

The Big Spring Herald

BIG SPRING, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1921

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TAN TO BE THE CENTER

Point to the Greatest Development at this Point at Present. Other Oil News

In the Latao Section
It is certain that the oil development in the present is going to be centered in the Latao section. The showing of approximately one hundred barrel production for the Foster No. 1 Colorado-Texas Oil Co. is said to be a practical oil men to that territory as sure for commercial production.

Further fact that material is on the ground for the erection of a derrick and the starting of another test well near Foster No. 1 is good news in these days when the situation in the proven fields is really at a standstill. It is stated that three or four other test wells are being drilled for that territory. Another fact which is having a bearing on the situation, causing one to have confidence in the Colorado-Texas Oil Co., is the fact that they have offered to sell to the public stock in their company or oil adjacent to their wells. The officers of the company, the majority of whom reside at Trinidad, Colorado, have been furnishing the funds to develop the work.

It is not for the money stringency, but it is not a doubt but there would be operations underway in this district and these will be due to place when normal times as an advance in the price of oil are noted.

The Enders-Cushing Test
In getting the water shut delaying progress at the Enders-Cushing well No. 1 on the Cushing southeast of Big Spring.

It was thought the water had been shut off when a good seat secured at 2995, but the water after they had bailed out all within four hundred feet bottom.

work of pulling the casing is underway to ascertain whether or damaged shoe is causing the trouble. This casing can be cemented thus stop the water trouble, and will be the last resort.

and oil showings were in when they were bailing the well and the oil fraternity is to believe that this well is to be a producer when the depth is reached.

General Oil Company
experiencing considerable difficulty in getting casing set in Roberts No. 1, they have practically completed task and drilling can soon be started.

Dowell No. 1 pumping is being shut with no change being noted in production.

Realization Company
is up to start drilling with a well is now in progress at the No. 1 of the Cox Realization.

The great amount of water being formations made it to change from standard to a fine shower shortly after Wednesday—fine as a fiddle—but it needed to be heavier per cent heavier and covered a greater area. When started coming down without in the way of an electrical storm, or without a windstorm, it appeared as if it might terminate one of those good old Texas rain, but after lasting for so long and then laying off for hours, it sprinkled a few drops then quit. A drop of forty degrees in the temperature during the evening was an enjoyed feature.

city the rainfall measured quarter of an inch. West of here only a light sprinkle. In places north, east and west the shower was heavier.

Service Sunday Night
Services of the various churches of the city will be held at the Presbyterian church, Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. Thos. of the Christian church, will be the services.

considered a cordial invitation and in the Herald will pay.

Big Spring Defeats Lubbock

At last the Big Spring Elks team has taken the measure of the Lubbock team, defeating the Lubbockites here Sunday and Monday in two of the most closely contested games played at the local park this season. In one, victory was secured in the ninth inning, and in the other eleven innings was required to defeat the visitors.

In Sunday's game the baseball park was no place for a person with a weak heart, and there were thrills enough to satisfy anyone. It was anyone's game until the last half of the eleventh inning when Big Spring brought in the winning score.

Not a score was made until the seventh inning when each side made one. Again in the eighth inning each side made one score and then there was nothing more doing until Big Spring wound up the game in the eleventh. Not a man got past first base until the fourth inning, but at several other times towards the close of the game two and three men were on bases but the pitchers would settle down and get themselves out of a bad hole.

Harry Hurt did the pitching for the Big Spring team and Sanders for Lubbock. Hurt fanned six batters and gave no bases on balls. Sanders also fanned six batters, gave one base on balls, and hit one man. Big Spring made six hits; Lubbock nine.

In Monday's game the home team got off to a bad start and it looked as though the Lubbock boys were due for a victory with the lead they had secured during the early innings of the game.

The score stood 7 to 3 in favor of Lubbock when Harry Hurt relieved Preacher True in the pitcher's box and thereafter Lubbock made one more score, a home run. The Big Spring team settled down to doing some heavy batting and had the score tied in the eighth inning. Sanders, who pitched the first game for Lubbock, was put in to stop the hitting streak of the Big Spring players but was unable to deliver.

The end came in the ninth when Rutherford sent a drive against the right field fence when three Big Spring players were on bases. The game ending with the score of 9 to 8 in favor of Big Spring.

The Hermleigh team is to be here next Monday and Tuesday for a series of games.

Take Three Games From Hermleigh

The members of the Big Spring Elks team returned last Friday night from Hermleigh, where they took three games from the fast Hermleigh team. Thursday's game was 5 to 3; Friday morning's game 4 to 2, and Friday afternoon's game 19 to 3 in favor of Big Spring. In addition to playing airtight ball the Big Spring bunch had on their batting clothes and rapped out seven home runs during the three games. Bedford is credited with four home runs; Battle, 2, and Anderson, 1. In the game Friday afternoon Anderson was credited with two doubles, two singles and 1 home run out of six times at bat. In the first game the Big Spring boys got off to a bad start as in the first inning Preacher True, who was pitching, hit two men, walked two and one Hermleigh gunk batted a home run. After this one inning the Hermleigh players never had a look in.

Coahoma and Stanton Optimistic

Jno. C. Wells, district manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, visited Coahoma and Stanton this week in the interest of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and while business was rather quiet, as it is in most every city and hamlet thruout the United States, he found the citizenship optimistic and all convinced that an era of good times were on the way. He reported that memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce were renewed by the progressive citizens of these two towns.

Boosters for Big Spring

Mrs. James Campbell and baby, and her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Castle, have just returned from an auto trip to Bryan, Houston, Galveston, and other points. They were visitors in Abilene last week and were treated to a big fish fry while there. Mrs. Campbell states that she is indeed glad to be home again and likes West Texas better than ever. She reports that excessive rains in South Texas have injured crops while worms and other pests have about finished them. She states that if more of our folks visited other sections of Texas they would return home, boosters for Big Spring and Howard county.

TOMORROW IS ELECTION DAY

Five Amendments to the Constitution Are to be Voted on Saturday. Be Sure to Vote

Saturday, July 23rd, is election day thruout Texas. Five amendments to the State Constitution are to be voted upon on that date. Everyone should vote. Study these amendments and if you decide they are workable vote for the amendments, if not, vote against them. At any rate you should be interested enough to either vote for or against them.

Practically all the amendments to be submitted have real merit and should be voted, according to our way of thinking, but if only those who are against any and every amendment vote, the fate of these amendments will be the same as with most every worthy amendment offered.

We submit a list of the amendments so you may give them consideration and decide whether or not you favor or oppose them.

Amendments to be voted on next Saturday are:

Amendment of Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners.

Amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4, of the Constitution, providing for compensation of executive officers.

Amendment of Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate soldiers, sailors and their widows, who have been resident of this State since January, 1910.

Amendment to Section 24, of Article 3, of the Constitution, relating to mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature of the State of Texas.

Amendments to Section 2, Article 6 of the Constitution, providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this State and providing that either husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor and permitting the Legislature to authorize absentee voting.

All our folks are urged to take a few minutes off and vote in tomorrow's election.

Jones-Parks

At the Methodist parsonage in Colorado city at 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon July 17th, the ceremony was performed which united in marriage R. T. Jones and Miss Mildred Parks of this city. Misses Lois Clingan and Melbie Macpherson and Lester Clingan accompanied the contracting parties to Colorado to witness the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parks, has grown to young womanhood in this city and is loved and admired by a wide circle of friends here.

Mr. Jones is one of our popular young men, a trusted employee of the Big Spring Cooperative store. They will make their home here for the present but expect to leave for Arizona in a month or so where Mr. Jones will be given a position as manager of a cooperative store.

We join many friends in extending to this worthy couple best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

Bankhead Highway Meeting is Called.

A meeting was held in Barstow Thursday, to which all the county judges, Chambers of Commerce and commercial secretaries along the line of the Bankhead National Highway in Texas were invited.

The object of this meeting was the framing of necessary legislation to be submitted to the special session of the Legislature, which will enable the State Highway Commission to take over and construct important units of State highways in counties like Ward, where there is an excess of mileage and where the county has exhausted its bonding power. This legislation is very urgent at this time, as there are certain units of the Bankhead Highway which cannot be completed without such authority being given the State Highway Commission, and if not done at this special session it would no doubt mean a delay of two years.

Honoring Miss Maud Shick

Mrs. Nat Shick delightfully entertained Tuesday afternoon at Rook complimentary to Miss Maud Shick of Eastland.

The home was tastefully decorated with a profusion of our native flower—the Texas Blue Bell, and a jolly time was in order throughout the afternoon.

Ten tables of players took part in the series of interesting games. The delicious refreshments served were especially enjoyed.

Mrs. Sam Mims Dead

Mrs. Sam Mims was claimed by death at her home in this city at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, July 20th. Her death was due to cancer and she had been a sufferer from this dread malady the past eight months.

Thruout her long suffering she has been patient, cheerful, hopeful, and her spirit of accepting her lot uncomplainingly has been an inspiration for many who have marveled at her bravery.

Mrs. Mims, who was aged fifty-six years, two months and twenty-four days, has long been a resident of Big Spring and is loved and esteemed by everyone who knows her. She has been a true and faithful wife and a kind and loving mother, and a faithful friend and many hearts are saddened by her death.

Funeral services were conducted at the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and a large concourse of friends accompanied the remains to their last resting place in Mt. Olive cemetery.

To the husband who mourns for a beloved wife and the children who will keenly feel the loss of a devoted mother is extended the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this city.

A Good Turn

For the last ten years Mr. C. S. Holmes has given his vacation to the boy scouts in an effort to do them a "Good Turn". This has not only cost Mr. Holmes his vacation each year but has cost him up to forty dollars a year in cash as well as the worry from the responsibility of a group of boys on a river bank with some danger on every hand of some accident.

There are few men who are rendering such unselfish service and who deserve more credit for the good influence among the young fellows and boys of our city than Mr. Holmes.

The camp for this year has just closed and not on account of poor financing, but on account of an accident to a truck which was loaned to the boys for the entire time a deficit of \$28.06 must be taken care of. If any one would like to have a part in this, and thereby do a "good turn" for the scouts and boys of the town they may see Mr. Holmes at the Post Office or Mr. Bass at the Y. M. C. A. or mail a check to either of the above mentioned men.

Buy S. Fisherman Grocery

Max Gensberg and Harry Seben this week purchased the grocery store of Sam Fisherman on East Second street and are now in possession of this business.

Mr. Gensberg formerly owned a one-half interest in the business but sold out to Mr. Fisherman. After three years absence from the city he reports he is glad to be back once more. Messrs. Gensberg and Seben have brought their families here from Detroit, Mich.

Mr. Fisherman who has been most successful in conducting this grocery expects to continue to make his home here for the present.

To Build Swimming Pool

J. T. Parish is having a well, six foot square, dug at Parish Park, just east of town for the purpose of testing out the water supply, preparatory to constructing a swimming pool at the park. According to present plans Mr. Parrish proposes to construct a swimming pool about fifty by one hundred feet and from three to six feet deep.

If the water supply proves to be adequate he hopes to be able to have work started on the pool in short order.

A good swimming pool would be a drawing card for our city and all are hoping that work can be started soon.

Sunday School Picnic

Fifty or more enjoyed a moonlight picnic supper on the top of South mountain Tuesday evening, members of the Episcopal Sunday school, their parents, other relatives and a few friends, composing the party. Five autos and two trucks were utilized to transport the folks and the refreshments to the scene of the picnic. A big supply of good things to eat had been prepared and these were enjoyed to the utmost.

E. E. Fahrenkamp has tendered his resignation as assistant cashier of the First National Bank of this city effective tomorrow. He has been with this bank the past six years or more, has proved a loyal and efficient worker and his friends regret to learn of his resignation. He has not formed any definite plans for the future.

Want Ads get the results.

LOAN COMPANY MAY COME HERE

Representative Who Was Here This Week Well Pleased With This Section of the Country

E. G. Kemper of the United States Loan and Investment Company of Dallas, was here Wednesday and while here closed with M. B. Ermich for a loan of \$42,000.00. Mr. Ermich is owner of the Cole Hotel building and has other properties in this section.

After a visit over the farming section adjacent to Big Spring and after conferring with business men Mr. Kemper gave it as his opinion that we had a fine little city and prospects for this place were especially bright. He stated that the condition of the banks here was especially good, indicating that our section was in excellent shape.

He gave it as his opinion that it will not be long until the return of normal times will justify the establishment of a branch house for his company in West Texas and Big Spring would be selected as the location for same. It has practically been agreed that M. B. Ermich and others will be in charge of the local office. The U. S. Loan and Investment Company, according to the statement of Mr. Kemper loans money at a rate of three and four per cent, and they work in cooperation with the local banks wherever they are in operation.

Big Spring should prove an ideal location for such a company and there is not a doubt but that they would enjoy a great volume of business.

Red Cross Meeting

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Howard County Chapter of the American Red Cross was held Tuesday at the office of the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of considering the employment of a Red Cross Nutrition Worker for our schools.

Rev. Thos. J. Brown reporting for a committee that had been appointed to confer with the school board reported that the school board was heartily in favor of having a Nutrition Worker for the lower grades provided the worker selected should be under the supervision of the superintendent of schools.

After a discussion of the matter it was decided to defer action until a later date.

The resignation of Miss Verbena Barns, as executive secretary and as supervisor of playground activities was accepted, and she was tendered a vote of thanks for the efficient and faithful manner in which she has performed her duties.

The question of granting aid to a worthy case of charity was passed on favorably.

Home Service Club Meeting

The Home Service Club held its meeting at the Christian church July 25. The following program was given except one or two whose names appear did not take their part:

Devotional—Rev. Brown.
Piano Solo—Miss Lois Garrett.
Health Conditions in Our Town—Dr. Davis.

What a Nutrition Worker will mean in Our Town and Howard County—Mrs. O'Keefe.

Health Story—Miss Barnes.
Solo—Miss Ricker.
Food We Should Eat—Mrs. Brown.
Dismissal—Mrs. Flewellen.

Big Spring Defeats Colorado

The Big Spring Elks team motored to Colorado Thursday and proceeded to take the Colorado team into camp.

Hubert Rutherford, pitching for the Big Spring team, held the Colorado batters to a few hits and he was given credit for support by his team mates.

The game ended with a score of 12 to 1 in favor of Big Spring.

Don't miss the series between the Big Spring and Hermleigh bunch next Monday and Tuesday.

Moonlight Picnic Monday

Members of the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters and their families enjoyed a jolly moonlight picnic at the city park last Monday night.

Five automobiles and trucks were utilized to transport the party from this city to the park where a delightful time was had.

A big feast was the main attraction; the women folks having prepared a big supply of good things to satisfy the inner man.

Watermelons grown in Howard county are now being placed on the market. If a good soaking rain should come immediately a bumper melon crop would result.

Legion Recital

A recital will be given at the R. & R. Lyric Theatre Tuesday evening July 26th, under the auspices of William Frank Martin Post No. 185, American Legion; the proceeds to go to relief of disabled soldiers. Three most talented young ladies, Misses Maud Shick, Elsie Willis, and Gertrude Davies, will appear in the entertainment.

The generous proprietor of the R. & R. Theatre is giving a special picture which will precede the recital.

The Legion is deserving of all the support we can give them. They were willing to offer their lives to protect us in our time of peril, let us show our appreciation by helping them now.

These young ladies are giving all their time and talent for this noble cause, and the members of the Legion are doing all in their power to make it a success. Now, it only remains for the people to respond by buying tickets. Do your bit by buying as many as you can afford. The R. & R. must be filled to overflowing on Tuesday night and we know our people well enough to believe it will be.

Come, and enjoy yourself and help the Boys.

Admission, Adults, 50c, 5c war tax. total 55c. Children 25c, 3c war tax. total 28c.

"Flowers"

The majority of the world's people believe in waiting until a good man is stretched out in cold death to gather around and say "how natural he looks," while they tenderly put an expensive wreath upon eyes that can not see.

I think that a man ought not to have to die to get a few kind words and a bouquet.

The people of Big Spring have been getting their health protected for about a year now by the health officer.

Some know who he is and some don't, but he has been after filthy out houses, dirty soda fountains, cleaning up the restaurants and protecting our health by forcing the ice company to give us ice made from distilled water.

The next time you meet Dr. Davis on the streets, tell him that you are with him and appreciate his efforts in our behalf, because his only remuneration is the "flowers" that he gets from you.

Home Talent Motion Picture

A Big Spring's Romance, a motion picture made in this city, the parts portrayed by local talent, was the feature Monday and Tuesday, and large crowds were at the R. & R. Lyric theatre both days to see our homefolks in action.

Taking part in the reel were to be noted Mrs. F. H. Etheridge, Mrs. R. L. Davis, Mrs. McCall Gary, Misses Doris Menger, Gertrude Davies, Lillian Frances Gary, Mabel Bardwell, Messrs Joe Butts, Lester Clingan, Hilo Hatch, Bob Parks, Raymond Nall. Street scenes of Big Spring and a real baby show in front of the Lyric proved interesting. A dance scene in K. of P. Hall was speeded up too much in taking and consequently it makes a rather comical showing.

New Fixture Added

The J. L. Ward Jewelry and Drug Company, this week, installed one of the latest and most up-to-the-minute cigar cases to be found in the United States; and this added to their other up-to-date fixtures adds greatly to the appearance of this popular store. Drop in and buy a cigar and see how the new case works.

Surprise Birthday Party

Miss Mary Rodgers gave a surprise party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rodgers, Wednesday, in honor of her brother, Brown, celebrating his seventeenth birthday. About twenty-two young folks were present and a jolly time was in order. The out of town guests were Miss Elda and David Anderson of Loraine.

Presbyterian Auxiliary Meeting

The regular business meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will be held at the church, Monday afternoon, July 25th at four o'clock. Reports of officers and committee chairmen will be given and important matters will be discussed.

Every member is urged to attend.

Paul Reagan arrived home Wednesday from Arizona. Since graduating from the State University of Arizona, at Tucson, Paul has been with a mining company at Oatman, Ariz. He expects to leave next month for lower California where he has accepted a position as civil engineer with a big mining company.

Herald Want Ads get big results.

Mrs. J. R. Wheeler of the Coahoma community has been quite ill this week.

Your task may seem hard today, but if you will do your best it will be easier tomorrow.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen, Tuesday morning, July 19th.

WHEN YOU DRINK AT OUR FOUNTAIN, LOOK AROUND YOU. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

If we are not happy it is generally our own fault—because of wrong choices in what we have desired.

Your old car can be made to look new for about three dollars. Ask us how. Cunningham & Philips.

If someone has done anything that is good, encourage a repetition of the good deed, by telling the door of it what you think of it. The right kind of encouragement is never wasted, and one can never give too much of it. The De La Vergne.

Frightfulness

The following editorial from the Los Angeles Times expresses the exact thought of The Herald and portrays a character so dispicable as to be loathsome. This character of inhumanity should be banished from the face of the earth. No civilized person can conceive of a more degrading and unfeeling attitude. The editorial is full of thought and is as follows:

An incredibly indecent form of mental cruelty is about to be inflicted upon the real Mrs. Jake Hamon and her children if Clara Smith Hamon is permitted to go through with her film production of her sordid life story.

In an interview with the acquitted murderess we are offered this amazing bit of frightfulness:

"I have not attempted to conceal anything. Every event from the time I met Mr. Hamon until Nov. 21, 1920, has been faithfully reproduced. The characters we have used have been absolutely true to type as far as it has been possible to secure them. In the case of Mrs. Hamon, Mr. Hamon's widow, and his own son and daughter, and also my mother, we were fortunate in securing people who looked like them. John Ince has taken the part of Mr. Hamon. He really is wonderful in the part and in his resemblance to Mr. Hamon. So realistic was he that on many occasions I came

near fainting."

So it will be seen that the wretched widow and children of the murdered man are to be glibly offered on the altar of Clara Smith Hamon's neurotic, demerital for sordid publicity. Their counterparts are to be exploited on the screen for the profit and notoriety of the woman who wrecked their home, killed their husband and father; and unless human nature refuses itself they will certainly be used to excite sympathy for the dubious heroine—since self-defense is one of the first human instincts. Clara will be superhuman, indeed, if she does not essay to show herself in sympathetic guise as the innocent misguided victim.

Not for this unhappy family the privilege of hiding their sorrow and their shame. Not for them the healing anodyne of time's forgetfulness. Not for them the kindly veil of obscurity. Not for them the eager spatching of sweet memories of their dead, forgetting, forgiving, banishing the cruel bitterness of his infidelity. Their grief and horror, their suffering and shame are but this woman's stock-in-trade now. Their gaping wounds are to be kept open and bleeding, the knife twisted with refined cruelty, themselves kept publicly hanging from their cross, their dead brought back to reenact his crimes against them—for the vanity and profit, the morbid satisfaction of an unbalanced young woman who played so tragic a part in their undoing.

It is unthinkable that this ruthless frightfulness can be permitted. It is the quintessence of inhuman torture. Is it not sufficient that this woman has taken one life with impunity? Is she to be allowed to publicly torture and crucify this wretched family, the innocent victims of her career? Have they not suffered enough at her hands through years of a hideous past? What have this mother and her children ever done that they should be called upon to submit to this public outrage against their self-respect, this frightful exploitation of their bitter tragedy?

Is there no mercy in Christendom? Is this civilization? If this film is allowed to be shown it will be gall and wormwood for this pitiful family whose bitter suffering must already be almost beyond endurance. Is the public prepared to be entertained at such a cost to a mother and her children? If Clara Smith Hamon was justified in her murder of Jake Hamon for the affront to her sensitive womanhood, in what excesses of vengeance

would not the widow and children be justified at this outrage upon their sacred, bitter tragedy?

The whole thing is disgustingly indecent, superlatively brutal; and any precious "moral" the picture is expected to portray can have no possible weight against this deliberate, cold-blooded torture of living victims. Clara Hamon pleaded and won mercy for herself. She might in some measure have made reparation in decent obscurity. But she had no mercy on her dead victim, and she has had no mercy for her wretched living victims. For the bereaved and forsaken widow and children.

"Better to sink beneath the shock than moulder piecemeal on the rock."

Brick For Sale

3000—new, building brick for sale. Will sell them right. 42-1f KEISLING GIN CO.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix and daughter, Alice Ann, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Jones and daughter, Clara, Mrs. F. B. Etson, Miss Ruth Rix and Wm. Cushing Jr. spent Sunday enjoying an outing on the Concho river.

Services At Catholic Church

Mass will be held at the Catholic church on the second, third and fourth Sunday of every month, at 10:00 o'clock. D. KISTNER, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pike and daughter Dorothy returned Saturday from a two weeks' auto trip to El Paso, Cloudcroft, N. M., and other points in New Mexico and Arizona. They report a most enjoyable trip.

Light Housekeeping Rooms For Rent

Have two nice light housekeeping rooms to rent to couple without children. Phone 55.

Every tourist using the free camping ground at the City Water Works has words of praise for this camp and all of them pronounce it the best they have encountered anywhere in West Texas.

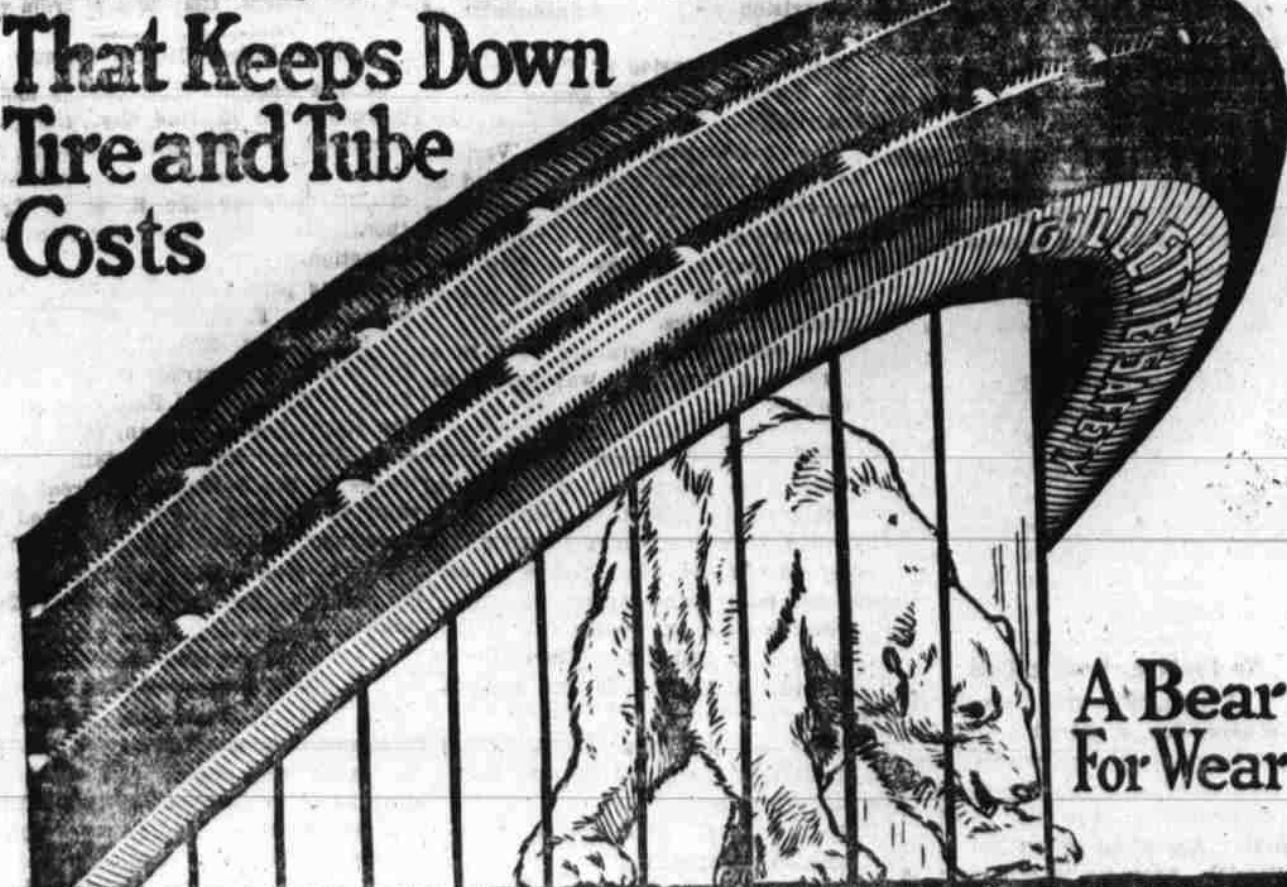
Tasting is believing. Try a dish of our chili and be convinced. ROBINSON'S LUNCH ROOM.

Mrs. J. D. Birdwell and daughter, Miss Maydell returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives in Abilene.

COOLER DRINKS...A COOLER PLACE TO DRINK. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

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That Keeps Down
Tire and Tube
Costs



A Bear
For Wear

Gillette Chilled Rubber Process

None of the mighty strength of the Gillette Tires and Tubes runs wild. None of it is wasted. The remarkable Gillette Chilled Rubber Process—the newer and better way of Tire and Tube making, increases—then cages up—the natural resistance of rubber—toughens it as iron is toughened by conversion into steel. No other method can accomplish this.

Gillette Tires and Tubes do not go to pieces when exposed to heat, cold or dampness. They hold their own against hardest going. They remain firm and full of light despite long, grinding friction.

One Gillette will prove to you the fact we are already solidly convinced—that they are positively longest wearing, least costly of all tires and tubes. Make a mileage test—one Gillette against three of other makes.

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Gillette

TIRES AND TUBES

This ghost was a 1921 model



LAST MONTH, on a bet.
WITH THE boys up home.
I SPENT a night.
ALONE IN the old.
HAUNTED HOUSE.
AND WHEN I heard.
MOANS AND groans.
I SAID "The wind."
AND TRIED to sleep.
I HEARD rappings.
AND SAID "Rats."
AND ROLLED over.
THEN I heard steps.
AND IN the light.
OF A dying moon.
A WHITE spook rose.
I WASN'T scared—much.
BUT DIDN'T feel like.
STARTING ANYTHING.
BUT THEN I caught.
JUST A faint whiff.

OF A familiar.
AND DELICIOUS smell.
WHICH TIPPED me off.
SO I gave the ghost.
THE HORSE laugh.
AND SAID "Eh."
YOU FAT guys.
MAKE BUM ghosts.
BUT BEFORE you fade.
LEAVE WITH me one.
OF YOUR cigarettes.
THEY SATISFY."

THAT spicy, delicious aroma of fine tobaccos, both Turkish and Domestic, makes you almost hungry for the "satisfy-smoke." And there isn't a ghost of a chance you'll ever find its equal anywhere—for the Chesterfield blend is an exclusive blend. It can't be copied.

Have you seen the new
AIR-TIGHT tins of 50?

Chesterfield

They Satisfy CIGARETTES

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

Fresh cakes always on hand. POOL-REED CO.

Reductions in all fancy stationery.... Cunningham & Philips.

J. B. Shockley's father is here from Abilene for a visit.

Buy your old hat new again for \$2.00 PERRY, The Hatter

Andrew Johnson was here Tuesday from his home in Sterling county.

RAZORS, ALL KINDS AT REDUCTIONS....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

Miss Reba Orenbaum returned Monday morning from a visit with relatives at points in Oklahoma.

DROP BY AND CARRY HOME SOME CREAM TO THE FOLKS....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Harry Stokes of Dallas, has been here this week for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Stokes.

Chocolate shop candy has been the "corner stone" in lots of well built love affairs....Cunningham & Philips.

Rev. W. D. G. Anderson arrived last Saturday from Coleman for a visit with his daughter Mrs. B. Reagan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hatch and granddaughter Mabel Hatch left Monday via auto for a visit with relatives at Floydada.

P D stands for paid, past due and many other things, but with me it stands for Prompt Delivery. PERRY, The Hatter

PIMPLES, FRECKLES, DARK SPOTS, IN THE SKIN...WE GUARANTEE TO REMOVE THEM WITHOUT HARMING YOUR SKIN...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Keep your head cool—your feet warm—your mind busy. Don't worry over trifles. Plan your work ahead, and then stick to it, rain or shine. Don't waste sympathy on yourself. If you are a gem someone will find you.

The members of the masked clan are not a bit partial as shown when they tarred and feathered a woman near Shreveport, La., Saturday night. The woman states that all the men were masked and she was unable to recognize any of them.

The sounding of the fire whistle about 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon had folks jumping around trying to locate the blaze. The alarm was sounded merely to try out the whistle to see how it worked since the new wiring, from the telephone office to the courthouse, had been installed by the West Texas Electric Co.

Save Your Head

Save your head from disgrace by having your hat cleaned and blocked. PERRY, The Hatter

CITY BARBER SHOP
Courteous Workmen—
Satisfaction Guaranteed
—Give Us a Trial
Battle and Wilkinson, Proprietors.
119 Main Street Big Springs, Texas

Gem Barber Shop
BARLEY & WARREN, Proprietors.
1st Door South of First State Bank
Big Spring, Texas
BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION
We Lead—Others Follow
If You Have Not, Try Us. We Please
Good Service

Barbecue—It's fine, always, POOL-REED CO.
Cascara laxative is a family word now....Cunningham & Philips.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Dubberly and children returned last Friday from a visit with relatives and friends in Houston and Hubbard.

Max Gensberg and family have returned from Detroit, Mich., with the intention of making Big Spring their permanent home.

Your Dentist should be consulted at least once a year. Our tooth brush stock should be consulted more often. Cunningham & Philips.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Bowen of Lubbock after a day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan and family returned to their home last Friday.

A call meeting of William Frank Martin Post of the American Legion will be held at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 p. m. Monday, July 25th. All members are urged to be present.

Increasing numbers of auto tourists are to be noted passing thru our city, headed north, south, east and west. When good roads are completed thruout this county the number will indeed be large.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Graham who recently underwent an operation, is now getting along nicely and has returned to her home in the Coahoma community.

Jelly, Jams, and Preserves

REED COMPANY.

Bob Craven and family returned last week for a visit with relatives in Paso.

Wall paper has dropped and taking our loss, seeing is believing. Cunningham & Philips

The men who try to do nothing and fail are infinitely better than those who try to do nothing and fail.

WE HAVE A SUPPLY OF BATHING CAPS AND RUBBER CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

Mrs. George McGreave of Abilene who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital Tuesday morning is getting along.

Japan. It is reported that the President Harding's visit to the international conference at Washington relative to disarmament.

The pirate ships which have been reported off the Jersey coast are believed to be blockade runners with "boozie." Prohibition is being carried out with a confidence. Smuggling on a large scale is being carried out with these mystery ships.

STOCK MEN: WE HAVE FORDS—GERM FREE—FOR BLACK LEG. WE HAVE IN ANY QUANTITY AND IN THE ICE BOX....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette



Flash lights and what you need for...Cunningham & Phillips.

Live within your income or you may be compelled to live without one.

Farm Wanted

Wanted to hear from owner of a farm or good land for sale for Fall delivery. L. JONES, Box 551, Olney, It-pd

We guarantee our coffee to be better for less money. The Royal Coffee Co., 113 Main St., phone 614.

T. B. Sullivan and family left last Friday evening for a visit in Fort Worth and Bonham, Texas and Murfreesboro, Tenn. They expect to spend six weeks on the trip.

If you want to have a better opinion of your home town or county just take a trip to some other portion of Texas or the U. S. Most folks returning from vacations seem much better satisfied than they were before leaving here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Price left Sunday morning for Boston, Mass., where they will visit Mr. Price's sister. During the past forty years Mr. Price has not seen his sister but once. Mr. and Mrs. Price will be absent from home about one month.

Charles Robinson, fireman on the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio freight train on which William Robinson, the engineer, was mysteriously killed, July 8th, near Sanderson, Texas committed suicide at his room in El Paso, July 18th.

We have quite a few expert tobacco chewers who are too trifling to expectorate in the gutters, and as a result our sidewalks present anything but a clean or sanitary appearance. We suggest that they raise their sights or secure seats nearer the curb so they can sprinkle the streets.

We are RESPONSIBLE

Ad-itorial

Dependability of service, of merchandise, of price, is the chief aim of this store.

We are responsible so you are safeguarded in every transaction with us. We are right here to make good on every article we sell, on every reasonable expectation of us.

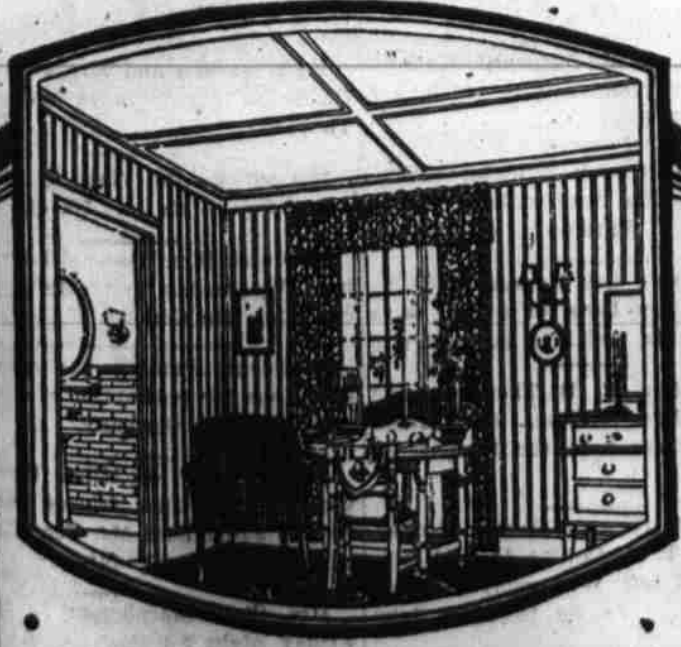
OUR BUYER IS NOW IN THE EASTERN MARKETS BUYING THE NEW THINGS FOR YOU AND THEY WILL BE HERE SHORTLY. WATCH OUR STORE CONSTANTLY FOR THE NEW THINGS. WE ALWAYS GET THEM FIRST

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

GARY & SON

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES & GRAIN

BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS



UPSON-BOARD

makes old homes new!

WHEN plastered ceilings begin to crack and sag—it is time to make them new with Upson Board!

Upson Board is the nearest perfect lining! It makes walls and ceilings that should last as long as the building. It is "refined lumber," being simply shredded wood fibre compressed into big, sturdy panels.

Upson Board is not like other wall-boards—it is nearly twice as strong, stiffer, easier to cut and handle. That is why we recommend it and put our own good name behind every panel.

It's not expensive!

For Sale By

Burton-Lingo Co. LUMBER



A Timely Opportunity

We are offering this week all Men's, Ladies' and Children's Dress Oxfords and Pumps at

25% DISCOUNT



Ladies and Misses Dresses are Specially Grouped for this week's selling at the following prices:

\$3.75
5.75

\$8.75
9.75

\$12.75
18.75

These are Fine Values in Ginghams, Linens, Organdies and Silks



Ladies Blouses and Waists

ARE GROUPED AT

\$2.25 \$3.25 \$5.25 \$7.25 \$9.25

Little Girls' Dresses at \$1.75 & \$3.75

Men's Panama Hats 25% Off
All Straw Hats HALF-PRICE

J. & W. Fisher
ESTABLISHED 1882

All Aluminum Ware at 25% Discount

Questionnaire To Get News

Plymouth, Ws.—It is difficult to get folks in most communities to pass the news along to the editor of the home paper, so S. A. Mellen of the Plymouth Reporter tried an unusual scheme recently to stimulate "contribs." Here is a questionnaire he printed:

HAS ANYONE

Died.....Had a fire.....
Eloped.....Had a baby.....
Divorced.....Had a party.....
Left town.....Sold a farm.....
Embezzled.....Been arrested.....
Come to town.....
Had twins or colic.....
Sold a cow or lost an auto.....
Stolen a dog—or his friend's wife.....
Committed suicide—or murder.....
Fallen from an airplane.....
Fallen into a well.....
Fallen into a legacy.....

Well, then

THAT'S NEWS

So phone or mail it to THE REPORTER

We make your troubles known.

Sweetwater Sends Man, El Paso Sends Him Back

A man from Sweetwater, Texas, with asthma has just received free transportation from his home town and return.

"It was really a pathetic case," said J. B. Gwin, secretary of Associated Charities. "Sweetwater got tired of supporting him and bought him a ticket to El Paso. It is a plan adopted by many small towns near here.

"There is an understanding between the larger cities now that charity wards will not be unloaded on one another. The only way that larger cities will send a charity ward to another is when relatives await them with the promise of support."

James Charlton, of Sweetwater, scout of the Gulf Production Co., spent Saturday in the Big Spring field inspecting oil development operations.

Texas Is Victor in Yale-Harvard Game

"Pick out a big 'H', paint it a bright crimson and put it on Eddie Hobbs' jersey," said Ed Cunningham in the Boston Herald after Hobbs had pitched Harvard to a 4 to 2 victory over Yale at New Haven, when the ancient enemies met in their annual Spring series.

This news is of especial interest to Fort Worth and Texas because the Harvard hurler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hobbs of San Angelo, and a nephew of "Bob" Sanderson of Big Spring, who spends a great deal of time in Fort Worth.

According to newspaper accounts, it was the first game Hobbs ever had started for Harvard. Hobbs had spent two years in the Army and had been severely gassed at the front. Last year he was too weak for varsity competition.

In the Yale game Hobbs gave six bases on balls and was touched for eleven hits, but he never let down and the wearers of the Blue were only able to net two runs. Coach Slattery had kept Hobbs under cover and sent him out at the last minute. It was a big surprise as it was expected that a veteran would work for Harvard.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Our Fruits and Vegetables are always fresh, our prices are always right. COOK & FOLEY

E. F. Gary left Thursday evening for Chicago and New York to purchase a stock of fall and winter dry goods for the firm of Gary and Son.

Although a dumping ground has been provided by the City of Big Spring, we note that some folks make a practice of dumping the cans and other rubbish along the highways. Cut it out.

Kodaks and films...Cunningham & Phillips.

Want Ads get the results.

Mary Mittel who has graduated recently from All Saints Training School for nurses in Fort Worth, arrived in this city Saturday morning to spend her vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Mittel. From here Miss Mittel will probably go to San Francisco to spend the remainder of the summer months. "No one can ever realize the knowledge and ability one attains after a three-years nursing course," Miss Mittel declared, "and no one knows what a nurse can do to serve the people who are ill and needs the tender care of a gentle hand. I will never regret having entered training. Everyone told me before I entered I would have such strenuous work to do and would be under extremely forcible rules but my course has been one of pleasure with a little sorrow mingled here and there."

We are inclined to grumble at the heat here, but we're darned lucky compared to folks elsewhere, where the nights are almost as hot as the days. We are assured of cool, pleasant nights, and a fellow is in better condition to bear the heat during the day after a good night's rest. Anyway it won't be long until we are grumbling on account of chilly weather and kicking about the high price of coal—so cheer up.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McCamant of El Paso were visitors here the forepart of the week. Mrs. McCamant was enroute to her home from Greenville where she had been called by the serious illness of her mother.

Thad Hale and family, Betsy Thompson and family, and Dewitt Shive of Coahoma left Monday for a fishing trip on the Llano and San Saba rivers.

T. J. Dixon, district salesman for the West Texas Electric Co., was here the first of the week from Sweetwater.

5 cans of blackberries for \$1.00 POOL-REED CO. Phone 145.

Syrup! Syrup! We have it. POOL-REED CO.

B. F. Logan of Coahoma was a visitor here Sunday.

Wash boards and tubs. POOL-REED COMPANY.

J. B. Collins of Coahoma was a visitor here Monday afternoon.

Lon Geer of Sweetwater, district manager for the West Texas Electric Co., was a business visitor here Monday.

Mrs. T. M. Collins returned Tuesday morning from a visit with her son at Brookshire, near Houston.

O. D. Edwards and family of San Antonio, have been here this week for a visit with W. P. Edwards and family.

W. V. Ervin Jr. left Tuesday morning for a visit with friends and relatives at Abilene and Christoval.

W. W. Lay and family of Coahoma, accompanied by Mr. Lay's parents, left last week for an auto trip to the Estancia Valley of New Mexico.

J. L. Lancaster, receiver of the Texas & Pacific railroad, passed thru Big Spring this week enroute from a trip to El Paso. He was traveling in the private car of C. T. Wallace, co-receiver of the T. & P. Ry.

Nearly one hundred per cent more automobiles were stolen in Texas during the first six months of 1921 than during the last six months of 1920. Since January 1st more than 2190 autos were stolen as against 1212 for the first six months of 1920. Of the number stolen only 1000 were recovered

PERRY, The Hatter

Cleans, blocks and trims old hats for \$2.00. Mail orders solicited. Room 3, Ellis Bldg. Big Spring, Texas.

ALLS FROM 6:00'
HE FORGOT
HIS GAS MASK

CHARLES SCHUCHMAN



OWN PESTS



Rooster gets up Av. Hollers His Head Off all the Neighbors, after Over and eats the off'n their Gardens, at Kicks the rest of the of the Ground with his Far Feet, after which the wear Something Awful!

Storage Batteries
depend on it if it's a. Fully guaranteed to for a period of one its merit.

OVERLAND GARAGE
should mark the Bene- for disabled soldiers R. Lyric next Tuesday entertainment is given of the William Post No. 185. If you bring the family buy a to aid those who were the war.

that Big Spring is a much we give it credit for many former citizens here after trying their We have mighty good that is one reason a likes to return to Big

erg who returned last family from Detroit, that he regrets he ever and is back to stay left here three years sold his interest in the and Gensberg Grocery to

returned Tuesday evening es, California, where the annual convention of and Protective Order of sports a fine time and a ce of delegates.

Red Cross Health Information
RABIES

With the beginning of hot weather the danger season for rabies sets in. The virus of rabies, or hydrophobia, is present in the saliva of rabid animals, almost invariably dogs or cats. It is transmitted by bites of the infected animals or, more rarely, by the saliva from the animals.

Immediate treatment of a person bitten by a suspicious animal should be deep cauterization of the wounds with strong nitric acid. The second step insuring the safety of the bitten individual is the conferring of immunity by means of the Pasteur treatment. Thorough measures should not be neglected as the disease of rabies is one of the most terrible a person could have the misfortune to contract.

The dog should be confined carefully for ten days and kept under observation. If he has rabies at the end of that time he will have died. The life of the dog should thus be temporarily to assist in determining whether the bitten person needs Pasteur treatment.

If, however, the dog has been killed, his head should be sent to the nearest Pasteur Laboratory for a diagnosis. Should the diagnosis be that of rabies the bitten person may receive the necessary treatment by sending a telegram through the State Department of Health.

Cigar Case For Sale

Having installed one of the most up-to-date cigar cases that is to be had—we have the case formerly used for sale. It is in good condition. See us at once. J. L. Ward Jewelry and Drug Co.

Ward's Kidney Pills

Don't neglect your kidneys, use Ward's Kidney Pills. Price 52c. Ward's.

Tom Hutto who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital in this city Monday morning is said to be getting along nicely.

Joy Class Winners Banquet

The Joy Class of the First Christian church for the past two months have been having a contest. The side that lost was to give the winner a banquet which was given at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Brown, the teacher, Friday evening, July 9th at 7:00 o'clock.

The room was tastefully decorated in gold and green. The table was a bower of beauty. It was laden with good things to eat, chicken, mashed potatoes, bread, butter, peas and tomato salad, made the first course and was tastefully placed on the table when the guests were ushered into the beautiful dining room. When this was eaten ice cream and angel food cake were served. Tea was served during the meal. Mints and nuts were also served.

After the banquet games were played and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed.

Those present were: Misses Gladys Lloyd, Dorothy Wasson, Helen Creath, Marie Boswell, Ida Mae Haller, Helen Puckett of Louisiana, Helen Wolcott, Mamie Padgett, Lois Garrett, Dorothy Brown, Omo Mayfield, Marlam Kennedy, Katherine Bainbridge, Willie Stevens, Colorado Brown and host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown.

Standard Storage Batteries

You can depend on it if it's a Standard Battery. Fully guaranteed to the original user for a period of one year. Sold on its merit.

OVERLAND GARAGE

J. Curtis of San Antonio, was here this week to close a trade for three hundred and twenty acres of land south of Big Spring. This is a part consideration on a trade for \$65,000.00 worth of property in San Antonio.

Concerning Employing Nutrition Worker

An article prepared by Mrs. Dan O'Keefe entitled What a Nutrition Worker will Mean to the People of Big Spring, which was read before the Home Service Club recently was received too late for publication in this issue of the Herald, but will appear next week.

Mrs. M. Weisen treated the Herald force to a large package of grapes which were raised at her home in the north part of town. The grapes were indeed fine ones and enjoyed by the Herald crew.

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OVERLAND GARAGE

For Rent

Two rooms suitable for light house-keeping and also one bed-room, for rent. Telephone 544. 1t-pd

REMEMBER
Election Day
TOMORROW
And be sure you vote.

BLACK BEAUTY



A Famous Story made into a Master Picture.
Take the whole family to see it at the



Wednesday and Thursday, July 28-29



"Black Beauty" the famous classic of three generations has been made into a unique photoplay. The people of all nations in all classes have read and re-read, "Black Beauty"

It is a story full of human interest, spectacular situations and love element. It deals with animals and human beings and shows life as it exists in all simplicity and naturalness.

See—the rescue of the horses from the burning stables—the hunt—the race between horse and locomotive. Children as well as adults will appreciate this great photoplay—which will be remembered as the masterpiece of 1921.

Be Sure You See It!

ALSO SHOWING
A FOX SUNSHINE COMEDY
"Verse||Versus Worse"

Continuous Show 2:30 to 11:30

Admission 15c and 35c

BUICK

Ask and person interested in automobiles what he thinks of Buick. We abide by his opinion.
Then ride in a New Buick to learn for yourself the reason for this widespread confidence.
You'll discover there's more than reliability in a Buick. You'll find it's so easy to operate, so comfortable; and there's such beauty in the new body lines.
The continuous use of your Buick is provided for in every emergency by Authorized Buick Service.

Model	Old Price	New Price	Model	Old Price	New Price
22-44	\$1795.00	\$1495.00	22-48	\$2985.00	\$2325.00
22-45	1795.00	1525.00	22-49	2065.00	1735.00
22-46	2585.00	2135.00	22-50	3295.00	2635.00
22-47	2895.00	2435.00			

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY
FLINT, MICHIGAN

BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT. BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

WOLCOTT AUTO CO.
Phone 166 Big Spring, Texas

W. J. Garrett shipped three hundred head of lambs and yearling sheep to the El Paso market Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Collins at Coahoma, Thursday, July 21st, a fine baby girl.

Earl Shanks has accepted a position with the Overland Garage and his friends can now find him always on the job at his new location. Mr. Shank is an expert auto mechanic and the Overland Garage is indeed fortunate to secure his services.

Mrs. J. H. Hurt left Thursday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Jno. B. Thomas at Midland.

We came very near discharging one of our weather prophets this week when he informed us that we need not expect another big rain until sometime between August 15th and 25th.

Harold Homan has been in Abilene the past week attending a Demonstration School conducted by representatives from Dodge Brothers automobile factory.

Don't fail to attend the Disabled Soldiers Benefit entertainment at the R. & R. Lyric next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Brown, Mrs. Harry Lees and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bussie and children left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Brown in New Mexico.

Mare Owners—Notice
I have a fine Jack which will stand this season at my place two miles south of town. Phone 9001-F11 or see A. M. RUNYAN. 1t.



"You Can't Get By" Girls

Unless You Have the Complexion
Pimples, Dark Spots, Sunburn

For One Dollar and a Quarter
(\$1.25)

We Renew Your Complexion and
guarantee not to harm your skin.
We know what this toilet prepara-
tion will do.

CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS
IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH

Is Your Motto—"Keep Smiling!"

INVESTIGATE

Chiropractic-Massage

Evans & Longbotham
Room 12

Over West Texas National Bank. Office Phone 40.
Residence Phone 498. Calls Answered Day or Night.

LADY ATTENDANT

MILLER STUDIO

has moved up stairs over the Empire Candy Kitchen,
in the Lester Fisher Building. We have a real studio
now and a splendid skylight. Our equipment in all
lines strictly up to date.

Our Motto—"An Asset to the Town"
Favor Us With a Visit.

See Us Now About Your Battery

Suppose some queer trick of fate
made you the owner of this service sta-
tion and me the customer.

And I came in some day red hot be-
cause my battery had gone wrong—

And I had missed my train—

And I lost out on an important en-
gagement—

And disappointed a good customer—

And stood to lose a lot of money—

You bet your life I'd be good and
sore, but I'm mighty sure I couldn't
ask for any more courtesy and con-
sideration and square dealing and
SERVICE than we are giving right
now day after day.

The time to have us look at your
battery is before anything happens.

West Texas Battery Co.
PHONE 220

First Door West of Lyric Theatre.

HEADQUARTERS FOR NEW

**Willard
Batteries**

BUY A COOKER

Cook anything in 10 to 35 minutes.

IT SAVES FUEL AND TIME

We sell them on trial. They last a
life-time. Satisfaction guaranteed.
See P. B. WILKINS, at Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Capps left the
latter part of last week for a visit in
Fort Worth, Longview, and Marshall.

About Texas and 5 Constitutional Amendments

Texas: Area 267,072 square miles,
each mile 640 acres.
Growth since 1886: Population,
1886, 711,399; in 1920, 4,663,228. In-
creased 6 1/2 times. School children,
1886, about 210,000; in 1920, 1,271,157.
Increased 6 times. Foundation laid
for public free school fund in 1896.
Value in 1920, \$1,892,959.93. State
gave for free education of each child
in 1886, nothing; in 1920, \$14.50. Tax-
able values, 1886, \$170,005,545; in
1920, \$3,320,838,714, increased 19 1/2
times.

Legislature: 31 Senators, presided
over by the Lieutenant Governor; he
is called the President of the Senate;
132 Representatives; they elect one of
their members presiding officer, he is
called the Speaker; all get equal pay.

An informed citizenship is the guar-
dian of a just and liberal government.
Below, under "Form of Ballot," will
be found the words by which the five
amendments will be represented and the
order in which they will appear on the
"Official Ballot." The "Explanation
of the Amendments" printed below
will not appear on the "Official Ballot"
July 23rd.

Explanation Of The Amendments

The amendments to article 17, sec-
tion 58 of the constitution abolishing
the board of prison commissioners.

This amendment proposes to abolish
the officers of the three Penitentiary
Commissioners. It is believed a man-
agement can be provided that will be
more efficient and less expensive than
the present system. A change may
save taxes.

The amendment to section 5 and 21
and 22 and 23 of article 4 of the con-
stitution of the State of Texas provid-
ing for compensation of executive of-
ficers.

Salaries now paid the "Executive
Officers" are: Governor, \$4000; At-
torney General, \$4000; Treasurer,
Comptroller and Land Commissioner,
each \$2,500; Secretary of State \$2000.
They were fixed under the constitu-
tion of 1866—55 years ago—when liv-
ing expenses, duties and responsibilities
of the officers were much less than
now. About every salaried person but
these has had a raise in pay since
then. Under this proposed amendment
the Legislature could pay these execu-
tive officers not to exceed: Governor, \$8000; At-
torney General, \$7500; Treasurer,
Comptroller, Land Commissioner and
Secretary of State, each, \$5000 and no
more, but the Legislature could pay
them less. That proposed raise in
those salaries is too small to increase
the tax rate because when compared
with the total taxable values of the
State, printed above, it will be seen
that the pro rata part of one who
pays tax on \$1000 worth of property
would be only one-half of a cent, or
five cents on \$10,000 worth.

The amendment of section 51 of ar-
ticle 2 of the constitution authorizing
the legislature to grant aid to Confed-
erate soldiers, sailors and their widows
who have been a resident of this State
since January 1, 1910.

If this proposed amendment to in-
crease the amount of pensions for
Confederate soldiers and their widows
should be adopted, the tax rate would
be increased from 5 cents to 7 cents
on the \$100 worth of property. Soon
these worthy people will pass away.
Then this tax will not be collected. The
question now is, are we willing to in-
crease their comforts a little while
they live among us?

The amendment to section 24 of ar-
ticle 3 of the constitution relating to
the mileage and per diem of members
of the Legislature of the State of Texas

This amendment proposes to reduce
the mileage of traveling expenses of
legislators to one-half of what it is
now; also proposes to pay them not to
exceed \$10 a day for a session of 120
days and \$5 a day thereafter. The
legislature could pay them less. They
now get \$5 a day for 60 days and \$2
a day thereafter. They can neither
complete necessary legislation within
the 60 days nor pay their expenses
with \$2 a day. The records of the
Comptroller's office show that the
Legislature could, under this amend-
ment, have a regular session of 120
days at \$8 per day (their pay in 1866)
for \$19,501.81 less expense to the tax-
payers than the one regular and four
special sessions cost during the past
two years. So much time is lost in
organizing and adjourning these short
sessions that it is believed more had
bills could be killed and the good bills
made better in one regular session of
120 days than is now done in so many
short expensive sessions. It is clear
the tax rate would not have to be in-
creased. This would mean a better
condition for legislation without any
increase in the tax rate, and everybody
agrees Texas needs it.

The amendment to section 2 of ar-
ticle 6 of the constitution of the State
of Texas providing that only native
born or naturalized citizens of the
United States shall be qualified electors
in this State and providing that either
the husband or wife may pay the poll
tax of the other and receive the re-

ceipt therefor and permitting the Legis-
lature to authorize absentee voting.

Under the present constitution for-
eigners are authorized to vote as soon
as they declare their intention to be-
come citizens. If this proposed amend-
ment should be adopted they must be-
come fully naturalized before they can
be authorized to vote.

Also at present, all voters in towns
of more than ten thousand people must
get their poll tax receipt in person. If
this proposed amendment should be
adopted either the husband or wife
could pay the poll tax and get the
receipt for the other regardless of re-
sidence.

Also, if this proposed amendment
should be adopted, the Legislature
could authorize a person to vote in a
general election without being present
just as is now permitted under the
absentee voting law, in primary elec-
tions.

Marauders

Bonham Favorite: In the last few
days many complaints have been made
about the depredation made on orchards
by young boys, who go to the trees and
strip them of fruit. These boys seem
to be in every part of town, as com-
plaints have come from every section.
The work is generally done in day-
light. Many people have reported hav-
ing caught the offenders at the work,
while others have known nothing of it
until they found their fruit gone.

Sorry children are the inevitable
consequence of casual parentage. Par-
ents who are indifferent to the morals
of their young—and there are some
alarmists who say that even the
mothers of girl children are becoming
rather indifferent instructors—can rea-
sonably expect the results of their in-
difference to fruit in juvenile delin-
quency. Contempt for the rights of
property is one of the first signs of
individual as well as national decay.
Children who maraud neighbors' or-
chards or gardens, who "horror"
automobiles, who make way with lawn
mowers and garden hose in order to
sell them to thieves in the business
of receiving stolen property, are paving
their several ways to the penitentiary
barring sympathetic juries and the sus-
pended sentence. Really, though, we
can't expect very much of the younger
generation when not a few members of
the larger generation, some of them
with what they call college educations,
make it a business to denounce prop-
erty, inveigh against capital and hate
their successful neighbors. One neigh-
bor who hates another neighbor for
having a fruitful orchard will in the
natural course of things have children
who raid that orchard. This is the
logical, invariable course in those primi-
tive societies where primitive men
knock on the head and rob one of their
number who dares to accumulate be-
yond his immediate needs.—State
Press in Dallas News.

Get a Horn!

Put your hammer in the locker
With your hand-ax do likewise;
Anyone can be a knocker,
Anyone can criticize.
Cultivate the building habit.
Though it hurts your face to smile;
At the start it may go awkward,
But you'll get it after while.

Jno. C. Wells of San Angelo, district
manager for the West Texas Chamber
of Commerce, was a business visitor
here Monday. Mr. Wells was enroute
to the Plains section on business for
the association.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

STATEMENT OF CONDITION, AS REPORTED TO THE STATE BANK COMMISSIONER
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 30, 1921.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....	\$431,834.34	Capital.....
Ootton Acceptances.....	11,090.38	Certified Surplus Earned.....
U. S. Bonds.....	10,814.97	Undivided Profits.....
Banking House.....	7,000.00	Dividend Payable June 30.....
Interest & Assts. in Guaranty Fund.....	8,516.79	Borrowed Money.....
CASH.....	309,286.17	DEPOSITS.....
	\$785,142.65	

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Customers Accommodations.

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With

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that pleases is the kind of work that
do. We take a pride in seeing that
work entrusted to us receives careful
attention.

Service, Satisfaction and Prompt
Delivery are Our Bid for Your
Business.

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PHONE 291

Office in Old General Oil Co. Building
East Second Street.

LeGears and International stock food
...Cunningham & Phillips.

They say the dry, hot weather is
killing the boll weevils in Central
Texas, but if it continues to hang on
it is liable to kill crops as well.

Paint in small cans for any purpose
and we tell you how to use it....Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

The W. O. W., then the Maccabees
and now the Praetorians are increas-
ing their insurance rates and many of
the older members are being compelled
to surrender their insurance on ac-
count of the high rates which are to
go into effect.

Hair nets...better nets at the same
price....Cunningham & Phillips.

Some of these days we're going to
have a swimming pool here in which
to keep cool during the hot summer
days, and when that time rolls around
we will let the other fellow go to the
seashore if he so desires but we'll be
satisfied to splash around nearer home.
A good swimming pool will prove a
big attraction for our town.

Ever Sharp pencils and fountain
pens never fail to please....Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

Pierrette face powder,
you will like it....Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

Dr. J. W. Williams
Johns Hopkins Medical School
expressed the belief that
come when a halt was
made on many members of the
feasion who charge all the
bear.

Franklin on
The taxes are, indeed,
but if those laid on by
ment were the only ones
pay, we might be com-
charge them; but we have
and much more grievous
us. We are taxed twice
our idleness, three times
our pride and four times
our folly; and from these
commissioners cannot
us by allowing an abso-
min Franklin.

Shoppers Mark
Cheap marking pens
sheep, \$2.50 per gallon
Bliss Drug Store.

We try to keep the best
vegetables that money
stock is always fresh.
COOK & PREPARE

**CATCH
BIG 4**

Kidneys-Heart-Liver
Keep organs healthy by
using the world's stand-
ard for kidney, liver,
uric acid troubles—
**OLD MEDAL
PARLETT'S**
Remedy of Holland for
indigestion, three sizes.
Gaid Medals on every box
assure no imitation

War Risk Insurance Cases.
\$41,347 active compensa-
tion claims on file in
of War Risk Insurance
cases on which a com-
pensation for double permanent
disability is being paid, the only
under that provision of
the Act. Each case gives
the degree of ingenuity and
skill survive in these former
both blinded and maimed.
Blitzer (C-165,389) Corporal
22nd Infantry, 88 Divi-
sion was injured in Toul Sec-
tor on the 16th of November,
1918, by explosion of hand
grenade company was assigned
to a French training
the last day at gas school,
were ordered. While ad-
vancing a smoke screen under
a hand grenade to be
an imaginary enemy, the
hand grenade became loose
the hand grenade exploded,
injury that resulted in the
loss of both hands and loss of
both eyes. He was awarded
pension, and on his \$10,000 in-
the monthly payments of
an attendant was furnished
he was fitted with artificial
before entering the service he
a registered pharmacist. He
vocational training and re-
notified the Federal Board
had, with his brother acting
ate and personal attendant,
the formula for a proprie-
tary.
Perry (C-285 110) Private,
illery. The premature ex-
a hand grenade at Verdun,
1918, entirely destroyed
his right eye destroyed, and
impaled, and he was under
treatment from date of in-
August 2, 1919, when he was
d. Besides his double per-
sonal award of \$200, com-
from the date of discharge,
also made to him the in-
of \$57.50 a month retroactive
of his injury. He was a
ver before joining the Army
cent report from a hospital
had received treatment for a
incident contains the informa-
wears artificial arms and
auto."
Joseph Bronner (C-358 766)
1st class, U. S. N. Bronner
his injuries in Italy, August
while on a recreation party

with some sixty other sailors from his
ship, the U. S. S. J. Fred Talbot.
While going through the trenches
near the battlefield Monfalcone, Istria,
looking for souvenirs a hand grenade
or some similar explosive was dis-
charged and blew off both hands and
blew out both eyes. These injuries
were judged as received "not in line
of duty, but not the result of his own
misconduct," and he was awarded \$200
compensation and attendant allowance,
and on the \$2000 insurance which he
had applied for and had been granted
he is receiving a monthly payment of
\$11.50. Immediately upon discharge
from the Navy, Bronner applied for
Vocational Training and was given a
course at the Red Cross Institute for
the Blind, at Baltimore, Maryland,
the Federal Board paying him \$80.00
a month and the Bureau of War Risk
Insurance continuing to pay \$140 dur-
ing the course. Bronner has success-
fully adjusted himself to his apparent
unsurmountable handicap by the use
of artificial arms terminating in com-
plicated attachments with which he
can carry heavy articles, serve himself,
and hold a cane for his guidance
about the school.

She Did Not Work For Pay

She never "earned" any money. She
lives on an Ohio farm, but she lives
on almost every other farm. She is
somebody's mother, maybe your own.
She has earned nothing. No, but her
thirty working years, she has served
432,983 meals; she has made 3,123
garments, 32,000 loaves of bread,
5,930 cakes, 7,932 pies, 1,500 gallons of
lard, she has grown 1,432 bushels of
vegetables and 1,550 quarts of all
kinds of fruits; she has raised 7,600
chickens, churned 5,430 pounds of
butter, put up 3,625 jars of preserves,
scrubbed 177,725 pieces of laundry;
and she has put in 35,839 hours—of
sweeping and washing and scrubbing.
At accepted prices for this work it is
worth \$115,485.50. She can't retire on
her savings—she has to keep on. Not
earning! No. How do you define the
ordinary American woman's contribu-
tion to her family wealth—to the na-
tion's wealth.—Collier's Weekly.

This story should be printed in every
newspaper in the land. It is a story
of millions of women. It is a tale
that is not often told. Captains of in-
dustry are given pages. Military
chieftains are pictured and portrayed.
Prize fighters are worked upon by
feature writers and camera photo-
graphers. Hundreds of newspapers and
thousands of writers place in cold
type the fistic glories of the champion
manly of the world and the prom-
oters of the game. Woman is the maker
of the home as well as its mistress.
She is the one superb and never dying
institution of the race. She makes the
sacrifices; she toils from dawn until
dark; her work is never ended until
her eyelids are kissed down on the
bed of death. She is the wealth mak-
er of the world, but man may not be-
lieve it; she is the angel of mercy of
the world and man knows it. All that
is beautiful in the world, all that
makes life worth the living are her
mind creations and soul labors. Col-
lier's printed the story, but it should
be passed on and on and on.—Fort
Worth Record.

Herald want ads pay. Try one.

Hospitals for War Veterans

A first class scandal is being made
public through the investigation by
the Senate's committee of the condi-
tion of sick and disabled soldiers in
the various hospital camps and institu-
tions of the country. Ex-service men
who have spent many months in these
hospitals have come before the com-
mittee with stories of inhuman treat-
ment and brutal neglect which, if true,
should result in the retirement to pri-
vate life of a number of high-salaried
and high-titled medical corps officials.

A former soldier testifying before
the committee the other day related
the story of his transfer from one
hospital to another and his steady de-
cline in health while being treated for
tuberculosis contracted while serving
in the army. He declared that he and
others with him were grossly neg-
lected, were given unclean and impure
food and milk, and were denied the
right of protest to the doctors in
charge of the hospitals. There was
everywhere too much of military dis-
cipline, too little of human sympathy;
too much red tape, too little of actual
treatment.

The sick and disabled veterans of
the world war deserve the very best
hospital facilities that a rich and pow-
erful government can provide, and they
deserve sympathetic human treatment
as well. How far the government has
fallen in its treatment of these un-
fortunate soldiers no one knows as
yet; but if there is anything in the
United States that ought to be thorough-
ly and promptly investigated, the
treatment of the former service men
is undoubtedly worthy of such an in-
quiry.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Watkins Territory to Let

I have the agency for the Watkins
Medicine Co. to let to some reliable
person. Good paying proposition.
Phone 9002-F12 or see 43-21

C. A. BALLARD.
Big Spring, Texas.

Put a great deal of yourself into
everything that you undertake. It is
one of the secrets of success. Be in-
earnest. The world always has been
and always will be influenced by down-
right earnest men. No great thing
ever came to pass without high en-
thusiasm. Genius is not necessary to
success in life. An ounce of well di-
rected industry is worth pounds of
genius.

Ladies: There is no excuse for
having to cook Sunday dinner on these
salty Sundays since reduction in H.
C. L. at the Busy Bee. Give us a trial.

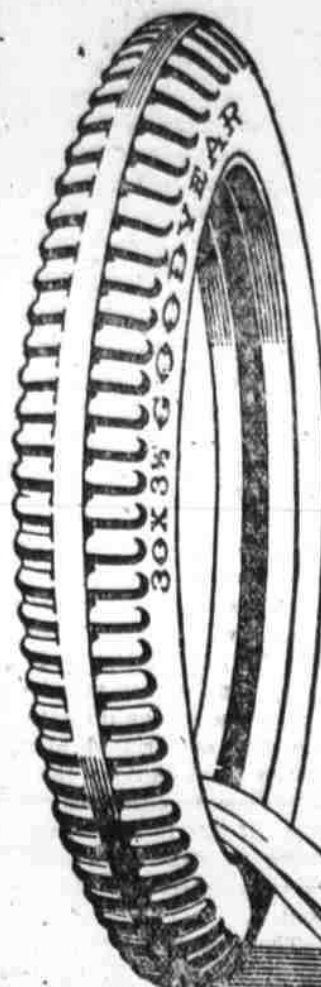
The principal difference between
towns or cities is the difference be-
tween energy and the lack of it. The
citizens of one city or town go ahead
and get things done while the citizens
of the other sit on boxes and whittle,
and wonder whether it is possible to
accomplish anything.

Figure with us on cash orders—we
handle only the best groceries and
meats. Give us a trial—that's all we
ask. POOL-REED CO.

Mrs. J. C. Dorward and children
have been here this week from their
ranch home in Borden county to visit
her mother Mrs. Hattie Crossett.

GOOD YEAR

A Real Bargain for Owners of Small Cars



In the past five years nearly 5,000,000 of
these popular 30 x 3 1/2 inch Goodyear non-
skid tires have gone into service. More than
a million of them are in use today.

Now you can buy these tires, of big size, strong
construction, and long-wearing treads, at the
same price you are asked to pay for unknown
brands.

Why take a chance on unknown tires, when
you can get Goodyear quality at as low a price?
See your Goodyear Service Station Dealer
today.

\$13⁹⁵

30 x 3 1/2 Regular Tube \$2.55 30 x 3 1/2 Heavy Tourist Tube \$3.25

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Authorized Ford Agents

Phone 636, Big Spring, Texas

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR.

Another Reduction in Ford Cars

"Another reduction has been made in the list price of all types of Ford cars and the Ford Truck
take effect immediately. The list price, f. o. b. Detroit, are now as follows:

TOURING CAR.....	\$415.00
RUNABOUT.....	\$370.00
COUPE.....	\$695.00
SEDAN.....	\$760.00
CHASSIS.....	\$345.00
TRUCK-CHASSIS.....	\$495.00
TRACTOR.....	\$625.00

"The big reductions last fall were made in anticipation of low material costs which we are now
the benefit of, and this fact together with increased manufacturing efficiency and the unprece-
demand for Ford cars, particularly during the past three months permitting maximum production, have
made another price reduction possible immediately.

"Ford business for April and May 1921 was greater by 56,633 cars than for the same two months
1920; in fact, the demand has been even greater than the supply, so that our output has been limited
by unfilled orders but by manufacturing facilities.

"During May we produced 101,424 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the
largest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on
4000 car daily schedule for June.

"The Fordson tractor is still being sold at less than the cost to produce on account of the recent
big price reductions, and it is impossible, therefore, to make any further cut in the price of the tractor."

Can you afford to go without a car any longer when Fords are selling at these new low prices?
There is no reason now why you should delay purchasing a Ford car, Ford truck, or Fordson tractor.

We will gladly advise you concerning the delivery of a Fordson tractor or the particular type of
car in which you are interested. Just 'phone us or drop us a card.

STOKES-MOTOR CO.

Big Spring, Texas

Jno. Clarke returned Saturday from
a visit in Galveston, Houston and Gon-
zales

We're at your service with good
things to eat. Try us. ROBINSON'S
LUNCH ROOM.

Misses Vera Coffee and Edna Mont-
gomery left Monday for Boyle, Canada,
to accept positions.

Rupert Ricker was here the first
of the week from Graham for a visit
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A.
Ricker.

Colonial Fruit Punch; nothing to
add but ice and water. 1 quart makes
a gallon. The best for refreshments.
POOL-REED CO.

Tomorrow, Saturday, July 23rd, is
election day thruout Texas, and it
will be up to the citizens to vote on
five amendments to the Constitution at
this time. A very light vote is antici-
pated and it is difficult to guess whe-
ther or not the amendments will carry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mundell returned
Saturday afternoon from an auto trip
to points in New Mexico and Arizona.
Mr. Mundell states that his trip con-
vinced him that Howard county did
not have the worst roads in the world
nor was Big Spring such a bad place

NOTICE TO LADIES

Just arrived at the Elite Hat Shop.
a shipment of the very newest crea-
tions in DUVETYN and FELT HATS
Call and see them. (advertisement)

Pure apple vinegar from the barrel.
POOL-REED CO.

A. C. Hayden returned Tuesday from
a visit in Ranger.

If it isn't a Conklin self-filling foun-
tain pen it isn't the best. Try one
Biles Drug Store.

Margaret, Mary and Catherine Hap-
pel left last Saturday for a two week's
visit with relatives in Pecos.

Carry Groves of Plainview has been
here this week for a visit with his
grandmother Mrs. Hattie Crossett.

Rufus Miller who has been working
in the harvest fields in the Plains sec-
tion returned Saturday for a visit here.

See Shockley and Curtis Realty Co.,
dealers in farms, ranches and city
property, rentals.—Phone 157. Office
in former Big Spring Realty Co. adv.

From the Pennsylvania Register is-
sued by the Hotel Pennsylvania of
New York we note that reservation has
been made for Albert M. Fisher, mem-
ber of the firm of J. & W. Fisher of
Big Spring, Texas.

You will find our prices are right
and all work is neatly done at the
HOME LAUNDRY. Work called for
and delivered. Phone 612.
(Advertisement.)

Our goods are where you can see
them. Come and look them over.
The quality and price is right. POOL-
REED CO.

Grape juice. POOL-REED CO.

Hu' Horn this week sold his Ford
touring car to W. P. Tripp.

Fruits and vegetables. POOL-REED
CO.

Victory usually crowns the efforts of
those who are most persevering.

Fresh candy—that's pure. POOL-
REED CO.

Everyman has the opportunity, the
time and place to be a gentleman.

Order that roast for dinner! You
will get it quick. POOL-REED CO.

KRESO-DIP WILL GET RID OF
THE BAD ODORS AROUND THE
PLACE. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

If you want a good broom buy it
from us. They last a year. POOL-
REED CO.

Lloyd Stammer of Waco, has been
spending his vacation here with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stammer,
this week.

"Think good times. Talk good times.
Start buying. Give work to somebody,
if it's only for a day", is the best plan
to start an era of good times accord-
ing to Professor Ott, industrial expert,
after all.

Ford Truck Wanted

I desire to purchase a Ford truck.
Address, J. S. BLACKFORD
R. F. D. No. 1, Big Spring, Texas.

Take your automobile to Overland Garage FOR REPAIRS AND OVERHAULING

All work done by good mechanics. We sell
tires, tubes and accessories

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Phone 485

Big Spring, Texas

East First Street—Opposite Depot

Graduate optician at Ward's.

A. E. Pool of Ranger was a visitor
in the city this week.

Expert watch and jewelry repairing
done at our store. Ward's.

J. Athans and D. C. Maupin left
Wednesday for a business trip to Lub-
bock.

Klenzo tooth paste whitens your
teeth and preserves them. Price 32c
and 68c. Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker made a
trip to their ranch in Reagan county
this week.

Nylotis Face Powder for the face;
highly perfumed; harmless. Price 37c
and 68c. Ward's.

If you want something good to eat,
come to our store.

COOK & FOLEY

Chas. Powell of El Paso was here
this week for a visit with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Can Powell and other
relatives.

Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic. A scientific
preparation for the mouth, teeth, and
gums. Prevents Pyorrhoea. Price
52c. Ward's.

Fly Oil for your cow if you want
them to do well. Price 25c pt.; 50c
qt.; 75c 1-2 gal.; \$1.25, gal. at Ward's
Drug Store.

Mrs. L. C. Coulson and children of
Corsicana who have been guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker
left Sunday for their home.

All the Latest News

Flubb—Do you follow up this di-
vorce stuff in the papers?

Dubb—Don't have to. The wife
sums up the evidence every night at
home.

If you like correct time, bring your
watch to Ward's.

A. B. Conley left Thursday for a
visit to points in Kansas.

If you kodak, you want the best.
We sell Eastmans. Ward's.

T. E. Cowen returned Wednesday
from a three weeks' visit in Mineola.

Let us do your watch repairing and
jewelry repair work; done reasonable.
Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pistole are spend-
ing a two weeks' vacation in Mineral
Wells.

E. H. Neel of Austin arrived Thurs-
day morning for a few days visit with
her sister Mrs. W. E. Smith.

"Moonshine" in spite of its name is
not a light drink, but our soda water
is delightful. Ward's.

Mrs. James Costlow returned last
Saturday from Houston where she had
been in a hospital undergoing treat-
ment for two weeks.

Do bachelors live as long as mar-
ried men? It doesn't seem so long!
But what we started to say our Rexall
Shaving Cream is fine. Ward's.

J. L. Atwood and daughters Misses
Amy and Ethel arrived Tuesday from
Fort Worth and Cisco to spend the
balance of the summer in this city.

Harmony Cocoa Butter cold cream
for the face to prevent it from chap-
pling. Excellent for preventing sun-
burn. Price 78c. Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Springman re-
turned last Friday evening from a
weeks' outing on the Beyr's ranch in
Menard county. They report fine
fishing and hunting and a thoroughly
delightful time.

Conservation of Womanhood

Kind Editor:

Upon your White Ribbon, may we
write on, The Conservation of Woman-
hood.

It is often discussed—for what we
went to war? Many reasons have been
given. We went to war because of
woman. All of our great deeds,
achievements and enterprises when ex-
amined in their last analysis, are in-
spired by woman.

So may we ask—is woman worth
conserving? It has been said, "She
has her own battles to fight, and
man's." This is true. As she walks
thru' the lanes of our cities, there are
a thousand evil eyes trained on her—
where there is one who would preserve,
protect and defend her as if would
his sister, some of the thousand are
harmless, but indifferent.

There is as much difference in a
truly good woman, with "normalcy,"
and one out of gear or who has gone
by in default, as there is in Heaven
and Hades. We speak of the missing
cog. If woman falls under the afore-
said afflictions, the whole wheel is
gone.

I have met old rounders and lib-
ertines, who prided themselves on never
having set any wrong and boasted that
they never would. We commend them
for one good trait.

A young woman may be started and
set on the downward path; or a home
wrecked and ruined attracting little
notice or attention; the crime being
of frequent occurrence and common.
Now, if this is right, there is no such
thing as right or wrong. The devil
is semi-respectable, Hell is fairly de-
cent.

There ought to be a law of senti-
ment and statute to punish these awful
crimes. Young girls should be thor-
oughly trained at home and elsewhere,
the value of beauty and sacredness of
virtue. They should be taught the
machinations, moves and tactics of the
enemy. Married women need protec-
tion, many almost the same as young
girls. Roomers, boarders, pals and
friends of questionable character need
a quiet ejection from the premises.

What is patriotism worth if it does
not comprehend and stand for woman-
hood? Every man, who is a man,
should place his feet upon the earth,
his shoulders back and stand for that
superb name and being, Woman.

She is oftentimes harassed by the
boss, intimidated by the customer and
often where she lives, is too frequently
a court of owls and a habitation of
dragons.

Not all men are bachelors by choice,
but the girl of their choice was set
traveling wrong.

Treat the girls right, boys.

J. A. S.

Dr. A. Levy Here

Dr. A. Levy of San Antonio, the
well-known optician is in Big Spring
this week. Those wishing to have
glasses, properly fitted should consult
him at Cunningham & Phillips drug
store. (It-advertisement)

HEALTH NEWS

By DR. M. M. CARRICK
State Health Officer

Young girls should be dissuaded from
wearing corsets.

If you insist on being a knocker,
knock to good advantage; knock the
fly and open garbage can for the bet-
terment of your own and your neigh-
bor's health.

Take a smile to the room of the sick.
It will have a wonderful effect on the
morale of the patient, and will do no
particular harm.

The hope of the State lies in its
HEALTHY citizens.

Health first—low taxes afterwards.
Preventable disease is not merely
accidental. It is due to criminal care-
lessness.

It is a bad policy for a state to allow
conditions that breed and foster vice,
crime, lawlessness. Bad housing does
all of this. It is a blight to the state,
a disgrace and a reproach.

Every available means should be
used to impress upon all mothers in
the community, the need for careful
attention to their children during the
summer months.

Babies do not want silks and satins;
but they do want sunlight and sani-
tation.

Health is something you care nothing
about until it is mislaid, like your
toothbrush, or your fountain pen.

Live cleanly. Live your best and
you will not be a victim of vice. Many
degenerative diseases are due to in-
fections from bacteria. Exercise,
care of the teeth and gums, the pre-
vention of constipation by proper food
are great helpers to avoid disease.

It will be a red letter day in human
progress when all forces of every com-
munity are mobilized for the conserva-
tion of its child life.

It is more important to establish
regular habits in a baby than it is to
wind the clock.

Better save yourself in youth and
young adult years than suddenly wake
up at 45 with high blood pressure, bad
kidneys, hardened arteries, and a fail-
ing heart.

A new circular on the Summer Care
of Babies prepared by the State Board
of Health for free distribution is just
off the press. It will be sent to citi-
zens of Texas upon request. Address
the State Health Officer, Capitol Sta-
tion, Austin, Texas.

Nice Rooms For Rent

Nice, cool rooms—furnished—for
rent. Located 2-12 blocks from town.
Call at 105 Gregg St. 44-2-p

Red Cross Health Information

CLEAN HOMES

Clean homes often insure health of
the members of the family living
therein, and too much attention cannot
be paid by homemakers and house-
keepers to keeping the home spotless,
from the standpoint of health as well
as personal comfort.

With the opening of summer every
home should be thoroughly gone over,
all dark corners, all depositories for
unused articles should be looked into.
Get rid of the superfluous. There is a
real trait in human nature to hoard
and closets, attics and store places
often contain heaps of things that
should have gone into the trash pile
long ago. They are prolific breeding
places for dust and dirt.

Here are a few simple suggestions
for every housewife:

If there is a vacant lot adjoining
your home see that it is clear of rub-
bish and that no weeds are allowed to
grow thereon.

Be sure that plenty of light and air
is brought into damp cellars.

Keep the windows clean and keep
them open as much as possible. Fresh
air and sunlight are allies of good
health.

See that all rubbish is removed from
your back yard, your cellar, or other
store rooms.

Clean all carpets and coverings for
the summer season.

Scrub the floors and all unvarnished
woodwork, using plenty of soap and
water.

Cooperate with your neighbors to
remove neighborhood nuisances, such
as stagnant pools, trash heaps and
dumping grounds.

Keep the plumbing in good repair
and have leaky roofs mended.

Harry Hurt resigned his position as
bookkeeper for the J. M. Radford Gro-
cery Co., to accept a position with the
First National Bank of this city and
began upon his new duties Thursday.
Harry is a careful and efficient work-
er, entirely dependable, and will make
a valued and trusted employe for the
bank.

Piano Wanted

We desire to purchase a second
hand piano. Must be in good condi-
tion and price must be right. Write
Box 58, Coahoma, Texas. 11-p

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Baptist Missionary Meeting

The ladies of the Baptist church
will meet for their July Missionary
programme at 9:30 o'clock next Mon-
day morning at the home of Mrs. F. F.
Gary.

Subject—Ministerial Relief, Orphan-
ages, Hospitals.

Leader—Mrs. K. S. Beckett.

Following is the programme:

Hymn—"All the Way My Savior
Leads Me."

Scripture lesson and notes—Leader.

Prayer.

Paper—A False Balance—Mrs. Grant

Paper—Leakage in the Ministry—

Mrs. H. McNew.

Relief and Annuities Board of the

S. B. C.—Mrs. W. L. Williamson

Solo—"Crossing the Bar"—Miss

Ricker.

Prayer.

Paper—Baptist Orphanages—Mrs.

Agnell.

Paper—Baptist Hospitals—Miss

Ludie Reagan.

Prayer for our Orphanages and

Hospitals.

Adjournment.

Ladies, please note the change of

time and arrange to be present.

At First Baptist Church

A hearty welcome to all our ser-
vices.

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Sermon by the pastor, 11:00 a. m.

Sermon—Subject, "The Second Com-
ing of Christ," 8:15 p. m.

B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.

Ladies meeting 9:30 a. m. Monday at
the home of Mrs. Hasey on Runnels

street. All the ladies requested to be
present.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:15 p. m.

S. W. Kendrick, Pastor.

Episcopal Church

Sunday, July 24th. (Ninth Sunday
after Trinity.)

8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.

9:45 a. m. Sunday School

11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer

8:00 p. m. Evening Prayer.

Rev. F. B. Etteson,
Rector

R. V. Guthrie and B. F. Logan of
Coahoma were business visitors here
Thursday.

E. P. Teale of Garden City was
transacting business here Thursday.

Soldiers To Convention

The delegates from John
Post of the American Legion
are planning to make the trip
next Convention which is to
be in El Paso, in stock cars.

Watkins, the Post Commander
las, is now working with the
to this end. Mr. Watkins will
"It will be just like a rally
in France some three years ago
the cars will be a bit larger
hope the trains somewhat like

"Along the way there will
Cross canteens and Salvation
workers. We will ask the
Posts at the principal stops to
label the 'drinking water' for
for American Troops. We
ask them to dress the Red Cross
ers in French costumes and
them on the platform to shout
Soldats Americaines."

It may be possible for us to
delegates from other Posts en-
route to the Convention.

"Of course the car will be
familiar labels, '30 homes, 1
so every doughboy will know
are and where we are going
will likely eat at most every
at least will want to, and we
hope that arrangements will be
to carry out this the most im-
feature of the trip.

Notice

Notice is hereby given of the
solution of the firm of H. W.
Wahler, contractors on oil
and gas wells, as of July 15,
mutual consent. The undersigned
continue in the business of oil
and gas wells, but will not be li-
able for any obligations incurred
name of Essary and Wahler
firm no longer exists.
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Mrs. Paul Carney and Miss

Prichard arrived last Sunday

Fort Worth for a visit with

ents Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Prichard

Louis L. Graham accompanied

this city for a visit.

Lloyd Stamper who has been

his parents Mr. and Mrs.

Stamper left Thursday evening

his home at Waco.

Mrs. Settle Anderson of

a visitor here Wednesday.



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