lindner, deceased, whose names are unknown to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the town of Big Spring, on the first Monday in September, 1925, being 7th day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on 30th day of July, 1925, in a cause, numbered 1002, wherein Hilda Majors Lindner is plaintiff and unknown heirs of Benjamin James Lindner, deceased, are defendants, the cause of action as follows:  
Suit in trespass to try title to S. half of lot No. 3 and all of lot No. 4, in Block No. 26, in the town of Big Spring, in Howard County, Texas, possession thereof by plaintiff, holding and claiming same in fee simple title; ouster by defendants on or about Jan. first, 1925, Claim by, or probable assertion of claim of right title or interest by defendants' being such ouster and casting cloud upon plaintiff's title, hindering use and enjoyment thereof, and interfering with sale and disposition thereof by plaintiff.  
That plaintiff acquired ONE-THIRD interest in the premises by purchase. That record title to the other two thirds was in name of her husband, Benjamin James Lindner up to time of his decease, but encumbered for market value, or for so nearly the full market value, it would have been lost to said Owner and his estate, if it had not been redeemed through community funds of plaintiff's said husband and herself and by plaintiff, after decease of her said husband, so that as survivor in community estate of herself and her said husband, or in alternative, as heir-at-law of her husband and by purchase and payment under condition warranting the saving and preserving the premises, she acquired full title, and any claim asserted by defendants will be without right in law or in equity, her said husband leaving neither father, mother, child, adopted child, nor descendant of any deceased child surviving him.  
Plaintiff prays for Judgment for title and possession of the premises, with removal of cloud resting on title by reason of probable claim, or probable assertion of claim of right, title or interest in the premises by defendants; for the quieting of her title forever freed from cloud, claim, or probable assertion of claim by defendants can cast thereupon, praying also for special and general relief, legal and equitable.  
Gives notice she will offer in evidence at trial deeds to her by Benjamin James Lindner and his former wife, Nettie Lindner, and by C. A. Lindner Et. Al, respectively, covering said premises, the former, Warranty, the latter quit-claim, and in a sense of original deed by C. L. Alderman and wife to Benjamin James Lindner cover in the premises, she will proffer record thereof.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same, through your return thereon.  
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 30th day of July A. D. 1925. 46-4  
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon Leona Dodson by making application of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein; but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1001, wherein John Dodson is Plaintiff and Leona Dodson is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is and has continuously been an actual bona fide resident citizen of Howard county and

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon Julia Watkins by making application of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein; but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of May, 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 989, wherein J. W. Watkins is Plaintiff, and Julia Watkins is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is and has continuously been a bona fide resident of both Howard county and the State of Texas for more than one year next preceding the filing of the petition in this case, living here all

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to summon Leona Dodson by making application of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein; but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of September, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1001, wherein John Dodson is Plaintiff and Leona Dodson is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is and has continuously been an actual bona fide resident citizen of Howard county and

State of Texas, for more than one year next preceding the filing of this petition, and has actually resided in Howard County for more than one year next preceding the filing of the petition in this suit; That plaintiff and defendant were married on the 21st day of May, 1920, in Haskell County, Texas, and lived together as man and wife until July 22nd, 1922, when without cause defendant left plaintiff with the intention of abandoning him and they have not lived together as man and wife since said date, all the fault of said defendant, and plaintiff prays for a divorce.  
Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.  
Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas this 29th day of July A. D. 1925. 46-4  
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas.

**ITALY BANISHES A REPORTER**

The Chicago Tribune reports that its Rome correspondent has been ordered out of Italy by the Mussolini government. This must be something of a shock to the Tribune and to other reactionary newspapers which have tried desperately to see something good in the Mussolini idea. You know the line: A Strong Man, The Iron Hand, Law and Order, and all that sort of thing. Well, The Tribune's correspondent has been formally chased off Italy's premises because, so he relates, he refused to take the government's hint that he no longer was welcome.  
The Tribune had suspected that something was up. It hadn't heard from its correspondent for three days, except in a dispatch so garbled and censored it couldn't make heads or tails of it. But the public is not so much concerned with The Tribune's discomfiture at the finding Mussolini unreasonable, as it is with the situation Mussolini is striving to cover up.  
The situation must be made. A group of American correspondents, headed by the United Press bureau manager and including representatives of The New York World, Christian Science Monitor, Chicago Daily News and Philadelphia Public Ledger, have taken action to protest against the treatment of The Tribune's correspondent. The only American correspondents not participating in this action were those of the Associated Press and The New York Times, who are Italian subjects.  
Mussolini has followed a course very much like that of the Russian Soviet government. He seized the government, without any color of authority, and riding roughshod over the rights of the people, has managed to hold it. The very interests in this country which have condemned the Soviet most bitterly have had only applause for Mussolini. The same interests in other countries have likewise looked on without a murmur of disapproval. Despite this moral support, things apparently are not going well. The lid is about to blow off. The situation seems to be one in which the truth hurts and Mussolini proposes to spare himself the pain as long as he can.—Ft. Worth Press.

**VETERANS WARNED ABOUT BONUS LOAN**

Another warning has been given by Gen. Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans' Bureau, against persons attempting to purchase soldiers' bonus certificates. The warning comes as the result of a report by the secret service division of the Treasury Department alleging that soldier bonus certificates have been used in San Antonio as a basis for loans made by a money lender, which appear to be contrary to the law.  
The congressional act under which the soldier bonus is given provides that after the expiration of two years from the date of the certificate banks are authorized to loan to any veteran upon his promissory note, secured by the bonus certificate, any amount not in excess of the loan basis which is printed on the face of the certificate. The act expressly makes void any negotiation, assignment or loan made in violation of these provisions.  
The restrictions were placed in the act, says a statement from the Veterans' Bureau, to avoid exploitation of veterans by unscrupulous money lenders, while the provisions allowing them to negotiate loans upon their certificates under the conditions were intended to further protect their interests.

**Storage — Storage**

FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 33-17  
WE DON'T GET THIS  
New Jersey exchange. "The shooter's aim was poor, the bullet traveling a block before it struck the girl."—Boston Transcript.

**Heads State Fair Swine Breeders**



A. L. WARD

A. L. Ward, swine husbandman at A. & M. College, will be in charge of the swine division at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. Mr. Ward declares that the keenest interest has been manifested by breeders all over the state, and that he expects the most creditable showing at the 1925 State Fair that Texas has ever known.

**RACES AND RODEO TO BE FEATURES AT STATE FAIR**

Horse Events First Seven Days—Rodeo to Follow Second Week Before the Race Track Grand Stand

A seven day running race meeting followed by a real "old West" rodeo are to be features of the 1925 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25 next, according to announcement.  
The race meeting will start with the opening day of this year's Fair on Saturday, Oct. 10. There will be a program of six events each day, except on Sunday, Oct. 11, up to and including the following Saturday, Oct. 17.  
On Sunday, Oct. 18, the first offering of the rodeo will be given, and there will be similar offerings each afternoon thereafter throughout the second week of the Fair.  
Dr. A. E. Flowers, who has been recognized in connection with State Fair racing for many years, will have charge of the speed department and has announced that all indications are for a most successful meeting, with many of the best runners in the country expected to participate for the liberal purses offered.  
The State Fair rodeo will offer to new-comers in Texas, an opportunity to witness the pastimes of older days in the border country, and assurances are given that some of the brightest stars of the rope and saddle will be seen in action, including not a few of those who went to England last year, and appeared before crowned heads in the great Wembley stadium.

**STATE FAIR FIREWORKS TO SHOW ANCIENT ROME**

"Rome Under Nero" is the title of the big, spectacular fireworks exhibition to be staged before the race track grand stand, each night of the 1925 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 10-25 next, according to announcement. A great special setting will depict the glories of the old Roman capital at the time the tyrant Nero, ruled, and the basis of the pyrotechnics, of course, will be the historic burning of the "city of the seven hills," while the despotic Caesar siddled upon his gilded throne. The spectacle, it is declared, has been given the sanction of preachers and teachers in many sections of the country, because of its close attention to history with regard to actual happenings, costuming and all other details.

**ADDITIONAL PARKING SPACE FOR STATE FAIR PATRONS**

Twenty acres of additional automobile parking space will be provided within the State Fair grounds for the 1925 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25.  
With the building of the new Fair Park auditorium, some part of the parking facility within the Gaston Park section of the Fair grounds was taken away, but automobiles will still be parked within that enclosure.  
The new parking area has been provided by removing the outer fence about the race track at the east turn. The sixty-foot width of space thus afforded, will accommodate 5,000 cars, it is estimated, as it will extend all the way from the paddock to the main gate entering upon the track, on the east side near the racing barns.

**LIVE STOCK JUDGES FOR 1925 STATE FAIR**

John A. Lee, Westerville, Ohio; W. H. Standish, Lyons, O., and W. T. Watson, Lincoln, Kans., have accepted appointment as live stock judges at the State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 10-25. They will judge Jerseys, Holsteins and jacks and mules respectively.

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Big Spring, Texas

Herald want ads get results.

**Pains  
Very Severe**

...from womanly  
...which grew worse  
...as the months  
...says Mrs. L. H.  
...of R. F. D. 3, Gaines  
...  
...had very  
...These were so  
...I was forced to go  
...and stay there. It  
...to my back would  
...to be.

**ARDUI  
Female Troubles**

...ought school for a  
...but my health was so  
...I would have to stay out  
...of town. This went on till  
...so I had I didn't know  
...to do.  
...day I read about the  
...of Cardui, and as I  
...my friends who had  
...helped by it, I thought  
...I should try it. I began to  
...after I had taken  
...a bottle. I decided to keep  
...and give it a thorough  
...and I did. I took in  
...12 bottles and now  
...perfectly well. I do  
...after any pain and can  
...my housework."  
...All Druggists"

**W. P. U PROGRAM**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 16th.**  
...Street Baptist church.  
...meeting — Religious  
...Leader.  
...of Religious Liberty  
...Morrison.  
...for Soul Liberty —  
...ing of Historians — Al-  
...Church and State —  
...the American Constitution  
...and State Laws—Adol-  
...ary.  
...find this to be a very in-  
...program. Be sure and  
...bring a friend.  
...Edition records can always  
...here. Chocolate Shoppe.  
...Bird of Fort Worth, who  
...visiting her son, W. C.  
...family, returned to her  
...Saturday.

Apartment for rent....Cunning-  
ham & Philips.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Miller and  
daughter, Claudine, spent Sunday in  
Ira.  
Miss Gertrude McIntyre and Miss  
Ethelwyn Gilluly returned Tuesday  
morning from Eastland where they  
had been spending the week-end  
with Judge and Mrs. J. B. Littler.  
Fresh box candy at all times.  
Chocolate Shoppe.  
Vernon Crawford left last Friday  
for Lubbock. He has secured a  
position with a contractor which he  
will hold until the Texas Technologi-  
cal College opens, and will then  
enter Texas Tech.  
Don't forget to go to Pears &  
Sons to make a \$1.00 cash purchase,  
and get a chance on the prizes that  
are to be given away.—advertisement  
An engine weighing ten tons was  
mauled from Big Spring to the Fair-  
view community last Saturday.  
This was an oil burning engine of  
one hundred horsepower and will be  
used to operate the cotton gin at  
that point.  
Miss Pauline, Netta Van and Mary  
Belle Menger arrived Tuesday even-  
ing from Wilmington, California,  
where they had been to visit their  
sister, Mrs. Ira Thurman, to spend  
a week here with relatives before  
returning to their home in San An-  
tonio, Texas.  
**CUT FLOWERS for all occasions:**  
wedding bouquets, funeral designs  
a specialty. **COLORADO FLORAL**  
**CO., Colorado, Texas. Phone us**  
**your order. 29-1f.**  
H. B. Arnold returned last Satur-  
day from an auto trip to Fort  
Worth. He was accompanied to  
Fort Worth by his daughters, Misses  
Agnes and Nettie who remained at  
Fort Worth to take a business course  
at the Brantley-Draughon Business  
College.  
**HOW'S YOUR TITLE?**  
Have an 'Abstract made now.  
Shape it up so when you sell or bor-  
row, there will be no trouble. Big  
Spring Abstract Company, Clyde E.  
Thomas, Manager. 44-1f.  
**APPLES \$2.00 PER BUSHEL**  
Fine cooking apples—home raised.  
—\$2.00 per bushel while they last.  
Call at Parrish Filling Station at  
City Federation Park or phone 339.  
47-2t-pd.

**HAVE PASTURAGE FOR 300  
HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES  
AT \$3.00 PER HEAD PER MONTH.  
PASTURE LOCATED 6 MILES  
WEST OF KNOTT, TEXAS. SEE  
B. T. HILL, STANTON, TEXAS, OR  
STATE NATIONAL BANK, BIG  
SPRING, TEXAS. 47-2t**  
**Harald want ads get results.**  
All the sporting news. Chocolate  
Shoppe.  
By dividing your money properly  
you can make it multiply.  
Fountain pens. Ones that 'we  
stand behind. Cunningham &  
Philips.  
Mrs. W. C. Bird returned Tuesday  
morning from a several days visit  
in Sweetwater.  
Yes, more sleep will make you  
live longer, but then what's the use  
of living longer just to sleep?  
La-tausca Pearls at wholesale  
prices. WILKE'S Jewelry and  
Optical Shop  
Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Collins and  
daughter left Monday morning for a  
two weeks visit at Colorado Springs,  
Colorado.  
**FRUIT JARS AND CAPS  
STONE'S VARIETY STORE**  
Misses Bernice Waggoner and  
Lena Woods and Elma Wasson and  
Lester Fisher spent Sunday in San  
Angelo.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shockley and  
Mr. and Mrs. Yale Crawford return-  
ed Monday from a visit with relatives  
in Abilene.  
Don't let your wife cook on Sun-  
day, when you can buy a fried  
chicken dinner for four-bits, Gully  
& Robinson Cafe.  
A Knappe and family returned  
the first of the week from Christoval  
where they had been to attend the  
Confederate Veterans Reunion.  
Quite a few of our folks are now  
taking time off to enjoy fishing  
trips. It is necessary to go a con-  
siderable distance from our county  
to find good fishing holes just now.  
**BABY BUGGY FOR SALE**  
—Practically new Gray wicker  
Sidway baby buggy for sale  
cheap. Call MRS. RAGAN, 459.

J. F. Hair made a business trip to  
Sweetwater last Sunday.  
Putnam dyes. Worth the money  
.....Cunningham & Philips.  
Mrs. J. F. Hair and daughter left  
last Sunday for a visit with rela-  
tives at Novice.  
**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping  
rooms. Cool and comfortable.  
Phone 457-W. Itp  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Jacks,  
a fine baby girl weighing 11  
pounds, on August 9th.  
Watch repairing—every job guar-  
anteed. Clyde Fox.  
Miss Otero Lloyd returned Sunday  
morning from Dallas where she has  
been to buy fall millinery for the  
Elite Hat Shop  
R. C. Marchbanks was in Monday  
from his home in the northeastern  
part of the county and reports fine  
showers out his way Saturday night.  
Evans Wright of Fort Smith,  
Arkansas, arrived in the city Friday  
to join his wife and baby who are  
here visiting her sister, Mrs. B. B.  
Fox.  
Miss Baker, of Dallas, an expert  
at marcelling hair, now ready to  
serve you at the Vogue Beauty  
Shoppe.—advertisement.  
Mrs. W. E. Carnrike returned last  
week from a visit in Dallas. While  
there, Mrs. Carnrike visited Mrs. M.  
H. Morrison who is ill in a hospital,  
and she states that Mrs. Morrison  
seems to be resting nicely.  
The perpetrator of what was sup-  
posed to be another perfect crime  
committed suicide at Oakland, Cal.  
to escape the law, last Sunday. He  
had murdered a man and mutilated  
the body so his wife might collect  
\$150,000 insurance.  
No trouble to answer questions; if  
we don't know we'll find out for  
you if it can be done. Chocolate  
Shoppe.  
**Old Curiosity Repair Shop.**  
China, glassware, furniture, sew-  
ing machines, typewriters, guns,  
bicycles, electric flat irons, electric  
washing machines, vacuum sweepers,  
fans, phonographs, automobiles, re-  
paired. Hydrant bibs and cut-outs,  
renewed. Inner tubes vulcanized.  
In fact, we are prepared to do all  
kinds of repair work. Give us a  
trial. Shop at 504 Jack street. J.  
R. CRAVEN. 22tf

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Proverbs according to  
"Old Rubber Ribs"



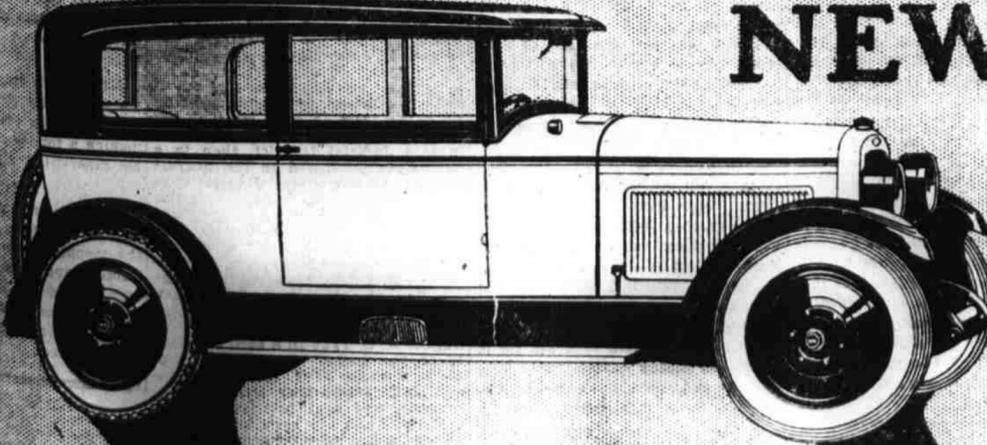
**"Better late  
than never"**

Sooner or later every motorist will know  
that the Michelin Cord is some tire. If  
you haven't learned it sooner, all we can  
say is "better late than never". But isn't  
now late enough?

**Hall Tire & Top Company**  
The Automobile Supply House

J. I. Graves of Sterling county was  
a visitor in our city the forepart of  
this week.  
Our line of imported toilet goods  
is larger than we have ever had....  
Cunningham & Philips.  
Mrs. Steve Daily and children,  
Paul, Herbert, James and Anna  
Bells arrived Friday morning from  
San Antonio for a visit here with  
relatives.  
The county agent of Tarrant coun-  
ty states that the cotton crop in his  
county will run about 45 per cent of  
normal. He says that unless farm-  
ers start spraying the plants where  
they are infested with cotton leaf  
worms, production will fall even  
lower.  
**BUY A HOME OR FARM**  
Now is the best time in the world  
to invest in a home or in a good  
farm. I have some choice bargains.  
See me JOHN CURTIS. 36-1f

**—HEADACHE—**  
Glasses properly fitted will re-  
lieve it. See WILKE, graduate and  
registered optician in Ellis building.  
All work guaranteed.  
Oh, those pills. Chocolate Shoppe.  
Quite a few of the dry spots in  
our county have been treated to  
rains recently which will give the  
residents of those sections an oppor-  
tunity to plant feed crops. Feed is  
going to be a money crop this fall  
and don't you forget it.  
Miss Jessie Umbenhour of Fort  
Worth is visiting in our city, the  
guest of Mrs. John Seymour of Mex-  
ico City, who is here visiting rela-  
tives. Miss Umbenhour and Mrs.  
Seymour are spending the week at  
the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Marion Edwards.  
**COME IN AND SEE STONE'S ALL-  
STEEL COASTER.**  
STONE'S VARIETY STORE



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## COOK-TALBOT NUPTIALS

A lovely ceremony, yet quiet and simple marked the wedding of Miss Avsbell Talbot, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Talbot to Manley A. Cook of Dallas, at the home of the bride on Thursday evening at seven o'clock.

Summer blossoms and ferns in profusion, attractively arranged in bowls and vases made a beautiful setting for the happy affair.

The bride and groom entered unattended and the ceremony was performed in the presence of only relatives and a few intimate friends of the family. Rev. Geo. J. Ruth, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiated.

The bride was beautifully gowned in an ashes of roses georgette creation, with slippers and hose in harmonizing shades. Her travelling suit was of midnight blue pique with trimmings of brick color georgette and accessories to match.

Mrs. Cook is a young lady of many charms. She is a graduate of the Big Spring High School, with the class of 1922, and for the past three years has been a student at Texas Womans College, Fort Worth. She was a member of the graduating class of TWC in 1926. Her pleasing personality and lovely traits of character will win her many friends in her new home.

Mr. Cook is a member of a family of prominent standing in McKinney. For the past three years he has been in the employ of the National Candy Company at Dallas.

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held. The couple left on the evening passenger train for Dallas where they will make their home.

## BIG SPRING DAY

### AT LONG BEACH

Many of the Big Spring folks have taken time off this summer and have gone to health resorts or to places of amusement. California has received a host of these travellers, and incidentally a group of them from Los Angeles and Long Beach gathered at Long Beach on Wednesday, August 5, and held an all day picnic. Dinner and supper were served picnic style, and no more bountiful spreads could have been supplied than was served on this jolly occasion. The party was composed of former residents of this city, who are making their homes in that Sunny State as well as the folks who are only out there visiting. Those present were: Miss May Cherry, Mrs. Eva MacPherson, Mrs. Chas. MacPherson and son Chas. Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McDowell, Mrs. Nat Shick and daughter Lillian, Mrs. Una Covert, Miss Clara Pool, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hatch, Mrs. H. B. Robb and children, Mabel and H. B. Jr., Miss Nell Hatch and Lorin McDowell, Mrs. Albert M. Fisher and children.

## MRS. DOUGLASS GIVES PARTY

One of the delightful parties of last week was given on Thursday evening at the City Park by Mrs. J. C. Douglass of the Cole Hotel, honoring Miss Lucile Reagan, returned missionary from Africa; also their house guests, Mrs. Douglas's sister Mrs. G. C. Vandagriff and her two daughters Misses Ethel and Dorothea Vandagriff of Hattiesburg, Miss., and their niece Miss Annie Hughes Dixon of Greenwood, Miss. The damage done to barbecued chicken, salad, sandwiches, etc. would be hard to estimate.

Those present were Miss Lucile Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan, Miss Helen Reagan, Mrs. G. C. Vandagriff, Miss Ethel Vandagriff, Miss Dorothea Vandagriff, Miss Annie Hughes Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cobb, Mrs. Walter R. Douglass and little Miss Carmelia Frances Douglass, Master J. C. Douglass, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglass.

## SERVED DINNER AT THE HOME OF SUPT. BITTLE

The Quartette of McMurry College, Abilene, who sang at the morning services at the Methodist church Sunday morning was served dinner at the home of Supt. and Mrs. P. B. Bittle, Sunday noon, being the guests of their daughter, Miss Gwendolyn, who was a student at McMurry last year, and the director being one of her former teachers. Places were laid for Messrs. Boutwell, director of the Quartette, Martin Runyan, Smith, Cliff, Professor and Mrs. Bittle and Miss Gwendolyn.

## COUNTRY CLUB ORGANIZED

The Big Spring Country Club, Inc. is now assured, and at a meeting Monday night plans were completed to go forward with improvements on a ninety-nine-acre tract in the big spring section just south of the city.

The membership is to be limited to one hundred and charter members are now being added to the roll. The following are officers and committees: R. L. Price, president; Dr. M. H. Bennett, vice president; T. S. Currie, secretary-treasurer; J. W. Ward, secretary-treasurer.

The following are chairmen of committees, each committee composed of five members: J. M. Morgan, building and grounds; Yuell Robb, house committee; Dr. M. H. Bennett, greens and sports; Clyde Fox, entertainment.

An expert was here Wednesday for the purpose of laying off a nine-hole golf course.

At the meeting Monday night plans for erecting a two-story concrete and tile club house were discussed. The lower floor to be occupied by showers, locker rooms, kitchen, etc., the upper room 35x70 feet, to have a hardwood floor.

The grounds are to be enclosed with a substantial wire fence attached to steel posts.

## MISS HELEN HATCH ENTERTAINS AT COUNTRY HOME

A delightfully planned entertainment, unique in every detail, was enjoyed by a crowd of young ladies on last Wednesday evening, with Miss Helen Hatch as hostess. The group was invited to be her guests at her country home, about nine miles north of Big Spring. Upon their arrival, a dainty buffet supper was served. Following the feast, the young ladies whiled away the hours until midnight in a fashion to suit their own liking. A midnight lunch was served and then the group went off to slumberland. An appetizing breakfast was served the next morning before the young ladies drove back to town.

The personnel of the party was Misses Lillian and Louise Shive, Frances McNew, Nell Davis, and Lannie Pegues.

## LAWN PARTY AT MANUEL HOME A GAY AFFAIR

Merriment reigned supreme on the lawn at the Manuel home last Thursday evening, when the Members of the South Side Circle of the Methodist church gave a benefit party to the public.

A pleasing program composed of a reading by Thomas Joe Williams; a vocal duet by Louise and Lillian Shive; and a piano solo by Mary Wade, was given in the forepart of the evening, followed by a series of games played on the lawn.

Delectable refreshments of punch and wafers were served to almost one hundred guests. Liberal donations were received. The sum taken in is to be used as a benefit for the new Methodist church.

## MISS ELSIE WILLIS RETURNS FROM STUDY AT T. C. U.

Miss Elsie Willis returned Sunday morning from Fort Worth where she attended summer school at T. C. U. Miss Willis studied music under Dr. H. D. Guelick, and completed the work for her B. M. degree. On two different occasions Miss Willis appeared on radio programs broadcast over the Fort Worth Star-Telegram station, WBPA. She played "Craoivienne" by Paderewski and "Waltz" by Levitski.

Miss Willis is a musician of ability well known in our city as she has conducted classes here the past few years. She will also teach music here this fall and her classes are now ready for enrollment.

## MRS. W. W. INKMAN HOSTESS TO PIONEER BRIDGE CLUB

The lovely home of Mrs. W. W. Inkman on Runnels street was the scene of a thoroughly delightful affair on last Wednesday afternoon, when she was hostess to members of the Pioneer Bridge club. The attractive rooms made a pretty setting for the tables which were daintily appointed for playing a series of bridge games. Three tables of contestants vied for high score, which at counting time was awarded to Mrs. R. Homer McNew. Mrs. J. J. Hair had the honor of making visitor's high score.

A two-course luncheon was temptingly served.

## MISS BITTLE CHOSEN MAID OF HONOR FOR BIG SPRING

Miss Gwendolyn Bittle, daughter of Supt. and Mrs. P. B. Bittle, has received a communication from the committee in charge at Austin, informing her that she has been chosen as maid of honor to represent Big Spring at the Reunion of Veteran's Sons, which will be held in Abilene, October 1, 2, and 3.

Miss Bittle's many friends congratulate her on being accorded this honor.

## ELDERLY WOMEN HONOREES AT WATERMELON FEAST

Nat Shick was host to a group of elderly women on Sunday evening when he treated them to a ride in the country and returned to the City Park where they were served iced watermelon.

Mr. Shick was pleased in having with him on this occasion, Mesdames Steve Tamsett, Fannie Leatherwood, H. Sparenberg, Can Powell and R. Richardson of Kemp, Texas.

## SOCIAL DANCE AT ELKS HALL: MUSIC BY ALLEN'S ORCHESTRA

Jimmie Allen of Dallas and his famous Jazz orchestra furnished the music for a dance that was given to members of the B. P. O. E. and invited guests at the Hall on Monday evening. A peppy crowd was in attendance and about thirty couples were there to enjoy the evening. Guests from Midland, Stanton and Colorado were of note at this affair.

## PICNIC LUNCHEON AT SCENIC DRIVE

A crowd of young people drove upon Scenic Drive Monday evening to enjoy a picnic luncheon. After the picnic the party went to the home of Virginia Whitney, where an enjoyable time was had by all.

Those present were Misses Virginia Whitney, Mamie Hair, Merle McCleskey, Doris Greaves, Allen Bunker, Imogene Price, Lola Belle Stewart, Alice Bishop, and Robert Prichard, Clinton, Meek, Maurice Stallings, Pat Buchanan, Alfred Lacey, Harold Blue, Maxwell Stone, and Mrs. N. W. McCleskey, Mrs. J. J. Hair and Mrs. H. G. Whitney. —Contributed.

## FIDDLE CHAMPION, FORMER RESIDENT, GIVES CONCERTS

W. B. Chenoweth, champion fiddler, and his two sons, Joseph, who is champion baby banjoist, and Alvin, who is a noted mandolin player, were visitors in our city the past week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arnett. While they were in Big Spring they gave several concerts at the Elks Cafe and at the Bankhead Restaurant.

Chenoweth was formerly a citizen of Big Spring, working as machinist at the T. & P. shops, 21 years ago. He is the inventor of the six cylinder automobile, and holds the first automobile license issued in the state of Texas. He has deserted the field of invention for music. His famous Cornfield Symphony has broadcasted over radio stations WFAA and WBPA, and also makes Okeh phonograph records.

Mr. Chenoweth said that he was going to tell some of his friends, upon his return to Dallas, that they had better sell some of their \$300 an acre blackland, and come out to West Texas and buy land for \$20 an acre, upon which fine crops can be raised. He also praised our good roads very highly.

## WILCOX DAIRY PASSED TEST BY HEALTH DEPT.

The Wilcox Dairy has just undergone an official test, and it will be gratifying to the many patrons of this splendid institution to know that the milk sold by this dairy is of the very finest grade, and the equal of any Certified Milk sold by the very best dairies of the large cities.

The management can justly be proud of the splendid showing made, and are to be congratulated for the health of the public to a great extent, depends on pure milk.

Harry Hurt returned Monday from Abilene.

Judge W. F. P. Fogg of Los Angeles, California, has been here this week to look after business interests.

## FORD ROADSTER FOR SALE

One 1923 Ford roadster at a real bargain. Call at Stone Bottling works and see GLENN C. BELL. 3p

George Pike after a visit with his parents and brothers here left Thursday morning for his home in New York City.

Mozelle Beauty Shop—Facials, Marcell, Scalp treatments, and Hair bobbing. Phone 666. 1t

Don't wait, have your headlights tested now. HALL TIRE & TOP CO.

## Announcing New Arrivals in Footwear

### THE BEVERLY

A dressy black satin one-strap slipper; E. P. Reed turn sole; 15/8 spike heel;

Priced \$10 Pair



THE Ve-Olay BY JOHANSEN

Calendar Style for August, the smartest shoe of the month. Its stitched design in cord is right in accord with fashion... the suede tipped satin narrow strap has cut a wide swath in Paris... the pearl button, the steel beading, the cut-out design on the quarter are points of style that make the Ve-Olay a remarkable shoe for

\$9

(In Black Satin)

Albert M. Fisher Co.

WE DELIVER

### THE DAUPHIN

A very pretty black patent one-strap slipper. Gray inlaid and stitched across vamp. E. P. Reed turn sole and 15/8 spike heel. —Same style in light weight tan calf, inlaid in champagne kid.

Priced \$10 Pair

## BASEBALL GAMES SCHEDULED

The Big Spring T. & P. team has quite a few more games lined up before the baseball season comes to a close and a few more week-day games will be matched if the fans desire same.

The Baird Coyotes—one of the fastest teams in the oil belt—will be here next Saturday and Sunday. They are coming loaded for bear and are telling the folks they are going to win both games.

The Dallas T. & P. Sunshine Special team will be here Sunday, August 23rd. They have an A1 team and they say they will not be satisfied with anything short of a decisive victory.

The Fort Worth T. & P. Sunshine Specials, leaders of the City League of Fort Worth and the same team the home team held to a 3-3 tie in an eleven inning contest here Sunday and Sunday, August 29 and 30.

A Labor Day series, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 5, 6, and 7, with a strong West Texas team will wind up the season.

## COLORADO RIVER BRIDGE IS WASHED OUT

A forty-foot section of the bridge over the Colorado river between Big Spring and Gail went out Monday night when a cloudburst struck in that section.

The heavy downpour hit five miles above the bridge causing the highest water that has been noted in the Colorado river, at that point, in the past ten years.

The portion of the bridge washed away was in bad repair and the Austin Bridge Co. had recently been awarded the contract to repair this bridge, the contract specifying that repairs were to be completed by October first.

## WE MAKE A SPECIALTY ON BANQUETS

We serve them from 25c to \$5.00 a plate. Gulley & Robinson Cafe.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Happell and Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Wetzel left Thursday to attend the Dental Association meeting at Brownwood, Texas.

Mrs. Laurence Ludeman of Plainview will arrive Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hall.

## CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Donie Mae Miller by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be held at the Court house thereof, in Big Spring, Texas, on the 1st Monday in September A. D. 1925, the same being the 7th day of Sept. A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 4th day of August A. D. 1925 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1003, wherein W. G. Miller is Plaintiff, and Donie Mae Miller is Defendant, and said petition alleging that he is and has been for a period of twelve months next prior and preceding the filing of this suit a bonafide inhabitant of State of Texas and has resided in Howard county for at least six months next preceding the filing of this suit;

That on or about the 12th day of November 1909 plaintiff and defendant were legally married and continued to live together as husband and wife till on or about the 1st day of August 1920 when defendant left plaintiff with the intention to permanently abandon him and has remained away from his bed and board continuously for three full years prior to and next preceding the filing of this suit with intention to permanently abandon plaintiff; that neither caused, procured or consented to said abandonment but was always a kind and dutiful husband towards her, that said marriage relations still exist; that her conduct towards him is unsupportable as to render their further living together as husband and wife insupportable. Plaintiff prays that upon final hearing judgment be granted dissolving said marriage relations and for cost of suit.

Herein fail not, but has before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. 48-4t

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring, Texas, this 12th day of August A. D. 1925.

(S) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard County.

## NASH ROADSTER FOR SALE

If you want a Nash roadster at a

## WAREHOUSE BEING

District Engineer R. W. ... having a warehouse ... south of Big Spring to be ... equipment of the State Highway Department and serve as a ... to do light repair on equip- ... on the highways from ... west.

Mr. Baker's district has ... creased by the addition of ... Ward, Winkler and Crane ... making a total of 24 counties ... his supervision.

L. J. Berry and family ... Marcos enroute on a ... the mountains ... Tuesday and Wednesday ... on a visit to J. B. Harding ... ally and other friends. Mr. ... superintendent of the public ... of San Marcos.



Good news for men! No need for you to "around" for Dutchess. We have the agents whom right is on your side. You'll find them cut and carefully tailored—and every pair is guaranteed that famous money-back Warranty.

DUTCHESS TROUSERS 104 S. Dallas, 1147 S. W. Albert M. Fisher Phone 400—We

# The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, August 14, 1925

By T. E. Jordan

## The State National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Statement of Condition as Reported to the Comptroller of the Currency at the close of business June 30, 1925

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Assets and Discounts	\$535,483.68	Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Deposits	695.90	Surplus Earned	50,000.00
Bonds	15,000.00	Undivided Profits	9,421.64
Trust Redemption Fund	750.00	Circulation	15,000.00
House and Fixtures	30,510.72	Dividend Payable, June 30, 1925	5,000.00
Reserve Bank Stock	3,000.00	Borrowed Money	NONE
	154,173.34	Due to Banks	NONE
		DEPOSITS	610,192.00
	<b>\$739,613.64</b>		<b>\$739,613.64</b>

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations When You Need Them. We are Prepared at All Times to Grant Our Customers Accommodations

The confidence of the people in any Bank is shown by their patronage and said confidence is shown in the State National Bank as we have the largest number of depositors and customers, also largest amount of individual deposits of any Bank in Howard County.

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With Us

Pay 4 Per Cent Interest on Time Deposits

THE BEST —  
Milk and Cream

PHONE 319

MILK

Per Pint  
9c

WILCOX DAIRY

WE DELIVER

### STORES WARNED IN PAYING TAX

Austin, Texas, Aug. 7.—Sam Houston Terrell, State Comptroller, Thursday issued a warning to merchants not to pay State occupation taxes to unauthorized persons who have been fleecing merchants over the State, and recently in North Texas.

Mr. Terrell said the two men, one small in stature and the other tall, have been traveling in a small coupe and giving a receipt for occupation taxes such as for the privilege of selling cigarettes. They claim to represent the Comptroller.

"These men are rank imposters," declared Mr. Terrell, "and representatives of this office do not collect occupational taxes in any place. All such tax collections are made through the local County Tax Collector. It is true our tax ferrets often travel with the representative of the County Tax Collector to point out places where occupation taxes are due, but in no instance do the State men collect the taxes. It is done in every instance by the county officer. A regular certified receipt is given and not the form used by the imposters."

Mr. Terrell calls on peace officers to apprehend the men and place them under arrest because of money falsely collected and to stop the practice in the future.

### HEMSTITCHING 7½c PER YARD.

Am prepared to do hemstitching for 7½ cents per yard and guarantee work to be satisfactory in every way. Workroom opposite postoffice—open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

Nature is progressive. By the time a man develops wisdom enough to be cautious, she takes him out of the way.

A real Fried Chicken Dinner, Sunday, August 15th. Gully & Robinson Cafe.

### WEST TEXAS WILDCATTING CAMPAIGN INCREASING

West Texas and southeast New Mexico will take the leading part in the wildcatting campaign in the last half of the year. The wildcatting had a busy half year in north and west Texas and New Mexico. But what he has done during the first six months of the year very likely will be only a small part of this year's work, for indications are that the last half of the year 1925 will see more wildcatting particularly in the western part of Texas and southeast New Mexico, than in any similar period of time since oil development started in these areas, says Oil and Gas Journal.

"Go to the northwest corner of Wilbarger county, on the Red River, and draw a line south to the Rio Grande. To the west of this line lies the land of the wildcatting dream. In the Panhandle there is production in Hutchinson, Carson, Gray, and Wheeler counties. A hundred and fifty miles to the south is a little production in Scurry county, and a little more in Mitchell county, while a little further south there is a big field in Reagan county and a brand-new wildcat produced in Crockett county.

"Activities of the wildcatting have not and will not be confined to western Texas, for there is a new field in eastern New Mexico around Roswell and Artesia of fairly good proportions. The discovery and development of this production is going to result in a lot of exploration work in New Mexico.

"Geologically the Big Lake pool, in Reagan county, and the new wildcat in Crockett county are supposed to be on the eastern rim of a large bowl or basin. In the center of this large basin the oil-producing formations are believed to be very deep, possibly beyond the reach of present drilling methods, while around the rim they are known to be nearer the surface.

"So indications are that the counties around the rim of this vast geological basin or bowl will get a good play during the last half of 1925. Already some wildcats are being drilled in these so-called rim counties. The Grisham well of the Standard Oil company of California, the Hunter Grisham and Pure Oil companies, drilling and to be drilled in Culberson county, are supposed to be drilling on this geological theory. Some of the counties supposed to be on this rim are Reagan, Crockett, Glasscock, Martin, Reeves, Pecos, Culberson, and possibly Loving, Ward, Upton, Crane and Winkler, in addition to a vast area in eastern New Mexico.

"Also an idea seems to have sprung up, whether or not it has any scientific foundation, that the Artesia field, in eastern New Mexico, and the Big Lake field, in Reagan county, are in some way related. Therefore, there is a big play going straight northwest from the Big Lake country right into the Artesia field in New Mexico.

"Already this idea has gained considerable favor and heavy leasing has been done in the counties lying between these two fields. Large blocks of leases have been taken running from Upton, Reagan, Crockett, Pecos, Reeves, Culberson, Ward, and Loving counties and in Lea and Eddy counties, New Mexico. In Loving county the P. V. Petroleum company is drilling a well on the Russell ranch and one other test is being drilled on the Russell lands. In Reeves county the Bell Well is to be completed by one of the major companies. The Toyab-Bell, drilled in Loving county, had a good flow of oil at 4,450 feet. A good flow of oil was encountered and for a year or more the well flowed by head, making a few barrels of oil daily. The casing collapsed and the well was lost. This well is midway between the Big Lake and the Artesia fields." —El Paso Times.

### WHY MEN BECOME WOLVES ON ANY SLIGHT OCCASION

The critics might be right in charging that Byron was narrow minded, due to a physical suffering he is to have endured, we take it that he knew much about the human family and the psychological causes of misconduct. To produce the literature he did required an extensive study of humanity. When he made the statement which we use for a title he must have just learned of some grave offense against common decency.

We have often been told that man primarily is a savage. The savants of thought tell us that social culture is always needed to train a child in the way of right. They say that all children, if given their own way in the matter of cultivating thought and shaping conduct, would turn barbarous ways and commit heinous offenses against their fellows. Proper restraints and thoughtful advice and education are needed to help the primary savage grow into a civilized human being.

Yet we know young men, who have had all the refined and cultured training necessary to insure lawful conduct, to commit some of the most atrocious crimes against nature. What is the "slight occasion" which induces them to become wolves? The answer seems simple. Their training was not powerful enough to overcome the primary in-

stincts of the savage within them.

Our idea is that the psychology of crime could be written under the one head—DESIRE. People who offend established laws want something. A very young boy not so long ago wanted a baseball outfit. He was too poor to buy it with his own money, his parents could not afford to buy them for him at that time. He forged two small checks on big business firms, and got what he wanted. Or take the case of the two boys in Chicago looking knowledge in certain things. They killed a boy acquaintance to satisfy their desire for a girl, and also their appetites.

So long as desires hold the attention of the mind of any of the things which make for human conduct, just so long will crime continue to be a part of human action. There is no known way to legislate desire out of the scheme of things human.

"Men become wolves on any slight occasion" and its opposite holds equally good: Men become righteous on any slight occasion. —Ferguson Forum.

Don't go hungry when our "Malted Milk" are so handy. Cunningham & Phillips.

Things work out about equal after all. The thin man has more to laugh about, but the fat one more to laugh with.

## REMEMBER

--it's the upkeep, not first cost that counts!

Whenever, and whatever, you build — build right!

Your building dollars spent at our yard will insure you of the best materials money can buy.

ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.  
Phone 57

### GEM BARBER SHOP

BARLEY & WARREN, Proprietors  
Big Spring, Texas

BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION

WE LEAD — OTHERS FOLLOW

If You Have Not, Try Us. We Please. Good Service

Basement of Ward Building

### CITY BARBER SHOP

BATTLE & WILKINSON, Proprietors

COURTEOUS WORKMEN —  
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED  
— GIVE US A TRIAL

We Are Now Prepared to Offer You the Very Best of Bath Service — Both Shower and Tub.

119 Main Street — Big Spring, Texas

COTTON LEAF WORM

It is recommended that where cotton is in leaf worms, Paris green may also be used.

### HIGHWAY SURVEY COMPLETED.

Stiles, Aug. 7.—The survey of the new highway between Stiles and Garden City has been completed. The road was placed on section lines a distance of 24 miles to the Glasscock county line, and work of grading will start this week. —Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Home made pies. Chocolate Shoppe.

An Alabama man who paid \$150 for a queen bee claims he got stung.

CUT FLOWERS for all occasions: wedding bouquets, funeral designs a specialty. COLORADO FLORAL CO., Colorado, Texas. Phone us your order. 29-45

"Religion," said Uncle Silas, "helps folks to love one another, except' when it leads to one o' dese here arguments where friendship vanishes."

Boils: Try our Sarsaparilla compound. It clears up the system. Cunningham & Phillips.

# CHURCHES

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning prayer every Sunday at 11 a. m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Corner Main and 6th  
 D. H. HEARD, Pastor  
 Res. 1411 Scurry St.  
 Phones: Res. 492; church 450  
 Services each Sunday.  
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
 Mid-week service Wed. 8 p. m.  
 Women meet each Monday, 3:30.  
 Strangers especially invited.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Corner Main and 5th St.  
 R. L. OWEN, Pastor  
 Phone 359  
 Serv. 8 each Sabbath, except the third.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship 11 o'clock.  
 Evening worship 8 o'clock.  
 Mid-week service, 8 p. m. Wednesday.  
 A glad-hand welcomes YOU.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**

M. PHELAN, Pastor  
 Res. 404 Scurry Street  
 Phone 342  
 Sunday services:  
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Epworth League 7:00 p. m.  
 Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
 All services are being held temporarily in the District Court room at the court house.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**TABERNACLE**  
 207 West 4th Street  
 Bible school 9:45 a. m.  
 Communion services 11 a. m.  
 Ladies Bible study every Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m.  
 A cordial welcome to every one.

**CHURCH OF GOD**

G. B. Walters, Pastor  
 Meeting place in the new church, corner Main and 10th St.  
 Sunday school 10 a. m. each Sunday.  
**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
 GEO. J. RUTH, Minister  
 Res. 505 Runnels St.  
 Phone 96  
 Bible school 9:45  
 Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting Wed. 8 p. m.  
 A cordial invitation to all services.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**

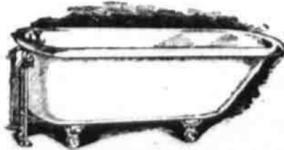
(Main Street on North Side)  
 Mass every second and 4th Sunday at 9:30 a. m.  
 Strangers especially invited.  
 Rev. Kistner, Pastor.

**EAST THIRD STREET BAPTIST CHURCH**

J. H. McLEOD, Pastor  
 Preaching second and fourth Sundays.  
 Sunday school each Sunday.

**ABSTRACT AND LOANS**

Over Million Dollars rest upon the reliability and accuracy of our abstracts. We have been in the abstracting work for nine years. The Federal Land Bank will accept and make loans now on an abstract covering back only eleven years, thus eliminating costs of a complete abstract, provided you take title insurance. We can make the short abstract for you and save you money. Big Spring Abstract Company, Clyde E. Thomas, Manager. 44-47



L. E. COLEMAN

Electrical and Plumbing Co.  
 All Kinds of Supplies  
 First Class Plumbing Work  
 L. E. COLEMAN, Manager  
 Phone 51—E. Spring, Texas

**REAL COFFEE**

Chili, Waffles, Short Orders  
 at Shorty Beard's  
**CHILI PARLOR**  
 106 Main Street  
 We serve Maxwell House Coffee.  
 LET US FEED YOUR FACE.

"Love," says an Australian cynic, "is a succession of beautiful pictures; marriage the same old wall-paper."

**DOES THIS MAKE YOU HUNGRY**

Following is an article copied from Gen. S. G. French's autobiography entitled "Two Wars" as furnished by C. C. French, Industrial Agent of the Fort Worth Stock Yards Co.

There is so much being said about diversification on the Texas farms that French thinks Reporter readers would be interested in learning what diversification did for our forefathers, and cause those of our farmers who read this to do their best to first make a good living at home, and have as large a surplus as possible to sell for deposits in the bank.

You see the difference between abolition and emancipation. The superabundance of the necessities of life at that period can scarcely be realized now, and every one farmed simultaneously, and nearly all alike. Under the house there were four cellars. As winter approached perhaps forty cords of oak and hickory wood four feet in length were piled in the wood pits. Some swep-

ping machines of 10 hours were killed, and the round heads sugar-cured and smoking in a large stone smoke house. The hogs were salted down in great cedar tanks. The hogs were killed, the rounds dried, not smoked, and the rest "fried." Minced meat and sausage in linked chains by the hundred of pounds, and elder boiled down in great copper kettles, and apple butter and pear sauce made without the stint. Shad from the fishery were bought down for six dollars per hundred. Oysters by the wagon load were in winter put in the cellar and kept fat by sprinkling them with brine and corn meal. In bins the choice apples were stored, each variety by itself, for daily use, while large quantities were buried in the earthen pits for spring. On the swinging shelves was the product of the dairy, cheese and butter. Four hogsheads were kept full of elder vinegar, and "apple jack" (apple brandy) in barrels in a row, according to age; great old-fashioned demijohns were kept full of cherries, wild and cultivated, covered with brandy. Apples, peaches, pears, huckleberries, currants, plums, etc., were dried on scaffolds in the sun for pies and other purposes; and the children forgot not their ample supply of chestnuts, shellbarks, hazelnuts, etc. Turkey, geese, and barnyard fowls were raised largely, but they were considered produce for sale. There was no stint to these superabundants, partridges, and woodcock were abundant, and often were secured by trapping; and the ponds and streams were filled with fish. I might perhaps convey to you a better idea of the abundance of fruit and its cheapness by stating that I have seen wagons come to the farm for peaches and they were told to go into the orchard and get as many as they wanted, and on coming out an estimate would be made of the number of bushels gathered, and they were charged ten cents per bushel. Apples, the finest of varieties, were unsalable, and were hauled to the great public cider mill, ground up for cider and that distilled into brandy on shares, that is, the mills allowed the farmer a certain number of gallons of brandy for every hundred bushel of apples delivered. And as numerous as were these great cider mills, I have seen the gates locked and teams turned away because of the supply exceeding the capacity of the presses. — Fort Worth Livestock Reporter.

**FOR SALE**

A well drill in good condition has a good six-horse power International engine—all on trucks. Would trade for a Ford truck. T. E. SATTERWHITE, RFD 1, Box 18, Big Spring, Texas. 47-21

Locking the stable after the horse has been stolen is the same thing as investigating the advertising schemer after he gets away with the money. It's rather strange that these smooth talking fellows can "work" business men with unerring regularity. There is not a form of advertising that can not be put over by the business men and The Herald office. Why then pay these smooth guys \$100 or \$200 extra to do something that can be done without them. If you are wise you will turn down all freak advertising schemes.

No man is content with his lot in life. G. Bernard Shaw, the great dramatist, insists on talking international politics and Mussolini, the political czar "writes a play."

Harold Bell Wright's new book—"A Son of His Father." Clyde Fox.

A high-brow is one who says, "Please possess your soul in patience."

A medium-brow is one who says, "Hold your horses."

A low-brow is one who says, "Keep your shirt on."—Ex.

**IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE**

Take Pyle's Pearline, for instance. In 1904 alone the proprietors of that product spent \$5000,000 for advertising it. Result: Pearline was well and favorably known to most housewives. In 1907 the Pyle estate decided to reap the result—that is the cumulative result of more than thirty years of advertising "Pearline." Didn't everybody in America know "Pearline?" Certainly—then why continue to waste good money advertising it further? So all publicity was stopped. In 1915 the entire Pyle's Pearline plant, business and good will were sold at a price reported to have been the measly sum of \$12,000.

Hoods Sarsaparilla is another example of the cumulative value of advertising. Twenty years ago it was a well known household remedy. Then all publicity stopped and Hoods Sarsaparilla sunk into oblivion.

A certain famous soap manufacturer and St. Jacobs Oil are other striking examples. After their advertising ceased they became back numbers.

In other words advertising is like a whipping top. It goes and gains momentum as long as you keep on lashing it but as soon as you relax for a minute, momentum wanes and you reach the stage of diminishing returns until results totter, fall away to nothing and gradually fail to produce at all.

Sporadic advertising will only bring sporadic returns. There is many a merchant who has said, "Yes, I've tried advertising. I have to do a little just to let the people know I am here and once in a while when I

have some special goods to move but I can't see that it's ever done anything durable for me."

Such men prove several things for newspaper advertising. First, that it is effective in keeping the firm before the public. Second that it does move and responds immediately to its purpose. Third, that it is cumulative when the effort is cumulative and constant.

**THE PRICE OF AN ABSTRACT**

There is one price—\$1.00 per page for the first ten pages, and 50c for each following page. It's the same to everybody. But you get standard work. You get satisfaction. When we certify that taxes have been paid, if there is an error on our part, you needn't worry; we pay the taxes out of our pocket. We guarantee our work in every way. BIG SPRING ABSTRACT COMPANY, Clyde E. Thomas, Mar. Room 4, West Texas Nat'l Bank Building. 44-47

Fresh chocolate daily. Chocolate Shoppes.

The population of the United States. The population of the United States has increased by eight million.

Johnston's chocolates go hand in hand with a successful love affair. Cunningham & Philips.

It's just as easy to be decent as it is to ape the jazz mad gang. There is going to be a pay day coming and you can rest assured that you are going to have to pay for your folly.

Harold Bell Wright's new book—"A Son of His Father." Clyde Fox.

We've had more near rains this August than ever in the history of our county. Big clouds gather and you would think the entire section was going to be flooded, but in a few minutes the clouds have evaporated and only a small spot received any moisture. If the program is continued thru the month all the county may eventually get its pro rata of moisture.

An Englishman was asked to go to a baseball game the play he looked away from the ear, knocking him. Coming to, he asked faintly, "A foul—only a foul?" "My!" he exclaimed, "it was a mule."—Ex. Herald want ads

**SERVICE**  
 YOU will be more than satisfied with his coat when we return in immaculate condition ready for another season of wear. Turn out the finest work.  
 "A Trial Will Convince"  
**Cornelison Bros.**  
 PHONE 321

**Let Us Do The Work**  
 We are prepared to promptly and satisfactorily do washing and ironing. Let us have an opportunity to relieve you of a burden. PHONE NO. 17.  
**Big Spring Laundry**  
 SANITARY THROUGHOUT

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Big reductions are now offered on our entire line of Summer Goods. We need the space for the new Fall and Winter lines which are now being received. We would rather sell summer goods at a sacrifice than to carry them over until next year. We are willing to make a sacrifice and you will be the one to profit if you purchase needed articles from the goods being sold regardless of cost. Call, see the goods, and get our prices. We have saved others money, we can help you save on everything in the line of Dry Goods and Clothing.

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**JUST ARRIVED BY EXPRESS—**

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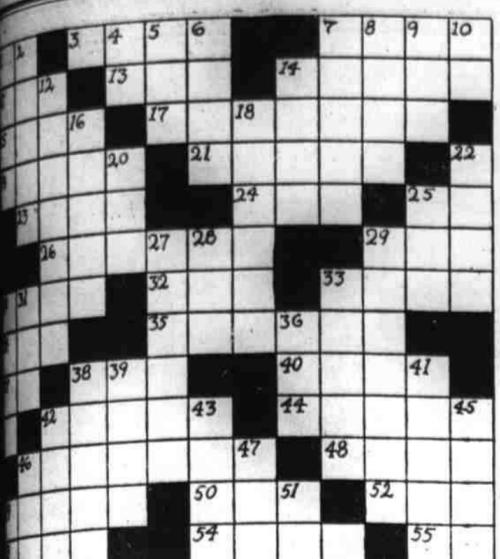
That fine-spun web of pure silk in Humming Bird Hose which looks delicate and fragile as a flower petal, has a power of endurance you'd little suspect. Humming Bird silk is of the highest obtainable quality, imported "raw" from Japan and spun in thread in our own mills. No metallic "loading" is added. The silk is pure dyed. Reinforced to stand the stresses of your many outdoor activities. Humming Birds may be had in all the dreamy shades that blend with the filmy frocks of summer. Fresh shipment of the newest shades just received. Come in and treat yourself to several pairs.

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**Horizontal.**  
 1—Catholic (abbr.)  
 2—Give food to  
 3—Separate  
 4—Stones having a cavity  
 5—To repose  
 6—Leaked  
 7—Hastened  
 8—From faults  
 9—Of a roof  
 10—Place (abbr.)  
 11—Or domino of three  
 12—Constant (abbr.)

**Vertical.**  
 1—Engrossed  
 2—Boy's name  
 3—Printing measure  
 4—Organ of head  
 5—Oplate  
 6—Mountain peak in Colorado  
 7—Molding with an S-shaped profile  
 8—German (abbr.)  
 9—Steamship (abbr.)  
 10—Treachery to one's country  
 11—Greclan portico  
 12—Attempted  
 13—Saint (abbr.)  
 14—Infrequently  
 15—Prophet  
 16—Snake  
 17—Actor  
 18—Snake-like fish  
 19—To dream again  
 20—Secret society (short)  
 21—Rowing implement  
 22—Member of a fabled race of small, subterraneous people  
 23—Single  
 24—To assert  
 25—Blacksmith's accessory  
 26—To grant  
 27—Obligation  
 28—Gentleman's title  
 29—Sun god  
 30—Note of the musical scale

**Solution will appear in next issue.**

**FROTH DEN SHARP**  
**R REASON SPOT R**  
**UP NUT DUCAT SO**  
**IRE LUQ VAN TOF**  
**TOAD NO UR DEAF**  
**DROP N L TRAP**  
**A LEAVE AIRY ED**  
**GAY**  
**EN BASK CRAMP C**  
**SNOUT R O MART**  
**URN SA RA DORY**  
**MAE CNU NUT NEE**  
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**S SHIP GRAPES R**  
**BLUED BOA SAILS**

### TEXAS TODAY

By Phoebe K. Warner

#### The Texas Press.

Three facts worth remembering: There are approximately 1200 different newspapers printed and published in Texas every week. 400 of these publications are daily papers, 800 are weekly papers. Besides these newspapers there is published every month in Texas many different magazines. And on top of all this reading matter thousands and millions of bulletins and other forms of information are scattered broadcast throughout the State almost every day. For all of which the people of Texas pay the modest sum of \$40,000,000.

Included in this \$40,000,000 is the price of all printed matter. This is the sum total that the people of Texas pay into the print shops of the State. Some SUM! But you hear very little kick about it. The printing press is an independent, individual institution. It is a voluntarily supported institution. You do not have to take your home paper if you don't want to. You do not have to advertise your business if you don't want to. You do not have to have any wedding invitations. You can phone your friends. You can hang a sign over the door of your business and you can borrow your neighbor's paper. The Printing Press of Texas costs the people more than the State government with the exception of the State and Federal funds spent on roads. But it is not supported by taxation. The fellow who owns it foots its bills and YOU foot his bills. That is the bills you make with him. And it is up to you to make that bill or not make it.

#### The Printing Press and the School.

What is the purpose of the Texas Press? If we would answer that question in a single word it would be EDUCATION. Some folks might say "SERVICE." But what is education but a form of service? To Know or Not to Know. That is the question in this day. The universal motive of the Texas Press is to let the people KNOW what is going on in Texas day by day and week by week. What is the purpose of the school? EDUCATION. To teach the people how to know things. To teach them how to read so that the daily paper will mean something to them. Without the school the Press could not be, nor would there be any reason for it. Both the Press and the school are merely supplement factors of our national educational system. In Texas the SCHOOL has more than a million pupils and it costs the people nearly \$40,000,000 annually. The Texas Press should have almost 5,000,000 pupils, and it costs the people \$40,000,000. Both institutions are absolutely necessary to our civic life. Nor is it a question of which is the more important or the more essential to the balanced life of all the people. There is only one question that presents itself for any argument at all. And that question is this: Do the people receive \$40,000,000 worth of SERVICE annually from the Texas Press and the schools?

#### Value of a School.

The value of any school whether it be a little one-room school by the side of the road, a great university, or the weekly home paper in the little home town, or a great national daily newspaper that broadcasts its education throughout the land by the rural mail route depends first of all on its one-room teacher, its university faculty, its home town editor or its entire editorial staff. That's simple, isn't it? The things to be taught and to be learned in our State are the same for us all, aren't they? Texas is just Texas the whole State over. And knowledge is the same everywhere. We even have the same text books in every school. Then why does one community have a good school and another community just up the same road a few miles have a poor school? Why does one town have a good paper and another town in just as large a place and just as good a county or city have a poor paper? That's simple, isn't it?

#### Does Training Pay?

Is it worth while to train a teacher for his or her work? Sure she needs plenty of good common sense. But even good common sense and ignorance clash sometimes. As a rule the more common sense a person has the greater appreciation they have for proper training for their special work. Training just naturally soaks in better where there are plenty of common sense people. Yes, Texas is gradually coming to the day when no man or woman will be allowed to get their training for teaching by practicing on the innocent youth of the land. The day will come soon and God speed that day when our country children will not have their four and five months of school wrecked for the mere motive of training teachers for the city schools. Teachers are employed by government and payed by forced taxation and for this reason the people have the right to demand equal service for equal compensation.

The law about the editor and the home paper and the Texas Press? Does the editor need any special training for his educational job? Should he not be prepared in the very best methods of running his educational institution which is supposed to reach out and touch all the people? The only educational institution that is so organized that it carries the school to the people in their home instead of the children walking miles to it every day. No! No! The children go to school only a part of the year. But the Texas Press takes some kind of education out to the people every day and every week in the year.

SHOULD THERE BE A SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM IN TEXAS to TRAIN men and women how to serve the people the very best way through the Press? Or is just any old way good enough for the 5,000,000 pupils that pay \$40,000,000 every year in Texas for the knowledge gained through the Texas Press? Is the Texas Press all that it ought to be? Is it all that it can be? Or is it rather just what it happened to be without so much planning and designing and training for the high calling it represents?

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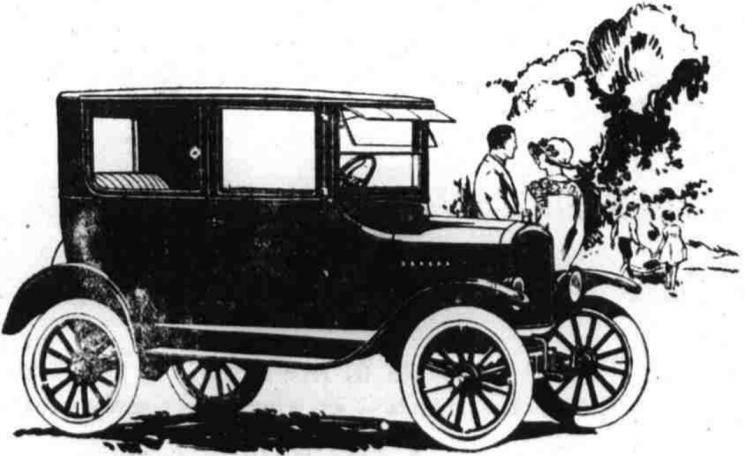
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*The dollar that you spend out of town is gone forever.*

*The dollar that you spend at home—stays here and works. Whether it goes into civic improvements, via taxes, better schools, churches, streets — or whether it simply goes into more merchandise for your next needs — it circulates at home.*

*Remember your neighbor will take better care of you than a stranger. It is to his interest to do so. His future depends on his winning and holding your confidence and friendship — and he's right here to make good any mistakes.*

*When you help the home town merchant, the home industry—they in turn help build up your town — thus making greater and better opportunities for you and your children.*

*Spending money at home is putting a mortgage on it to come back to you — spending it away from home is bidding it goodbye.*

*And your home purchase is better, for you can see and measure its value—before you part with your money. Not so "the cat in the bag" you buy from the distant point.*

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