

OUR NEW "Baby Shop"

is now open and equipped with all kinds of wearables for the Infant and Little Tot. Coats, sacques, bootees, mittens, caps, hand-made dresses, gertrudes and all the rest of their requirements are here now.

¶ We will be glad to have all ladies inspect this new feature of our store.

J. & W. Fisher
ESTABLISHED 1882

SMART New Autumn Frocks and Suits

Totally different lines, new materials and various unusual trimmings prove very fascinating in the new modes which we are showing now.

By choosing your Dress or Suit now you can get the maximum of wear out of it, for the whole Fall and Winter are before us.

Plenty of models have already arrived to make our assortment one of great variety.

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Crop Estimate for Brown County Placed at 3,500 Bales

Weather, boll weevils and various other things will serve to cut the crop very short throughout the cotton producing area and Brown County is no exception to the rule. People who have had experience handling cotton are wondering, with the reports of an extremely short crop and other reports of like nature, why it is that the present price of grades of cotton is not much higher than it is now.

It was stated today by a man who gave the subject very careful attention that the very highest estimate could be placed in the cotton crop of Brown County this year was 3,500 bales, and even these figures might be high. Last year the crop was 21,000 bales, and even that number was not of a real good crop for this county. The same man who placed the estimate of bales this year at 3,500, also stated that within six weeks every lock of cotton will have been gathered, and weather does not set in—Woodward Banner Bulletin.

W. N. Brown and son of Lock-Texas are here for a visit with parents Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Oren. Mabel Ricker returned Saturday from a visit with relatives at Grand and Abilene.

LUCKY STRIKE
Cigarette
To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.
It's Toasted

Bankhead Highway Will Be Nationally Advertised

The Bankhead Transcontinental Highway which passes through Big Spring promises to be the best advertised and the most popular tourist route from Washington to San Diego, California, a distance of 3600 miles, of any highway in the United States, according to information received this week by the Chamber of Commerce.

The highway passes through the States of Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

Mr. J. A. Rountree, director general of the Bankhead National Highway Association, is actively at work with six of the largest map makers in the country, compiling a revised map of the Bankhead. He has also taken up with the American Automobile Blue Book Company, the logging of the Highway from Washington to San Diego. The Blue Book has agreed to co-operate in every way possible, and to see that a correct map of the highway is made.

Mr. J. R. Mixer of Chicago, road scout for the American Automobile Blue Book Company, has been especially detailed by his Association to co-operate with Director General Rountree in logging this Highway. Mr. Mixer has been in Birmingham at the headquarters of this association, securing data and full information in regard to the Bankhead Highway. All 1922 maps and road guides will carry full information in regard to this great Highway.

Rabbits are helping the dry weather destroy the crops, according to the Paint Rock Herald which reports one instance of their having destroyed about forty acres of wheat and damaged the rest of a farmer's crop. The paper also relates that a Mr. Campbell on the Concho east of Paint Rock suffered damages to at least twenty-five acres of cotton. The rabbits are reported to be a greater pest than ever before in that section.

Reports received at Ballinger indicate that the pecan crop will not be as heavy as at first reported. The early crop prospects were for a big yield, the trees being well loaded, but for some cause the trees began shedding, and some reports indicate that 50 per cent of the crop has fallen off. In some sections it is reported that half grown pecans are shedding from the trees.—San Angelo Standard.

Baptist Missionary Meeting

The following report reached us too late for publication last week.

The ladies of the Baptist church held their regular missionary meeting Monday July 25th at nine-thirty a. m. in the home of Mrs. F. F. Gary, with about thirty ladies present.

This was an especially enjoyable occasion, as a shower had been planned as a surprise to Miss Lucille Reagan, who is soon to leave as a missionary for foreign fields.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Beckett, who was also leader.

The program which followed was a very interesting as well as instructive one, the subject being Ministerial Relief, Orphanages, Hospitals.

After prayers by Mrs. Willis and scripture lesson by the leader, two interesting articles, "A False Balance" and "Leakage in the Ministry" by Mrs. Hatcher and Mrs. Lloyd were read. Mrs. McNew gave us a very instructive talk on our Orphanages, and Mrs. W. L. William on a good talk on Relief and Annuities Board of the S. R. C.

Miss Ricker's solo "Crossing the Bar", was, as usual enjoyed by everyone.

Miss Lucille Reagan, in her sweet, impressive way gave us a very interesting talk on our Baptist hospitals, in which she recited the experiences of several of her friends in the seminary.

The program was concluded by prayer for our Orphanages and Hospitals by Mrs. Bettie.

At the conclusion of the program a knock was heard at the door and Mrs. Henley admitted a fat African mammy in the person of Mrs. Ford with her several small picaninies, who inquired for Miss Lucille Reagan. The negro mammy said she had come all the way from Africa to tell Miss Lucille how glad she was that she was going as a missionary. She and each picaniny bore a bundle of gifts from the people of the church to Miss Lucille, to be used in her work in Africa.

The negro mammy gave us a reading which was thoroughly enjoyed.

A delicious salad course was served.

Miss Vera Willis returned last Saturday morning from Arlington where she has been attending Summer Normal. Previous to going to school at Arlington Miss Willis held a responsible position with the waterworks department of the city of San Antonio.

Mrs. E. O. Pritchard and son returned last week from a visit in Fort Worth.

Livestock Drive for West Texas

Stamford, Texas, Aug. 12.—The Livestock Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce announces that beginning early in September the annual livestock campaign will be started throughout West Texas. Requests have been received from a score of communities requesting that the campaign committee arrange to visit their towns for the purpose of holding a Farmer's Diversification Meeting. Several of the West Texas Fairs will be visited and the speakers will outline to those interested the need of more livestock on the farm.

J. W. Ridgeway, chairman of the committee will make speeches in the territory along dairy lines. C. C. French of the Fort Worth Stockyards Company will speak on the need of more hogs in West Texas and will show how Texas annually imports millions of dollars worth of pork for consumption that could be profitably raised at home. A specialist from the A. & M. College will speak on the poultry industry as a profitable sideline in farming. Last year many farmers found their poultry far more profitable than their cotton and for the past few years the poultry industry of West Texas has been rapidly increasing.

This year's campaign will be much more elaborate than heretofore. Last year hogs were featured in the campaign but owing to the close relationship between these three branches of the livestock industry on the farm all phases will be handled.

For Sale

One-half interest in two, forty acre tracts of land in Glasscock County, near producing well. Address C. M. W. 149 East Bay Street, Charleston, S. C. (Advertisement-11.)

Please bear in mind that there is someone who can put to good use that castoff piece of wearing apparel you may never have any use for. Clean out clothes closets and send the clothing you can't use to the Chamber of Commerce for distribution under direction of the Red Cross.

G. D. Hair who has held a position with the Wooten Grocery Co. in this city has been promoted to the position of bookkeeper. He began upon his new duties August 1st.

Judge and Mrs. F. B. Littler, Misses Gertrude McIntyre, Mary Holmes, Clara and Gulon Pool spent Sunday in Lamona.



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

BIG SPRING

Mrs. K. C. Strain returned Thursday of last week from a visit with relatives in Kansas.

W. F. Cushing shipped two carloads of calves to the Fort Worth market last week.

D. Hilliard returned last week from a visit with relatives in Marshall and other points east.

A Conklin self-filling fountain pen case used, always used. Ask the Conklin enthusiasts. Bliss Drug Store.

COAHOMA

COOL AND CLEAN... OUR FOUNTAIN... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

Mrs. J. E. Moon left Sunday night for St. Louis and Chicago markets to purchase a select line of fall and winter millinery for the Moon Hat Shop.

Harold Robb of Dallas after a visit with his daughter, Miss Mabel Robb and other relatives here left Sunday night for Lubbock to look after business interests. Mr. Robb and associates own the R. & R. Lyric and Land-say theatres in that city.

Housewives' Lives Jeopardized by Hazardous Cleaning Fluids

Calling attention to the dangerous condition that has arisen from the wide sale of inflammable cleaning liquids for home use, Fire Chief Sam Hall today cautioned the housewives of Big Spring to exercise the greatest care in purchasing such cleaners, and issued a warning to local druggists and others against selling such selling such hazardous compounds.

"Reports that I have received," said Chief Hall, "indicate that many drug stores are putting up solutions of carbon bisulphide, which they offer to the public as safe preparations for the removal of spots and stains from clothing and other materials, although this chemical is more explosive than gasoline because of its greater volatility. Its vapors will ignite at comparatively low temperatures without either spark or flame being present. The heat of a steamplate, for example is sufficient."

"As a matter of fact, carbon bisulphide is classified as the most hazardous of inflammable liquids. It is thus apparent that its promiscuous sale for home cleaning purposes is likely to result in loss of life, particularly among women and children. In some instances, the carbon bisulphide is combined with ether which makes it still more deadly."

"The efficiency of gasoline as a solvent has made its use in home cleaning an every day occurrence which, unfortunately, is often attended by injury and loss of life." Not long ago, a Massachusetts woman started cleaning a silk waist in a bowl of gasoline and when she rubbed the silk between her hands, the friction produced a spark which ignited the gasoline fumes and caused an explosion that fatally burned the woman and wrecked her home. More often the cause of ignition is a match, a lighted stove, or other open flame. There was a California woman for example, who began cleaning a pair of gloves with gasoline in her kitchen, while a nearby gas stove was lighted. The vapor flashed across the intervening space and she lived just twenty minutes afterwards.

"Gasoline vapor is heavier than air and accumulates close to the floor, where it awaits the inevitable spark. The vapor from one gallon of gasoline when properly mixed with air, has an explosive power equal to that of eighty-three pounds of dynamite, and the fumes upon ignition have been known to flash a distance of over 100 feet. This will give some idea of the danger involved. It is less hazardous to use gasoline in the open air than indoors, but it is better to banish it entirely from the premises."

"Unscrupulous druggists who sell inflammable liquids with an expressed or implied guarantee as to their safety will be called to account, for our local ordinances render them subject to legal prosecution where they place such dangerous chemicals upon sale without precautionary marking."

Would Force Holland to Surrender German Kaiser

London, Eng., Aug. 18.—The declaration that Holland should be called upon to surrender, the former German emperor was made in the house of commons today by Horatio Bottomley, independent, who again raised the question of the recent trials, in Leipzig, of Germans accused of acts of violation of the rules of civilized warfare in the world war.

Mr. Bottomley said that if the demand for the ex-kaiser's surrender should be refused by Holland and the British government found itself unable to deal with the matter effectively, the government should make way for "men of sterner stuff."

Vesuvius Active

Naples, Italy, Aug. 18.—Increased activity has been shown for several days by the volcano Vesuvius. Enormous columns of smoke arising from the crater have a very impressive appearance, especially when seen at night or by the light of the full moon.

The New York guy who is being held on a charge of stealing an automobile here July 5, does not seem to like the hotel McCutchan. He was recaptured at Garden City after breaking out of jail here some weeks ago and he attempted to break jail again, Thursday.

What if it is midnight! Do you know that weeping may endure for the night, but joy cometh in the morning? Already your eyes catch the sapphire glow that crowns the far-off hills. Wait—the sun will shine and the shadows will flee away.

Victor Mellinger left Saturday night for New York City where he will purchase a stock of fall and winter dry goods and furnishings for the Grand Leader.

Mrs. M. R. Shelton after an extended visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurt will leave this evening for her home at Pueblo, Colo.

The carpenters are making rapid progress on Harry Hurts handsome new home at the corner of Scurry and West Second street.

The Commissioners' Court has set the tax rate of Howard County to be the same as it was in 1920.

Mrs. Joe Tullos expects to leave the first of the coming week for a visit with relatives at Bowie.

A college graduate's mettle counts for more than his medal.

The fruits of victory often turn out to be lemons.

Money cannot buy everything. There are no admission tickets to a sunset. You wouldn't trade the look in your boy's eyes when he greets you at night for a million dollars of any man's money.

In these days when the newly weds begin their desperate imitation of the rich, cooling may suffer a slight decline but the billing turns up all right on the first of the month.

While we believe the material progress of this country is simply prodigious, yet be certain question a corresponding growth in our ideals and our literature.

The man who calls another a dirty cuss, and in turn is put down as a blasted fool, ought to confine themselves to questions that are disputed.

There is much involved in the viewpoint. Two men agree not because the objects of pursuit become the same, but because their viewpoints correspond.

It is said that William the Conqueror could not write his name, but it will be admitted that he made a mark that endures.

Some of the chaps who had hay fever during the flush times are now having summer cold along with the rest of us.

Lots of fellows are forever "burying their troubles" just because they want to be the chief mourner at the funeral.

Your sense of difference between right and wrong is the limit of your convictions on a given question.

Invest in brains. Every scholar turned out adds something to the real riches of a commonwealth.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Edmonson were here Wednesday from their ranch in Glascock county.

It has been discovered that Mr. Volstead, author of the prohibition law, chews tobacco. The man is human, after all.

A bride is never really and truly happy unless she thinks some other girl envies her.

The government has gone to coining silver dollars again. Sounds good, doesn't it?

See what prohibition has done. Not a single searpernt has been reported this summer.

In other words, there is a growing conviction that present railroad fares are unfair.

It is a fine thing to be a promising young man—provided he keeps his promises.

TOWN PESTS



The Careless Banana Peel, when trod on Unpremeditatedly, gives one Such a Feeling of Insecurity! Kids, if you Must do your Grazing on our Public Streets, have a Care where you Throw the Banana's Union Suit and the Orange's Overcoat, or you may make an Orphan outa Yourself!

TOWN PESTS



The Borrower lugs off Eggs when they're Eighty Cents a dozen and brings them Back when they are Down to Twenty-Five, and takes the Lawn Mower in the Summer and Returns it in the Winter and borrows Today's Newspaper and 857 Other Things and Never Brings Them Back No More No Time!

TOWN PESTS



The Loafer is just about our Worst Pest, for he has been Standing Around on our Streets for Years, Finding Fault with Everybody and Everything. He's done his Dullest to Block every Improvement Our Town has made, and when he quits Walking Around to save Funeral Expenses, he will be Missed, just like a Bolt!

MICKIE SAYS—

"THIS NEWSPAPER ADVERTISES OUR TOWN IN DISTANT STATES WHERE OUR MOST PROMINENT BANKER OR MERCHANT IS UNKNOWN AND THE IMPRESSION TH' OUTSIDE WORLD GAINS OF THIS CITY DEPENDS ON HOW WELL YOU SUPPORT YOUR HOME PAPER AND HOW PROSPEROUS IT LOOKS"



Better Meals and On Time



YOU don't have to cook the same round of dishes over and over to have meals on time.
The Florence Oil Cook Stove will lift you out of your cooking rut. Because—the Florence needs little attention, is easy to regulate, and gives such dependable results. You are sure the meal will be ready on time—no matter what you cook. Burns kerosene.
Come into our store and learn more about the Florence.

Rix Furniture & Und. Co.
"The House of Satisfaction"

Will Trade Sheep For Cattle
I have 250 Ramboulet ewes and 175 lambs which I will trade for cattle. Write or see WEBB CHRISTIAN, Big Spring, Texas.

THE BEST MILK, CREAM, BUTTER, AND BUTTERMILK—DELIVERED AT YOUR DOOR
Deliveries made twice each day. Get the best dairy products and satisfactory service by patronizing the BIG SPRING DAIRY. Phone 389. (40-25t-Pd—Advertisement.)

A. P. Clayton was here this week from Rogers, Ark., for the purpose of making arrangements to return to West Texas to make his home. Mr. Clayton has disposed of his holdings in Arkansas and will return to the service of the Texas & Pacific railway as engineer. While he has not definitely decided, we are hoping that Mr. Clayton and family will again make their home in Big Spring.

Mrs. Frank Wynn returned Wednesday from Fort Worth where she had been to visit her son and daughter, Frank Ross and Mrs. Owen M. Jones and families. Mrs. Wynn states that a new grandson will greet her in the future; a son having been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, July 21st.

No, Johnnie; the shimmy dance was not invented by the Quakers.
Funny, but, you know, blackberries are green when they are red.

The individual succumbs to the crowd—not the crowd to the individual.
Yes, indeed; this weather is enough to make a man hot under the collar.

Mexicans don't know when they are well off. They are planning to build a navy.
Some married men admit that their wives boss them. And others just say nothing.

A. C. Vaughan's mother returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Kansas.
Glenn McNew arrived Tuesday night from San Antonio where he secured his discharge from the U. S. Army. Glenn has been in Uncle Sam's service the past two years.

Mrs. Harry Dow and sister Mrs. Purcell, enroute from a visit in St. Louis to their home in El Paso were greeting friends here Thursday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Morrison returned the first of the week from an extended auto trip to California and other western states.

Jounteel Tale, delightfully with the exquisite odor of 26... Price 32c at Ward's.
Mrs. Tom Davies of Texas... here for a visit with her sister Robt. Schubert.

Being discourteous is a small way of feeling important.
Herald want ads get results...

GET 'EM NOW!

Now is the time to secure **BARGAINS** in all lines at the Grand Leader. Our buyer is now in the Northern Markets purchasing a complete stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, Clothing, Ladies Ready-to-Wear, Gents' Furnishings, Etc., and in order to make room for this stock we wish to dispose of all summer goods.

Come in and look through our lines—we are sure you will find many articles you need—and we assure you that you are going to find our prices as low as the lowest.

Price things you need in other towns or in other stores then call and get our prices. We know we will secure your patronage for you are going to find our prices right. We can sell for less because we sell for cash. Remember we will not be undersold.

You will always find our sales people ready and willing to serve you—and to treat you courteously should you desire to secure information as to prices only. You are always welcome here.

Come Early and Often

SHOES HATS CLOTHING
The Grand Leader
DEPARTMENT STORE
PAY CASH & PAY LESS
READY TO WEAR - DRY GOODS - BIG SPRING

PESTS



...reads the titles Out everyone can Hear, as Audience are either left their Glasses at the Movie Post Word and then Rude heard all over the

...Sale baggy and one low to be sold cheap. 48-2t-p

J. WILLIAMS.

House Wanted a furnished house. Can, however, make rooms or unfurnished. D. C. MAUPIN. 1

at Lowest Prices preserves and Jellies—market—now one-half in 1920 Phone 297. & Son Grocery.

For Rent conveniently located Phone 27. 1t-p

...: We have a full line paper and all of the Cunningham and

...left on the Sunshine day morning for El his sister Miss Sadie

...arwood and son Cecil day morning for Mc- for a visit with Mrs. sisters.

...ent and all screw wormingham & Phillips.

Expert watch repair work done at Ward's.

Mrs. J. S. Perry has been quite ill this week.

Graduate Optician at Ward's, The Rexall store.

J. F. Hair leaves tonight for a visit in Ranger and Dallas.

Our Chilli satisfies. Have you tried it. ROBINSON'S LUNCH ROOM. 2

H. R. Debenport left Wednesday night for a business trip to Fort Worth.

Miss Phil Boucher of Post is here for a visit with Miss Lillian Frances Gary.

J. M. Morgan arrived Wednesday from Colorado for a visit with home-folks.

Look at your hat in the mirror. If it is dirty take it to PERRY THE HATTER.

When it comes to drugs or anything in a drug store. Look us up...Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallagher returned Sunday from an extended visit to points in South Texas.

Mitchell Park who has been visiting his uncle Alex Mitchell and wife left Wednesday for his home in Kansas City.

Hubert Rutherford, Ben Bedford, Andy Anderson, Dago Hunter returned Monday from a fishing trip on the Concho.

We received Eastman Kodaks direct from the factory. You will want "Snaps" of your summer vacation—\$2.50 to \$39.50. Ward's.

Mrs. S. C. Lamar and daughter Miss Gladys have returned from an extended visit with relatives and friends at Cross Plains, Texas.

Protect your cow from flies by using cow oil. Your cow will do better if sprayed with the oil. 50c qt.; 75c 1-2 gal.; \$1.25 gal. Ward's.

United States Marshall James A. Baggett after a few days visit to relatives and friends in Big Spring left Saturday night for his home in Dallas.

Royal Neighbor Notice
Notice R. N. A. 7277. Our next meeting Thursday, Aug. 25 will be a social meeting. All members are requested to be present, visitors welcome. Recorder.

Spectacles Lost
A pair of gold rimmed spectacles in black case were lost in Big Spring Thursday. Finder please return to Herald office. 4 1t-p

My Work is above all. PERRY THE HATTER.

Una Bailey was here Tuesday from his home in Garden City.

Bonnie B Hair Nets 10c each at the Rexall store. Ward's.

Mrs. W. B. Currie returned Sunday from a visit in Mineral Wells.

Rupert Ricker left Wednesday morning for a visit in New York City.

J. J. Hair returned Thursday from a business trip to Ranger and Dallas.

Mayor Purser was quite ill last week suffering from an attack of indigestion.

Carl Weaver of Sweetwater was greeting old time friends here Tuesday.

L. M. Scroggins was here Tuesday from his home in the Vincent community.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lees and baby returned Sunday from a visit in Hot Springs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Coburn and son returned Wednesday morning from a visit in Fort Worth.

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

Mrs. W. A. Ricker and son, R. P., returned Tuesday from a visit to their ranch in Reagan county.

Paint up your car now, it wont cost you much and adds lots to your prosperous looks...Cunningham & Phillips

Robert Hale, Mrs. Tolle Hale and baby and Miss Estell Wheeler of Coahoma were visitors in Big Spring Saturday.

J. A. Davidson, wife and children returned Monday from Gainesville where they had been on a visit to his parents.

Miss Patsy Parker of Barstow, Texas has been visiting her grandmother Mrs. Lizzie Dale at the home of W. A. Bynum.

Luke Shumake this week has been suffering from an attack of blood poisoning in one foot, due to scratching a place where a mosquito had bitten him.

Troubles
Don't tie a tin pan to the tail of all your troubles and send them howling all over the neighborhood. Just remember, other people have a few little troubles of their own which they are trying to rock to sleep for your sake.
Herald want ads pay. Try one.

Buy from an Independent

What Has the Independent Oil Jobbers and Refiners Done for You?

—What would be the price of Gasoline and Kerosene had it not been for the Independent?
—What would the price be tomorrow should the big companies succeed in putting the Independent concerns out of business?

You Had Better Think It Over
Patronize People That Help You

—We are Independent dealers and sell the best Gasoline, Kerosene, Lubricating Oils and Greases of all kinds.

PHONE 199

Hall Tire & Top Co.

Independent Wholesale Oil Station
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

TOWN PESTS



The Lady Shopper had the Poor Man drag out Everything in Stock, and has Spent a Pleasant Afternoon, which was All she Intended to Spend when she Came In. Merchant's like Lady Buyers but Lady Shoppers are Why Drygoods Clerks Go Crazy and Start Running in Circles.

Dewey Woodford of Dallas enroute from an auto trip to El Paso stopped over in this city Wednesday for a visit with his brother K. R. Woodford.

Misses Lucille and Read Thomas of Midland have been here this week for a visit with their grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hurt.

Tom Barclay of El Paso arrived Monday from Camp Travis where he had been attending the Citizens Military Training Camp.

Miss Allene Crowley of Edna, Texas arrived Sunday to spend the winter here with her sister Mrs. J. F. Bishop.

Nysa Tale fragrantly scented and so refreshing when used after the bath. Price 32c at the Rexall store, Ward's.

Don't buy a new hat, but have your dirty, last winter's hat cleaned and blocked. PERRY THE HATTER.

Miss Maggie Williams, county clerk of Borden county, was a visitor in Big Spring Monday.

Mrs. Bob Eubanks returned Thursday morning from a visit in Fort Worth.

J. J. Hubbard was here Monday morning from his ranch in Glasscock county.

Mrs. W. R. Marlin and children returned Sunday from a visit in Abilene.

Miss Donna Carter returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Barstow.

Miss Rosa Johnson returned Sunday night from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

Ernest Hale from Plainview has been visiting relatives in Big Spring and Coahoma.

J. B. Shockley and H. F. Taylor left Wednesday for a business trip to McKinney.

B. L. Smith shipped three cars of steers to the El Paso market the latter part of last week.

Dallas received a nice rain Monday, the first that had visited that section in thirty-five days.

Send your old clock, watch or jewelry to us and let us repair them for you. Expert Jeweler at Ward's.

Mrs. W. R. Dawes and children left Saturday for an auto trip to Lubbock where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. L. E. Hague of Ardmore, Okla., arrived last week for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Warren left Sunday for Chicago, called there by the serious illness of Mr. Warren's mother.

Mrs. Oscar Oliver and sons after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Stokes left last week for their home in Dallas.

Brick For Sale
3000—new, building brick for sale. Will sell them right. 42-tf
KEISLING GIN CO.

The Ku Klux Klan
Whether the Ku Klux Klan is responsible for any or all of the crimes of tarring and feathering, whipping, stripping women, tarring and feathering them and cutting off their hair, and other outrages, Farm and Ranch is not in a position to know, but that many outrages are being committed in their name since the organization became active, is claimed.
If their organization is working in the interest of law and order, and in the interest of better morals and the proper enforcement of our laws, it is up to the officers of the order to convince the people of the fact.
Anyone holding official position should promptly resign from office on taking the oath demanded to become a member of the K. K. organization—Farm and Ranch.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the board of trustees of the Big Spring Independent School District, will on Tuesday August 30, 1920 at 4 p. m. at Bliss Drug Store, receive bids from persons and corporations desiring to handle the school funds of said district, and to furnish the school fund if needed, during the coming scholastic year.
The person or corporation offering the best bid of interest shall be selected as treasurer of said fund.
The treasurer so selected shall give bond in double the amount of the receipts coming annually into his hands.
B. REAGAN, President.
Board of Trustees, Big Spring Independent School District. 48-2
A. W. FLANIKEN, Secretary said Board.

Notice

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Howard.
To the Creditors of John Brown, formerly proprietor of Palace Studio in Big Springs, Texas:

You are hereby notified that John Brown did on the 17th day of August, 1921 assign all his property to me for the benefit of his creditors as will consent to accept under same and discharge him from their claims—and that the undersigned has accepted said trust and has qualified according to law.

All creditors consenting to this assignment must notify the assignee of their intentions within four months of this date and within six months file their claims.
Witness my hand at Big Springs, this 17th day of August, 1921.
(Adv.) R. D. Matthews

Applicants for Big Spring Postoffice

From Washington comes the announcement from the Civil Service Commission that the examination papers of applicants for postmaster held August 13th have been received.
Those examined at Big Spring were John W. Ward, Bernie Reagan and C. S. Holmes.
The Civil Service Commission will at once detail an inspector to visit Big Spring to personally investigate the standing socially and in the business world of the applicants and the reports will be considered in fixing the ratings of the applicants.

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

Herald want ads get results.

BUICK

The new Buick Four is a distinctively Buick creation in every feature of design and construction. It embodies those principles of construction that have characterized Buick automobiles for more than twenty years.

The engine is of the famed Buick Valve-in-Head type. The bore is 3 3/8 inches—the stroke is 4 3/4 inches. Wheel base, 109 inches, turning radius, 36 feet feet.

Marvel carburetor with the new automatic heat control.

Multiple disc clutch, the transmission and universal joint are of standard Buick construction—the universal joint being lubricated from the transmission.

The rear axle is the three-quarter floating type, with semi-elliptical type springs front and rear.

High pressure Alemite system. Delco equipment with Exide battery.

All models have non-glare headlight lenses—all are complete with tire carrier and mud flaps. Closed models are equipped with adjustable windshield visors, windshield cleaning light, ventilating windshield, adjustable windows, and sun shade in rear window.

Cord Tires Standard Equipment on all Models.

See Us For Prices, Specifications and Delivery Dates.

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY
FLINT, MICHIGAN

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WOLCOTT AUTO CO.
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Card of Thanks

We take this method of extending our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for acts of kindness so freely rendered when we were called upon to suffer the loss of our beloved mother. Your kindly acts and words of comfort were deeply appreciated. We also wish to thank our friends for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis
 Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis
 Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davis
 Mrs. E. E. Lane

Voice and Piano

Those wishing to enter my Voice or Piano class which opens at my home on Scurry street, Monday, Sept. 5th will please phone 618.

MABEL RICKER, Teacher.

H. H. Enders, president of the Cushing Ranch Drilling Association, arrived Wednesday morning to note progress being made by his company in the Big Spring field.

\$6,000 An Hour

Sounds impossible, don't it? You don't believe it, do you? Well, it's a fact just the same. The railroads are the robbers I am talking about.

A little company is drilling for oil just 30 miles east of Houston. Last week they bought a car of fuel oil in Houston to be shipped to Sheeks, just 30 miles. The oil cost \$1.00 a barrel, or \$200. The railroad charged \$75 freight to haul the car 30 miles. In other words, the railroad charged nearly 40 per cent of the value of freight to haul it 30 miles. No wonder there is no business. A man is a fool to think that as long as this legalized robbery is permitted that any sane man is going to try to do business. I saw this car arrive and for curiosity I counted the number of cars in the train. There was, to my surprise, 80 cars. And then I made a mental calculation, and multiplying the freight charge of \$75.00 on one car for 30 miles by 80, the number of cars in the train, and to my great astonishment I realized that one railroad train had, at the rate charged, made \$6,000 for hauling a train just 30 miles. As a freight train can easily make 30 miles an hour, I was further staggered by the fact that for the use of one freight train the railroad was getting \$6,000 an hour.

These are cold-blooded facts, and I dare any railroad official to deny it. The fact that it is authorized by law only shows that government has failed of its purpose in this country. To have passed a law granting the James gang the right to carry on their highway robbery would have been just as much justified. If the railroads think that the American people are going to put up with this very much longer they are badly fooled. No government that permits outrages of this kind can retain the respect of its citizenship very long. Suppose the citizen owned the railroads and was to attempt to perpetrate such charges, don't every intelligent man know that the people would soon overthrow that government?

And yet to allow a thieving railroad corporation to do it only adds insult to injury.

Oh, but some paid lickspittle will jump up and say that this charge for freight service is because labor gets so much of the revenues and therefore the blame is on the overpaid railroad man. Another lie—and let me prove it.

On this train of 80 cars there was an engineer, a fireman, two brakemen and a conductor, just five men. Now, the engineer for this 30 miles received not to exceed \$2.00, the fireman \$1.50, the two brakemen \$1.00 each and the conductor \$1.50, or a total of \$7.00—\$5,993 net to the railroad company for running one train 30 miles. Now, before we hang these thieves, let us show them that we have given them a fair trial.

Suppose instead of one train crew of five men, these cutthroat railroad corporations were required to have a whole train crew of five men on every car in the whole train, and for fear something might go wrong with the cars while they were making this great

long journey of 30 miles, that the railroads were required to have in addition to a full train crew of five men on each car—NOT EACH TRAIN, BUT EACH CAR—a car repairer on each car of the 80 cars in the train, who were getting \$1.00 an hour—then the expense bill would be \$7.00 for each train crew and for 80 train crews it would only be \$560, and add \$80 for the 80 car repairers and the total for the 80 train crews and the car repairers thrown in for running this train for 30 miles would be only \$640. Now, take this unthinkable expense from \$6,000 which the road, highwaymen get, and they still have a net profit in operation of \$5,360.

As long as this is permitted by law I am not ready to say that the Ku Klux are all wrong after all. It is just such abuses and outrages that is causing people to take independent action for their protection and the protection of the rights of the people.

I want to make a prediction, and that is that if the railroads do not voluntarily reduce rates, in the next three years the railroads will be taken by force by the government and maybe sooner.

Such action might be wrong and it may be right—circumstances are to be considered at the time. But I am telling what is going to happen.

Railroad rates are so high that nobody—even the railroad officials themselves—will dare to defend them. It is remarkable that an extortion so universally admitted has been permitted to continue this long.

It is alright to talk about the horrors of confiscation, and constitutional guarantees, but the Americans always suffer and endure just so long. When the burden can at last be borne no longer they will rise up in their righteous indignation and sweep this railroad crowd from the face of the earth.

The failure of the Interstate Commerce commission to act promptly in the matter shows that it ought not exist. The creation of all railroad commissions was not so much to equalize rates as it was to prevent extortion on the people. Already the suspicion is fast gaining ground that the Interstate Commerce commission has lost respect or feeling for the masses, and if the present exploitation of commerce is permitted to continue this suspicion will become a proven fact. Six thousand dollars an hour—just think of it. Where are we going and what are we coming to, anyhow?—James E. Ferguson in Ferguson Forum.

J. F. Hair is in receipt of a communication of the adjutant office of the Headquarters Eighth Corps Area, expressing sincere appreciation and thanks for his part in making the camp a success in securing recruits for the Citizens Military Training Camps. Due to limited appropriation this camp was able to accommodate but 1225 applicants of the 4000 applying. Mr. Hair was also presented with a lapel insignia of the C. M. T. C. for his activity in connection with this work.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank
 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

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

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$481,834.34	Capital.....	
Cotton Acceptances.....	11,000.28	Certified Surplus Earned.....	
U. S. Bonds.....	14,814.97	Undivided Profits.....	
Banking House.....	7,000.00	Dividend Payable June 30.....	
Interest & Assn. in Guaranty Fund.....	8,616.79	Borrowed Money.....	
CASH.....	309,286.17	DEPOSITS.....	
			\$786,142.65

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 Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations You Need Them. We are prepared at All Times to Grant Customers Accommodations.
 For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With Us

End of the World

During the latter part of the year 1919, Professor Albert A. Porta, San Francisco meteorologist predicted that the world would end on December 17, 1919. He based his prediction on the peculiar position of the planets on that date, six of the eight being on one side of the sun leaving Uranus alone on the opposite side, and the earth off in a corner of its own. Although other astronomers ridiculed the idea, many people took the prediction seriously. An Ohio farmer is said to have paid \$15.00 for a reserved seat to see the end of the world. Several mines in Oklahoma were closed on that day because the miners refused to go underground. But nothing happened.

The end of the world has been predicted many times. In the year 1881 the country was vastly excited by Mother Shipton's prediction of the end. Thousands prepared for the Judgment Day but New Year's Day, 1882 found the world still in existence.

October 21, 1841 was the date set by William Miller, founder of the Second Adventists, for the ending of the world. For twenty years he had prepared his followers to expect the end in that year. Several days in advance of the date set, thousands flocked to the tabernacles, bringing with them provisions enough to last to the end. Many others remained all day on the roofs of their houses, wearing their judgment robes and with their eyes fixed upon the East. But when October 22nd dawned, bright and clear, Miller was compelled to "confess his disappointment."

November 13, 1833 was "the night when the stars fell." From two o'clock until daylight the heavens bombarded the earth with a barrage of meteors of huge size and brilliancy. One astronomer computed that not fewer than two hundred and forty thousand were visible at one time above the horizon at Boston, and a similar display was witnessed throughout the United States. Panic was wide-spread. People ran about the streets shouting that the Day of Judgment had come. Thousands flocked to the churches to pray. But when accounts were checked up a few days later it was found that no damage had been done.

One of the most mysterious of natural phenomena that ever occurred was the so-called "Dark Day of May 19, 1780." Beginning suddenly at ten o'clock in the morning of that date, an extraordinary darkness covered the New England States. The Sun was almost completely blotted out, the birds flew to their nests, the chickens went to roost, and the cattle returned to their stalls. So complete was the darkness that people were not able to make their way about the streets except with a lighted lantern. Heavy thunder boomed from dense, massed banks of clouds without any accompanying lightning. The belief that the world was doomed to destruction spread far and wide and thousands flocked to the churches. A motion to adjourn was introduced in the Connecticut legislature, which happened to be in session, but after a discussion the members decided that "if this is the Day of Judgment, let us be found doing our duty," candles were brought and business went on. And the next day dawned bright and clear. But the cause of the extraordinary darkness has never been satisfactorily explained.—Velvet Joe's Almanac.

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 East First Street—Opposite Depot



"Oh Summer Sun, Where is Thy Sting?"

When I come home at the close of a heated day and stretch out under the cooling breeze of an electric fan.

When I can partake of crispy, cold things from a perfectly cooled refrigerator.

When I can enjoy all the summer comforts which science has provided and the hardware store sells—then it is I ask myself again

"Oh Summer Sun, Where is Thy Sting?"

See us for reasonable goods, Oil Stoves, Electric Fans, Refrigerators, Ice Cream Freezers, Etc.

Stokes-Hughes Co.

"The People That Want Your Business"

Gus Crawford and family returned Sunday morning from a six weeks' trip thru California, Colorado, Oregon, Washington, Vancouver and British Columbia. On July 7th they were snowed out on Pikes Peak. They report a most delightful time during the entire trip.

A hearing will be held before the Texas Railroad Commission September 13th, wherein the Chamber of Commerce of Colorado is petitioning the T. & P. Ry. company for the construction of an adequate fire-proof freight station, replacing the former structure which was destroyed by fire.

W. H. Yandell of Merkel, H. J. Yandell and E. H. Shipley of Abilene were here Tuesday on a prospecting trip. They were favorably impressed with the Big Spring country and may decide to purchase ranch lands near city.

Harry Hurt returned from a visit with his wife.

Mrs. L. M. Evans returned from Breckenridge for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans.

W. E. Carnrike returned morning from El Paso after having been working the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Fobert returned from a long trip on the Comanche.

A. B. Conley, in charge of the general Oil Co.'s operation, returned Tuesday on a business trip to Arkansas.

Mrs. Will Neighbors returned from a visit to her home in Big Spring.

Mrs. Steve Tamm returned from a visit to her home in Big Spring.

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Notice to Disabled Soldiers

All persons who have been disabled
in service during the war, should apply
for vocational training, if they have
not already done so, prior to December
16th, 1922.

1. The Act making appropriations
to supply deficiencies in appropriations
for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921
and prior fiscal years, and for other
purposes approved June 16, 1921 con-
tains the following provisions:

"That any person entitled, under the
provision of the Vocational Rehabilitation
Act (as amended) to take voca-
tional training must make application
therefor within 18 months from the
date of the approval of this Act."

2. No application for vocational
training under the Vocational Rehabilitation
Act can be considered unless
such applications are submitted prior
to December 16, 1922. This means that
every ex-service man who has a dis-
ability received in the service, and who
desires to have this fact established
and determine whether or not he is
eligible for training under the above
referred to Act, should take this matter
up with the Federal Board at the
earliest possible date.

3. I am asking that you give this
matter the widest publicity in your
section in order that it may be brought
to the attention of every ex-service man.
This date is one of the most important
dates effecting ex-service persons.

4. REMEMBER THAT ALL PER-
SONS WHO HAVE BEEN DISABLED
IN SERVICE TO ANY DEGREE
SHOULD APPLY FOR TRAINING, IF
THEY HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE
SO, IN THE PERIOD PRIOR TO
DECEMBER 16, 1922.

Cheaper Than Home-Made Preserves.

If you have never tasted Tea Garden
Preserves and Jellies you have missed
a treat. You can get them now for
one-half what they cost you in 1920.
Investigate. Phone 297 or call at our
store.

B. B. Fox & Son Grocery.

Redistricting Bill Passed

The passage of the Senatorial re-
districting bill Tuesday, after it seem-
ed certain the measure had been doom-
ed, is nothing less than a victory for
West Texas.

Every effort was made to kill the
measure, and though the amendment
which puts off the election of the sena-
tors of the newly formed districts
until 1924, is not a desirable one, we
are willing to accept it in order to get
proper representation before another
ten or twenty years. Another victory
was the provision that should any part
of the provision prove unconstitutional
this would not serve to nullify the
measure as a whole.

It is now up to Governor Neff to
sign the bill. Our county will be in
the Thirtieth Senatorial district under
this bill. District No. 30 will be com-
posed of the following counties: How-
ard, Martin, Dawson, Borden, Andrews,
Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley,
Cottle, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock,
Crosby, Dickens, King, Yoakum, Terry,
Lynn, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Gaines.

One-Third of Life in Bed

why not have a good one. Creath will
sell you a good mattress made of
Howard county cotton for \$10.50 to
\$12.50 or make over that old one for
\$4.00. Satisfaction guaranteed.

J. R. CREATH.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bates had a
family reunion at their home last Sun-
day and thirty were present for the
big dinner which was served in honor
of the occasion. Among the relatives
from out-of-town were their daughters
Mrs. L. E. Hague of Ardmore, and Mrs.
L. M. Evans of Breckenridge, Mood
Smith and family of Lovington, N. M.,
Mrs. S. T. Harrison and children of
Memphis and Mrs. D. L. Smith and
daughters of Childress. Mr. Smith is
a brother and Mrs. Harrison a sister
of Mrs. Bates and Mrs. D. L. Smith is
her sister-in-law. The occasion was in-
deed a happy one for all concerned.

Tea Garden Preserves

A full line of this famous brand of
preserves and jellies now selling at
one-half the 1920 price. Lay in a
supply today. Call or phone 297.

B. B. Fox & Son Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Sullivan and
children returned Monday from an ex-
tended visit with relatives in East
Texas and Tennessee. They report a
most enjoyable trip but Tom states
that the Big Spring country looks bet-
ter than any portion of the entire sec-
tion between Tennessee and Big Spring.

Miss Elsie Crow and Miss Amabel
Cook returned Sunday from a two
weeks visit with relatives at Denison.
They report a delightful time during
their visit but state that section is
much warmer than it is here, or at
least folks suffer more from the heat
there.

Our goods are where you can see
them. Come and look them over.
The quality and price is right. POOL-
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It's the best packing science has devised to keep
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Heavy paper outside—secure foil wrapping inside
and the revenue stamp over the end to seal the pack-
age and keep it air-tight.

And note this! There's nothing flashy about the
Camel package. No extra wrappings that do not
improve the smoke. Not a cent of needless expense
that must come out of the quality of the tobacco.

Camels wonderful and exclusive Quality wins on
merit alone.

Because, men smoke Camels who want the
taste and fragrance of the finest tobaccos, expertly
blended. Men smoke Camels for Camels smooth,
refreshing mildness and their freedom from ciga-
retty aftertaste.

Camels are made for men who think for them-
selves.

Camel

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Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Howard County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon Paul Jones, by making publica-
tion of this Citation once in each week
for four successive weeks previous to
the return day hereof, in some newspa-
per published in your County, if there
be a newspaper published therein, but
if not, then in any newspaper published
in the Thirty-second Judicial District;
but if there be no newspaper published
in said Judicial District, then in a
newspaper published in the nearest
District to said Thirty-second Judicial
District, to appear at the next regular
term of the District Court of Howard
County, to be holden at the Court
House, thereof, in Big Springs, on the
first Monday in September A. D. 1921,
the same being the 6th day of Septem-
ber A. D. 1921, then and there to an-
swer a petition filed in said Court on
the 28th day of July A. D. 1921 in a
suit, numbered on the docket of said
Court No. 847, wherein Gladis May
Jones is Plaintiff, and Paul Jones is
Defendant, and said petition alleging
that plaintiff is a bona fide resident
citizen of Howard County, Texas, and
has been a bona fide resident citizen
of the State of Texas, for more than
one year next preceding the filing of
this petition, and has been a bona fide
resident citizen of the County of How-
ard and State of Texas, for more than
six months next preceding the filing of
this petition;

That plaintiff a single woman by the
name of Gladis May McMurray, was
married to defendant at Hillsboro,
Texas, on the 13th day of May A. D.
1919, and that they lived together as
husband and wife until on or about
the 31st day of July A. D. 1919, when
by the cruel and harsh treatment of
the defendant toward plaintiff she was
forced to leave the defendant and has
not lived with him since.

That prior to such marriage defend-
ant, through his promise of marriage,
had debauched and seduced plaintiff
and at the time of such marriage def-
endant was under arrest for such
seduction and for the purpose of avoid-
ing conviction and punishment therefor
consented to marry plaintiff and the
ceremony was performed in the Court
Room at Hillsboro, Hill County, Texas.

About one week after such marriage
defendant requested plaintiff to leave
him, saying that he did not love her
and cared nothing for her.

That defendant caused plaintiff to go to
Cleburne, Texas, and live with the
kinfolks of defendant, that defendant
refused to pay plaintiff's board and
support plaintiff, and she was often
humiliated and was told that she was
not wanted, which facts were known by
defendant.

But while plaintiff was living with
defendant as his wife, the defendant
was the constant associate of prosti-
tutes and that the plaintiff was in-
formed by the Sister of defendant that
the defendant intended to have some
boy become intimate with the plaintiff
so that he could get a divorce.

That such conduct on defendant's
part toward plaintiff was for the pur-
pose of forcing defendant to leave
plaintiff and which did have such ef-
fect, and such conduct rendered their
further living together insupportable.

That such marriage relations still
exist.

Wherefore, premises considered,
plaintiff prays that citation issue to

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We are right here to make good on
every article we sell, on every rea-
sonable 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
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BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS

the defendant, commanding him to ap-
pear and answer herein and that upon
final hearing that she have judgment
dissolving such marriage relations, and
such other and further relief as in law
or in equity as she may show herself
entitled to receive.

Herein Fall Not but have before said
Court, at its aforesaid regular term,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.
Given Under My Hand and the Seal of
said Court, at office in Big Springs,
Texas, this 28th day of July A. D.
1921.
(SEAL.)
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk,
District Court, Howard County.

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We never catch a fish as big as the
one that nibbles and then swims away.

News From Austin

Editor Herald:
Gentlemen:—Please state thru your
paper that the new truck bill, being
H. B. No. 32 has finally passed with
farm trucks carrying the annual li-
cense tax as heretofore, no extra tax
for trucks used for agricultural or
ranch purposes whether it be a one
or two ton truck.

We have had a pretty warm fight
thruout the session, very little legis-
lation especially for the farming classes.

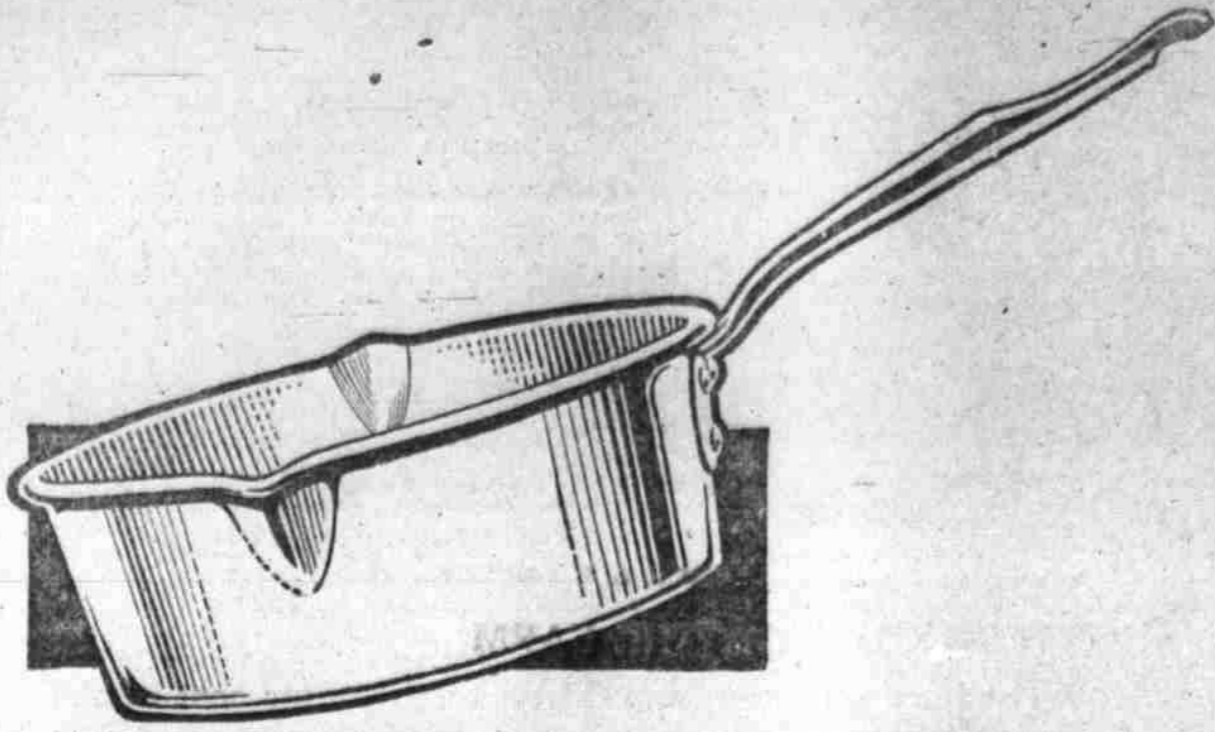
Every department of state as well as
educational institutions have suffered
the retrenchers ax.

The consolidation bill pertaining to
the Warehouse and Markets Depart-
ment with the Dept. of Agriculture
was killed in the senate committee
room.

Hope our people will soon get rain.
Yours truly,
J. A. Kinard.

Sheepmen Notice
Cheap marking paint for branding
sheep, \$2.50 per gallon. Phone 87.
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Alabama Lady Was Sick For Three
Years, Suffering Pain, Nervous
and Depressed—Read Her
Own Story of Recovery.

Faint Rock, Ala.—Mrs. C. M. Stegall,
of near here, recently related the fol-
lowing interesting account of her re-
covery: "I was in a weakened con-
dition. I was sick three years in bed,
suffering a great deal of pain, weak,
nervous, depressed. I was so weak,
I couldn't walk across the floor; just
had to lay and my little ones do the
work. I was almost dead. I tried
every thing I heard of, and a number of
doctors. Still I didn't get any relief.
I couldn't eat, and slept poorly. I
believe if I hadn't heard of and taken
Cardui I would have died. I bought
six bottles, after a neighbor told me
what it did for her.

"I began to eat and sleep, began to
gain my strength and am now well
and strong. I haven't had any trou-
ble since. I sure can testify to the
good that Cardui did me. I don't
think there is a better tonic made
and I believe it saved my life."

For over 40 years, thousands of wo-
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Big Spring, Friday, August 12, 1921.

HEALTH PARAGRAPHS

By DR. M. M. CARRICK
State Health Officer

When I get to be ninety, I hope
that I will have so many of my col-
leagues about me that I shall be ac-
cepted as a matter of course.

If I can read well and have weak
lungs; if I can write well and have
kidney trouble; if I can figure well
and have anemia—how much are the
three R's worth to me?

We know that malaria is carried by
a special species of mosquito and we
know that if we eliminate the mosquito
the spread of the disease will auto-
matically stop.

Responsibility for accident and dis-
ease is no longer considered merely as
a personal problem, it is a community
problem as well. Just as we insist
that every American shall have the
benefits of public education, so should
we insist upon the inherent right of
every American to the possession of a
body free from the handicap of pre-
ventable disease.

The public health is the foundation
on which reposes the happiness of the
people and the power of the country.
The care of the public health is the
first duty of the statesman.—Lord
Beaconsfield.

If there is no fifth, there will be
no flies.

A large proportion of the diseases
from which mankind suffers today are
preventable. The time will come when
such diseases as malaria and tuber-
culosis will belong only to the ancient
history of medicine. All work, no
matter how trivial or valueless it may
seem, if it has been done with honesty
of purpose, has its place in the great
victory over pain and pestilence. Were
it possible to ask those who have
fought in this cause and have died for
it, "Was it worth while?" they, too,
would say that they rejoiced that they
had not lived in vain, but had been
allowed a little share in the work of
alleviating the suffering of humanity.

The State Board of Health, Austin,
Texas, welcomes inquiries or letters
from citizens interested in the promo-
tion of community health.

Herald Want Ads get big results.

Methodist Notes

At the present rate of increase in
attendance we shall soon have our 300
back for keeps. Sunday after this our
meeting begins. It is our desire to re-
verse all precedents and have our re-
cord-breaking attendance before instead
of after the meeting. So the Supt.
asks that every Methodist man, woman
or child, who owns a car, to please
bring it filled to overflowing to Sunday
school this Sunday. Fifteen or twenty
who were present last Sunday prom-
ised to do so. But the request is open
to all. Place your best loved possession
at the service of the Lord for this one
Sabbath morning—and see if like
Abraham, you are not both blessed and
prove a blessing.

Last Sunday Miss Lillie Sue Settle's
class read the Scripture lesson, they
being the most punctual to arrive. This
Sunday Mrs. Miller's class will give
the 13th chapter of 1st Cor. The entire
school enjoyed the sketch given by
Mrs. Stripling of Paul's first missionary
journey. It is always a treat to listen
to so fine a Bible student as Mrs.
Stripling.

We invite all who will to join us in
the Sunday school session.

Three Sections Land For Sale

Sections 25 and 31 joining the U. S.
Experiment Station north. Also sec-
tion 21, twelve miles north of Big
Spring for sale. For particulars write
CHRIS ANDERSON
45-4t Onelda, Ill

C. S. Holmes and J. N. Dale returned
Wednesday from Christoval where
they attended the ten day Baptist En-
campment. They report a most suc-
cessful meeting with more than three
thousand in attendance. Rev. Geo.
Truett of Dallas, delivered sermons
twice each day and there was a full
program from 8:30 a. m. until night-
fall each day. Dr. S. P. Brooks of
Waco delivered two most interesting
addresses during the encampment.

Ford Truck & Deering Binder For Sale

A Ford truck practically new; also
new Deering Row Binder for sale at
reasonable prices. See them at Dun-
can place—4 miles east of town.
A. A. BARNETT

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ambrose, who
have been making their home in Tuc-
son, Ariz., since leaving Big Spring a
few years ago arrived Thursday morn-
ing for a short visit with friends before
going to San Angelo where they will
make their future home. They are
just back from an extended auto trip
to California and other points and de-
clare that West Texas looks better to
them than any place they have visited.

DOUBLE HAIR NETS...ASK TO
SEE THEM...CUNNINGHAM AND
PHILLIPS.

TOWN PESTS



Our Private Pest comes into this
Busy Office, grinning like a Hyena,
to Point out a Typographical Error
in the Paper. Like all Newspapers,
we make Errors and we Expect to
Keep Right On making Them, and
we are not Worrying very much About
It, What's More!

Shopmen Do Not Like Idea of Piecework Pay

Probabilities of a deadlock on the
proposition of paying railroad shopmen
on a piecework instead of a hourly
basis that will have to be submitted
to the United States Labor Board at
Chicago for adjudication, were in pros-
pect yesterday after an announcement
by J. A. Somerville, general manager
of the Texas and Pacific, that the
matter would be brought before the
shopmen in conferences here this week.
Representatives of the employes de-
clared they are unalterably opposed to
the piecework proposition, while offi-
cials of the Texas and Pacific stated
that if it is put into effect increased
efficiency will result. Both sides have
had representatives before the Labor
Board in the last few weeks.

The Texas and Pacific, with a number
of other railroads, has requested per-
mission of the Labor Board to put its
employes on a piecework basis, but the
proposal was referred back to the Texas
and Pacific to be worked out with
other working conditions.

Several miscellaneous rules regarding
safety devices were agreed on in the
conference held yesterday between
employes of the Texas and Pacific Rail-
way and officials on working condi-
tions, according to E. L. Organ, repre-
sentative of the car men. The rules
were general in their nature and of
minor importance, he said. C. M. Boy-
ett, spokesman for the crafts, was cal-
led home Friday on account of his
mother's illness. Conferences will be
resumed Monday morning. Most of the
crafts representatives will return to
Marshall for Sunday.

Negotiations on working conditions
between employes of the Missouri, Kan-
sas and Texas and officials which have
been conducted in St. Louis, are prac-
tically completed. C. N. Whitehead,
chief operating officer, is in charge of
the negotiations for the Katy, which
is said to be anxious to put its shop-
men on a piecework basis along with
the other Southwestern lines.—Dallas
News.

Extra precautions should now be
taken to prevent prairie fires. Smokers
should see to it that they do not
throw any lighted cigar or cigarette
stubs along the roads, and camp fires
should be completely extinguished
before you break camp. A little care-
lessness on your part means a serious loss
to owners of the land, as there is need
for all the pastureage that is available.
Be as careful as you can and help pre-
vent prairie fires, and impress upon
others the need of guarding against
these fires. Make a habit of being
careful—treat the other fellow as you
would like to be treated.

Had a big rabbit drive which the
county agent arranged in Brown Coun-
ty, Texas. 500 drivers herded some 15-
000 rabbits and killed part of them.
The big drive demonstrated two things
—that the rabbits are plentiful enough
in the southern part of the county to
destroy all crops this year and also
that rabbits can be driven in brush
territory as well as in the open. Other
drives of not quite as large proportions
were held later in the month.

Mrs. R. L. Boswell and children re-
turned Thursday morning from a visit
with relatives in Fort Worth.

Wall paper has come down, let us
figure with you...Cunningham and
Phillips.

Let Us Do
YOUR HARVESTING
We are in the market to harvest sev-
eral thousand acres of wheat, and also
for keeping your hair trimmed and con-
ditioned in a healthy and cleanly condi-
tion all the year around.
We guarantee first class tonsorial work
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An Accomplishment Not an Accident

You have less than one chance in ten thousand
becoming prosperous by chance. It is done by de-
The best start is the establishment of a bank acc-
and provisions for its growth. Come in and ta-
over.

We Will Make It Easy

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C. T. TUCKER, Manager JIM WILLIAMS

Miss Beulah Harpole who has been
attending school in Canyon is spending
a few days with her aunt and uncle,
Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lamar before re-
turning to her home in Cross Plains.

Cascara Laxative Syrup, is one of
the few remedies that we know about
and think you ought to know...Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

It is lucky that the corn
crops were made before
set in. We may do "with-
for a spell but we just
casualty.

Fresh Comb Honey
New crop of comb honey
rived. Try it. POOL-
Phone 145.

BETTER DEAD
 A burden when the body
 is with pain. Everything
 and the victim becomes
 and downhearted. To
 back the sunshine take
**GOLD MEDAL
 MARBLE OIL**
 (CANTHARIS)
 A remedy of Holland for over
 100 years. It is an enemy of all pains
 from kidney, liver and uric acid
 All druggists, three sizes.
 The name Gold Medal on every box
 and accept no imitations

If you had an opportunity to look
 at the clothes closet and lay aside
 the things which you will have no
 use for? The Red Cross will ap-
 preciate your donation of such clothing
 distributed to the needy of our
 country. You can leave this
 at the office of the Chamber
 Commerce, or phone 512 and it will
 be taken for. Do this today, you may

W. McCutchan states that crops
 better between Big Spring and
 than at any point between
 and Austin. At
 as though crops were com-
 destroyed by the hot, dry wea-
 which has been in evidence for
 weeks.

Large and mother, Mrs. N.
 returned Monday from
 where they had been to at-
 the funeral of Mrs. W. S. Single-
 at the office of the Chamber
 Commerce, or phone 512 and it will
 be taken for. Do this today, you may

Way returned last Friday
 from Dallas where he had
 to represent the federated crafts
 meeting with the T. & P. of-
 to formulate a new working

Mrs. C. L. Wasson, Miss
 Wasson and Miss Elinor Pan-
 of Chicago returned last Satur-
 from a fishing trip on
 creek near Sherwood.

T. Harrison and children of
 Texas, and M. D. L. Smith
 daughter of Childress who have
 Mrs. D. C. Maupin left
 for their homes.

T. J. Milner returned last week
 a trip to northern markets to
 a stock of fall and winter
 for the Elite Hat Shop.

E. W. Huddleston and son Wes-
 returned Monday evening from a
 auto tour to California and
 western states.

P. Ricker of Graham has
 this week for a visit with
 Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricker.

Ed Hatch returned Wednesday morn-
 ing from a business trip to Waco and
 points in South Texas. Ed states
 that crops in Central and South Texas
 are going to be very short on account
 of damage due to insect pests and the
 drought. In many places the cotton has
 been damaged fifty per cent within the
 past few weeks.

J. E. Mundell, superintendent of the
 U. S. Experiment Station, has been
 busy harvesting maize this week. He
 states that in spite of the fact that it
 has been sixty days since a good rain
 fell at the experiment farm, some of
 the plots will produce 50 bushels of
 maize to the acre.

Roy Meeser's new Chalmers roadster
 was slightly damaged in a collision
 with a Ford at the corner of East
 Third and Runnels street the first of
 the week. Only the fenders of the
 roadster were damaged in the collision.

Mrs. J. C. Smith and family left
 Thursday for Coleman to join Mr.
 Smith and make their future home in
 that city. Mr. Smith has recently been
 promoted as manager of the Wooten
 Grocery Co.'s house in that city.

A. Williams of Abilene spent Tues-
 day and Wednesday in this city on a
 prospecting trip. Mr. Williams is con-
 templating the purchase of business
 property in Big Spring.

Your Dentist: Protects your health
 and adds to your looks more than any
 other person, visit him often, and re-
 member our brushes... Cunningham &
 Phillips.

J. D. Biles, Edmond Notestine, of
 this city; John Bastett of Dallas and
 Preston McNeely of Fort Worth left
 Monday for a fishing trip on the Con-
 cho river.

Milburn Barnett returned Monday
 morning from San Antonio where he
 had been the past month in training
 at the Citizens Military Training Camp.

Mood Smith and family of Lovin-
 ton, N. M., after a visit with his sis-
 ter Mrs. D. C. Maupin and other rela-
 tives left Wednesday for their home.

Mrs. Lena Brinsko of El Paso who
 has been a guest at the home of Dr.
 and Mrs. W. C. Barnett the past six
 weeks left Sunday for her home.

Miss Sallie Jordan returned Wednes-
 day morning from Abilene where she
 had been attending Summer School at
 Simmons College.

In the Robstown district an effort
 is being made to hold the price for
 cotton picking at 50 cents per hun-
 dred pounds.

E. H. Poteet of Waco, a former
 principal of the Big Spring Schools,
 has been visiting old time friends here
 this week.

Wall paper should be put on before
 the weather gets cool, now is the time...
 Cunningham & Phillips.

T. H. Johnson and T. E. McReynolds
 returned Tuesday morning from
 a business trip to Breckenridge. While
 there they closed a deal wherein Mr.
 McReynolds traded three hundred and
 twenty acres of land located ten miles
 west of Big Spring for a new twelve
 room apartment house in Breckenridge.
 Mr. McReynolds will rent the apart-
 ment house, and continue to make his
 home in Howard county.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Broughton, Mr.
 Broughton's mother, E. M. Newton and
 family, Miss Lela Curtis and Floyd
 Ashley returned Tuesday from an auto
 trip to Titus County. They spent five
 weeks visiting relatives and while they
 thoroughly enjoyed their stay they are
 glad to be back home once more.

Many big wagon loads of water-
 melons and canteloupes raised in our
 county may be noted on the streets
 each day. We can't understand how
 they manage to keep coming on with
 the dry spell in force. Anyway you
 take it old West Texas is a wonderful
 country.

The dance which was to have been
 at the K. of P. Hall Friday night,
 August 19th was postponed on account
 of the death of J. H. Burford, a mem-
 ber of the Knights of Pythias. The
 dance will be given the first Friday
 in September, which will be Sept. 2nd.

J. B. Shockley states that the deal
 wherein he was to trade his 540 acre
 farm in the Knott community for an
 apartment house in Abilene has been
 called off. He stated that he was in-
 deed pleased when he was given an
 opportunity to backdown.

Mrs. Ben Barnett and daughter,
 Mary Louise enroute from a visit with
 her sister in Snyder to their home in
 Carlsbad, N. M., stopped over in this
 city Sunday and have been visiting
 relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. R. Kennedy enroute from a
 visit in Texarkana to her home in El
 Paso stopped over in this city this
 week for a visit with her daughter,
 Mrs. Wm. Battle.

Rexall Hair Tonic for dandruff and
 falling hair. An excellent tonic for
 stimulating the growth of the hair.
 \$1.50. Rexall store. Ward's.

Mrs. J. B. Nall has as her guest,
 her mother Mrs. H. W. Collins and
 sister Mrs. L. W. Randall of Coleman,
 Texas.

A bouncing boy arrived at the home
 of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Wheeler,
 three miles north of town, Tuesday.

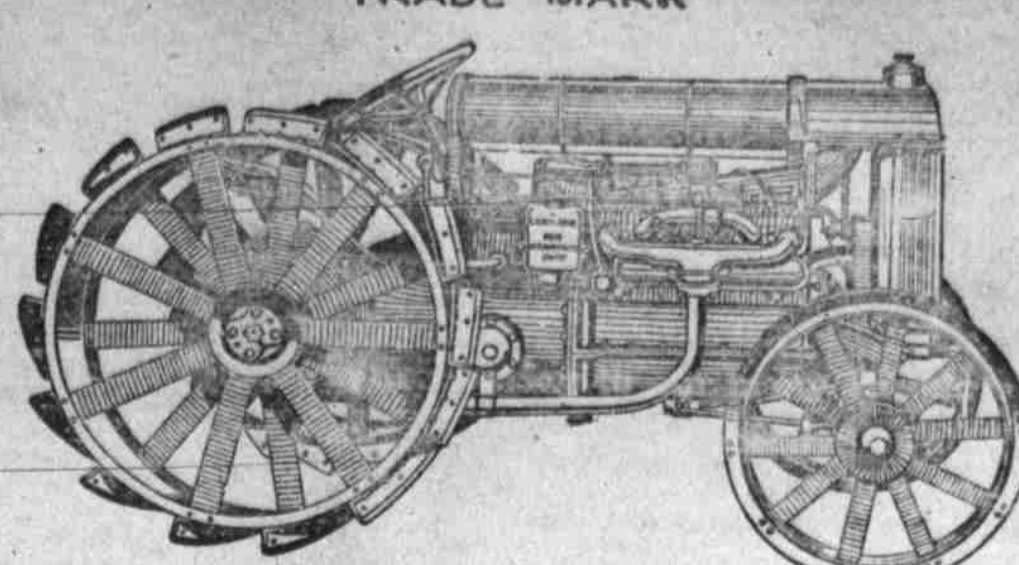
**SWEET SLEEP: THE MOSQUITO
 LOTION THAT THEY ARE ALL US-
 ING... CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.**

Mrs. D. Phillips left Sunday for a
 six weeks visit with relatives in
 Tennessee.

Our pies are unexcelled. Baked fresh
 every day. **ROBINSON'S LUNCH
 ROOM.** 48-2

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SHORTER HOURS ON THE FARM
 —The Fordson saves from thirty to fifty per cent of the
 farmer's time.

FEWER HORSES ON THE FARM
 —The Fordson does the work of from four to six horses.

LESS FARM HELP
 —One man with a Fordson can do more work easier and
 with less expense than two men with horses.

MORE MONEY FOR THE FARMER
 —A farmer with a Fordson can raise more crops easier and
 with less expense. He therefore makes more profit.

4th and Main St. **Stokes Motor Co.** Big Spring, Texas

**Red Cross Health Information
 TUBERCULOSIS**

Of all dangerous disease which exact
 levy on humanity tuberculosis or con-
 sumption is perhaps the most univer-
 sally dreaded, and with reason.

Tuberculosis is the largest single
 cause of death in middle life claiming
 one-half of deaths from all causes
 From 15 to 45 years of age it takes
 approximately one third of all deaths,
 with a grand total of about 100,000 per
 year.

Statistics from the Metropolitan Life
 Insurance Company show that one of
 its policy holders dies from consumption
 every half hour day and night the year
 round, and this is only one of the
 many companies.

Consumption is curable, but only if
 properly treated and taken early.
 Neglect is practically equivalent to
 signing the patient's death warrant.

A cough lasting longer than a month,
 loss of weight, slight fever and tired-
 ness, spitting of blood are all symptoms
 and if they appear the persons should
 at once consult a good doctor for an
 examination.

If consumption is discovered, the
 only cure is to bring the body to a
 condition of strength sufficient to re-
 sist and at length to destroy the germs.
 Medicines do little good, the best means
 being good food, rest, fresh air, out-
 door life and freedom from worry.

If the patient cannot go to a sani-
 tarium he may be treated at home
 safely with the observance of certain
 rules. He should occupy a room alone
 without rugs. He should sleep as near-
 ly in a condition to represent out-of-
 doors as possible. Windows should be
 open day and night. He should have a
 special set of dishes to be used by
 himself only. He should always spit
 into a container and the sputum be
 destroyed and the container burned or
 thoroughly cleansed frequently, as the
 spit is the most active means of spread-
 ing the disease.

Keep away dampness, dirt and dark-
 ness from the environment of the patient.
 Sunshine, pure air and cleanliness are
 the greatest aids in fighting the plague.
 Use them freely, and keep the patient
 under the care of the doctor.

**SAY MISTER!
 Stop! Look! Listen!**

STOP—for a minute and let me tell you what we have to sell.
 All kinds of cow feed bran, shorts, cake, meal, sweetco, hulls,
 cow-chow, maize, chops, cotton seed, alfalfa, prairie and johnson
 grass; horse feed, in addition to the above, which is good for
 horses. We have oats, corn, maize and corn chops.
 Chicken feed: specially prepared mixed feed for little chix. Also
 wheat and hen-chow.

LOOK—for us. Come to see us. Get our prices.

LISTEN—In addition to the above we have a garage; one of
 the best mechanics to be had.

Our Transfer and Storage is complete. We handle everything
 in the Transfer business with ease. Both Trucks and teams. We
 have plenty of good dry room for Storage now.
 We guarantee all of our work, both mechanical and transfer.
 If you want to save.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

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"A Check Book"

INCREASES YOUR STANDING IN YOUR COMMUNITY

It broadens your influence, widens the scope of your useful-
 ness, and stamps you with the label of success.

It encourages Thrift—just suppose everybody had placed on
 deposit a part of their big wages during flush times—we would not
 be having hard times now if they had.

Commence the forward movement today. Open an account
 with us no matter how small the beginning.

When you visit our bank be sure we will endeavor to please
 you and render you every possible assistance—because that's one
 of our policies—Courteous Service.

Consult us any and all times.

"THE BANK WHERE YOU FEEL AT HOME"

West Texas Nat'l. Bank

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Lightning started a prairie fire in
 the northern part of the county last
 week but those living in the neigh-
 borhood of Richland and Morris exting-
 uished the blaze in time to prevent a
 great amount of damage. The fire
 burned all around the Walter Morris
 home, four or five hundred acres of
 grass being destroyed.

**WE HAVE ACCEPTED THE
 AGENCY FOR THE SUN COMPANY
 OF SAN ANTONIO AND SEND OFF
 FILMS AND HAVE KODAKS RE-
 PAIRED. CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.**

The little old dry spell this year
 seems to be covering a considerable
 scope of country and there are but
 few sections that are not needing rain.
 Not only in the U. S. A., but also in
 a severe drought being experienced
 throughout Europe.

Is Your Motto—"Keep Smiling!"
 INVESTIGATE
 Chiropractic-Massage
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 BIG SPRING, TEXAS
 Over Jones Bros. Grocery Store
 Office Phone 281.

DR. E. H. HAPPELL
 Dentist
 Office Over West Texas National Bank
 Big Spring, Texas.

And sometimes you can flatter a
 man by telling him he is not suscep-
 tible to flattery.

A Paris scientist says a kiss weighs
 two milligrams. Well, that would be
 one way to reduce.

VICTIMS RESCUED

Kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles are most dangerous because of their insidious attacks. Heed the first warning they give that they need attention by taking



The world's standard remedy for these ailments will often ward off the danger of attacks. Three signs, all of them, are: backache, stiffness, and aching joints. Get the Gold Medal Oil and accept no substitutes.

A \$50.00 Scholarship

The fifty dollar scholarship to the Farm Boys Division of the Summer School of the A. and M. College of Texas given by the Mistletoe Creameries has been awarded to Curtis A. Beasley, Station A, Route 2, Dallas, Texas, for the best essay on the subject, "Why I should like to be a Dairy Farmer," according to a letter received from J. W. Ridgway of the Dairy Department of the Mistletoe Creameries.

Through the courtesy of R. W. Persons, Assistant State Agent in charge of Boys Agricultural Club Work Extension Service, the prize essay is reproduced herewith as follows:

Why I Should Like To Be A Dairy Farmer.

"If in choosing the vocation to which I intended to devote my life work, I were to look about me at the different occupations which my friends and acquaintances are pursuing and favoring me, should attempt to decide, my choice would be that of a Dairy Farmer. If we were to tour the United States studying the general conditions of the people we would find the most contented people on the dairy farms. Here we would also find the best improved and best kept premises.

"There is a larger return for your labor in the dairy business than any other. Take for instance the man who keeps no cows at all, or only one, which his wife or daughter milks, he gets up and goes to the field at sunrise and two hours later the man who has milked fifteen cows starts his milking. At night the dairyman puts up his team, milks his cows and from his laboratory watches his neighbor unharvest his team. In the fall, both harvest their crops, receiving practically the same. Then it is that the old farmer inquires as to the source of the money that bought the new car, paid for the Seven Hundred Dollar Bull, and repainted the house and barn. The answer is, "that steady income derived from the dairy cow."

"I prefer the dairy business above others for many reasons: First, it is the surest way of maintaining soil fertility. Second, it is by far the most profitable line of livestock business. Third, it brings in an income every

day of the year and helps the living expenses of a family through the winter when there is no other profitable work in which the farmer can engage. Fourth, The cows will pay a good price for any foodstuffs you may raise and often roughage that is not suitable for the market. They buy it right at home thereby saving the farmer much hauling.

Fifth, By keeping only purebred dairy cattle and raising all the calves from the best cows on skim-milk, home raised oats and hay, and thereby have another income from this source.

Sixth, There are more ways to sell or utilize dairy products than any agricultural products.

Seventh, It encourages regularity with the other farm work. The cows can be fed and milked by persons not physically able to do other and heavier farm work.

Eighth, It offers advantages to the man with an education since there is more opportunity for applying science in the dairy business than any other place on the farm.

Ninth, My father is now that kind of farmer and has paid for a valuable farm largely through cows, and lastly, because I like the work and am sure that I will profit according to my ability."

W. F. Cushing was in Wednesday from his ranch twenty miles southeast of Big Spring and was in about as good humor as a human could be. You may guess why when you learn that he had a four inch rain at his ranch Tuesday afternoon, the rain starting at 3:30 o'clock and continuing until dark. Then too the Enders-Cushing well on his ranch has all the ear-marks of a real oil well and Mr. Cushing thinks he is going to make 'em all sit up and take notice within the next few weeks.

Three cent postage on first-class mail is certain to be ordered as one means of increasing revenue, likewise a tax of 2 cents on every check. Now that the Republicans won the election they are almost ready to admit that there will be no material reductions in the tax burdens in this year or next.

Charles Akers returned from El Paso last week and will again enter the service of the Texas & Pacific as a conductor. Mr. Akers has been on an extended leave of absence and continues to hold his rights.

Just a week or so before our big rain arrived in August last year, a series of showers made their appearance and perhaps the weatherman is going to observe the same program this year.

Arnold Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Jackson of this city who is attending Motor Transport School at Camp Normale, won the first place in a relay race, time 55 3-5 seconds.

New Crop Hay For Sale

Fresh cut Prairie Hay for sale, \$20 per ton or 65 cents per bale. See me at the Big Spring Market. 46-2-pd ROY ESTES.

Barbecue—It's fine, always. POOL-REED CO.

Mrs. Ed Millholland of Stanton was shopping in this city Tuesday.

"It's so clean," that's what they say about our fountain....Cunningham & Phillips.

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

Recall "33" Shampoo prevents dandruff, makes the hair soft and glossy. 63c at Ward's.

A charming daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Thomas Thursday, July 28.

Joe Elliott of San Angelo, scout for the Texas Company, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. T. L. Jackson who has been visiting at San Antonio is now visiting her sister at Toga, Texas.

Frank Heffley who was called here by the illness of his mother returned to San Antonio Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. S. Clough returned Wednesday morning from Seymour where she had been on account of the illness of her brother.

Well, we won't have hot weather to grumble about after August but most of us will be able to find something else to peave us.

Miss Mattie Leatherwood returned Monday from Alvarado where she was called last week by the illness and death of her uncle.

Miss Margaret Welson after a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Max Welson returned to Fort Worth, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Hurt and daughter Mrs. M. R. Shelton, returned Saturday evening from a visit with Dr. Jno. B. Thomas and family at Midland.

Business goes where it is invited—advertise; and it remains where it is well treated—give good, prompt and efficient service with every order.

Straw hats go out of style September First. Get your last Fall's hat ready now by having it cleaned and blocked PERRY THE Hatter

If you have worries and troubles and would forget them, you can do so by following Mark Twain's advice—buy and wear a pair of shoes that are too tight. Of course this will not apply to the gentler sex.

To write a single letter of the Alphabet requires from two to three hundred thousand processes, all of which are controlled by the mind. All these motions started by the brain occur almost instantaneously, but if they were to be performed consciously, years would be consumed in the process of writing one letter in a word

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Saturday, August 6th, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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The necessity for First Aid is in a large measure due to injuries resulting from accidents that can be avoided by reasonable care and foresight.

Do not walk on railroad tracks. When you approach a railroad crossing, Stop, Look and Listen. More than 1500 human beings killed and twice 1500 seriously injured on railroad crossings each year.

Never cross a street without looking both ways to note approaching vehicles and only cross at street crossings.

Do not try to read your newspaper while walking on a public thoroughfare.

Even though a good swimmer, it is dangerous to go into deep water when there are no other persons near to assist you in case of accident.

Avoid the possibility of fire. Never pour kerosene on a fire. Keep matches away from children.

Motorists should slow down, sound horn and have car under control when approaching a crossing.

It is better to yield some of your own rights than to have an accident which might cause a death.

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STOP—for a minute and let me tell you what we have to sell. All kinds of cow feed bran, shorts, cake, meal, sweetco, hulls, cow-chow, maize, chops, cotton seed, alfalfa, prairie and johnson grass; horse feed, in addition to the above, which is good for horses. We have oats, corn, maize and corn chops. Chicken feed: specially prepared mixed feed for little chix. Also wheat and hen-chow.

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Not until the citizenship back up the officials in the suppression of crime can we hope to see the enforcement of our laws. If you know of any violations of the law it is your duty as a good citizen to report same to the proper officials. Standing back and criticising because the laws are being broken is silly—help catch those guilty if you want our laws respected.

John Schram returned Sunday morning from a six weeks' visit with Wm. Reidy at Clyde. John states that the Clyde section is in fine shape and is going to make a bumper feed crop. He had an especially delightful time, and as for spring chicken and other "good eats", he had them to his hearts content.

It might not be an unwise idea to begin to think of securing that supply of coal for the coming winter. Dealers are inclined to believe that coal is liable to be difficult to secure later on and then too, the price is certain to increase.

The marketing of the wheat crop has relieved conditions in many sections and with cotton and feed crops coming on the market within the next month or so conditions are due to show a marked improvement in our own locality.

The canned coffee you are using may have been roasted and ground more than twelve months. Try the Royal, it is fresh. The Royal Coffee Co., 113 Main street. Phone 614.

Mrs. Iva Sultzer is here for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Christian. During the past year Mrs. Sultzer has been touring through Europe and the continent of Africa.

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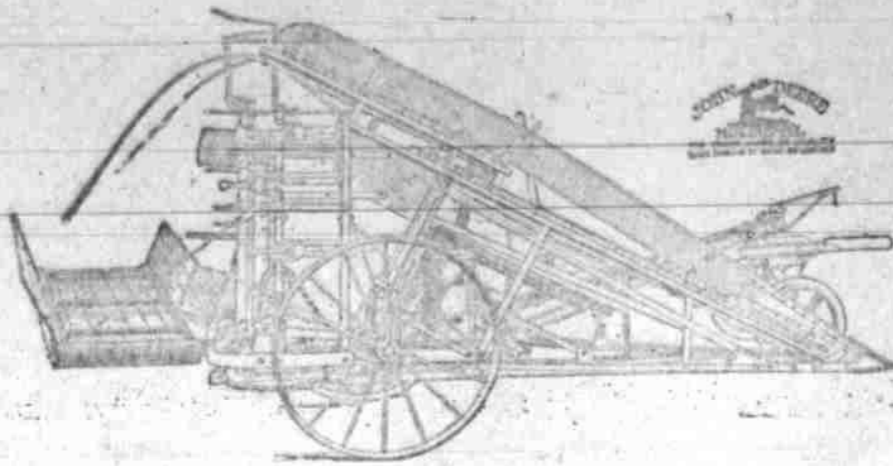
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"I was hardly able to drag, I was so weakened," writes Mrs. W. F. Ray, of Easley, S. C. "The doctor treated me for about two months, still I didn't get any better. I had a large family and felt I surely must do something to enable me to take care of my little ones. I had heard of

CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

"I decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took eight bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have had no more trouble with womanly weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my housework and a lot outdoors. . . I can sure recommend Cardui."

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Henry Ford's Finances

People who were worrying a while back over reports that Henry Ford was about to go broke, and thought of getting up a subscription for him, can now take their hands out of their pockets. For Henry, in spite of keen competition and the general talk of business depression, does not dodge his grocer and the collector for his pressing club is not asked to call again. According to the former editor of the Ford paper, the Ford Motor Company profits for May exceeded those of any other month in its history, reaching the sum of \$18,000,000. The May production was 97,914 cars and the profit on each car was \$189.16. Because of this profit the price of the car was reduced again, but in spite of this the June profits, when all the bookkeeping is completed, promise to exceed those of May.

On the first of last month all outstanding bills were paid, current bills provided for, and a surplus of over six millions accumulated. Kind hearted folks need not worry about Henry Ford. He is getting along very well, thank you.

And there will be very little envy of his prosperity. He sells his automobiles at low prices, and he pays his workmen top wages. We do not recall that there has ever been any labor trouble in his plants, and he has not been accused of unfair business methods. Henry Ford's success makes one wonder what is the matter with some other big business men. Is it because they do not follow his methods, or is it because he has been particularly lucky in picking out the things to manufacture and sell?

A Complete Experience

An American doctor is reported to have removed his own appendix. We learn subsequently, from force of habit, he sent himself a bill, and suffered a serious relapse. The Passing Show (London.)

Our Foreign Trade

The steady dwindling of our foreign trade is one reason why so many men are idle in this country. Other countries want our goods—billions of dollars worth—just as much as we want their orders. But they are unable to pay.

Bankers have wrestled with the problem. They have formed a \$100,000,000 corporation to finance exports, but this will be slow in functioning and its possibilities are overestimated according to big exporters.

The result of this situation, says John McHugh, a New York banker, is that our foreign trade is going on a primitive barter basis.

The barter system works something like this: Cotton growers formed the Mississippi Delta Export and Trading company. Their first shipment is 50,000 bales of cotton. It is sent to an American agent in Hamburg. He distributes it to textile mills in Germany and Czechoslovakia. These mills turn the raw cotton into finished goods, a satisfactory portion of which is sent back to Mississippi to pay for the cotton.

An American manufacturer of electrical equipment is shipping his wares to Europe and taking bristles and eggs in return. Another manufacturer swaps American pottery for Japanese silk.

This system of barter, or swapping, is taking us back a good many thousands of years, to the days before money was invented as a medium of exchange.

It seems primitive, but export trade is an ultimate loss unless we eventually balance our books by getting back an equivalent amount of commodities in the form of exports.

Gold received in foreign trade is merely a form of note calling for reciprocal shipments of imports in the future. We can't eat gold.

Say, Neighbor, have you tried Pool-Reed Co. Market? Yes! They have the best steak—it's so tender—just like a spring chicken. They make prompt delivery, too. When you want meat, we get it to you right now. POOL-REED CO.

"When the whole blame world seems gone to pot and business is on the bum, a cheerful grin and a lifted chin helps some, my boy, helps some."

A hen doesn't stop scratching when the bugs and worms are scarce. She increases the effort to make a living for herself and her care.

The best men in any neighborhood are the fellows who can think for themselves and act for all the rest.

A Man's Best Asset

The credit man of one of the largest business houses in the country, one having customers in nearly every city and town in every State, was asked the other day what was his main rule in granting credit. "I try to get a line on the personal life of my customer," he replied. "I want to know whether he leads a clean life or a dissipated one; I want to know if he is economical and prudent in his business affairs. My information on that line has more to do with granting credit than almost anything else."

A banker in a neighboring city has the same views. Not long ago a man came to him for a loan. He had securities worth eight or ten times the amount that he wanted to borrow, but the loan was refused. One of the bank directors heard about the incident and asked about it. "Yes," replied the old banker, "the man had ample security, and the loan no doubt would have been safe. But I happen to know that he is leading a very wicked life; he is doing things which will involve him in disgrace sooner or later and I would much prefer that some other bank handle his business."

A man's good character is his best asset. Reputation is based upon character and business men judge a man by his reputation. This has always been the case, but never more so than now. A man's good character tried and proven, is his best asset and his best friend.

B. Y. P. U. Meeting

The members of the B. Y. P. U. will meet at the First Baptist church, Aug. 7, at 7:00 p. m.

House called to order—President.
Minutes—Secretary.
Subject: Devotional meeting, Blameless and Harmless.

Leader—Mamie Padgett.
Hymn—"Take My Life and Let It Be."

Scripture reading—Frances Stokes.
Introduction—Leader.

Prayer—Mrs. Barber.
Such Christians will render willing obedi-

ences—Anna Agnell.
Such Christians will work out their Salvation in Lives of Service—Jessie Fleher.

Piano Solo—Louise Davies.
Such Christians will render cheerful service—Frances Sullivan.

Blameless, if not perfect—Ruby Miller.
Light bearers for the world—Otho Welch.

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

Dismissal—Mr. Conger.
Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Amusing "Breaks"

From an Old New York History: "Albany is the second largest city in the state. It has 1100 inhabitants and 600 houses, all standing with their gable ends to the street."

A merchant of Natchez was once amused at receiving a bill of lading for ten boxes of "tomatoes." Subsequent investigation showed that it should have been tomato catsup.

A Biography of Robert Ferris, finished in an Irish manner, concluded with the following remarkable sentence: "This extraordinary man left no children behind him except his brother, who was killed at the same time."

The author of a radical total-abstinence novel wrote in his book, "Drunkness is folly." He was much chagrined when the work came home from the press to find that the printer had made it read, "Drunkness is Jolly."

WANTED: a young man to take charge of a pair of horses with a religious turn of mind.

"Parasol—a protection against the sun, used by ladies made of cotton and whalebone."

Number of Automobiles in Use

According to figures compiled by the State Highway Department, made public in July, 412,332 automobiles had been registered in Texas for the first six months of the present calendar year, against 430,320 registered during the entire calendar year of 1920. This increase in the ownership of automobiles rather proves that times are not as hard as most folks imagine.

Even Howard county is holding her own with the balance of Texas for the record shows 765 automobiles registered in this county for the past six months or 46 more than were registered during the 12 months of 1920.

This gives Howard county folks one automobile to every nine persons. Cars per population in the United States average one to every 14.14 persons. The average in each state varying from one car to every 6.07 persons in California and one car to every 6.12 persons in Iowa, to one car in Mississippi to every 45 persons.

We'd have fewer grouches and disappointments among the menfolks if we got out of doors and played scrub ball with the kids every day from April to October and worked up a good sweat.

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I make old hats new. PERRY THE Hatter.
Mexico has apparently settled up and may now begin to settle up.
The trouble will come in trying to keep congress from budging from the budget commission's report.
Lots of men keep out of jail by having sufficient nerve to break law.
Some chaps seem to think they have been badly used because the ladder of success wasn't equipped with a rungs.
Bonding companies say fat men more honest than thin ones.