

# The Big Spring Herald

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## US OF THE OIL SITUATION

### Showing Encountered in Cushing Test at a Depth of 2580 Feet

#### Evidence-Cushing Test

In the Ender-Cushing Cushing ranch southeast of Cushing are considerable encouragements showing encountered in the well this week. At 2580 feet of pulverized lime with water is evidence. A test was run on the well to see if it would be favorable.

It has only penetrated five feet so it is impossible to estimate just yet as to how much will amount to. The well is now confronting the problem of how to shut off water which is coming just above the lime. It will be necessary to lower the present casing to a good seat and if a good seat is made this task should be completed.

Well is now nearing the 3000 feet mark. The well No. 1 of the General is showing much interest attaches to the well and showing at the Cushing field manager for the Cushing Drilling Association Thursday night from where he had been to have the well reworked. While drilling the Ender-Cushing test well of the week the drill bit in the well, but by the time the bit hung to the well the tools were drawn. The bit dropped on the tools cleared the hole and three days to have the well including the time to make the trip to and from the well.

#### the Ender Test

These in charge of development in the Cushing section for the Cushing Drilling Association, is going to make plans for making tests on acreage in that section which is controlled by his company.

The wells to be located in this territory. Some of which has been ordered for material already been received. Material ordered is now being cleaned out Foster No. 1. The well is practically completed and it is put this well on the line for near future.

Development of men who understand oil business, this well is showing up better than most. Just because they have had lack in bringing in a quantity of water trouble and some folks are inclined to think all men are firm in their opinion as to what is going to make a company.

#### Home Company Test

Disposition has been submitted to the operating oil company to complete Quinn well in Big Spring Production Co. This well is known at present. It is believed that the trustees will answer next week.

Dispositive of another oil company is being proposed along with the well and will be given this company falls to the company.

#### General Oil Company

Well No. 1 of the General is the only test on which progress has been in progress. This test is especially important as the depth is approaching 3000 feet for oil if it exists.

No. 1 has been cased and is to be restarted when a new well is secured. No. 1 is pumped by heads secured used for fuel oil.

#### the Williams Test

Work is in progress at the well forty-five miles north of Cushing. The well was cut off when five and six inch casing was set at the well.

Work has been made to the well to a depth of 4500 feet. It is not encountered at a depth of 4500 feet.

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## False Reports Concerning Our Schools

Have you heard that the Big Spring schools were going to the bad, losing credits and falling down generally? Some of our folks have. It seems that the reports are not only being peddled in Big Spring but at other points we hear reports of the deplorable condition of the schools are in circulation.

It's queer how some folks enjoy spreading false or hurtful propoganda when there is nothing to be gained and an institution of greatest worth to the community crippled by the false report and rumors.

It's also queer why we enjoy spreading these hurtful reports when we could easily investigate and learn whether or not the information being peddled was false or true, and thus prevent anyone from maliciously hurting our schools or any other institution.

An investigation discloses the fact that the Big Spring Schools has not lost any credits of affiliation with the University of Texas but on the other hand has gained one-half a point making the total credits at this time 24 1-2 points.

Who is best able to judge as to whether the schools are doing poor work, an examiner from the State University whose duty it is to make a thorough survey of school activities or some one who is dependent on reports or rumors from Tom, Dick and Harry.

Most of you remember reading the report on the Big Spring Schools made by the State Examiner which was published in The Herald some two or three months ago.

Didn't this report state, that the teachers and pupils were doing good work but were hampered by overcrowding in rooms and lack of apparatus for laboratory. Are the schools to blame for the lack of teachers and the lack of apparatus or are we the people to blame.

Just keep these facts in mind and the next time you hear someone knocking the schools get him to tell you where he is getting his information—cite the facts to him—and try to ascertain what he hopes to gain by injuring our schools.

## M. H. Brasher to Move to Abilene

It is with regret that our people receive the announcement that we are to lose M. H. Brasher and family as citizens of Big Spring. They will leave next week for Abilene where they will make their future home. Mr. Brasher will be district representative of the Indiana State Life Insurance Co. with headquarters in Abilene.

In his new home and in his new line of work Mr. Brasher will have the well wishes of a host of warm friends here. If he puts half the energy and time to the insurance game that he devoted to school work while serving in the capacity of superintendent of the Big Spring schools there is not a doubt but he will prove a valuable representative for his company. He is a live wire, a fireless worker and a most desirable citizen and Abilene can count on another booster as a result of his moving to that city.

While we indeed regret to lose Mr. Brasher as a citizen of Big Spring, we wish for him and his estimable family a full measure of success and happiness in their new home.

## Mexican Slashed With Razor

Ruperto Subia, aged about 57 years, was brutally assaulted by a robber at his home in the northwestern part of the city about midnight, Wednesday. The burglar used a razor, and cut three deep gashes in the throat and face of Subia, and his hands were deeply slashed when he threw them up to protect his face. Subia is reported to have a considerable sum of money hid about his home and it is supposed that this explains the murderous attack made on him.

A young Mexican who recently came to this city from Pecos has been arrested charged with this crime. While Subia suffered considerable from loss of blood his injuries will not prove fatal.

## Moves Into New Quarters

Geo. W. Miller has been here from Graham this week to superintend the moving of the Miller Studio from the Cole Hotel building to the space in the Lester Fisher building, over the Empire Kandy Kitchen.

The new quarters were arranged for the Willis Art Gallery when the building was constructed, so with an ideal skylight and other conveniences it will prove an ideal studio.

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## COUNTY RECEIVES A GOOD SOAKING

### Fine Rain Arrives to Give Growing Crops a Needed Boost—Prospects Never Brighter

It was a sure enough rain that made its appearance about 10 o'clock last Monday night and was general in scope. "The best rain of the year," is the verdict of many, and especially of those who happened to be in sections where the rainfall has continued to be light.

Considerable wind accompanied the rain during its first appearance but the wind subsided and the rain came down nicely and steadily for three hours or more.

A decided drop in the temperature was also apparent and it was feared that a destructive hail storm was due. Some sections report damage to crops due to hail, but in the greater portion of the county there was no hail or not enough to do any material damage.

The rainfall is estimated all the way from three-quarters of an inch to two inches or more. At the U. S. Experiment Station here the rainfall registered 1.25 inches.

This rain could not have come at a more opportune time as some sections were beginning to need rain if crops were not to be stunted; and grass lands in the southwestern part of our county, especially were suffering from a shortage of moisture.

Those of our farmers who had crops free of weeds were in big luck as this rain will almost insure good feed crops and they can soon be laid by. Cottons too, is going to do mighty well due to the coming of this ground soaking rain.

Below we give a comparison of the rainfall for the first six months of 1921 as compared with the twenty year average. These figures were supplied by J. E. Mundell Supt. of the U. S. Experiment Station:

Precipitation Jan. 1 to June 21, 1921:	
January	.25
February	.71
March	1.34
April	.11
May	3.69
June	2.74
Total	8.84
21 year average Jan. 1 to July 1:	
January	.43
February	.58
March	.73
April	1.76
May	2.42
June	2.24
Total	8.16

## Residence Destroyed Wednesday

A residence at 307 Bell street, owned by Luther Dale, together with all the household furnishings were totally destroyed by fire about five o'clock Wednesday morning.

The roof and the side of one room on a residence located just south of the Dale residence, owned by C. G. Simmons, was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars. The household goods of C. G. and W. N. Simmons were damaged somewhat in being removed when the residence seemed doomed, and clothing, bed clothing, etc. were damaged by sparks from the flying embers.

The fire had gained good headway before the fire alarm was turned in, and though it was too late to save the structure in which the fire originated, the fire department did excellent work in saving the adjacent property as the residences in that block are near together.

Mr. Dale is of the opinion that the oil stove exploded, as he had lighted the oil stove and had gone outside and in a few minutes the building was seemingly on fire all over. Mrs. Dale and baby were not at home, being on a visit to relatives at Baird.

## W. J. Garrett Seils 280 Yearlings

W. J. Garrett last week sold two hundred and eighty yearlings for twenty-four dollars around. Dr. J. T. O'Barr purchased one hundred and thirty-two head of yearling Herefords and this was as fine a bunch of young stuff as one could wish to see. They will be kept as breeding stock and were delivered to Dr. O'Barr at Konohasset.

D. M. Trammell of Midland purchased one hundred and forty-eight head of yearling Hereford steers from Mr. Garrett and these were well bred animals. This bunch was delivered in Big Spring for shipment to Kansas City, Mo.

## Bugs & Holes

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## Meeting of Executive Committee

Meeting of the Executive committee of the Howard County Chapter of the American Red Cross was held at the office of the Chamber of Commerce Saturday, June 18th, 1921, at 5:00 p. m. Present were:

- J. W. Harrison, Vice Chairman
- J. T. Brown
- Ben Hardy
- F. B. Etson
- Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt
- Mrs. J. T. Brooks
- Miss Nell Hatch
- W. W. Rix

The resignation of Mrs. P. G. Stokes as Chairman of the Chapter was read and accepted with regrets, and with a vote of thanks to Mrs. Stokes for the valuable services rendered during her term of office. Mr. J. W. Harrison was duly elected Chairman and Mr. Ben Hardy, Vice Chairman. Mrs. J. T. Brown having accepted the Chairmanship of the Auxiliary Service was added to the Executive Committee Messrs F. B. Etson and S. W. Kendrick were also added to the Executive Committee.

Mr. Harrison reported \$1390.86 on hand with the Treasurer this date. Miss Huff who has been here about a week looking over the local field suggested our introducing Nutrition Work in the Public Schools which would necessitate employing some qualified person probably two months and possibly three months at an expense of about \$200.00 per month. This work consists of examining and weighing all pupils in the schools and keeping records of same, and suggesting corrective measures when found deficient in any way. Action on this matter was deferred until it could be ascertained whether or not the school board would cooperate in this work and a committee consisting of J. T. Brown, Miss Barnes, W. W. Rix was appointed to consult with the school board.

Miss Barnes, who is executive secretary and also director of play ground work, reported from forty to one hundred twenty-five children as taking active interest in this work.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

W. W. RIX, Secretary.

## West Texas Electric Co. Improvements

The West Texas Electric Co. have a force of men at work in our city making substantial improvements in remodeling the wiring in the business section as well as making improvements at the power plant.

C. D. Kelly of Dallas is in charge of remodeling the wiring in the business section and is now engaged in this work. According to the plans outlined all primary lines are to be moved from Main street to the alleys and the business section is to be divided into four zones to improve the service and minimize trouble, especially trouble usually occasioned by electrical storms. Only light wires will be strung along Main street. Thirty days will be required to complete the work and in addition to labor costs, there will be a big expense account for thirty-five new poles, hundreds of pounds of heavy wire, transformers, etc.

D. B. Snyder is giving the 225 horsepower Delsel engine at the power plant a thorough overhauling and will install new cylinders, new heads and new pistons and when he completes his work this powerful engine will be as good as new.

F. P. Reagan of Dallas, construction auditor of the Texas Power and Light Co., was here last Friday to give his O. K. to the improvement.

The Big Spring folks appreciate the efforts of the West Texas Electric Co. to render top-notch service and realize they are going to considerable expense to improve electric light and power service.

## Read-Russell

At the Presbyterian Manse at 8:30 o'clock, Thursday, June 16th, Rev. J. W. Harrison performed the ceremony which united in marriage Willard R. Read and Miss Ruby Louise Russell two of our well known and popular young people.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a visit on the Read ranch north of Coahoma.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Russell of this city, and is loved and esteemed by a wide circle of friends. The groom is one of our dependable young men, and one who enjoys the respect and esteem of young and old.

We join many friends in extending best wishes for a full measure of happiness and prosperity.

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## PREPARING AGRICULTURAL EXHIBIT

### Our Folks Requested to Bring in Best of Products of Farm, Garden and Orchard

A permanent Agricultural Exhibit is going to be secured by the Chamber of Commerce and everyone in Howard County is requested to aid in making it one that will reflect credit on our county if sent to the Dallas Fair or other fairs to compete with other counties.

All products of farm, garden and orchard are desired so if you have bigger and better vegetables, fruit, grain and feed crops save samples of the best for this exhibit. Preserved and canned fruit might well be included.

A fine agricultural exhibit is a mighty fine advertisement for a county and it would pay our folks to prepare a winner.

Last year at the State Fair at Dallas, the exhibit sent from Howard County by the Chamber of Commerce was awarded a prize. And, if most of you can remember, this exhibit was secured and arranged on short notice.

It takes time to secure and prepare a creditable exhibit, and for that reason Miss Nell Hatch secretary of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce is serving notice on Howard County folks that she wants their aid and cooperation in securing an exhibit that will win praise and honors for our county. A start on the exhibit will be made at once, so when you have specimens of farm, garden or orchard products that you deem especially fine bring them to the office of the Chamber of Commerce opposite the postoffice.

Let us not wait until the last minute to plan an exhibit this year, but bring in your best specimens from time to time.

## John Rix Accepts Responsible Position.

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Mr. Rix while with the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co., of this city, made a special study of steel cabinets being in charge of the Safe Cabinet department of Rix's store here, and being a wide-awake and progressive salesman will prove a valuable representative for the Melink Steel Safe Co. While we wish him and his estimable family every success in their new home we regret to note their departure from our city.

## Elks Defeat Picked Crew

The Elks team and a picked team held a friendly contest at the ball park Sunday afternoon but the game proved to be very one sided. The picked crew scored in only one inning; in which they secured four scores while the Elks picked up a total of twelve scores. Anderson and McNew of the Elks each secured a home run, Harry Hurt twirled for the Elks and Canada was on the firing line for the opposing team.

## Rix's Win Two Prizes

During February 1921 The Central Oil & Gas Stove Co., manufacturers of The Florence Oil Stove put on a window display contest, that covered the United States, offering many cash prizes for the best displays. The Rix Furniture & Undertaking Co. got the 2nd and 6th prizes in this contest. The Lubbock house getting the second prize and the Big Spring house getting sixth.

## Program For Friday July 1st

At the Methodist church, Friday night, July 1st at 8 o'clock there will be given an entertainment given by the Juniors.

Two plays and a Flag Drill besides readings and songs. One play taking forty-five minutes. Come and be entertained and at the same time help the Juniors raise their fifty dollars pledge. Adult 20c Children 10c.

## Glasscock County Land Sold

Mr. L. A. Lane has recently sold his 3800 acre ranch in Glasscock County to W. H. Martin for a consideration of \$10 per acre. Mr. Lane retained his livestock and as a part of the deal obtained the W. H. Martin residence in Lakeview where Mr. Lane plans to make his future home after a short trip in old Mexico via Del Rio—San Angelo Standard.

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## 4th of July Doings

A few years ago Big Spring had as good a small Band as any town along the T. P., but not receiving much support from our local people, it died out. The interest in having a Band has revived, and The Herald is glad to note that a new Band has been organized recently of 30 pieces. All the old time players have gone into the organization with the determination to make it go and many young players have joined with them so that they will soon be able to furnish music for all occasions when such would add to any event that might be pulled off by Big Spring. The new Band is under the Management of Stan Alderman and we will see their first appearance on the Fourth of July, when the Band will join with the Legion in having the best celebration the Old Town has seen for a long time.

All the boys of both organizations are spending every day in arranging for this big event, which will be held at Parrish Park, formerly known as the Roper Park. We will give a full program of the Celebration in our next issue, but we understand that it will consist of a Big Basket Dinner at the Park, followed by a good Speaker and many events and stunts to please and entertain those who will attend. About 4:30 there will be the greatest attraction in the way of a base ball game that you ever saw. And "The End of a Perfect Day" will come with a Grand Ball to be held at the McDowell Hall. Special music will be rendered for this ball and a large orchestra will dispense tickle-toe music for the dancers.

The Boys are not asking a cent of contribution from any one, and are depending upon the liberal patronage of the people to cover the many expenses connected with this celebration. Every thing will be placed at a low price so that all can come and have a good old time.

Keep this in mind and watch next week's Herald for the full program.

## West Texans on Trip to Mexico

On Board West Texas Special, June 19—Members of West Texas Chamber of Commerce special were praising the special Mexican edition of The Star-Telegram which was circulated on the train Sunday morning.

The edition, comprising sixteen pages, is entirely in Spanish, and is replete with stories about Western Texas and Fort Worth resources. Advertisements of West Texas and Fort Worth concerns, in Spanish, in the newspapers. Twenty thousand copies are on the train for distribution.

Judge T. A. Bledsoe, who lived for ten years in Mexico City, and is official interpreter for the train, and is conversant with colloquial Spanish, praised the edition and declared "it would be the sensation of the year in Mexico."

"The translation is absolutely perfect," Judge Bledsoe said. "I have just read it through and there is a noticeable lack of even typographical errors. The Star-Telegram translator was able to translate the articles perfectly with a fluency that makes it appear like a native newspaper. There is not an awkward translation in it."

"Editorially the edition is superb. References to Mexico are couched in the most diplomatic language, and are certain to evoke great appreciation in Mexico. There is nothing of the idle flattery in the editorials, but it brims with sincerity, and I predict that this trip will result in great good to Fort Worth and West Texas."

Jesse Adams of Plainview, the editor of the Plainview Herald, also praised the edition. The edition contains a story about Plainview and its stock raising and wheat production.

Judge Bledsoe has been appointed official interpreter. He is a lawyer and has had legal experience both in the United States and Mexico.

## 500 Buicks Driven From Factory

A procession of automobiles eighteen and one-half miles long left the Buick Motor Co's factory at Flint, Mich., June 15th, marking a revival of business in the automobile world. This gigantic sale wherein five hundred Buick representatives were present to accept a Buick car for delivery in the Chicago territory was the most impressive sales demonstration in the history of the business, illustrating in its very magnitude the position which Buick holds in the industry.

## Take Out Drivers License

Notice is served that all those who expect to operate a service car in Big Spring on July 4th must secure a service car driver's license. This license can be secured at the office of the county tax collector.

This warning should be sufficient and any one found operating a service car without the proper authority will be prosecuted.

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**How the Business World Looks at the Farmers Who Refuse to Organize and Its Methods of Working Them**

(Picked up from the Business World, here and there)

Many farmers refuse to organize because they have been farming so long that they know all about it. Well, it is strange that such well posted men will let every other class pilfer him, he is therefore classified as follows: He is the "sickest guy," the "freest slave," the "smartest ignoramus," the "wisest fool," the "bravest coward," the most "truthful liar," the "purest sinner" and by far the most "honest rascal" the world ever saw. In fact he possesses all the virtues of charity on the tightwad plan. He enjoys flattery from any business man, a little patting on the shoulder or back goes to the heart at once, calling on him to decide some question, or ask his opinion on any subject will produce good results. A glass of beer used to put the trick over, but now a cigar or cold soda will do as well, call on him to judge some farm product, and then you can put a B. S. Degree to his name, although he knows more about nothing and less about something than any other class. Brag on his business methods, make him believe that he is the most independent and now coming into his own, at the same time warn him against going out to an agricultural meeting for fear some "book farmer" may want to teach him how to farm. Be sure and use the word "book farmer" and make him believe it is downright travesty upon his dignity, and against his constitution and by-laws; and while so doing you can skin him out of 40 to 60 per cent on everything you buy from him and from 100 to 1,000 per cent on what you sell him, together with a little short weight and a grade or two lower, will not be noticed.

Make him believe that he is a self-made man with plenty of good old horse sense, which is true because he is so easy to lead and drive. Tell him all about what the candidate for governor or legislator said about the wonderful patriotism of the farmer, his importance as a citizen and what a power he can be as a voter. Make him believe that the farmers are now in control of the government and

things are going their way. Then he will sign the mortgage and vote for any man you boost. At this particular time a cigar, and a little more patting on the back is very beneficial, but do not forget to tell him he is the whole cheese including the skippers.

Then tell him again what a wonderful farmer he is as compared with the guy that wants to ring his nose into a farmer's organization. Do not fail to shake hands with him when you meet him, and tell him that you have been wanting a little information from him that you can not get from anyone else. The best time to do this is while you are filling his orders. Price the article that you are selling at 10 or 15 per cent above the regular price, then tell him as he is one of the most prominent and influential men in the county, you will make a big cut in the price. Again, warn him against these guys that are trying to organize him, and always make him believe that they are going to teach him how to farm; always avoid talking about the markets, but if you discuss markets, by all means make him believe that he knows as much about marketing as he does about production, and be sure to tell him that the farmers "won't stick", and you have a customer that is as easy to skin as a jack rabbit; you can keep him from organizing. Always remember if you can keep him from organizing, you can continue to skin him and that is the main object.

Keep your eyes on the street and see how many are sitting on the curb, especially when a farmers' meeting is in progress, and keep their names, especially those who attend the meeting. By all means get those who loaf on the streets to scrap those who join the order. The scrap will be interesting, especially if you are present and occasionally chip in a few words in behalf of your scrapper. Brag on his intelligence; call the other fellow a fool, and watch the scrap. Walk up at this time, pat your friend on the back and tell him he's got more horse sense in one minute than that organizer has in a month. Then watch him collar every fellow that comes. You can rest assured that you have got the best fool on the farm. One that is valuable, and one that will hang himself if you give him the rope and pat him on the back.

I want to tell you that flattery and patting on the back just before a soda or cigar, will keep him in line with you, and out of line with those who want to benefit him. This method is the cheapest thing out and if applied properly, the most effective remedy known.

**We Are Addressing You!**

If you want to buy, sell, lease or trade Farms, Ranches or City Property see Shockley and Curtis. Office first door north of Stokes-Hughes Co. on Main street. (Advertisement)

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

**Highways Should Be Plainly Marked.**

Due to the efforts of T. H. Johnson, vice president of the Puget Sound to Gulf Highway, this highway is now plainly marked throughout our county and there is not any possibility of a tourist losing his way, as the signs are numerous and conspicuous.

If we keep the markings on this highway up to the present standard there will be no further complaints from tourists, and our highway traffic will be increased.

The Bankhead highway is going to be so plainly marked when it is completed that we do not anticipate any complaints as to lack of signs or markings along the route.

The portion of the Puget Sound to Gulf Highway between Sterling City, thru Big Spring, Lamesa, O'Donnell, Tahoka, Slaton and on to Lubbock has been discriminated against for some years past due to the citizens of the various counties failing to make any effort to counteract the reports sent out from rival sections that the roads along the route mentioned were impassable and difficult to follow. We cannot afford to permit such wrong statements to stand uncontradicted, and the citizens of the towns named should cooperate by using every means in their power to correct the wrong impression that exists concerning road conditions in this section.

Just to eliminate some of the erroneous reports that have been circulated regarding roads, road conditions and road markings, the various county good road boosters should meet occasionally to talk over good roads and see that everything possible was being done to encourage road improvement.

**Come to the Rexall store for Jounteel Preparations:**

- Jounteel Rouge.....68c
- Jounteel Talc.....32c
- Jounteel Face Powder.....68c
- Jounteel Com. Cold cream.....68c
- Jounteel Lip Stick.....37c
- Jounteel Cuticle Solvent.....62c

Ward's Drug Store.

**Story Hour Notice**

The games and stories each week for the children have been discontinued for the summer. This fall the Red Cross hopes to secure a nutrition worker for a course of two or three months, to work thru the Public school. The children who are to give the Health Pageant will be notified by Miss Barnes when and where to come to practice for the August program.

This pageant is a beautiful reproduction of the Lessons taught thru the Health Fairy literature used in connection with the Story Hour.

**For Rent**

Rooms furnished for light house-keeping for rent. Call at 401 Bell St. or phone 55. 1t.

Paint up your jitney. We can tell you how it's done....Cunningham & Philips.

**A Good Time**

is now on to save money. With a small cotton crop in prospect it is not likely that dry goods will be any lower. needed articles now and save money.

**REDUCED PRICES**

on Voiles, Organdies, Silks, Ginghams and Percales. See the salines we are sacrificing at \$1.95 per yard.

Some choice bargains in Ladies Waists now being offered. want you to call and get our prices on—

- CLOTHING, SHOES, OXFORDS
- 2-STRAP PUMPS, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR
- HATS, CAPS, NECKTIES, BELTS
- HANDKERCHIEFS, SHIRTS, UNION SUITS

or anything in our line. We know our prices are lowest because we sell for Cash, and furthermore we will not be undersold.

Now is an opportune time to check up the clothing needs of your family and do your shopping while here to attend Chautauque. can save enough on your purchases to pay for your trip to Big Spring as well as have one of the most delightful times you ever enjoyed.

**REMEMBER**

Whether you purchase or not you are welcome at our store. will be pleased to have you call, examine our merchandise and obtain our prices. If we do not sell you now we will eventually lowest prices on dependable merchandise is a combination you cannot afford to overlook always.

**Extra Special! Extra Special!**

A big lot of Ladies Silk Hose, ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$2.50 go on sale at only

**95 Cents the Pair**

Better come and get your while they last for the price on them are moving them fast.

**Yours to help you save Money.**

SHOES HATS CLOTHING

**The Grand Leader**

DEPARTMENT STORE

PAY CASH & PAY LESS

READY TO WEAR - DRY GOODS - BIG SPRING

**Garrett's Style Shop**  
THE SHOP FOR LADIES

**They Must Move!**

Entire Stock of Dresses Have Got to Move

No if's nor and's, but action is what we have to have. We are going to close them out—a great assortment of High Grade Dresses.

Some of the most attractive designs of the season. They are Beauties, but **THEY MUST MOVE!**

**WE NEED THE MONEY!**

These garments were made to sell for much more. Our new prices mean that you get exactly 50 per cent more in value than the price warrants.

Come at Once for They Will Go Quickly!

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Mrs. Sam Evans of Waco is a visitor in this city the guest of Mrs. Lee Majors.

E. F. Teele of Garden City was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Our engagement... long satisfaction. Ward's

"Fly Time"—Let's kill 'em—all kinds of insect powder for sale at Ward's.

Tiffany 14K-18K wedding rings—green gold, white gold, wedding rings. Ward's.

Tom Good and son... day from their home county.

E. W. Douthit arrived Wednesday morning from Abilene to look after ranching interests southeast of town.

Miss Leah Hatch of Lorena, Texas, arrived in this city Tuesday for a visit with her sister Mrs. Robt. T. Piner.

Gold watches, diamond watches, rings—all gold piece. Ward's.

Mrs. Wm. Gregory and daughters were here Wednesday from their home twenty-three miles southeast of Big Spring.

If it isn't a Conklin self-filling fountain pen it isn't the best. Try one. Bliss Drug Store.

Mrs. Charles... son returned Tuesday with relatives in Oklahoma.

Our necklaces of pearls. The symbol of purity and love. Fill the heart with content and joy. Buy her a string of pearls. Ward's.

DROP BY AND GET SOME ICE CREAM TO "IT'S ALTA VISTA" & PHILIPS.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Powell and daughter arrived Tuesday from Chicago for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matthews.

Bring your old watch in and let our "Watch Repair" man fix it up for you. Ward's.

Don't fall down on work, for it is during months that sanitary work be the best. Fight the not permit rubbish in your premises.

Fresh fruits and vegetables all the time, that is what we have. We will appreciate your patronage. COOK & FOLEY.

It is expected that the the Fat and Lean... begin regular practice they will be in condition for the royal on July 4th. nises to be one of the for that date.

Mrs. H. L. Williamson and daughter have moved to Martin county to be with Mr. Williamson who is employed at the test well the Cox Realization Company is drilling on the Wolcott ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Shine Philips and baby, Mrs. D. Philips and son, Dan Philips and Frank Hefley returned last Friday from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in San Antonio. They made the trip via auto and report a most delightful time.

With the price of crude oil on the downgrade there is little encouragement for new development, but it is very evident that this talked of over production will be a thing of the past before long. This over-production gag is the lever the big guns use to put the little ones out of commission.

Especially adapted to successful use in chronic indigestion, dyspepsia and stomach troubles. A gentle laxative

**The Pink Boll Worm Widely Spread Over Western Section of State**

By R. E. McDONALD,  
Chief Entomologist.

Recently the chief interest in the pink bollworm situation shifted to Western Texas. The worm has now been discovered in El Paso, Hudspeth, Presidio, Brewster, Pecos, Ward and Reeves counties of Texas, and in Donna Anna County, New Mexico, and about Carlsbad, New Mexico. This takes in practically all the cotton growing areas west of the Pecos river and a small area on the eastern side, all told involving more than 80,000 acres of cotton. All this area has been placed under regulations to prevent the spread of the pink bollworm into the interior of the State. There is a strip of country north and south, about seventy-five miles wide, immediately east of the Pecos river, where no cotton is grown. We will take up this line and undertake to prevent the insect passing over it. Unless we fight, and fight hard, the entire cotton belt is going to be involved. These infestations apparently came by Mexicans bringing cotton in pillows or like containers from Mexico and slipping across the Rio Grande by night. Plans are under way to stop this illegal crossing the river. Also plans are under discussion to guard all the routes of travel leading out from the Pecos river east.

I have not given up hopes of exterminating this insect; in fact, we are a long ways from surrendering; but, at the same time, I now greatly fear for the cotton industry. It is evident that the cotton growers do not realize what is about to take place.

**Oil Leases For Sale**

2 1-2 acre lease or more, close to McDowell well for sale or to be drilled on a 50-50 basis; also 5-acre lease in Mason County for sale. 35-6t

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**Do You Know?**

Webster: The farmers are the founders of civilization?

Johnson: Agriculture not only gives riches to a nation, but the only riches she can call her own.

Washington: Agriculture is the most healthful, the most useful, and the most notable employment of man.

Beecher: He that would look with contempt on the pursuits of the farmer is not worthy the name of man.

Gibbon: Agriculture is the foundation of manufactures, since the productions of nature are the materials of art.

Jefferson: Let the farmer forever more be honored in his calling, for they who labor in the earth are the chosen people of God.

Everett: It is agriculture alone that fixes men in stationary dwellings, in villages, towns and cities, and enables the work of civilization, in all its branches, to go on.

Napoleon: Agriculture is the soul and chief foundation of empires; industry produces riches and the happiness of people. Exportation represents the superabundance and the good use of both.

Swift: Whoever makes two ears of corn or two blades of grass to grow where only one grew before deserves better of mankind, and does more essential service to his country than the whole race of politicians put together.

Franklin: There seem to be but three ways for a nation to acquire wealth; the first is by war, as the Romans did in the plundering of their conquered neighbors—this is robbery; the second by commerce, which is generally cheating; the third by agriculture, the only honest way.

**Kleaze Dental Creme**

frees the teeth from discoloration and tartar and brings out the marvelous beauty of the enamel. Only 32 cents at Ward's.

J. O. Tamsitt, district representative of the International Association of Machinists, has been in Dallas this week as a member of the Federated Crafts committee to confer with officials of the T. & P. railway relative to a new working agreement. Other members of the Federated Crafts committee are Chas. M. Boyatt for the Boiler-makers; E. L. Hilliard of the Electrical workers; E. L. Oregon of the Carmen; C. M. Phillips of the Blacksmiths, all of Marshall, and J. E. Casey of Fort Worth representing the Sheet Metal workers.

When you want something good to eat, come to our place. Our stock is fresh, and we carry the best we can get. Don't forget the place. 115 Main street. COOK & FOLEY.

**A Personal Matter**

Uncle Ed—"Well, Johnny, how do you spell giraffe?"

Johnny—"G-i-r-a-f-e."

Uncle Ed—"The dictionary spells it with two fs."

Johnny—"Well, you asked me how I spelled it, uncle."—Pickup.

Try a picnic supper with the family. Do something to make farm life happy for the homefolks.

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**Red Cross Health Information  
Cancer**

Cancer in America is one of the major causes of death. Statistics indicate that cancer is of greater frequency at ages over 40 than tuberculosis, pneumonia, or typhoid fever, and that an average of one woman in eight and one man in fourteen over 40 years of age dies of cancer, and the disease has shown an increase of late years.

Cancer is no respecter of persons attacking rich and poor impartially.

At the beginning the disease starts as a local malady and is easily cured if recognized as such and given proper treatment in time. Speed means life in the cure of cancer, for if left alone all cases will end in death.

Danger signs are usually located in some unhealthy spot or at site of some irritation on the skin, such as a wart, mole, lump, or a scab. If the cancer begins within the body constant indigestion and loss of weight may be regarded as a danger sign. At first no pain whatever accompanies the disease.

If any lump or mark on the body becomes sore or changes in appearance, especially all lumps on the breast, go to a doctor for an examination. It is too late for certainty of cure to wait until you are sure it is cancer.

The only cure for the malady is to remove every trace of the disease, and medicines which relieve pain do not have any appreciable effect on the disease itself, simply delaying the treatment.

A surgical operation is the only sure way to cure cancer, and best chances for recovery lie in an early operation. The danger of certain death increases with each 24 hours of delay.

**A Birthday Party**

Monday afternoon from 4 until 6 little Miss Hazel Nance delightfully entertained her friends in honor of her seventh birthday. Many games were played until 5 o'clock when refreshments were served. Those present were Hazel Smith; Iva Mae Gilmer; Martha and Raymond Atwell; Jessie Mae Couch; Louise and Frances Sheeler; Mildred Dally; Beatrice, Kenneth and Gowan Schultz; Mary Corcoran; Gertrude Tucker; Pauline Morrison; Claudine Miller; Ray McCullough and Edward Atwell.

**For Rent**

A nice, new six-room bungalow on South Seury street, nice, coolest location in town. Good neighborhood. For rent after July 1st—now occupied by M. H. Brasher. Phone 330. 1p

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reed of Cooper, Texas, are here for a visit with their daughter Mrs. J. M. Barley and family.

**Threatened Revolt**

Senator Harding became Candidate Harding because it was the belief of those who nominated him that he could best hold the Republican party together in the face of its widely divided attitude on the League of Nations. His election by an enormous popular majority gave some promise of his being able to perform the task for which he was chosen. Thus far he has conducted his administration of affairs in a somewhat indeterminate manner, possibly, but at least in a manner calculated to placate as large a majority of his following as could reasonably be expected of him or of any other man. But the rumblings of revolt are not yet altogether stilled. None of the larger projects of the Administration have reached the point in their progress toward completion where they force Mr. Harding to take a stand of a sort which could not possibly escape criticism. For the most part the country is in the dark as to exactly what Mr. Harding will do or wants to do on even the outstanding problems that confront him and the country. And yet the thunders of discontent can be heard.

For instance, there is the recent letter from Hamilton Holt which demands that Mr. Harding outline with definiteness his plan regarding the mysterious "association of nations." Mr. Holt is a Republican. He is editor of the Independent and a whole-souled advocate of the League of Nations. He wants to know. What is more embarrassing, he wants to know now and he wants to know in detail. He wants Mr. Harding to put his cards on the table. Most embarrassing of all, he threatens, if his request is not complied with, to organize a plan to get control of the Government by 1924 for those who favor the League of Nations.

Mr. Holt reveals the situation, reminding the President that as a candidate he received the support of pro-leaguers and anti-leaguers with equal complacency and equal graciousness, although the Hughes-Taft-Hoover-Wickersham delegation was assuring the country that Harding would scrap the bitter-enders, who, in turn, gave their solemn avowal of confidence that this same Harding would scrap the league. Now that Mr. Harding is elected, Mr. Holt wants to know who won the guessing match. As for the "association," he puts it thus:

You have not yet given the American people the slightest inkling of the terms of this Harding association that you propose shall supplant the Wilson league. Has not the time come, I respectfully ask, for you to do this? Surely you cannot expect the forty-eight members of the present to scrap it and come into your association unless two things are perfectly clear—First, that the new association is

substantially as good as or better than the existing league, and

Second, that this time a proposition of a President of the United States will have the permanent and overwhelming support of the American people.

You are a statesman of sufficient experience to know that our people will not support your association—no matter how excellent—without the fullest preliminary discussion. Events of the last two years have demonstrated this. You cannot, therefore, hope to get public opinion behind your association without taking your countrymen into your confidence.

Mr. Holt then lays down the proposition that there can be but two reasons why Mr. Harding has delayed his announcement of the details of his association plan. One of these is the supposition that Mr. Harding is sacrificing the good of the world and of the United States in the relation of the world for the sake of party harmony. The other is that the Harding association has no more existence than Sairy Gamp's friend, Missus Harris. It is an uncomfortable dilemma that Mr. Holt puts the President in. He calls on him to demonstrate that he actually has a workable plan for an association of nations or to plead guilty to playing party politics to the disregard of a patriotic and humanitarian duty to aid in the settlement of the world's ferment and disorganization.

If Mr. Harding has no answer to Mr. Holt's questionings, the latter gentleman purposes an answer of his own: "In that event there is nothing left for those who want America to play her rightful part in stabilizing the world, but to organize the country so as to capture Congress for the league in 1922 and the presidency in 1924. This can be done, for the vast majority of the American people—Republicans as well as Democrats—want the United States to enter some sort of a league or association with enough "teeth in it" definitely to hasten the day when, as Victor Hugo prophesied, "The only battlefield will be the market opening to commerce and the mind opening to new ideas."—Dallas News.

**Dr. Campbell Here July 2nd**

Dr. M. E. Campbell will be in Big Spring, Saturday July 2nd. This is your last opportunity for several weeks. 40-2

M. K. Jackson of Dallas, manager of agents for West Texas of the Indiana State Life Insurance Co., was here last Friday to confer with M. H. Brasher who is to represent this company in the Abilene district with headquarters at Abilene.

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**Pullman Loses Open Shop Move.**

Chicago, June 21.—The Pullman Company lost its open shop fight before the United States Railroad Labor Board today when the board upheld the contention of union leaders that the company had not obeyed "the letter and spirit" of the transportation act when it conferred with employes in mass meetings.

The board threw out the company's petition for a cut in the wages of its shop employes and instructed it to go back and meet the "duly elected representatives" of the employes.

The shop crafts and clerks in the Pullman works are involved in the case. The board's decision will delay any action on a reduction in their wages for several weeks. Under the transportation act, the company must meet the union leaders and in the event they fail to reach a decision, file a petition before the board and ask for a new hearing.

The controversy between the Pullman Company and the unions is a continuation of labor difficulties, dating back several years, over the "open shop". The company had declined to deal with union officers in matters not affecting all employes and took the position that employes not members of the union are not represented by the labor organizations.

According to the company's figures, the total number of employes on the rolls June 2, when the mass meetings were held, was 10,700. Of these, 6,172 were present, the company said. It was brought out at the hearing, however, that representatives of the company presiding at the meetings had no other authority than to present the proposition that a wage cut of 12 per cent, as established in the June 1 wage decision of the Labor Board, be applied. The board held that this proposal did not constitute a conference, as contemplated by law.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

**Lutheran Church**

Sunday, June 26th, there will be Lutheran preaching at the Richland school at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The topic of the sermon will be a practical application of the story concerning the miraculous draught of fishes recorded in Luke 5, 1-11. The theme reads: "How May a Man Obtain a True Blessing From the Work of His Hands?"

Come and receive some sound biblical advice, if heeded, will be good for your temporal and eternal welfare. Everybody is most cordially invited. Rev. A. J. F. Meier.

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**A Tonic for Women**

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

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decided to try it," continues Mrs. Ray. "I took bottles in all. . . I regained my strength and have no more trouble with weakness. I have ten children and am able to do all my work and a lot outside. . . I can sure recommend it today. It may be what you need. Druggists.

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### Honoring Mrs. J. Q. Kirby

Mrs. John Northington entertained Friday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. Q. Kirby, of Bowling Green, Ky. The house was beautifully decorated with sweet peas and other summer flowers. A host of friends were present to do honor to one of our former members, dearly loved, and greatly missed in her five years' absence.

Assisting in receiving guests was Mrs. Kirby's fair young daughter, Miss Olivia, a picture of youth and gracefulness in her dainty white organdie frock.

Ten tables of players passed a pleasant hour at Rook. Delicious refreshments of cream, cake and fruit punch were served. Mrs. Steve Ford won high score.

It is with pleasure we learn that Mrs. Kirby and her children are spending the entire summer in our midst, at home with her mother on Main street, Mrs. J. G. Stockton.

Little Miss Elizabeth Northington assisted her mother throughout the afternoon. Several out of town guests were present. While bidding adieu, many voiced the sentiment it was quite the nicest party in years, one of the happy pre-war sort, an honest-to-goodness "party", just like good old times.



J. D. BILES, Druggist

### Meeting of Baptist Auxiliary

Ladies Auxiliary of the First Baptist church meets at 3:00 p. m. at the home of Mrs. L. E. Coleman, with Mrs. Ermlich, Mrs. Shanks, and Mrs. Coleman, as hostesses. Mrs. R. Homer McNew leader for the afternoon. The following program will be given:

Topic: Russia.  
Hymn: Sow in the Morn.  
Bible Study: Revealing the Truth—Mrs. Barber.

Prayer for Students.  
Flashlights on Russia—Mrs. Tucker.  
Manners and Customs of the Russian People—Mrs. Henley.

Cry of Russia, poem—Mrs. Ford.  
Hymn.  
Siberia—Mrs. McNew.  
Character Education—Mrs. Bejtle.  
Religious Life of Russia—Mrs. Reagan.

Sentence Prayers for teachers.  
Hymn.

### S. S. Teachers Meet

On Friday afternoon of last week Mrs. W. W. Hatcher very pleasantly entertained the primary teachers of the Sunday School of the First Baptist church, at her attractive home on Scurry street.

Plans of work, and ways of increasing interest and bringing about best results were discussed, and all felt that the hour thus spent was indeed a profitable one.

Mrs. Hatcher is Superintendent of the Primary Department, and this coming together of her teachers is further evidence of the interest felt in the work.

Dainty refreshments were served, and each guest was presented with a bunch of the sweet peas which have grown, as if by magic about the place.

We now have the exclusive agency for Jap-a-Lac. Fine line just received. Ward's.

D. B. Cox brought in samples of fruit grown in his orchard Thursday, and if the apple trees in his orchard are laden with fruit as were the branches he brought to the Herald office he certainly is going to have plenty of fine fruit. These little twigs six or eight inches long, each contained a dozen finely developed apples that will soon be ready for the table. It does one good to see such fine fruit.

### Young People Enjoy Chicken Dinner

A party of young folks were treated to a chicken dinner at the Busy Bee Restaurant, Thursday afternoon and the occasion was one of especial pleasure. Joe Flock was host, and if you think the little folks didn't have a big time just ask any of them about it. Those attending were: Dorothy Ellington, Lillian Shick, Mamie Hair, Virginia Whitney, Alfred Lacey, Horace Garrett, Louis Biles and Jack Hodges.

### Gold Brooch Found

A 10/2 gold brooch, star shaped, and set with seven brilliants was found on Scurry street June 23rd. Owner may obtain same by calling at 115 Main street and paying for this ad.

The work of staking the big well at the City Waterworks, south of town, is now being hampered by inability to keep the water removed so the workmen can stay on the job. An increasing quantity of water is being encountered at 220 feet and inability to secure sufficient electric current to operate the big pump regularly is retarding progress.



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### Road Notice to Land Owner

In the matter of the Petition of D. C. Riley and others for a change to be made in Big Springs and Colorado Road in Howard County Texas—The State of Texas—

To R. Holsonbake, W. Holsonbake, C. A. McKinney, Alex W. Mead, James W. Mitchell, L. E. Warren, Lorena W. Robertson, J. M. Crow, Jesse Brooks B. T. Preslor, Joel Preslor, O. B. Hoover, W. D. Smith, Frank Wright and Mrs. W. P. Williams.

Take notice, that the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioners Court of Howard County, Texas to lay out and survey a Public Road, as petitioned for by D. C. Riley and others, same being a change in the Big Springs and Colorado Road, running through the town of Coahoma in Howard County, the change beginning at a point in said road about two miles east of Coahoma, and about 750 feet Eastward of the Section—Line between Sections Nos. 44 and 45, Block No. 30, Tap 1 North in Howard County, Texas and at the point where said road turns Northward to cross Texas & Pacific Railway Track and South of said Railway Track; thence Westward along and parallel to and adjacent to Texas & Pacific Railway's Right of Way about two miles to where said Big Springs and Colorado Road crosses the Texas & Pacific Railway near Depot in town of Coahoma—said road as changed to run on South side of said Railway, and to assess the damages resulting from the establishment of said road, will on the 11th day of July A. D. 1921, in discharge of our said duty, meet upon the following premises, to which you have some claim as indicated below:

R. Holsonbake and W. Holsonbake own Lots 1 and 24 in Block No. 9 in town of Coahoma, Howard County, Texas, also Lot 22 in Block No. 7 and Lot 1 in Block No. 6 in Coahoma, Howard County, Texas;

C. A. McKinney owns Lot No. 1 in Block No. 16 in Coahoma, Texas;

Alex W. Mead owns part of Lot 2 in Block No. 10 in Coahoma, Texas;

James W. Mitchell owns part of Lot 23 in Block No. 9 in Coahoma, Texas;

L. E. Warren owns Lot 2 in Block No. 9 in Coahoma, Texas;

Lorena Robertson owns Lot No. 22 in Block No. 8 in Coahoma, Texas;

J. M. Crow owns part of Lot 21 in Block No. 8 in Coahoma, Texas;

Jesse Brooks owns part of Lot 2 in Block 8 in Coahoma, Texas;

B. J. Preslor owns Lot No. 21 in Block No. 7 in Coahoma, Texas;

Joel Preslor owns Lot No. 1 in Block 7 in Coahoma, Texas;

O. B. Hoover owns Lot No. 2 in Block No. 7 in Coahoma, Texas;

W. D. Smith owns Lot No. 20 in Block No. 6 in Coahoma, Texas;

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All of said land being in Howard County, Texas and through which land the said road will run;

And on said date will then and there assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you, and each of you, are hereby requested and required to produce to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any, claimed by you and all evidence which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.

The address of the land owners named herein are unknown to us, we

County, Texas to cause to be published in some newspaper in Howard County, Texas, consecutive weeks prior to the day of July 1921.

Witness our hands at Big Spring, Texas, this the 17th day of June 1921.

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**Central Perfection Oil Stoves**  
 demonstration at the store of W. Fisher Thursday afternoon were the many points of superiority of the Perfection Oil Cook Stove was attended and the refreshments of biscuits, jam, punch and lemon-ade were enjoyed. Factory representatives were present to explain every detail in connection with the successful use of these wonderful and convenient household necessities.

**First Baptist Church**  
 A hearty welcome to all our services. Bring your friends.  
 Hours of Service:  
 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Mr. Holmes Supt.  
 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Miss Ricker, choir director and soloist.  
 8 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Good music.  
 Sunbeam band 2:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.  
 Ladies meeting at the regular time. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 8 p. m. S. W. Kendrick, Pastor.

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**Colorado to Vote on Waterworks and Sewer Bonds**  
 A petition signed by 175 property owners has been presented to the City Council of Colorado asking that an election be held to vote on reservoir and waterworks bonds in the sum of \$85,000.00 and sewer bonds in the sum of \$35,000.00. The election will be held about August first.

On the mountain sections could not get more bracing weather than have been enjoying since the rain. Delights are noted for their coolness. The past week it has been quite throughout the entire day.  
 Dr. Elwood and family left this morning for a visit in Shreveport, La., other points east.  
**GRAND SALE, SATURDAY ONLY.**  
**STONES' VARIETY STORE**  
 Shoemen Notice  
 Cheap marking paint for branding. \$2.50 per gallon. Phone 87.  
 Drug Store.

**Boy Scout Camp**

The boys are already collecting and leaving at the Y. M. C. A. their necessities for the boy scout camp which will be June 27 to July 8 on the McEntire ranch. A truck loaded with the tents, supplies, and luggage will leave the Y. M. C. A. Monday morning about five o'clock with some of the larger boys to look after the supplies and who will open the camp before the other boys arrive later in the day. Cars have been arranged for which will leave the Y. M. C. A. at one o'clock Monday loaded with the boys.

All scouts are urged to go and any other boy who is within the required ages may go if Mr. Holmes will approve his application.

Those who wish to go are required to register not later than Saturday noon and must have their luggage at the Y. M. C. A. Saturday night. The cost of the entire camp will be six dollars. Every boy should carry the following articles: two blankets or quilts, two towels, cake of soap, knife, fork, spoon, comb, tooth brush and paste a complete change of clothes and a cot if convenient.

This camp promises to be one of the best the boys have ever had. The equipment is better than ever and through the kindness of the men who are going to take the boys to camp all expense of transportation has been eliminated.

W. H. Cardwell left Monday for Burnet, Texas to undergo medical treatment. He will be in Burnet about thirty days.

**FREE ICE WATER—ALL YOU WANT.**

**STONES' VARIETY STORE**

Miss Hollie Belle Pickens, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Fabrenkamp, left this morning for home at Roswell, N. M.

**Chickens, Eggs and Cream Wanted.**  
 Bring your chickens, eggs and cream to the Davis Produce House for the highest cash prices. Located back of the West Texas National Bank. Phone 78. 40-ft

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**REFRIGERATOR TIME**

Serving things that are crispy-cold in Summertime, adds much to their attractiveness, and they are so much more appetizing, too.

Besides, there's the matter of proper sanitation—a very vital and important one.

The old time method of lowering the butter in the well, or storing things away in a damp, musty cellar, used to seem all right, but now we're very glad to know such unsanitary methods are part of the old days, for no housewife, in this modern day and age, can afford to be without a sanitary, time-saving, labor-saving Refrigerator.

There are many dependable makes of Refrigerators on the market, but we believe there are none which can excel, either from the standpoint of quality or price.

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**Report and Announcement of Circles**

One circle met with Mrs. S. H. Morrison. Mrs. Holmes was leader. This circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Hathcock next week. Mrs. Holmes will lead again. There were six present this week.

Another Circle met with Mrs. Stewart Mrs. Ervin was leader, and 16 were present. This circle will meet next week with Mrs. Martin. Rev. J. Thos. Brown will lead.

The Circle north of the railroad met with Mrs. Slatrunk this week. Mrs. Rogers was leader, and 29 were present. This circle will meet next week with Mrs. Snyder. 29 was a splendid attendance.

The Circle of which Mrs. Barrett is captain met at Rev. Brown's home this week. Six were present. Mrs. Daniels was leader. This circle will meet next week with Mrs. Geo. Brown and Mrs. J. Thos. Brown will lead.

The Circle in the far southeast of town met with Mrs. Lynch this week. There were 17 were present. This circle will meet next week with Mrs. Burcham. Mrs. Barnett was leader this week. Mrs. Bray will lead next week.

The numbers of the Circles are not given here because the reporter does not know them.

**SATURDAY CHOCOLATE SALE.**  
 48c POUND.  
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has moved up stairs over the Empire Candy Kitchen, in the Lester Fisher Building. We have a real studio now and a splendid skylight. Our equipment in all lines strictly up to date.

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Try the famous "Tulane Coffee". Ask someone who has used it. **POOL-REED CO.** Phone 145.

John Burford returned last week from Tucson where he had been in the hope of benefitting his health.

When your watch is in a stubborn condition bring it to us and we will find a remedy and cure for it. Ward's.

A. Lownebruck a former citizen of Big Spring is now located at Caldwell, Kan., and is well pleased with that town. He sends best regards to his many friends in our city.

T. C. Connell of the U. S. Department of Geology was here from Cleburne the forepart of the week to secure samples of gas encountered in the Sand Hill test of the General Oil Company.

W. H. Kay of Fort Worth, superintendent of the Insurance Department of the Knights of Pythias has been here this week talking insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tamsitt returned Thursday morning from Marshall where they had been called by the illness of Mr. Tamsitt's brother. His condition was much improved before they started for home.

Mrs. H. B. Robb of Dallas arrived Tuesday morning for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hatch. Mr. Robb who is rapidly recovering from a serious operation is due to arrive in Big Spring next week.

**Pigs For Sale**  
 10 Duroc Jersey pigs about nine weeks old for sale. See me or phone at once. Phone No. 9001-F11.  
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We make your watch run on time. Ward's.  
L. A. Deason left Monday evening for a business trip to Marshall.

**And Now Hughes Raps Mr. Harvey**  
Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes told a gathering of his fellow alumnus of Brown University that it was not desirable that America's helpful influence should be frittered away "by relating ourselves unnecessarily to political questions which involve rivalries of interest abroad with which we have no proper concern."  
"It is equally true," he continued, "that we can not escape our relation to the economic problems of the world."  
The prosperity of this country, he said, largely depended upon the economic settlements which might be made in Europe and the key to the future was with those who had made and controlled these settlements.  
America, the exemplar of free institutions, aiding humanity in their preservation, he said, called forth the supreme endeavor in the world war.  
"This sentiment is still with us," he added. "We have not lost the capacity for the high and unselfish endeavor."  
"Our men did not go forth to fight for this nation as one of imperialistic designs and cunning purposes, or to protect a land where avarice might find its surest reward. They offered their lives and all the energies of the country were harnessed in their supreme effort, because we loved the institutions of liberty and intended to maintain them, because we hated tyranny and the brutality and ruthlessness which found expression in the worship of force and because we found our fate linked with that of the free peoples who were struggling for the preservation of the essentials of freedom. With them we made common cause."

**New Produce**  
We have opened a produce store and will carry a fresh line of fruits and vegetables. We are going to try and give you the best of everything. Call and see us. **COOK & FOLEY.**

**War Souvenirs Desired**  
War Souvenirs are wanted to add to a 4th of July display. We want to borrow some for the one day only. If you have souvenirs which you will lend for the display, notify **J. F. HAIR, Chairman Com.**

Sweetwater is having a terrible time over the light and power rates charged by the light company in this city. Lubbock is not having much grief over the light rates, but the ice rate is gripping the sweating public these days, and from the amount of complaint we hear there is not as good service rendered as should be.—Lubbock Avalanche.

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

**Last Survivor of "Black Jack" Gang Is Killed in Fall**  
Hachita, N. M., June 17.—William Brown, aged 68, known to old-timers as "Broncho Bill", a native of Texas, but a resident of this state for many years, an employe of the Victoria Land and Cattle Co., fell from the tower of a windmill at old Hachita, seven miles from this place, and died four hours later.  
He was the last surviving member of the famous "Black Jack" gang of outlaws who operated in New Mexico 25 years ago and added many chapters to New Mexico's history.  
Brown was with this gang when the Southern Pacific train robbery was committed at Gage, New Mexico, about 26 years ago, and killed the sheriff of Socorro county in a battle with the posse pursuing the gang. For this crime he was later tried, convicted and sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary, serving the full term.  
It was thought that he escaped the loot from the Gage robbery in this vicinity and he was "shadowed" many months after his release. His most intimate friends declare that the \$30,000 the gang got was given to the widow of one of the gang who was killed by the Socorro county posse.  
"Black Jack", the leader of the gang, was hanged at Clayton, New Mexico. It will be remembered as one of the most gruesome hangings of the state, as his head was completely severed from the body in the fall from the gallows.  
Brown's home was at Big Spring, Texas, where his remains are to be sent.—El Paso Times.

**Father Time's O. K.**  
on every watch we repair. If you let us do the job you will have a satisfactory and accurate timekeeper. Ward's.

**Country Damage to Cotton**  
Along the lines of railroads and on hundreds of farms throughout the country the traveler may yet see thousands of bales of cotton of the 1920 crop dumped carelessly on the ground and in most instances without even a protecting rail under the bales. This cotton has been exposed to all kinds of weather from the time it left the gin to date. It will average more than forty pounds loss when the damaged and rotted staple is removed and the good cotton underneath will be docked because of the general appearance of the bale.  
In no other country in the world is a staple product handled in such a shameful manner. It makes no difference whether a bale is worth \$50 or \$150, it receives the same kind of treatment. Just why a man will work long hours in producing and picking cotton only to dump it in a mud hole is beyond the comprehension of those who prosper because they save waste by preventing it. The man who raises ten bales of cotton or more can certainly afford to construct some kind of shelter for his crop. The man who raises even one bale could get a few boards and construct a covering for that one bale. It would cost him less than he would save and help boost the price. The cotton producers of the country are taxed millions of dollars annually just on general principles because of the vast amount of damage cotton bales on the market.  
Before cotton picking time rolls round, it would be good business to make arrangements to protect the bales you expect to harvest and hold.—Farm & Ranch.

**DR. M. E. CAMPBELL**  
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**ABILENE, TEXAS**  
**ON VACATION AFTER JULY SECOND. THOSE DESIRING TO CONSULT ME SHOULD DO SO PRIOR TO THAT DATE, AT BIG SPRING EVERY SATURDAY.**

**Ladies Night Changed**  
The proposition of changing Ladies Night at Elks Hall from Saturday to Tuesday night, during the months of June, July and August carried by an overwhelming majority when submitted to a vote last Saturday night and the house committee have designated Tuesday to be Ladies Night at the B. P. O. E. Hall the balance of this summer.  
The change will become effective at once and on next Tuesday will be observed the first social session under the new ruling.

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Extra nice furniture must be sold at once. If you want some real bargains call at 800 Jack street. 1-p

**Safeguard Sweetwater Interests**  
In line with the thought brought out at the hospital meeting last night by Ellis Douthitt and E. C. Brand, to the effect that investigation of all promotion schemes be made by a committee of the Board of City Development before being recognized, the Reporter begs leave to say that henceforth no publicity will be given any planned development or proposition wherein there is cause to doubt the sincerity or merit of same.  
We admit that in the past the paper has been victimized to the extent of giving publicity to a number of "deals" which had no merit but which were intentionally or otherwise whitewashed till they "looked good." In protection to the readers of the paper and the paper itself this will be no more.  
Without intention of injuring anyone, we point back to the soap factory promotion in which a number of Sweetwater people, some of whom were widows and others who could not afford to lose their investment, were "taken to a cleaning."  
It is a regrettable fact that the Board of City Development indorsed this fake and the letter of endorsement was reproduced in large numbers and used as an argument in the sale of soap factory stock. An investigation by competent and impartial men would have prevented this imposition on the board as well as to our citizens.  
Mr. Brand suggested last night that a committee of three men, one from each of the city banks, be appointed by the Board of City Development to weigh all promotion schemes coming before the people here. Mr. Douthitt commended President R. M. Simmons for making a thorough investigation of the hospital authorities, adding that although the citizens were disappointed because of the outcome of the probe, he felt sure a good precedent had been set by the board and would be the means of safeguarding the citizens in such matters hereafter.  
Almost every city of consequence has a committee to pass upon promotion schemes. Sweetwater should have such a body. Those composing a committee of this nature should be selected with the greatest care to avoid such deplorable hold-ups as the people have been subject to in the recent past.  
Ten days' hard work was wasted in part in the hospital deal. It may be that some good will come of the effort expended, but certainly harm was done. Confidence of the business men who gladly subscribe to the site fund is the most sacred asset the city possesses. This trust must not be broken.  
A citizenship becomes dulled to its sense of duty by continued disappointment in the prospects coming from time to time. No wonder committees appointed to do certain work find at times that ready response is not forthcoming from the public. "What is the use?" is the question asked and answered.  
The Board of City Development is a worthy organization with a clean business man at its head. Its work hereafter no doubt will make up for the mistakes of the past.—Sweetwater Reporter.

**Livestock for Sale**  
Two fine Duroc Jersey sows.  
7 Duroc Jersey shotes.  
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**Death of J. A. Martin Jr., a Former Citizen**  
J. Alfred Martin, Jr., of El Paso, vice president of the Southwestern Oil Development Company and director of the Border National Bank, died in a local hospital in El Paso at 11:30 p. m. June 16th as the result of a sudden complication of an illness which he had fought for years.  
Mr. Martin's home was at Hotel Paso del Norte, where he had resided for the last two years.  
Mr. Martin had made his headquarters in El Paso for 11 or 12 years. During part of that time he has resided at Toyah, Texas. He was mayor of Toyah and practically the "hub" of its civic development for a long while. He had oil interests around Toyah.  
Mr. Martin came to Big Spring some sixteen years ago, a sufferer from tuberculosis, and won many warm friends during the time he made his home in this city.

To break up a cold right now, take **Rexall Laxative Aspirin Cold Tablets.** Highly recommended for the relief of colds, headaches and feverish symptoms usually attending them. Price 22c at Ward's.

Some of the corn liquor being made nowadays has potency all its own. They tell this story as an illustration. In the North Carolina mountains two darkies opened a jug and in doing so spilled a little. One drop fell on an ant, who immediately clicked his heels together, dropped his scorn, threw back his shoulders and, backing up to a bale of cotton the two negroes had been carrying smothered. "All right big boys, let's go!"—Health Roundup.



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Ford Roadster—new—drives more than two thousand miles—will sell the first man that brings three hundred dollars gets it. at Ward's GARAGE. Phone 615.  
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**LISTEN**—In addition to the above we have a garage; one of the best mechanics to be had.  
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**LADY ATTENDANT**

J. Hair made a business trip to Tuesday.  
 Clear stock food....Cunningham & Phillips.  
 Better machinery not in active use grease polished surfaces.  
 Respect our soda fountain....It's eye clean....Cunningham & Phillips.  
 Van Horn, in charge of development work on Brunson well No. 1, was here Tuesday.  
 Cold Tablets will cure the stubborn cold. Once tried always. Price 22 cents. Ward's.  
 Sprinkled around the place down flies and disinfects the...Cunningham & Phillips.  
 E. Nelson and daughters left Monday morning for a visit in Los Angeles and other points in California.  
**WASH PLACES ON YOUR SKIN. BLEMSH REMOVER WILL MAKE IT UP.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.**  
 Swafford has been in Dallas week to confer with the T. & P. relative to a working agreement for the Railway clerks.  
 W. E. Carnrike and daughter, Louise Wheelon left Saturday for El Paso for a visit with Carnrike who is temporarily acting as man of the machine department at T. & P. shops there.  
 About the water carelessly left, etc. where flowers have been. Frequently the answer to the question where did those blasted mosquitoes come from, the house is closely sealed, may be found in water negligently left in a vase containing water.  
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Figure with us on wall paper.... Cunningham & Phillips.  
**The gifts that last. Diamonds that will please the June bride. Ward's.**  
 J. G. Martin left Monday for Tucson, Ariz. to accept a position in the S. P. shops.  
 Toilet articles of all kinds....We carry what you want....Cunningham & Phillips.  
 Miss Sallie Jordan left Sunday for Abilene where she will attend Summer School at Simmons College.  
 Miss Mary Lillian Austin of Rockwall arrived last Saturday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Cunningham.  
**Cut glass and silverware for the June bride. Come in and see our selection of cut glass. Ward's.**  
**CLEAN WALL PAPER WILL MAKE YOUR LIFE MORE PLEASANT....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.**  
 Miss Elizabeth Brown of Austin has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hair left Wednesday evening for her home.  
 See Shockley and Curtis Realty Co., dealers in farms, ranches and city property, rentals—Phone 157. Office in former Big Spring Realty Co. adv.  
 Fifteen or twenty men and boys have gone to seek work in the harvest fields of the Plains section, leaving here within the past ten days.  
 Mrs. Henry Wickard and two children her brother, Raymond Runyan and her niece, Miss Edith Runyan left June 15th for a visit with her sister at Pauls Valley, Okla.  
 The rain Monday night was said to extend east and west from Baird to Monohans and quite a distance north and south. It is by far the best rain we have had in quite awhile.  
 Cascara Laxative syrup.....The family remedy...Cunningham & Phillips

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 A meat slicing machine—the latest improved and we will slice your bacon and ham—the famous Swift Premium brand—to your liking. Call at our market.  
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**No Thought of Economy**  
 The senate has no time to devote to petty problems of economy. Its attention is centered on methods of spending, not saving, money. After passing the \$500,000,000 naval appropriation bill, increasing by \$100,000,000 the appropriations approved by the house, the senate hardly pauses to draw breath before receiving a favorable report from the postoffice committee on the Townsend bill creating a federal highway commission and establishing an interstate system of public roads at an annual expense of far over \$100,000,000. Once the scheme is fairly launched there will be no limit to future expenditures.  
 On top of all, the senate finance committee receives from its sub-committee of which Senator McCumber is chairman, a report in favor of the soldiers' bonus bill. The estimated cost of this project ranges from \$1,500,000,000 to \$5,273,000,000. No one can say definitely anywhere near how much it will be, but it is proposed to commit the government irrevocably to this measure.  
 Nor does any one know where the money is to come from or how it is to be extracted from the taxpayers' pockets to meet such enormously increased expenditures. In that matter the senate manifests little concern. The secretary of the treasury raises his voice in warning about falling revenues, swollen expenditures and obligations of the government running into billions that must shortly be paid.  
 Apparently it is futile to protest. The money-spenders are in the saddle and reckless of the consequences of their incorrigible extravagance.—New York World.  
 Queer, isn't it, after all the extravagant promise and lavish pledges made by Republican nominees and Republican orators and statesmen a year ago. To date the excess profit tax remains as it was in war time. There has been no revision of the income tax. There has been no reduction in the taxes of the people. There has been no relief measures enacted.  
 Hides have been kept on the free list.  
 Cotton has been kept on the free list.  
 Mexican crude comes in duty free. Is this "a do nothing" congress? Is it "a do nothing" administration? Technically the United States remains at war with Germany. American cattle raisers are demanding relief

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through the war finance corporation. Are they going to be given relief? By a majority of 7,000,000 the people voted for a change. They had a right to expect a change. They were promised a change. Ambassador Harvey performed. Admiral Sims relieved himself of a large stock of accumulated bills. There is a deadlock on the anti-beer bill and the New England tanners and shoe manufacturers are all powerful in the vicinity of the house ways and means committee.—Fort Worth Record.

**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.**

Waco Times-Herald: Let's see: when Tom Campbell was Governor of this grand and glorious commonwealth, the tax rate, if we mistake not, was as low as 4c on the \$100 valuation. True, the big Waters-Pierce payment helped out, but it would get us nowhere today. It is said that the rate this year will go the limit allowed—that is, to 75c on the \$100 valuation. From four cents to seventy-five cents in so short a time strikes us as exceeding the speed limit and then some. But we can't go on multiplying departments and boards and bureaus and courts and commissions and expect to get off with a light tax rate. They who dance must pay the fiddler.

Chocolate shop candy is better.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Box stationery that pleases....Cunningham & Phillips.  
**Nysis Face Powder for the most fastidious. For sale only at the Rexall store—Ward's.**  
 With sprinkling prohibited, some lawns in our city were beginning to suffer on account of the warm, dry weather, but the big rain of Monday night will give them a new lease on life.  
**IT'S ALWAYS TEN DEGREES COOLER AT CUNNINGHAM AND PHILLIPS.** (Advertisement)  
 Do you use canned goods? What do you do with the cans? Limberneck in poultry may be caused by the putrid scrapings found in an old can, while they furnish an excellent breeding place for mosquitoes after a rain. Haul them off and dump them in some secluded spot.  
 I have put in a new complete Hatter's outfit here and am an experienced Hatter. If you want your old hat fixed for Sunday use, bring it to me, at Ellis Building and I will fix it up.  
 Perry, The Hatter.  
 Odessa now has an active Chamber of Commerce and a movement is on foot to secure oil development for that section. While Odessa is not overly large its citizens are optimistic West Texans and we are expecting to accomplish results that will prove of vast benefit to Odessa and Ector county.

**Cats in the Oil**  
 "Hiram," said Mrs. Cornstassel, "Oklahoma has lost over a half-million dollars" because crows were at the corn."  
 "Them folks seems to have more than their share of trouble with the animal kingdom. It's only a little while since we heard about how wild cats was playing havoc with the oil."  
 —Washington Star.

**No Joke**  
 Willie—"Where'd you get that new hat, Bill?"  
 Bill: "It's my last year's one cleaned and blocked by PERRY, The Hatter" (Advertisement)

**Meeting of St. Marys Auxiliary**  
 On last Friday evening St. Mary's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church entertained at the home of Mrs. W. R. Dawes, with Mesdames Dawes, Lindner and Koberg as hostesses.  
 The church of the past by the older members, and the church's future by Rev. Mr. Eteson together with musical numbers was an enjoyed feature of the evening.  
 Delicious refreshments were served.

**Rooms for Rent**  
 Rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping rooms for rent. Phone 275 or call at 400 E. Second street. 1t

**Auto Crank Found**  
 An automobile crank was found. Owner can secure same by paying for this notice.

Cigars and cigarettes...Cunningham & Phillips.  
 "Bonnie B." hair sets. Ward's.

**GEOLOGIST'S REPORT**

A report on the geology and petroleum possibilities of the Cooperative Lease and Developments Company's holdings in the northwest corner of Sterling County and in the southeast corner of Howard County, Texas. By the Texas Consulting Company, Big Spring, Texas.

**Geography**

The area under consideration in this report consists of sections 121, the South half of the South half of sections 119 and 120, and sections 143, 144, 145, 146, in the Waco & Northwestern R. R. Co. Block 29, Howard County, Texas, and Sections 63, 64, 65, 80, 81, 82 in the Southern Pacific R. R. Co. Block 17, and Sections 23 and 24 in the Houston and Texas Central R. R. Co. Block 2, and Sections 147, 148, 149, 150, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 201, 202, 203, and 204 also in the Waco & Northwestern R. R. Co. Block 29 in Sterling County, Texas. One may easily reach this area by automobile from Big Spring on the T. & P. R. R. about 25 miles to the Northwest, or from Sterling City on the Santa Fe about 25 miles to the Southeast.

**Geology**

The topography is one of table land eroded into steep and gently rolling hills and flat valleys, with an elevation ranging from about 2500 to 2750 feet above sea level. The general drainage is to the Northeast into the Girards Creek, a tributary flowing East into the Colorado River. The area lies at the Northeast edge of the Edwards Plateau where this province meets the North Central Plains to the Northeast.

Stratigraphy: On drilling within this area one should encounter the following geologic column and would expect the various formations at approximately the indicated depths. The nomenclature used in the column is that of North Central Texas, in preference to that of the region West of the Pecos River, for the indicated nature of the beds more closely resembles that of this North Central region than it does the condition of Trans Pecos Texas, and too the former region where these beds outcrop is not so distant.

**Geologic Column**

Edwards Limestone	)	
Comanche Peak	)	
Comanchean Cretaceous		
Walnut Clay	)	
Trinity Sand	)	
200 feet	)	
Dockum Beds	)	Triassic.
400 feet	)	
Red Beds	)	
1800 feet	)	Permian
Wichita Albany	)	
2300 feet	)	
Cisco	)	
3000 feet	)	Pennsylvanian.
Bend	)	

The Lower Comanchean Cretaceous and Triassic Series make up the surface rocks over this area. At the base of the Comanchean Series is a tremendous unconformity approximately of Meocoman extent in time interval. The region is known to have been disturbed by numerous Carboniferous and early Mesozoic movements, which however had practically ceased by Comanchean times and the Neocomian erosion had quite leveled the land surface previous to the deposition of the Comanchean rocks. Thus a great movement in the Carboniferous is shown at the surface only by slight dipping of the Comanchean beds. We would expect a minor unconformity at the base of the Red Beds, and a very great one, both angular and erosional, at the Cisco-Bend Contact. Any calculations as to what to expect beneath the Bend would too closely approach pure speculation to be of value in this report.

Field observations together with Sub-Surface correlations from well log data plainly show a regional uplift about 50 miles in breadth and extending in a Northeast-Southwest direction and its length has not yet been determined. This group of acreage lies about the center of this regional uplift and data in hand from detailed field work plainly show the presence of local disturbance within this area. The complexity and confusing alignments of dips, strikes, tilts, breakages, rock deformations and other details of movement effects, combine to the fixation of proof that folding is present; and that such folding progressed to cross action and divergent action during coeval periods of successivity. The present well on this group of acreage, already drilled to a depth of about 1600 feet and in the Red Beds, offers an excellent chance for commercial production from the Cisco and underlying formations; and contours plotted from well log data over the territory show this area to be comparatively high stratigraphically.

**Petroleum Possibilities**

In order to arrive at an intelligent conclusion as to the chances of producing oil in quantity in the area under consideration, it is best to consider what conditions are necessary to give good production in any area and then see how completely the data of the particular area in question fulfills these necessary conditions.

At any point on the earth's surface all of the following conditions must exist to produce oil in commercial quantities.

- 1.—Presence of oil in quantity within reach of the drill.
- 2.—Local structure (Folding)
- 3.—Porosity of formation containing oil
- 4.—Impervious cap rock.

The necessity of Number 1 is obvious and needs no comment. Number 2 is necessary in order that oil from a large area may collect in a small area at the crest of the fold, due to the fact that oil is lighter than water and will not mix with water, and consequently rises to the apex of the fold on top of the water, while the water takes the lower position beneath the oil. Oil does not form in great quantities in one spot, but is distributed thruout large areas; hence in order to get big quantity the drill must penetrate a fold where it has concentrated from a large surrounding area into a pool at the crest of a fold. Number 3 must exist to provide channelways thru which the oil may flow and thus concentrate in a pool in response to the gravitational sorting caused by structure as outlined in Condition Number 2. It is evident that if there were no porosity the oil could not flow and collect. The necessity of Number 4 is also plainly seen, for if the cap rock were porous, then the oil instead of flowing to the crest of the fold would rise straight upward thru

the overlying cap rock and would not collect. Thus it is evident that in order to get good production anywhere all four conditions must exist and conversely where they do exist oil may be produced in quantity.

**Application of Factors Governing Production to This Area**

In regard to condition Number 1, refer to the geologic column above. The whole of the Comanchean and Triassic series which form the surface rocks thruout the area, is free from oil in Texas, hence could not be expected to produce any oil here. Also the underlying Permian Red Beds are not commercial producers in this State so we could not expect oil from this source in quantity. The underlying Wichita Albany is a big shallow producer of North Central Texas and the shore line relations of the Wichita Albany sea in that area were similar to the shore line relations here. Consequently we would expect the Wichita Albany to produce here and we find that several good oil showings were noted where this formation has been penetrated over this territory; and we might expect a moderate quantity from this source where proper structure is drilled. The underlying Cisco is also a big producer of North Central Texas and we would expect oil in quantity from this source, and this proves to be the case a short distance to the West and North, for the present production

from the several wells over the territory comes from the Cisco. The Canyon and Strawn are also big producers but we find that they are entirely missing a short distance to the South; thus we would not expect them here. The Bend is the big producer of Ranger and Deadmona and is highly bituminous at all points where penetrated in Texas. Thus it offers an excellent chance here. Calculations as to what to expect from the underlying formations could not be considered very favorable.

Thus a brief review of the chances of oil in this area in commercial quantities show three of the greatest series of producing rock in Texas to be in reach of the drill, and the Cisco, already producing at several points where penetrated over a considerable area a short distance to the North, and also to the West. Thus the chances of condition Number 1 being fulfilled, seem excellent.

Referring to condition Number 2, the local area exhibits marked and unmistakable testimony to the fact of folding and buckling in the Sub-surface formations, which complies unusually well with the requirements and is highly favorable to the effective operation of concentrative forces.

The fulfillment of conditions Number 3 and 4 is practically assured by a consideration of the equivalent formations at other points, where we find numerous porous beds thruout the productive portions of the column and

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**Bridge Club Notes**  
Mrs. W. W. Rix delightfully entertained at Bridge Wednesday afternoon. The interior of the home was brightened with clusters of beautiful peeps and shasta daisies for the occasion.

Four tables of players took part in the series of interesting games which Mrs. W. W. Inkman had the honor of making club high scores. Mrs. Myer Blankfield of Galveston made visitors high score. The delicious refreshments added much to the pleasure of the occasion.

**TEXAS CONSULTING COMPANY**  
By Floyd C. Dodson.

**Oil Meeting June 27th**

To former stockholders in the former McCrley Oil Association, to lease holders, and to all others interested in the further development of this territory: We wish to urge your attendance at a meeting at the Court House, Monday, June 27th at 8 o'clock p. m. Steps will be taken at this meeting looking to the perfecting of a plan to enable development to be started on another test well in the Big Spring territory.

Everyone interested in oil development is urgently requested to be present at this meeting.

J. N. Blue master mechanic for the Texas & Pacific with headquarters in this city, left Sunday for Dallas to attend the conference between the officials and employees of the T. & P. relative to a new working agreement.

**Saturday Special**  
Try Peanut Brittle.  
Try Peanut Fudge.  
Try Peanut Patties.  
1-2 pound for 15c.  
**ELITE CONFECTIONERY**  
"Snappy Service"

Miss Lois Prothro returned yesterday from Big Spring where this winter she had charge of the studio. She will now assume charge of the Midland studio and Miss Bradshaw will go to Big Spring as Midland Reporter.

The boys have fenced off the ground at the Parrish grove, just out of town and are having same prepared for the big 4th of July picnic and basket picnic.

Kodak films at Ward's



**SLATS DIARY**

Monday—We had fish for dinner to which we often do on Fridays and had a lotta bones in. Pa was trying 2 read the base ball news & eat fish both at the same time & he got a bone in his Throat. He begun 2 hoke & coff & we was skaled ma & me & then it edm out. after the critikal danger was over I huffed and it mald him Mad & he looked at me & he sed damit-chugit. I diddent know exactly wot

But I got. Tuesday—Jake & me went a fish-brody. he had a new pole & a I had to use a old willer stick. Pa & ma was in the Crick I was wish- I had a outfit like he had. All way home Jake wishd he had the I had. & he tride to trade me 2 of my shiners & a cat. Nuthin doing.

Wednesday—Went barefooted a wile morning & slept on a Honey bee. kept me away from sunday. Pa & ma was in a real good mood till ma ast pa woud he like to be 2 marry agen & pa sed Well wot mind to be free.

Thursday—after skool I went up to my house & he sed he cddent play on account he was hoeing Potatoes. I sed wot will you get for the Potatoes & he sed Nuthing I know wot I woud get if I did. He them.

Friday—A poor man come 2 our house & ast pa for sum money. something 2 eat & he sed he is & hassent no relations or friends & sed well then you dont need money & shut the door.

Saturday—This is the last day of school. I rote sum Poetry for J. E. 2 I rote — On the nite before I know wot I'll do. If I did no stockings I'll hang up my shoes. She sed Thats fine Slats. Shes sed.

Sunday—now we are free 2 come woods & fish & kill big black bear & pick black berries & go bear & swimming and etc. And ma wood haffo pull weeds a hole lot & it not so nice.

**Yes! Tea! Tea!**  
If you want the best. Get it at POOL-REED CO. Phone your order.

**At Catholic Church**  
The second and fourth Sundays of month (June) there will be no mass at the Catholic church.  
Rev. S. Kistner, Pastor.

**Wanted**  
A box or small refrigerator. Ward's.

J. F. Wolcott, proprietor of the Wolcott Auto Co., and Thos. Ashley, agent for the Texas Company, of this city, are convinced that the Dallas "cops" are keeping a keen outlook for automobile thieves, as a result of an experience they had in Dallas last Friday. Messrs Wolcott and Ashley were taking two new Dodge cars to Dallas and when going thru Oak Cliff a plain clothes motor cop gave them a close scrutiny and then beat it toward Dallas. Just as the Big Springers were rolling into Dallas a reception committee of three motor cops stopped them and wanted to know their full history. Everything was O. K. when they showed their credentials to the Chief. While it is a little inconvenient for a fellow to be bothered by police when he is attending to his own affairs and is not guilty of any transgressions—just such activity as is shown by the Dallas police is necessary if auto thieves are to be discouraged.

Republican leaders in Washington were considerably amused last week over an example of the pitfalls prohibition has placed in the way of office-seekers. A few days before the appointment of Roy Haynes as prohibition commissioner was announced, another candidate for that position was offered the place and accepted. Announcement of his appointment was delayed over night, so he went back to his hotel and held a justification party, resulting in administration leaders believing that he had been too public in displaying his jollity, so the place went to Mr. Haynes.

The following motored out southeast of town the forepart of the week to enjoy a camp-fire feast; and a real feast of fried chicken and crisp bacon cooked over the camp fire, and reinforced by oodles of other good things to eat was enjoyed; J. D. Biles and family, Jno. Northington and family, Mrs. Jno. Noteatine, Mrs. A. M. Evans, Misses Clara and Gulon Pool, C. Flaniken, Ada Linro, Messrs R. L. Price, R. C. Sanderson and J. W. Ward Mrs. J. E. Lockhart and son of Dallas, Mrs. J. Q. Kirby and family of Kentucky and Mrs. F. C. Niedermeyer and daughter of Van Horn

Mrs. F. F. Gary, Mrs. F. H. Ethridge, Misses Lillian Frances Gary, Velma Wasson, Mary Holmes, Doris Menger, Mr. and Mrs. McCall Gary and Messrs Eck Locelace and Valentine Day left Tuesday morning for a fishing trip and outing on the Concho river near Christoval.

Come in and look over our stock of goods. You are always welcome. Get our prices and we'll get your patronage. Phone 145. POOL-REED CO.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Adair, and baby of Greenville, Texas, are here for a visit with J. M. Barley and family. Mrs. Adair is a sister of Mrs. Barley.

Once used always used—Klenzo Tooth Paste, for sale at the Rexall store. Price 32c. Ward's.

Waco Times-Herald: Hugh Miller Thompson was for many years the editor of the Churchman, a Protestant Episcopal church publication. Later he was elected to the office of bishop, with Mississippi for diocese. As editor of the Churchman, Dr. Thompson undertook to show how the brethren were given to mismanaging the Lord's business. The indictment he drew had to do specifically with the matter of building church edifices and using them "two hundred and twenty-four hours in 365 days." "We are not blaming people," said Editor Thompson, "for investing largely in church building. We have no fault to find with costly and grand churches. Buildings of that sort are always a legitimate method of investment for church funds. What we want to call attention to, is the fact that we do not use them. We build them and lock them up." To what use other than the accustomed place of worship should a church edifice be put? Editor Thompson suggests that on Sunday "two or three quite different congregations might occupy the same house without interfering." Moreover, he adds, "a neat building which will accommodate our Sunday school for two hours a week might, quite as easily, accommodate our parish school six hours a day, and be free, then, for a night school besides." There is here, it seems to us, food for thought; is the Lord's business being mismanaged through the failure to make the most of our church edifices? And that question applies equally to Jewish, Protestant and Catholic congregations. Of course, Editor Thompson did not charge mismanagement in any offensive sense, nor do we in making the inquiry; his purpose was to set people to thinking. Take us here in Waco; is any congregation maintaining a day school or even a night school? If not, why not? "It would seem," says Editor Thompson, "that the time has come to study up this matter a little and discover what churches are built for, and for what purpose money is put into their walls and roof." Here is a theme, brethren beloved, that likely holds for all of us much profit if only we can get fully alive to the situation. Can it be possible that we are mismanaging the Lord's business?

**Hello!**

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**Home Service Company**

The Home Service Company held its first meeting at the Baptist church at 4 p. m. with a fair attendance. It is hoped the attendance will grow larger as the work goes on.

An interesting program was given; Mrs. Hardy made an inspiring talk on the "Definite work of the church", stressing the fact that the definite work of the church depends largely on each individual living a helpful life in the community and in his own neighborhood in particular.

Miss Lenora Dudley of Ozona sang very sweetly, "By the Waters of Minnetonka," playing her own accompaniment beautifully.

After a discussion of the sanitary care of the town swimming pools, Messdames Morgan and Ward were appointed a committee to report on this work.

Mrs. Agnell read a letter from Mrs. Eili Moore Townsend of Baylor Female College pleading for patriotic study of Texas heroes commemorating 100 years of civilization in Texas on the 4th of July.

Mrs. W. R. Dawes sang a song, "Sing Me to Sleep," accompanied by her daughter Alice.

It was decided to hold the next meeting at the Christian church on Monday July 18th at 4 p. m. The program will be published later in the Herald.

Now is the time to make your old hat look new—all you have to do is put Elkay's straw hat dye on it and it will look "brand new" Ward's The Rexall Store.

Sam McWhorter and Mrs. W. S. Moore of Lamesa arrived Tuesday to take Miss Willie McCutchan to Lamesa in the hope of the change benefiting her health, and they left for Lamesa Wednesday. Miss McCutchan has been ill as a result of a nervous breakdown the past four weeks. Her many friends hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

Don't wait for the girl to coax you for a present. Surprise her with a ring or wrist bracelet or a string of pearls. Ward's Drug Store.

**Photo Albums**  
The Damascus Album Loose-Leaf, open back, 50 black loose leaves, held in place by a cord. De Luxe Artistic Leather Embossed and tinted in Art Craft shades. We also have the Toledo Album, tinted in multi-shades. Price \$4.50 at Ward's.

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**New Agreements Reached on Auxiliary Line of Texas & Pacific**

New negotiations on new working rules and regulations to go into effect July 1 have been completed between officials and employes of the Weatherford, Mineral Wells and Northwestern Railroad, a Texas & Pacific line. W. H. Tobin, assistant general manager of the Texas & Pacific, announced yesterday. The conferences on the revision of present agreements were held at Weatherford and agreement on new rules and regulations was reached with all classes of employes, Mr. Tobin said. Notification to this effect has been forwarded to the Railway Labor Board.

Less than ten days remain for completion of negotiations between rail officials and their employes, as the labor board has asked for reports on new agreements to be in its hands by July 1. On the Texas & Pacific lines proper agreements have been reached with two classes of employes, the painters and the signal men. Negotiations are still pending with the clerks and the telegraphers, while conferences are now in session with the maintenance of way men and the federated shop crafts. Representatives of both the two latter classes of employes resumed conferences with officials of the road yesterday. It was learned that an early agreement with the maintenance of way men is expected.

The status of the negotiations with the four big rail unions hinges on what decision the labor board will hand down relative to whether the employes of those unions—the firemen, engineers, trainmen and conductors—come under the provisions of decision 119 of the board. The men maintain it is understood they do not come under the provisions of that decision, while the rail officials hold that they do. This issue will probably go before the board for settlement.—Dallas News.

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A wonderful antiseptic for combating germs—for the mouth, teeth, throat, nose, skin and mucous surfaces. Price 52c at Ward's.

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

O. H. ROBERTS, editor of the Reporter and manager for the Terrell Publishing Co. of Sweetwater was a visitor at The Herald office Wednesday. Mr. Roberts was enroute to Stanton to complete arrangements for the establishment of a weekly newspaper at that place. We are pleased to note that Stanton is to have a paper and it will be a good one since the Terrell Publishing Co. is behind the proposition.

An article that is to be kept and cherished for life. Should have care and selection and the guarantee of a reliable firm. Tiffany 14K-18K wedding ring. Ward's.

W. T. Reed was in in Thursday from his home northwest of town and reports a fine rain in his section Monday.

**Water is Necessary for your Battery**

Water is as necessary to battery life as it is to plant life. The water should be pure—and it should be put into the battery regularly, at least once every two weeks. You can easily put this water in, but we will gladly do it if you prefer.

We are also equipped to re-charge and repair batteries. We carry a complete line of Willard battery parts, rental batteries and Willard Threaded Rubber Batteries. Ask us how Willard Threaded Rubber Insulation puts an end to the separator replacement expense caused by warped, cracked, punctured and carbonized wood separators.

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**Card of Thanks**

We wish to heartily thank the members of the Volunteer Fire Department for their fine work in saving our home from destruction by fire early Wednesday morning. We also wish to thank the friends who assisted us in moving our household furnishings from our home when its destruction seemed certain.

W. N. Simmons.  
C. G. Simmons.

Ellwood and McClellan the forepart of this week moved twenty-five hundred steers from Spade ranch in Mitchell county to the Plains section. About two weeks ago they moved nineteen hundred head to the plains. These are part of 7500 head they sold last year for future delivery. The buyers are taking a big loss as they contracted for these when prices were high.

Fresh rendered Hog Lard 15 cents per pound. POOL-REED CO MARKET. Phone 145.

After a stormy debate the American Federation of Labor disposed of the Irish question by adopting a resolution—expressing sympathy for the Irish cause. The Irish sympathizers supporting a resolution calling for a boycott against British goods were overwhelmingly defeated in an attempt to have the convention overthrow a ruling made by President Samuel Gompers which prevented reconsideration of their proposals.

H. L. Rix returned Wednesday evening from a business trip to Lubbock. In speaking of good roads H. L. states he will put the Howard county road to Lamesa up against any between here and Amarillo. He states our roads are built on the right principle, have good drainage, and dragged at the right time, are the equal of any roads any one could desire. It's a pleasure to drive over this road.

**We Don't Kill Skin and Bones**

We feed our beavers. We do our own butchering. We slaughter in a clean, sanitary, slaughter pen. No flies. Phone 145. POOL-REED CO.

**Then There Was Trouble**

"Robert," said his spouse, "father writes me that he is going to get a typewriter. What's the best kind, do you think?"

"Well," he replied unthinkingly, "I like them about twenty, with soft brown eyes."—Boston Transcript.

Old clocks that you think are beyond repair bring to us and let us make them run for you. Expert repairing Ward's.

County Judge James T. Brooks and County commissioners M. L. Musgrove and L. S. Patterson have been in Fort Worth this week to attend the annual convention of County Judges and Commissioners.

**For Rent—For Rent**

Furnished Rooms in Cole & Strayhorn addition where it is always cool. Also a six room house for rent. Phone 112-R. 11-p.

Graduate optician. Ward's Drug Store.

**Program in the Methodist Church**

Friday night 8 o'clock July 1, 1921.  
Prayer by Brother Hardy.  
Flag Drill by Boys—T. B. Reeves, Captain.  
Song—"What Are The Flowers Saying?"  
Reading—Aubrey Davis.  
Song by Juniors.  
Reading by Ralph Khron.  
Song by Juniors.  
Reading—Jack Barnett.  
Song by Juniors.  
Reading—Johnnie McElhannon.  
Song by Juniors.  
Reading—Gennador Rogers.  
Song by Juniors.  
Reading—Frances Tucker.  
Song by Juniors.

The Baby Moses, by Tiny Lee Sikes, Margurite Stephens, Lucile LaBett, Frances Khron, Carrie Ashley, Viola Kennedy, Dorothy Hughes, Mabel Robb.

Piano solo by Nancy Dawes.  
Changed Crosses, a play, Spirit of Missions—Petrybell Reeves; Angels, Maywood Rix; Crosses, Helen Tucker, Lucile Rix, Dorothy Hughes, Maxine Thomas, Adlie Thomas, Mary, Agnes, Loretta Jenkins.

Trio by Mary Agnes, Jimmie Reeves, Katharine Hughey.

Reading—Ozema Daniels.

Trio by Maywood Rix, Cleo Hicks, Pauline Hart.

Piano solo—Lucile True.

Dialogue by Pauline Hart and Cleo Hicks.

Piano solo—Opal Kennedy.

A play—"The Child Moses."

Amram, father..... T. B. Reeves  
Joehebed, mother..... Petrybell Reeves  
Miriam, daughter..... Jimmie Reeves  
Moses..... Loretta Jenkins' doll  
Khal, an official..... Forest Hall  
Thermuthis, the king's daughter..... Helen Hardy.

Kilagipa, lady of the king's household..... Katharine Hughey  
Zoubasti, lady of the king's household..... Mary Agnes  
Nefert, an Egyptian woman..... Frances McNew.

Jambres, sacred scribe of the king... Ozema Daniels.

James, sacred scribe of the king... Cleo Hick.

Good-Bye by Juniors.

Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Stephens and the Juniors have put in three weeks of practice with the Juniors to raise the fifty dollars pledge. Charges adult 20 cts., child 10 cts. Next week following will be a program for the Cradle Roll, free.

**Episcopal Church**

Services for June 26th. Fifth Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion 8:00 a. m.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Morning Prayer 11:00 a. m.

Evening prayer 8:00 p. m.

Every Tuesday: Kindergarten Bible class, 9:30 a. m. at the church; Adult Bible class, 8:00 p. m. at the Rectory.

Rev. F. B. Eteson, Rector.

Boys and girls picnicing at the City Park south of town are requested to keep away from the pipe lines leading to the wells. If quite a number climb on these lines, serious injury results in causing leaks and damage to the pipe joints.

Nyal's Face Cream. Price 68c and 37c Wards.

**Presbyterian Auxiliary Meeting**

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at the church Monday afternoon, June 27th at 3 o'clock. All members and friends are urged to come.

The following is the program:  
Home Mission Topic—Teaching Our Neighbors.

Song—The Light of the World is Jesus.

Assembly's Home Missions and the Progressive Program—Mrs. Harrison.

The Assembly's Training School—Mrs. Barrick.

Facts about Christian Schools—Every Member.

Foreign Mission Topic—Japanese Politics.

The Seven Year Plan of Education in the S. S.—Mrs. Littler.

Elections in Japan and Status of Women in Japan—Mrs. Flaniken.

The Diary of One Member for Last Year—Mrs. Ellington.

It has been a long, long time since our folks joined wholeheartedly into any proposition, and it is suggested that we turn over a new leaf by everyone helping to make our 4th of July Picnic and Celebration a success. Years ago when we pulled these celebrations off as one big family affair we used to have the best time; and we can do it again. Everybody in Howard county is invited to take part.

As soon as the differences between the officials and employes of the Texas & Pacific Ry are smoothed out, and settled conditions are assured, everyone will be pleased for the uncertainty as to the future has had a tendency to halt building operations and the carrying forward of improvements. Within the next two or three weeks these questions should be adjusted.

J. T. Parrish, owner of what we have been accustomed to call the Roper grove, wishes to inform the folks that this is to be known now and hereafter as the Parrish grove. A number of our folks are trying to persuade Mr. Parrish to construct a swimming pool and a regular park at this delightful place, just east of the city limits on the Bankhead Highway.

Renewed interest in deep tests in this section is caused by reason of the fact that valuable deposits of potash may be discovered. A representative of the U. S. Geological department is now stationed at Big Spring for the purpose of keeping tab on these deep tests to ascertain whether or not potash in quantity is encountered.

Big Spring folks are requested to display the Stars and Stripes at their homes or places of business on July 4th. The business section especially should be decorated with bunting and flags on that date. Will you cooperate with the 4th of July committee to this extent?

I. J. and D. C. Beddo after a visit with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beddo left Sunday evening for their home at Fort Worth. Mrs. I. J. Beddo who accompanied her husband to this city did not return to Fort Worth until Thursday evening.

Expert Jewelry and watch repairing done. Ward's.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**From the Busy Bee Restaurant**

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On and after July 1st Our Prices will be Reduced from 10 to 20 Per Cent on everything. I am in business here to stay, and I am going to give my friends and patrons the benefit of the reduction I am getting on and after July 1st.

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We extend a cordial invitation. Give us a trial and see if we are not living up to our motto—QUALITY—Quality together with the best service at a most reasonable charge.

**L. L. GULLEY, Proprietor**

**Citation by Publication**

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Bryan W. Hodgdon by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32nd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 32nd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Howard County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring, Texas, on the 1st Monday in September, A. D. 1921, the same being the 5th day of September A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 16th day of June A. D. 1921 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 837, wherein Lois Lester is Plaintiff, and Bryan W. Hodgdon is defendant, and said petition alleging, That plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has been for more than one year and has resided in Howard County for more than six months preceding the filing of this suit; that the residence of defendant is to plaintiff unknown.

That plaintiff and defendant were married at Santa Anna, State of California on January 8, A. D. 1919, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 31st day of March A. D. 1920, when by reason of cruel harsh and tyrannical treatment and improper conduct toward plaintiff, she was forced, and compelled to permanently abandon defendant and return to her parents at Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife.

That during the time she and defendant lived together as aforesaid she was kind and affectionate to him and always treated him as a wife should treat her husband but that defendant was unmindful of his marital vows and within three weeks after their said marriage he commenced a course of harsh and tyrannical treatment toward plaintiff, using vile epithets toward her and would strike and curse her and many times would use toward her vile epithets, and make false accusations against her.

That plaintiff during the time she lived and co-habited with defendant had one child by him to-wit, A girl by the name of Lois Winifred Hodgdon about 18 months of age.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relation and plaintiff have the care, custody and education of said child of said marriage and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and equity that she may be justly entitled to receive, etc.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return Lae-on, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring this 16th day of June A. D. 1921.  
(Seal) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk  
District Court, Howard County (40-4.)

A cuckoo is a bird that never builds its own nest, but always lays its eggs in the nest of some other bird. Our country is crowded with cuckoos, all very busy laying eggs. They meet and plot. They harangue each other. They curse the house of Uncle Sam. They ask, "Who was George Washington, anyhow?" They tell each other that private property is highway robbery. That is merely because they haven't any and want yours and mine without working for it.—Owen Wister in Texaco Star.

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

Mrs. L. A. Deason returned Sunday morning from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Yull Robb returned Tuesday morning from a visit in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McNew and daughter and Ike McNew returned Thursday of last week from an auto trip to San Antonio and report an especially enjoyable trip.

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

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Eastman Kodaks from the west... size to postal card size. We... them direct from the factory... up. Ward's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Williams... turned Sunday night from a... Pasadena and Los Angeles, Cal... and other points on the Pacific.



**Another Reduction in Ford Cars**

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

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

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

"Ford business for April and May 1921 was greater by 56,633 cars than for the same two months in 1920; in fact, the demand has been even greater than the supply, so that our output has been limited not by unfilled orders but by manufacturing facilities.

"During May we produced 101,421 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the biggest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on a 4000 car daily schedule for June.

"The Fordson tractor is still being sold at less than the cost to produce on account of the recent big price reductions, and it is impossible, therefore, to make any further cut in the price of the tractor." Can you afford to go without a car any longer when Fords are selling at these new low prices? There is no reason now why you should delay purchasing a Ford car, Ford truck, or Fordson tractor.

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

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