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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Lowry, enroute to Midland spent the week end in this city visiting relatives and friends.

If you shave... You must keep our shaving utensils in mind... Cunningham & Philips.

THUNDER OF BIG GUNS IN "TELL IT TO THE MARINES"

The surge of war—thunder of big guns—these are the settings for a wonderful human drama in one of the real masterpieces of the screen. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's much heralded EPIC of the Marine Corps, which will be at R. and R. Lyric Theater Monday and Tuesday, May 2 and 3.

"Tell It To The Marines" is a mighty drama, told amid great battleships in grim war maneuvers; amid strenuous frays in an Oriental wilderness; amid the confusion and bustle of Marine barracks—but, after all, these thrills, bits of comedy and inspiring spectacles are incidental—incidental to the love of a young American and a pretty girl—and the gruff but fatherly love of a grizzled Marine sergeant for the boys he scores and belabors like a terrible taskmaster, but at heart is proud of.

It is the story of the soul of the Marine Corps—the story of the human loves, tragedies, and ideals of those whom the world knows as "First to fight."

And it's glorious entertainment! One roars with laughter at William Haines, as the recruit, in his troubles with the paint—his introduction to the "Admiral's barge"—and his troubles with the sergeant that land him in the brig. One thrills at the mighty spectacle of a whole battle fleet in maneuvers—its guns belching flame—and the grim Marines who feed them their explosive food.

It's the story of the soul of America.

Lon Chaney, as the grizzled sergeant, has a role the like of which he never played and may never play again—a role he does not act—but literally lives. It may well go down as one of the real Chaney classics.

Eleanor Boardman makes a charming heroine, and Carmel Myers a subtle Oriental vampire. Mitchell Lewis as the bandit chief, and Eddie Gribbon as the comic corporal, contribute some gems of acting. George Hill, the director, has created a notable successor to "The Barrier," "Zander the Great," and others of his best known features of the screen

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A bottle of Herbine on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two does is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 60c. Sold by

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WHY SELL UNIVERSITY LANDS?

Uncle Bill Kellis, editor of the Sterling City News-Record, certainly gives our representative J. Herschel Boggs a few reasons why the University lands should not be sold. In the last issue of the News-Record. After giving "facts and figures" which J. Herschel will have a hard time refuting, Uncle Bill sums it up about as follows: There are about four classes of people who would like to see the University of Texas divested of its lands at this time. They are the tightwad and tax dodger; the fellow who wants to buy the land at half value; the slick oil man and the ignorant enemy of the institution. These are not the people Mr. Boggs was elected to represent, neither are the people of his district of that kind.

CURBING DRUNKEN DRIVERS

Most men are aware that it is against the law for a drunk man to drive an automobile on the streets and highways. Upon conviction he can be sentenced to serve a term in the penitentiary.

It seems as though it is going to be necessary to make an example of some one in Big Spring since it is not at all an uncommon sight to see men under the influence of liquor driving cars in this city.

It may be that these drunken drivers may kill or maim someone before we get properly aroused to the need of protecting our citizens against irresponsible and drunken drivers.

A drunk man has no business behind the steering wheel of an automobile—our jail is the safest place for those who persist in saturating themselves with bootleg rotgut.

"BIG MUNNS" TO MANAGE MIDLAND BALL TEAM

According to latest information H. D. Munns, more familiarly known to the baseball fans throughout West Texas as "Big Munns," is to manage the Midland baseball team. Gus Ragadale had been offered the position as manager but was unable to accept same.

Munns is a good clean fellow, a great pitcher, and all around baseball player and many Big Spring admirers will be glad to learn he is to manage the Midland team.

MITCHELL COUNTY VOTES \$200,000.00 ROAD BONDS

In the election held in Mitchell County last Saturday for the purpose of determining whether or not a bond issue of \$200,000 for good roads should be authorized the proposition carried by seven to one. Nearly 1800 votes were cast, with more than 1500 voting in favor of the issuance of the bonds.

This victory for the progressive citizenship of Mitchell County will not only be good news locally, but all along the highway, and you might say clear across the continent since the Bankhead Highway is one of our most important National highways.

It means the elimination of "Iatan Flat" a mud hole that has made more folks cuss than any mud hole on any highway.

The State and Federal Highway officials are to add \$600,000 to Mitchell County's \$200,000 to build a real highway across Mitchell County from east to west.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, MAY 1

Leader—Miss Elizabeth Owen.

Topic—What Vocations Are Worthwhile?

Scripture—1 Cor. 3:6-16.

Song—Work for the Night is Coming.

Prayer—

What Makes a Vocation Worthwhile?—A. J. Sparks.

Song—Brighten the Corner Where You Are.

Some Vocations Fit for Christians and Why—Mrs. J. R. Creath.

Home Builders—Titus 2:4-5.

Good Housekeeping—Prov. 31:27-29—Mrs. Dunn.

How Important a Part Should Financial Reward Have in the Choice of a Vocation?—Mr. Eubanks.

How Can a Christian Honor Christ in Every Day Life?—Mrs. Barrett.

Solo—Mrs. Eubanks.

Why Do You Not Enter Full-Time Christian Work?—Bro. Claud Wingo

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY WILL MEET MONDAY AFTERNOON

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the First Methodist Church will meet in regular business session Monday afternoon May 2, at 2:30 o'clock at the church. Mrs. M. L. Musgrove, delegate to the annual conference which met in Abilene last week will give her report at this meeting. At this conference it was requested that a history of the Auxiliary be written and all officers and superintendents are requested to bring short written reports to this meeting Monday.

All members are urged to be in attendance.

CARD OF THANKS

For the many deeds of kindness and thoughtful acts we wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our dear friends and neighbors who came to us in our hour of sorrow and brought us comfort. Only those who have gone through these hours of darkness know what such expressions of sympathy mean to the bereaved. May God bless and keep you all!

Miss Norma Merrick
Mrs. Bertha Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith,
Mr. and Mrs. Vaston Merrick,
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roberts.

FATHER OF MRS. ELLINGTON DIES AT HENDERSON

Mrs. E. O. Ellington returned home Thursday night from Henderson where she was called about three weeks ago by the serious illness of her father, M. T. Lacy. Mr. Lacy passed away at his home in Henderson Sunday night, and funeral services were held Monday, April 25. Mr. Lacy was well known in this city, where he had visited at different times and his friends will be grieved to learn of his death. Heartfelt sympathy is extended Mrs. Ellington at this sad hour.

DRAIN CRANKCASES KILL MOSQUITOES

Here's a plan we might try right here in Big Spring to discourage the mosquito from becoming too numerous. There is no excuse for us to be pestered with these pests:

"Waste oil taken from the crankcases of automobiles is to be used by the Florida Board of Health in combating mosquitoes. Garages in all cities are being asked to save this oil. It will be used to saturate sacks of mixed sawdust and sand, which will be planted in bodies of water where mosquitoes propagate."

Mrs. M. L. Musgrove returned last Thursday night from Abilene where she had been to attend the annual conference of the First Methodist Church. Mrs. Musgrove was delegate from the Ladies Auxiliary of the local church.

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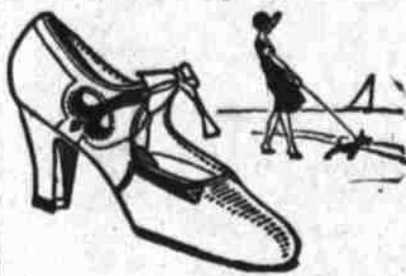


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We have just received a shipment of men's light weight suits in Palm Beaches, Tropical Worsteds, Mohairs and Linens. They are all in the very best colors and a wide range of sizes.

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CALIFORNIA FRIEND WANTS GOOD ROAD BUILT TO GAIL

Just read this excerpt from a letter we received this week from one of our California subscribers, and then tell us that there isn't any free hearted people left in the world. We know different.

"There are two things that I look forward to with great pleasure and that is: receiving a letter from my mother who is now almost 80 years old and the Big Spring Herald. I read both with a great deal of interest.

"When you get ready to build a good automobile road to Gail from Big Spring I will subscribe \$25.00 to the fund, or will come there and put in a good solid week's work.

"Good roads and good citizens are the foundations of every community. Three cheers for good roads.

"Frank E. Bellamy,
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Kill your rats and mice now
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The finest barbecue on the market can be bought from the Sander's Shop on East Second street next to the Acorn store. Fresh and tender meat and cooked to a turn. Everything clean and sanitary and all meat cooked is handled by Mr. Sanders. Only high grade cattle butchered so you can rest assured that the meat you buy is always the best. Try our barbecue. You'll like it. Sanders Market, next to Acorn store. It

HAS BUILDING PERMIT LAW BEEN CHANGED?

Some of our citizens who were denied permission to erect sheet iron buildings within the fire limits of Big Spring, and others who were denied permission to repair buildings are coming to believe we have two sets of laws, one for the rich and another for the poor, since they note that frame and sheet iron buildings within the fire limits now are being remodelled and repaired.

Herald want ads get results.

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Practice limited to the Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat, and the fitting of glasses

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T. & P. TEAM WALKS AWAY WITH TWO MORE GAMES

The T. & P. baseball team walked away with a couple of ball games in whirlwind fashion at the City Ball park Saturday and Sunday, by defeating Coahoma 13 to 0 and winning from Fort Worth T. & P. team with a score of 14 to 3.

Quinney, pitching for Coahoma, started off like a house on fire, but his damper was turned when the local boys started on one of their thundering rampages. Vick and Hinson pitched for Big Spring and it was easy sailing thruout the game. Payne and Graves for Big Spring received three blows apiece to lead the hitting attack.

The game Sunday with Fort Worth started off like a heated contest as Fort Worth made the first run in the third inning, but that seemed to make the local boys hot. Nine men had crossed the plate for Big Spring before they were put out. Punk Thornton hitting in clean-up position for Big Spring showed the fans why he occupies his important position in the line up when he connected with the horsehide for a home run, triple and two base singles. His home run was the first to be knocked in the new park. Williamson and Johnson also for Big Spring, and Irby for Fort Worth, came through with three singles apiece. Babers and Vick, pitching for Big Spring, held Fort Worth to eight hits, while Rogers and Greble, pitching for Fort Worth, were hit hard and often.

McCamey Here This Week
McCamey which is reported to be the fastest club outside of organized baseball will be here both Saturday and Sunday for games. They boast several Texas league players, including Knight, who played four years with Galveston, when Galveston was in the Texas league, and Byers formerly with Houston Texas league, also Letty Woods, the lad that left Wichita Falls, Texas league early in the season to come to Big Spring, then joined McCamey club. Woods defeated the El Paso Copper league team last week but the local boys are going to try and deal their former teammate misery. The game is called for 3:30 both Saturday and Sunday.

Money refunded on any dry cigars
Cunningham & Phillips.

We claim to keep and sell the best pork, beef and mutton. Pool-Read Co.

FIFTY-FOUR SENIORS ARE CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Fifty-four seniors are candidates for graduation in May, and according to the usual custom, caps and gowns will be worn by the members of the graduation class. The number of candidates will probably be diminished by graduation as some are dropping out of school for the term, others will graduate in summer school, and still others are planning on getting through who may not pass on the final six weeks work.

Unlike the custom of former years the baccalaureate sermon will be preached in the evening rather than in the morning. Rev. D. H. Heard, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has been invited to deliver the sermon at the Baccalaureate services, which will be held at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening, May 22.

Dr. Batsell Baxter, president of Abilene Christian College will deliver the commencement address. Commencement exercises too will be held in the First Methodist Church Friday evening, May 27.

Plans for the closing exercises and programs for the last days of school are being prepared and will appear in our paper when they are completed.

Washing! Washing

We leave everything but the grease and mud. Expert car washing at Bankhead Garage. 32-51

A NEW BREAKFAST FOOD

Thrash some kaffircorn, rub good and wind it well and what husk won't come out will pop off, and this popped and served as above stated will discount popcorn in flavor and popping proclivities. And all unpopped kernels will make the finest of food to make hens lay. Clean some kaffir, maize or foterita (kaffir is highest in percentage of food value) either ground in an old coffee mill and cooked and served as cream of wheat is hard to beat. A Cow-puncher in Brownfield Herald.

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MUST SECURE LAND FOR BIG SPRING SCHOOLS

Sometime since the editor suggested that the members of the School Board sell the Central School property for business purposes and erect a school building outside the business district. We have since been informed that this board cannot do this since a clause in the deed to this property provides that when it is to be used for other than school purposes it will revert back to the Texas & Pacific railway. So that's that.

Well, since such is the case we would endorse the suggestion of the Board that a first class high school building be erected on the Central school property and the present High school be used for the grammar grades. With the tendency of the town to build southward becoming more apparent every day such an arrangement would prove worth considering.

It is only a question of time until we must plan additional school buildings so we might as well begin to give the matter some thought.

Just suppose the old town would more than double in population within the next year or two...and it is possible...where would we stack the children reporting at our school doors.

We had better begin to look ahead and buy a few tracts of land for school purposes before values take a big jump.

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PICTURE OF MISS FRANCES LIVAN IN STAR-TRAIL

A picture of Miss Frances daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Livan of Big Spring, appearing in the Sunday issue of the Fort Worth Telegram-Record. Miss Livan is a student at Texas Woman's College where she has made an excellent record this year. Following is a clipping from Sunday's paper containing the picture:
"Miss Frances Livan of Big Spring, who has made the highest grades in the freshman class at Woman's College this year, graduated from Big Spring High School in 1923, but was a bookkeeper prior to that time." T. W. C. last fall.

JNO. W. THURMAN MAYOR

John W. Thurman a resident of Big Spring, is now in that city two former citizens were candidates for office, namely: Mr. Thurman, L. C. G. Buchanan, and Mr. race and Mr. Thurman was opponent by a large majority.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stange daughter, Rozelle, visited here Tuesday, the guests of Mrs. Lee Hanson.

Come early Saturday for your fruits and vegetables. Hogue.

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You have seen them yourself—drowsy, lazy, indifferent communities sleeping away priceless hours when other towns and sections are working night and day to bring civic pride up to a high pitch. And such communities get such a "running start" that it is difficult to ever catch up with them. When a Rip Van Winkle's town does awaken it faces a giant task.

In towns where paint is almost a religion, where the clean up, dress up and perk up idea persists, real estate values are higher, homes are more popular and are worth more, and progress is in the very air.

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Monday and Tuesday
May 2nd and 3rd

LON CHANEY

TELL IT TO THE MARINES



Expect Big Things!

THIS romance carries you across continents along a trail of heroic adventure and hilarious escapades. The true story of the Marines! Great in its way as "The Big Parade." Lon Chaney a positive sensation as a hard-boiled sergeant!

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For the first time on the screen the real inside story of the famous Marines! It carries you half-way across the world, through stirring adventures in many lands--and at last to a Lover's Paradise! He fell for girls in many lands, but he found real love in the heart of a girl at home.

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ment, Texas—"When I was to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, after all the other remedies which I had used for feminine weakness had failed to benefit me, I was just about past going, I had suffered so much. I began taking the 'Favorite Prescription' and in a short time feeling as well as I ever in my life, and I am still enjoying my health."—Mrs. Mary J. Hall, Ark. St.

Large bottles, liquid tablets \$1.35 and 65c. 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg.

MORE COTTON ON FEWER ACRES CONTEST!

cannot understand why one or more farmers in Howard do not enter the "More Cotton on Fewer Acres" contest sponsored by the Dallas News and Semi-Farm News. The contest is nothing to enter this contest thousands of dollars in prize money. It is a little trouble to keep the cost of planting, cultivating, etc., and you may work the five acres a little than you do your big patch, you will be well paid for this in the increase in production though you may not take any of the prize money. You are too busy to consider position encourage your boys five acres under the "More Cotton on Fewer Acres" contest

DON'T WORRY



matter what ails your watch repair H. WILKE'S JEWELRY OPTICAL SHOP.

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Plumbing and Electric work 167 Gregg—Phone 1234.

SON OF MRS. HATTIE CROSSETT INJURED IN BATTLE AT EL PASO

Mrs. Hattie Crossett left Monday morning for El Paso to be at the bedside of her son, Egbert N. Crossett, 30, who was wounded and his friend Thad Pippin, 37, was killed when they were ambushed by Mexican liquor smugglers last Sunday at El Paso. Crossett and Pippin were both U. S. Border patrolmen, and they had just arrested two Mexicans and seized the liquor in their possession when friends of the Mexicans opened fire on the patrolmen, wounding Crossett and killing Pippin.

Crossett was wounded four times, four pistol wounds being found on him when he was taken to the Masonic Hospital for treatment. All the wounds are flesh wounds and not considered serious, according to reports.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY EVE. MAY 1

Subject: Our Vocations and Avocations.
Leader—Elizabeth Crain.
Scripture Lesson—Acts 6:1-6; Mark 10:42-45.
Song.
Prayer—Rev. W. C. Hinds.
Vocations and Avocations—Thomas Sipes.
Qualities Needed in God's Servants—Cleta Faye Cook and Mary Burns.
Announcements.
Offering.
Benediction.

ATTEND WORKERS COUNCIL AT COAHOMA TUESDAY

The following members of the First Baptist Church attended the Workers Council at Coahoma Tuesday: Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Heard, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Maupin, Mrs. Arda Gentry, Miss Gwendolyn Bittle, Mrs. F. F. Gary, Mrs. Tom Mercer, Mrs. Nat Shick, Mrs. Travis Reed, and Mrs. R. D. Hatch.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rector Frank H. Stedman Services for second Sunday after Easter. 9:45 a. m. Church School. 7:45 p. m. Services and Sermon. You are welcome.

ATTENDING STATE CONVENTION

Brother Claud Wingo, minister of the First Christian Church, left Monday morning for Houston, where he will attend the State Convention of Christian Churches.

SPECIALS AT MOZELLE

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Come to the High School Tuesday evening. "The White House Pageant" and the wedding of a popular couple. Admission 25c. Everyone welcome.

Croup remedies...Try croup drops...Cunningham & Phillips.

SILVER LOVING CUP ON DISPLAY AT C. & P. DRUG STORE

The handsome silver loving cup won by the Sixth District at the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Dallas last fall, has been on display this week in the window at the C. and P. drug store No. 1. This beautiful award was won by the district that sent in the best report on "American Citizenship." All of the different clubs must report on the interest they take in governmental questions and they must report what interest they take in the display of flags on holidays, patriotic programs on national holidays, and what they do to help Americanize the foreigners.

Mrs. B. Reagan is chairman of American citizenship in the Sixth District of Women's Federated Clubs and she stated that many excellent reports were turned in by the clubs of her district.

The loving cup was sent to Ozona to the district meet the latter part of the week but will be returned and will belong to the Sixth District until the next state meeting which will be in November at Waco.

HORSESHOE TIRE COMPANY OPENS STATION IN THIS CITY

The Horseshoe Tire Company has opened a station in the W. W. Crenshaw building on West First street, and they unloaded their first carload of tires on Monday and Tuesday of this week. G. E. Newton is manager of the Big Spring branch and invites all of his friends to come in and look over the stock.

The Horseshoe Tire Company does wholesale business and is a branch of the Richard Rubber Company of Lubbock. S. L. Thurman, district sales manager of Lubbock, spent the forepart of the week in Big Spring, assisting Mr. Newton in opening up his business.

PICTURES ON MEXICO

At Presbyterian Church Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church at eight o'clock the Sunday school will present a program on Mexico. Also pictures will be shown showing the conditions in Mexico. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this and all other services of the day. You will enjoy this program. A glad hand welcomes YOU to this home-like church. R. L. Owen, Pastor.

The South Ward P. T. A. invites all to come to the "White House Pageant" at the High School auditorium Tuesday evening at 8. Also a popular couple will be wedded following the program. Brother Truett officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reagan after a week's visit in this city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan, left Wednesday night for El Paso where they will visit before returning to their home in Old Mexico.

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C. OF C. DIRECTORS MEETING

At a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, Monday night a number of important matters came up for discussion. President Weaver made good on his promise to start the meeting on time and close at the expiration of the allotted time.

Reading of the matters and reading of correspondence from the T. & P. officials relatives to assistance in the Maize Contest being conducted by the C. of C.; also a letter from Congressman C. B. Hudapeth relative to a potash survey was in order.

The question of paving State Highway No. 9, known as the Glacier to Gulf Motorway came up for consideration. The directors endorsed the idea of getting an expression from County Judges and C. of C. secretaries along the route. If the plan is to pave all the way from Amarillo to San Antonio, Howard County could be depended upon to do her

part.

The question of sending a sponsor to the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Wichita Falls came up but the majority of the directors seemed to be of the opinion that money was needed right now for local projects and it might be best to pass up the sending of a sponsor.

Joye Fisher stated he had just made a trip of inspection over the road to the Chalk oil field and it was necessary to build permanent cattle guards immediately. He was instructed to let the contract for the work, and to build cattle guards that would stand up under the heaviest traffic.

Mention was made of the development program the city has in view and it was voted that the directors accord their hearty support to any additional paving projects the city commission sees fit to undertake. Relative to supply commercial gas for Big Spring it was shown by cor-

respondence that a company is keeping an eye on the situation and will make arrangements to get busy just as soon as a sufficient amount of gas to supply our city has been developed in the oil fields in our county.

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Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, (©, 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for May 1
PETER'S DENIAL AND REPENTANCE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 14:53, 54; 66-71; Luke 22:61, 62.
GOLDEN TEXT—Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Grieves Jesus and Is Sorry.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Story of Peter's Disloyalty.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Jesus Is Denied Today.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Danger of Sudden Temptations

- 1. Peter's Downfall (Mark 14:29-71).**
This began when he refused to hear about the cross and ended when he, with a foul oath, declared: "I know not the man." When the disciples would no longer hear Christ's message about the cross, they not only ceased to grow in knowledge, but they began to deteriorate in moral discernment and were exposed to the possibility of the shameful denial of their Lord Steps in Peter's backsliding:
1. Overweening self-confidence (vv. 29-31).
His unwillingness to face the cross alienated him from Jesus and when apprized of the fact that the disciples would all forsake Jesus, Peter declared that Jesus was certainly mistaken, saying: "Although all shall be offended, yet will not I." Our condition is most perilous when we are most sure of our safety.
2. Sleeping at the post of duty (v. 37).
In one short hour the very one who was so confident of his self-sufficiency had fallen asleep instead of watching. The only way to escape from backsliding is to watch.
3. Lack of prayer (v. 38).
The legitimate inference from the Lord's words "watch and pray" is that He had commanded them to pray as well as to watch. The reason there is so little prayer is due to the lack of the sense of need of God's help.
4. Misguided zeal (v. 47).
Peter drew a sword and cut off an ear of a servant of the high priest (John 18:10) when they came to arrest Jesus. He was thus zealous for the Lord. He was trying to make up in outward service his conscious lack of communion.
5. Followed Jesus afar off (v. 54).
Christ's rebuke for taking the sword and the awkward position in which his act had placed him, caused him to follow afar off. He keenly felt Christ's reprimand. Following Jesus afar off got him into trouble.
6. Warmed himself at the enemy's fire (v. 67).
This fire was built by those who had come unsympathetically to witness the crucifixion and even to mock in this tragic hour. For Christ's disciples to try to get comfort from the things prepared for the satisfaction of His enemies is sinful. Many professing Christians are living a life of compromise, even attempting to get pleasures out of the things which the enemies of Christ have prepared for themselves.
7. Open denial (vv. 66-71).
Step by step downward Peter went until the words of a servant girl provoked open and blasphemous denial. This even by one who had said: "If I should die with thee I will not deny thee in any wise." Peter's trouble began when he shrank from the cross. It was that shunning which separated him from contact with God. It should be remembered that there can be no backsliding until there be established a position from which to slip. Many of the so-called backsliders have never been born again.
- II. The Repentance of Peter (Luke 22:61-62).**
1. The look of Jesus (v. 61).
This was a most wondrous look. It was doubtless filled with pity and pain. Christ knew the trials through which Peter and the other disciples would pass and He prayed for them. This look brought to Peter the full consciousness of his cowardice and disloyalty and his blasphemous words of denial, and yet it displayed His pity and forgiving love.
2. Peter's bitter tears (v. 62).
The look of Jesus brought conviction of sin. It called to mind his boastfulness and cowardice. How awful must have been his condition as he went out that night into the darkness, little suspecting that there would be found a way to get back into communion with his Lord. Doubtless the message from the women as they came from the tomb brought the first good cheer to his heart. Christ said to them: "Go and tell my disciples and Peter." This encouraged him, no doubt, as it indicated Christ's particular consideration and love for him.

Two Things Needed
There are two things that they need to possess, who go on pilgrimage—experience and an unspotted life.—John Bunyan

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Yes, it will finally sink into their hearts that it pays to be decent. But we believe there is little hope for the older folks who have set the example with their home brew parties and wild goings on. If our becomes a pleasure mad world, the old sports, men and women included, will be directly responsible.

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B. Reagan and Paul Reagan were visitors in San Angelo Monday.

AMERICA'S CROSS
The filling station is a section of America. We put at home. We ran left to the filling station the nucleus of a new Here is a convenient stop a friendly caravansary of pause, refuel, light pipe, one another as to roads, things about speed traps and time of day. Here is a conversation shorn of the first edition Chevrolet is introduction as a new idea is a richer, creamier cross America than is to be found Main street, for the many Main streets have quotas into it.

Nothing else in America a clientele so cosmopolitan, a picture theater can neither can a church, a game, nor the teacher to all these draw their feet just around the corner. station draws its crowd where. On the heels of from upper Fifth avenue, time on its way to six Alabama negroes, males, in a rebuilt Ford, a row may bear the five different States.

The filling station is in a country of magazines, 'ances, for the cross-pollination ideas.—Harper's.

Dr. Wilks says: "The develops a trained mind. eyes are the compass of a trained mind. Optometrists and 'trainers' eye."—Gull's tometerist.

TEXAS TALKS
The Joy of Rejuvenation
By Mrs. Wesley Peacock

The return of my youth has been a great joy to me, but it has been a greater joy to my children, for whom I have lived even as Cornelia the Roman matron, who said of her children, "These are my jewels."

Before I was married I taught oratory and physical culture in a boarding school for girls, and after my marriage I did not relax my physical and mental gymnastics for the sake of my body and for the sake of the bodies of the children whom I expected and to whom I had consecrated my young life; and when they came they were blessed with strong bodies and normal minds, their rightful inheritance.

While psychologists are uncertain whether acquired characters are transmissible to children; we all know that the strength or weakness of the expected child depends upon the prenatal influence exerted by the mother. As an expectant mother I tried ever to control my emotions, exercising self-control in fear and anger, so that the children also might develop emotional control after their emergencies into this life. A mother who can not control herself can not control her children. In the glistening regions of the great lakes in order to forestall endemic goitre in children doctors administer iodine compounds to their mothers. Is this not prenatal influence?

I desired to be strong before my children came, realizing that my health would be their health; my exercise, their exercise; my diet, their diet; my thoughts, their thoughts; my emotions, their emotions. Best of all, every one of them was a love baby in a sacred meaning. Perhaps 90 out of every 100 babies come as welcome guests into their homes; and this accounts for so much unrest, so much lawlessness, so much insanity in the last few years. This also explains the alarming increase in the number of suicides among children since the war. They were war babies without homes, without love, and too often without God.

If my children have never disobeyed me it is because I have spared them both the rod and the tongue lashings that have spoiled the lives of so many innocents, and I have protected them from teasing, fright, and deception. I have always tried to answer their curious questions, to play their games, to quicken their imaginations, and to perfect them in love for the beautiful.

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Notes from Other West Texas Fields

Big Royalty Deal

Part of the royalty under eighteen sections of land of J. A. Haley, ranchman in Winkler County, has been bought by H. E. Lemar, local oil man, in a deal involving about \$95,000.

The holdings begin three miles northwest of the discovery well in Winkler and are in the trend now being played from that well to Artesia, New Mexico. The Skelly is drilling a well on this land, the Humble is preparing to drill and the White Eagle is rigging up to drill. —San Angelo Standard.

World Oil Co. to Drill in Reeves Co.

Contract for a deep test on the Pecos-Angeles block was made recently between the World Oil Company and O. F. Scherer of Los Angeles to be spudded by May first. Location is within a short distance of the old location of the former test, which made only a shallow test on scratch section 68.

The World Oil Company is now rushing material and equipment to the new location preparing to be ready to spud on contract date. The depth was not announced, but will probably be more than 4,000 feet, as the Bell well two miles northeast struck their pay below this depth.

Sterling County Oil News

The machinery for the Wm. Little well on the east part of section 1, block "T," T. & P. Ry. Co., is being assembled. A National drilling machine will be used, and a Franklin oil engine will furnish the power.

The machinery for the Inland Oil Company's test on section 12, block "T," T. & P. Ry. Co., two miles south of here, is being moved on to the location. This well is due to begin drilling within the next ten days.

The drilling outfit at the Sparkman well is being moved to the location on the north line of section 15, block 30, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., in W. N. Reed's pasture 18 miles northwest of here. This well will begin drilling within about 30 days, and will be drilled to 3000 feet. —Sterling City News-Record.

News From Wink

Eight new locations have been made in Winkler County on the T. C. Hendrick ranch north of Wink. The Southern Crude has made four locations on the east half of section 33, block 35. The Independent has a new location on the west half of section 34, block 35. The Atlantic has a location on the east half of the southwest quarter section 34. The Gulf has two new locations on the northwest quarter of the same section.

Fifteen rigs are now up which together with the new locations will give the skyline north of Wink an imposing appearance.

Winkler County, on account of the size of the wells and the newness of the field has suffered little from the cut in the price of crude oil. —Ector County News.

New Locations Made in Odessa Field

There are ten good completions in the University and Gulf-McElroy oil fields last week. All wells were pinched back after the initial flow. Sims-Atlantil No. 6-A came in Wednesday and went over the top for fifteen minutes. This well bids fair to equal the sensational Sims-Atlantic.

Prairie-Lassiter No. 2 was brought to the top of the pay the first part of the week and shut off to await the rise in the price of crude.

The Texon Oil Company made a new location on the extreme south of the University field, forcing the Gulf to drill two offsets.

Davis No. 1 in Ector County is underreaming at 1500 feet. The Prairie Oil and Gas brought in another producer on the Lane Lease near Mc-Camey which extends the field something like a mile to the south. —Ector County News.

Winkler County Oil News

Winkler field is now considerably enlarged with the finding of a good oil show by the Liano well, a few miles due north of the discovery well. The well was shut down following the striking of the top of the pay lime at 2661 for casing. The pipe will be run following receipt, and the pay tested as to possibilities.

With the Independent having a good show of oil, and a gas pressure amounting to 5,000,000 feet, the field is more or less determined. This well is shut down waiting for orders to drill in on the pay.

The Humble Oil Co.'s Hendricks No. 1 in Winkler is working on a new water well, failing to get sufficient water in the first. The total depth of the test is 320 feet, in sand.

They are using a circulator in the drilling.

The Southern Crude finished their pipe line from the field to Wickett the first of the week, losing some oil in a break, but now getting a flow through both the six and eight inch, to the tanks at their holdings. They are also erecting a 35,000 barrel tank on the tank farm at the field.

With the discovery well holding its 400 barrel production, and the offset making around 600 barrels, the company is holding their amount, waiting for the resumption of profitable price on crude before developing their 35,000 acre block.

The White Eagle Oil Co. located in section 30, block 74 Winkler County, spudded in Thursday on their test which is west of the present field.

Skelly Drilling

The Skelly Oil Co. Leeman No. 1 is drilling at 3540 feet in anhydrite and lime, going right ahead on making new hole.

King-Wood Rigging Up

King-Wood Oil Co. on their location north of the Leeman headquarters are rigging up, expecting to complete next week.

Owen & Sloan Working

Owen & Sloan, W. D. Johnson No. 1, are drilling a water well, and getting ready to spud.

Wheat Well Drilling

The Wheat Well is drilling steadily last reported at 4650 feet with oil spraying every so often. This test which found the pay Delaware sand at 4272 feet, is to be drilled as deep as possible.

Humble Kloh Run Pipe

The Humble Kloh B-1 finished running their eight inch pipe yesterday to the bottom of the hole at 1800 feet. They will now be able to make new hole in fast time having passed through the caving sand.

Humble Flores Rigging

The Humble Oil & Refining Co.'s Flores No. 1 on the Reeves Jeff Davis line is rigging up, getting ready to spud in a few days. They have laid 1300 feet of pipe over a mountain for their water supply, getting a heavy pressure. —Pecos Enterprise.

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A silver loving cup with the following inscription, "Highest Award for Civic Pride," will be given to the zone showing the highest per cent of improvement in the Clean up! Paint up! campaign, May 9 to 14. Each zone will be graded before and after the campaign.

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T. & P. ENJOYS PROSPEROUS TIME DURING PAST YEAR

According to the annual statement just issued by J. L. Lancaster, the past year has been a most successful one for the T. & P. railway. A great increase in the operating income and a decrease in expenses is shown in this report. Total operating revenues were \$35,449,650 of which amount \$26,556,341 was due to freight revenues.

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Mr. Oil Men or those interested, some thirty-five years ago when drilling in the courthouse yard for artesian water the drill entered a covered salt dome and drilled into same for 464 feet, this salt dome was found at a depth of some 760 feet, therefore the total depth drilled in sulphur draw has been only about 1300 feet. With the test well started four miles west of this city near Sulphur Draw one may expect great developments when at a depth of some 1800 feet; for many believe that Sulphur Draw was at one time (thousands of years ago) the bed of the Pecos river, and the present Pecos river proves same as it has no bank from Roswell on south, seemingly has cut itself a way to the Gulf. Would anyone with a drill be interested in a 40 acre tract near the covered salt dome, these salt domes, it is said, are a "sure shot for oil." If interested in any of the above, see H. CLAY READ EARLE A. READ Phone No. 5, or see us after 5:00 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. E. T. Cobb who recently purchased the Winters place on Scurry St., is overhauling and remodeling this property and is going to make it one of the very nicest homes in our city.

Mrs. Johnnie Rix and baby daughter Rose Ann arrived Monday from Dallas for a visit in this city with her sisters, Mrs. Clyde Fox and Miss Fay Ward.

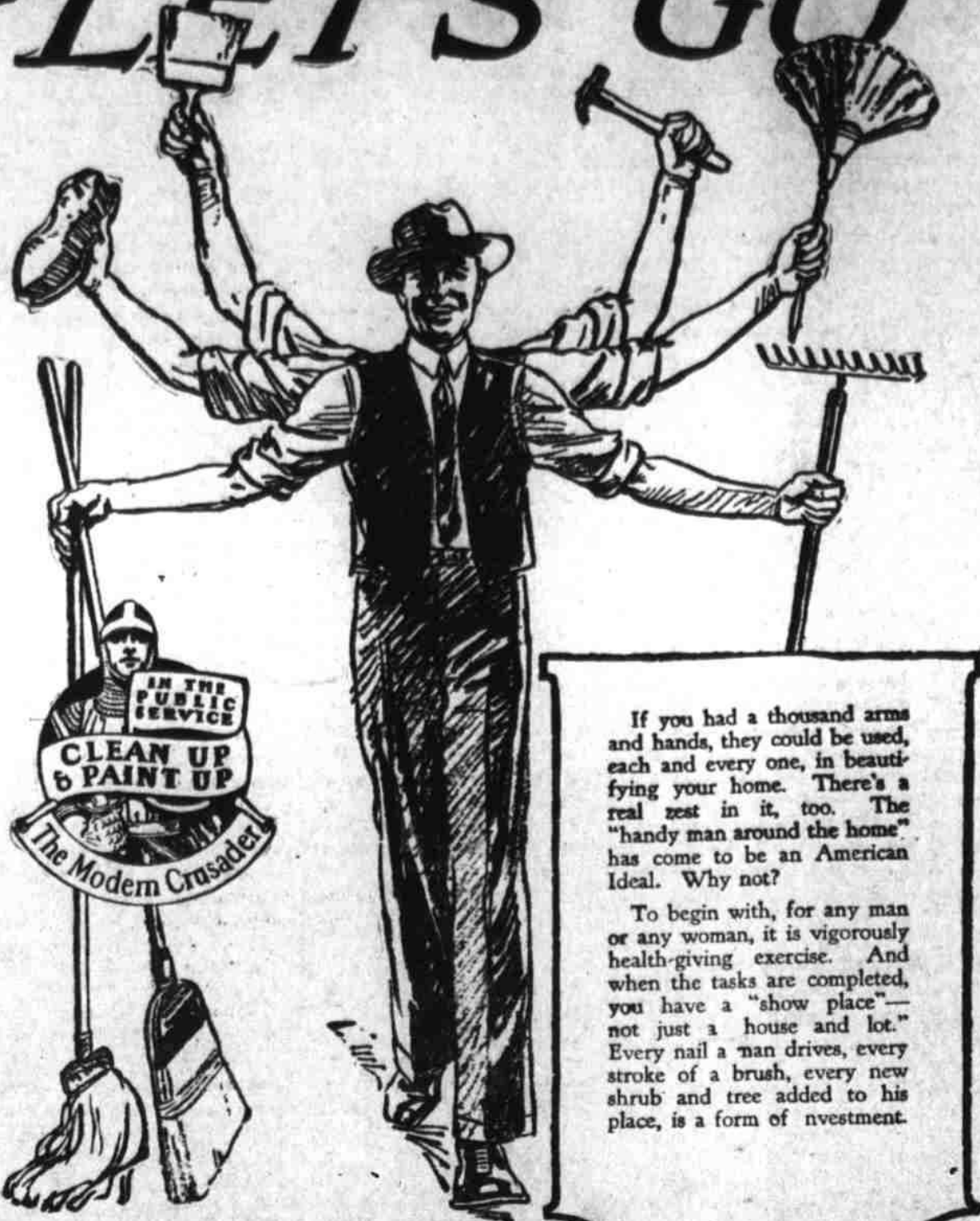
Dr. G. T. Hall left Monday night for El Paso to attend the State Medical Association.

Green saving stamps—market and grocery. Pool-Reed Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter, Mrs. Mora Hall and Fred Eakers spent Sunday in the Crane County oil field. They report that part of the country is growing very fast and many towns are springing up like magic along the way.

Herald want ads gets results.

'LET'S GO'



If you had a thousand arms and hands, they could be used, each and every one, in beautifying your home. There's a real zest in it, too. The "handy man around the home" has come to be an American Ideal. Why not?

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Clean Up and Paint Up

The Big Spring Herald

BY T. E. JORDAN
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Big Spring, Friday, April 29, 1927

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection up the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to attention of the editor.

Lend a hand in the clean-up campaign—and give the old town a thorough going over.

It takes all kinds of folks to make a world. If we all thought alike it would be a very lopsided globe.

We do not need flies and mosquitoes, and need not have them if we maintain clean and sanitary surroundings.

The fact that a few people are desirous of owning a home is evidence that the automobile has not entirely killed the home owning instinct.

If we contemplated suicide we believe we would join the ranks of those who are taking the "bootleg booze route." It is bound to get you in the end.

Some folks can't see ahead to save their lives. They seem to think the present slump is going to last always, whereas our future growth never appeared more assured.

The Clean-up Campaign Committee should arrange to register men and boys willing to do clean-up work so home owners would have no trouble in securing help—just phone for the number of men wanted.

Old Jack Frost played a dirty trick on those who were planning on an early garden. He made a visitation Thursday night and what he did to young and tender garden plants in this section was aplenty.

If local capital could be induced to invest in a cotton seed oil mill—even one of small capacity—it would result in a better price for cotton seed. And every time you help to increase the value of farm products you are helping every citizen in the county. A cooperative cotton gin and oil mill are worth going after.

We just can't expect all the good luck to come our way. Let's help make times better by working rather than griping.

The guy who gets up and hustles when times are the worst can't help but succeed. The chronic bellyacher is whipped before he starts.

Why a fellow will trifle with the brand of home brew they are now peddling is past understanding. A fellow tanked up on this stuff is a fit subject for the violent ward in an insane asylum.

Seems like we got buncoed when making donations to the State of Texas. The City Federation gift of 200 acres and the city block to the Highway department might just as well be given to New Mexico.

There is not much reward for decency, except the consciousness that after all it pays the biggest reward. We are not here for long, nor can we carry much away; and a clean conscience will be worth all the gold we could have scooped up in a million years, yes and more than all the so called good times.

Thirteen is an unlucky number, as all will agree. And it's going to be unlucky for the Texas & Pacific railway and their victims when folks try to make it over the thirteen tracks which will cross our State Highway leading north from this city. We had better eliminate this death trap at the earliest possible date.

Big Corporations seeking a place to establish a business usually make a thorough investigation to determine the possibilities ahead. In this respect Big Spring will meet every requirement—good water and plenty of it, electric power and plenty of it at reasonable prices, oil and gas adjacent to our town, good schools, good roads, good people.

"He who gives cheerfully gives twice," is especially true so far as the verdict of those doing the soliciting is concerned. Even in soliciting donations for storm sufferers at Rock Springs and other catastrophes you often encounter grouches who act as though they thought the solicitors were attempting to rob them.

Some folks who never had a real thought in their lives must have someone, or something, to blame for their hard luck, and a good many Big Spring folks have picked on the Chamber of Commerce. We suppose the C. of C. might well be held responsible for the cold snaps and sandstorms.

If folks back north and east were aware of what a delightful climate we had in the Big Spring section several tourist hotels would be needed here to care for the visitors in summer as well as during the winter. No section can boast of more delightful summer nights than can ours.

We hope the legislature will make an appropriation to purchase costumes for peace officers so they may be able to speak to auto drivers who are guilty of smashing all traffic regulations. They should also make it lawful for officers to speak to traffic violators without the formality of being introduced by a mutual friend.

We wonder if Big Spring folks do the proper thing—park their automobiles on side streets whenever possible and leave them at home during Saturday so that Main street may be kept clear for traffic. Many people working in the business section leave their cars parked all day long—nearly every day—right on Main street. Please help keep Main street clear for traffic.

West Texas may have a few disadvantages, but they could be twice as many before we would be willing to swap our section for the same space in the Mississippi valley where lives are lost, homes washed away and crops ruined every time the rainfall is plentiful. The Mississippi valley is now floundering under one of the worst floods ever experienced and millions of dollars are needed to care for the flood sufferers.

Making it unfashionable to make or serve homebrew in the home is about the "pink limit" and will have about as much effect as dipping water out of the ocean with a spoon to keep the tide from getting high. As long as men can get eight dollars a quart for about "two bits" worth of corn meal, concentrated lye and stagnant water, just so long will unprincipled men manufacture and sell this poison dope. Make booze unprofitable rather than unfashionable if you want to get rid of the liquor problem.

REFORMING A REFORMER
"What I want," shouted the orator, "is reform. I want reform in religion, I want reform in marriage, I want reform in dress, I want—" "Say so," came a voice from the crowd. "wet you want is chloroform."
EX.

BATHING CAPS AND SUITS. CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.
Fresh hostess cakes daily. Pool-Read Co.

MIDLAND REPORTER TO BE ISSUED AS SEMI-WEEKLY

Beginning next week the Midland Reporter, one of the best weekly publications in West Texas, will be issued semi-weekly.

Here's what Editor T. Paul Barron has to say relative to the contemplated change:

"The Midland Reporter, for more than thirty-one years the official newspaper of Midland County, and the leading publication of its trade territory, announces this week that it will depart from the weekly field and will go on a semi-weekly basis, the first issue under the new plan to be published on Tuesday, May 3. This action is taken only after serious consideration on the part of the management, there having been some investigation as to the advisability of turning The Reporter into a daily.

"It is believed that the twice-a-week plan will handle the situation adequately at present, as it has many advantages for its readers, its advertisers, and its patrons as a whole."

WHAT ADVERTISING DOES TO YOU—

Has made your hand written letter an oddity in business.

Has put castoria down your throat, left bristles in your gums, and then come along with a rubber-set and taken them out.

Has put Pebeoc, Sozodont and Pepsodent on your teeth.

Has put a Gillette against your hayfield.

Has put Arrows around your neck and Ingersolls around your wrist.

Has jammed your feet into Hole-proof sox, put Paris garters on your legs and Tiffany rings on your fingers.

Has stuck Bobbie Burns between your teeth, worn out your jaws on Wrigley's and posted you on what to buy to cure corns, warts, hang-nails and what not.

AND YET, WITH ALL THIS EVIDENCE, A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE STILL ASKING, "Does it pay to advertise?"—Howell's Almanak.

THREE COWS PAID HIM WELL

Here's another instance of what can be done in Scurry County with three cows. Bill Gliddens, who lives 13 miles south of Snyder, near Ira, markets his cream from his three cows in Snyder, and for the month of March the net profit on cream amounted to \$43.89. The month of March was not an exceptional month with Mr. Gliddens. Mr. Farmer, if you will get out your pencil and multiply \$43.89 by 12 you will find that you will have \$526.68. Mr. Gliddens' cows are not out of the ordinary—they're half Jersey and half Holstein. His original investment was \$200 for the three cows. Do you know of anything that will pay a farmer better than 200 per cent profit?—Snyder Times.

ABBREVIATION

People who write for papers should beware of abbreviation. Write your words in full as linotype operators do not always interpret correctly abbreviations, and are prone to follow copy. A West Texas editor is in deep trouble now because one of his correspondents abbreviated a word. The correspondent was advertising a rally of some kind of league and wrote the word league "leg." The typesetter followed copy and the notice read like this: "Be sure and attend the greatest leg rally ever held in this section." Of course, the rally was largely attended, but the editor and leaguers were roundly cussed by the others. — Honey Grove Signal.

DEBATING A LOSING ART

"Little is gained from argument. The opposing parties in a wrangle do not seek to learn anything for themselves, and they seldom enlighten others.

"Every fellow is entitled to his opinion. If he is right he need not argue to prove it. If he is wrong argument will not make him right. "Argument serves only to fan the spark of mental opposition into the flame of anger."

IN THE NAME OF LOVE

"Most automobile thefts," says an insurance man, "are by young lovers. Three-fourths or more of all cars reported stolen are taken or 'borrowed' by young men who can't afford to buy or hire cars to take their sweethearts riding. Only about one out of every 100 cars stolen is taken by thieves who intend to re-sell."

CRANE COUNTY TO ORGANIZE

Crane County has called an election to submit the organization of the county on or about May first.

OIL MEN—We appreciate your trade and treat you 100 per cent square. Wilks, Jewel and Optician.

Color Variety



is predominating the mode for men's clothes for spring and summer. Many new light shades are being shown in different materials and different styles. Our offering to our customers is most attractive, and now is the best time to order your suit for summer wear. See what we have before you order elsewhere.

A well fitting suit and pretty material will be admired by your friends and all who see you.

Let us help you prepare appetizing meals by sending you fresh vegetables and fruits every morning. There is a place on every table for vegetables, which assure good health to every member of the family. Full line of staple and fancy groceries. Phone 154— if busy, phone 396.

WE SELL GRAIN AND HAY

Gary & Son

IDEAL BARBER SHOP

Formerly The Gem Barber Shop
Warren and Earley, Props.

IN WARD BASEMENT
Six Chairs, Each With An Experienced Barber — No. More Long Waiting

BATH ROOM IN CONNECTION

We Strive to Please Give Us a Trial

LET US DO THE WORK

We are prepared to promptly and satisfactorily do your washing and ironing. Let us have an opportunity to relieve you of a burden. PHONE NO. 17.

BIG SPRING STEAM LAUNDRY

Sanitary Throughout

E. H. JOSEY

BUILDER

"BETTER HOMES"
Alterations and Repairs

Phone - Big Spring Fuel Co. - No. 64

WHEN YOU WANT GOOD WOOD and COAL

Purser & Howell, Proprietors

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Big Spring Transfer

In McNew & Eason Barber Shop
OFFICE PHONE 422
FOR LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE HAULING
B. H. SETTLES, Prop. Phone 426-B
Herald want ads get results.

Dr. E. H. Happ

Dentist
OFFICE OVER WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK
BIG SPRING, TEXAS
Herald want ads get results.

Sales Mount As Latest Improvements Become Known

The instant Dodge Brothers latest improvements became known, sales began to climb.

Take the car out for a trial and you'll understand why!

It would require a full page to describe these improvements in detail, but here is a partial listing: new silent-type clutch, new comfort-tilt seats, new five-bearing crankshaft, new starting system, new steering case, smart new lines and colors, easier gear shifting, softer pedal action, new muffler, and far-reaching improvements in the vital parts and body architecture.

Test the car's new smoothness, quietness and ease of handling—then remember its enviable record for long life and low cost of up-keep!

Touring car	\$ 921.00
Roadster	\$ 918.00
Coupe	\$1,092.00
Standard Sedan	\$1,031.00
Special sedan	\$1,151.00
DeLuxe sedan	\$1,258.00

Delivered

W. W. CRENSHAW
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

DODGE BROTHERS
MOTOR CARS

Reduced Prices!

New low prices are effective April 1, 1927, on National MAZDA lamps for general lighting service, 110, 115, 120 volts.

New Inside Frost MAZDA Lamps

Watts	Old Price	New Price
25	\$0.25	\$0.23
40	.25	.23
50	.27	.25
60	.30	.25
100	.43	.40

The reduction in prices of all Mazda lamps since 1914 is 49.4 per cent

W. G. HAYDEN CO.
Phone 482 Big Spring, Texas

Remove the Cause of Your Trouble

BY



RITTIE S. COX, D. C., Ph. C.

Don't tell me your troubles
Let me tell you!

LADY ATTENDANT

20, West Texas Bank Bldg. Phone: Office 427; Res. 92
Office Hours: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

THE BIG SPRING HERALD
Printers of Everything.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Stamford — A plea for chambers of commerce to function as agencies in raising funds for Rock Springs' relief has been issued by the West Chamber of Commerce to towns in its territory. Rock Springs now left in widespread suffering and destruction with not a bit of tornado insurance, though an inland town, always did its full share in support of West Texas interest, and carried its quota of memberships in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Sister towns in the regional organization are therefore being asked by Manager Wade and President Duggan to organize Rock Springs Relief Drives.

Denton, Queen College City of North Central Texas, has voted to affiliate with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Secretary-Manager G. R. Warren of that place, in making announcement of this, pointed out advantages of holding membership, one among which was benefit to local educational institutions. The Denton Chamber of Commerce, at the time this action was taken, also voted to take membership with the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, and to observe Industrial Development Week. Denton is home of the College of Industrial Arts and the North Texas State Teachers College.

Sweetwater — Judge R. C. Crane has returned here after attending the third annual session of the West Texas Historical Association, held in Stamford, April 21. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, whose headquarters are in that place, has interested itself in that society, especially in respect to securing recognized names for historic, scenic, and beauty spots over West Texas.

Merkel — Miss Emily Bailey has been selected as sponsor for Lampasas at the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17. Towns throughout West Texas will have sponsors at the meeting. Miss Helen Frossard has been chosen as sponsor for Turkey, and Memphis has selected Miss Luda Travis as their sponsor.

Throckmorton — Throckmorton has been the scene of the annual meet of Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters Association this week. The drive started Tuesday on the Davis Bros. ranch, nine miles west of Throckmorton, and was extended over three days. The Throckmorton Chamber of Commerce and Throckmorton County members of the association were hosts at a big barbecue Wednesday at the ranch.

Brownwood — The Mid-Texas Press Association will hold its first semi-annual convention at Brownwood, May 13, which will mark the first meeting since the organization formation last September. Prominent newspaper men from Coleman, Brady, Ballinger, Winters, San Saba, Hico, Brownwood, Stephenville, De Leon, Rising Star and Santa Anna will appear on the program.

Wichita Falls — United States Secretary of Labor James J. Davis will arrive in Wichita Falls by airplane about ten o'clock the morning of May 16, to attend the ninth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, according to advisement by telegram to Manager Homer D. Wade. Manager Wade opened up headquarters in Wichita this week, where he will remain until after the convention.

Merkel — Merkel has voted bonds for extension of the water system and to pave ten blocks of the business section.

WHO WOULD HAVE TO PAY?

In meandering along the sidewalks in the business section of our city we note that there are a number of dangerous spots—places where old folks, or young folks who may not be watching their step—can get a nasty fall, and maybe a broken nose or other injury. Nor are these at the steps leading up to sidewalk from street intersection.

Now what we would like to know is who is responsible in case some one is injured due to these faulty places in the sidewalk. Would the City of Big Spring or the owner of the property be subject to a suit for damages? If the city is to be held responsible we believe some action should be taken leading to the elimination of these danger spots.

State National Bank is in very prosperous condition as shown by statement in this issue.

E. J. Headlee of Denton, state representative of the Cooper Corporation of Cincinnati, Ohio, was a business visitor here Monday.

Mothers Day... That's your day to remember her with our Candy or Stationery... Cunningham & Phillips

for Economical Transportation.



USED CARS

"with an OK that counts"

A Dollar's Worth For a Dollar!

When you buy a Used Car from us you pay only for what you actually receive. The "O.K." tag on the radiator cap of these cars tells what was done to prepare that car for sale. And because our Used Car prices are based on reconditioning costs, you know just exactly what you are getting for the price you pay.

Buy your Used Car from us and know that your Used Car dollar is buying a full dollar's worth of dependable transportation.

Wide Price Range—Small Down Payment—Convenient Terms

This Car
has been carefully checked and reconditioned where necessary

- ✓ Motor
- ✓ Radiator
- ✓ Rear Axle
- ✓ Transmission
- ✓ Starting
- ✓ Lighting
- ✓ Ignition
- ✓ Battery
- ✓ Tires
- ✓ Upholstery
- ✓ Top
- ✓ Fenders
- ✓ Finish

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KING CHEVROLET CO.
Big Spring, Texas

See Classified Columns for List of O. K. Used Cars

QUALITY AT LOW COST

Pains disappeared

"SEVERAL years ago I was badly run-down," says Mrs. John Bunch, R. F. D. 8, Columbia, S. C. "I could not do any of my work. I was so weak I could not wash a dish. My back and sides hurt me at times dreadfully. I dragged around until I finally got down in bed."

Then, explains Mrs. Bunch, she happened to read about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and decided to give it a thorough trial, the results of which she describes below:

"It seemed to reach the cause of my trouble at once. I did not take it long before my appetite began to improve. I gained in weight from 114 pounds until now I weigh 128 pounds. I soon was able to be up around the house. I took up my household duties and was delighted with my returning strength."

"I now do all my own work. The pains in my sides and back have disappeared and I feel like a different person."

Cardui has been helping suffering women for nearly 50 years. Sold by all druggists.

CARDUI
For Female Troubles

If you are not well supplied with patience you may be a nervous wreck before Big Spring enjoys that expected oil boom. In the first place the oil fields being tapped in our county are not the gusher type—the kind that bring a boom. Oil men say they are better, however, as a long life oil field is indicated here.

CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES
Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermines health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of Wible's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the child's system. Sold by CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gray and children returned Saturday night from De Leon where they had been to visit his mother.

GAME WITH STANTON FRIDAY EASY PICKING FOR LOCALS

The game with Stanton Friday afternoon on the local diamond, was more of a joke than a baseball game. At the end of the sixth inning the score had reached 42 to 6 in our favor and here the play stopped. Our boys made the 42 scores in three innings and played carelessly at that. Home runs, two and three baggers were numerous but uninteresting, because they were easily gotten.

The next big game of the season will be played with the San Angelo High School baseball team and the two games will be played at this time in San Angelo on May 6 and 7.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The lease of the City Federation of the City Park has expired and all who come here for picnics and barbecues must pay. 25c will be charged for each car that is admitted to the park.

I have beautified this grove with trees and grass and have fixed it up especially for picnics and barbecues. The park is well lighted, has city water, and all conveniences and is an ideal place for summer outings. We invite you to come out here for your summer picnics and barbecues, 25c admission for each car. J. F. PARRISH. 32-31

ELECTRIC CURRENT EXTENDED TO ROSS CITY AND IATAN

The high line recently completed to the Chalk-oil field has been "cut hot" to Ross City this week and the new oil town is now sporting a real "White Way." Most all the stores and residences in Ross City are to have electric lights. A line has also been extended to Iatan to supply electric service to the citizens of that town.

The Big Spring office is headquarters to the electric service now being supplied Coahoma, Ross City and Iatan.

Misses Grace and Stella Watson of Sweetwater were the guests of their sister, Mrs. L. E. Coleman and friends in this city Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Evans left Saturday night for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Lockhart and other relatives and friends in Dallas.

Service and satisfaction. Pool-Reed Co.

SUCCEED IN HAVING COMMON POINT RATE ABOLISHED

Dallas and Fort Worth are now rejoicing because they have succeeded in abolishing the common point freight rate. West Texas will be the goat. Ed B. Byers, manager of the Fort Worth Freight Bureau points out the fact that Fort Worth and Dallas have spent three years of hard work to obtain the decision that was handed down last Saturday by the Interstate Commerce Commission abolishing the common point rate on and after Dec. 5, 1927.

West Texas citizens have spent much time and money to keep the common point rate in effect.

Before any more street paving is authorized we believe property owners should be given some information as to the establishment of a grade line. There are property owners in the 200 block on Main street who never would have agreed to paving had they known the grade line was to be established at so low a level. Then on West First street, one side of the street is made to carry practically all the water; with the result that the sidewalk is afflow with water every time there is a shower. It's too late to correct these mistakes after the paving is completed. Changing grade lines every time a new city engineer is employed is an expensive luxury for those who have erected substantial buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Creath and daughters, Misses Helen, Mildred and Evelyn were called to Colorado last Monday to attend the funeral services of their niece Miss Louise Berry, aged 14 years. Miss Berry passed away Sunday night, following an operation for the removal of her appendix. The friends of the Creath family sympathize with them at the death of this loved one.

The State and Federal highway officials are so keen for counties to vote bond issues to build good roads that they will make promises they never intend to back up. We all know that the Hankhead highway is not being maintained as it should, because public have superceded road maintenance.

OIL MEN... We appreciate your trade and treat you 100 per cent square. Wible, Jewel and Optician.

Big Spring Wins Five First Places

Every Representative of the Big Spring Schools Wins Places of Honor at the District Meet

Big Spring, by winning five first places and two second places at the District meet at Abilene last Friday and Saturday made a splendid record, one of the best in the history of the school, and ranks among the highest ever made by any school at the interscholastic meet. Seven contestants represented the Big Spring schools in the different literary events and in tennis at the meet, and all seven were awarded medals, either gold or silver.

Big Spring lead all other schools at the close of the first day's contest in the meet by winning first place in girl's declamation and girl's debate. Miss Helen Reagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan, won first place in the finals of Senior girls declamation, and will represent this district at Austin on May 5, 6, and 7. Miss Reagan has not only won distinction for herself, with her ability to declaim but also has made notable her school. She has represented the Big Spring High School at Austin in former years, and we have every reason to believe that Miss Reagan will come home the state winner this year.

Misses Clea Faye Cook and Mildred, winners of first place in girls debate will represent this district at Austin on May 5, 6, and 7. These young ladies have done remarkably well with their debates and are to be commended for the splendid record made at the District Meet. This is their first year to debate and they had no practice other than what was given at school up to the time they went to Abilene. When they entered the preliminaries at the District Meet is the first time they had ever come up against another real debating team. It is said that these young ladies won the hardest debates before the finals and in most instances they won because of their rebuttals. When a debater can offer a good rebuttal it is usually a sign of real ability in the art of debating and this speaks well for our girls debating team of which we are proud.

Other Literary Honors

Miss Nancy Dawes a student at the Junior High school was awarded first place in Junior Essay writing contest. Her essay has been sent to Austin where it will be among those judged to be the best in the state. Miss Dawes, though young, is exceptionally bright in all of her school work, with a high scholastic standing and she has won an outstanding place in the interscholastic meet.

Miss Louise Rogers, a student at the Big Spring High School was awarded second place in Senior Essay writing at the district meet. This is a high place to receive considering the number of high schools that sent in essays and we are proud of our silver medal winner. Miss Roger's style as a writer is interesting and concise.

Curtis Bishop won second place in the finals in ex-temporaneous speaking at the meet and it is said that for a time he had the first place cinched but for the loose usage of some little word. Curtis has great ability as an orator and public speaker and with the early beginning and interest he has taken in this work he has possibilities of becoming a Henry Clay or Daniel Webster. He has several more years in high school, and we are expecting him to top off some first honors for our high school before he graduates.

Tennis Winners

Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith tennis champions of the district, will go to Austin to play there on May 5, 6, and 7, and we feel sure that they will come back state champions. This pair has played matched games with many neighboring teams and at all times they seem to be composed and to play a steady game. In the finals at the Abilene meet the best three out of five games determined the winners. Big Spring played Sweetwater. The first two games were lost by Big Spring with a score of 4-6 and 4-6. Sweetwater took the lead in the third game but their boys seemed to tire or become excited and they lost the third game and also the other two with a score of 5-6, 6-3, 6-4 to our boys, making them the district champions. We are looking with interest to their play in Austin where we hope they bring home the honors of Texas.

No contestants in other athletic or track events were sent to the district meet from our schools.

Attend Meet

George Gentry, sponsor of the Literary and Debating clubs of the

high school, was in Abilene with the contestants Friday and Saturday. P. B. Bittle, superintendent, and T. F. Huggins, principal, attended the meet on Saturday. Superintendent Bittle was named a member of the Executive Board of this district. A certain honor goes with this appointment as eighteen counties are eligible to be represented, and we are glad to know that one from our schools has been chosen to help thrash out the problems that will come up from time to time in the interest of our district.

Winners Guests at Wednesday Club

Winners at the Interscholastic District Meet at Abilene Entertained at Regular Meeting This Week

A big crowd of members and visitors enjoyed this week's meeting of the Wednesday Luncheon Club, with the winners at the district meet at Abilene, guests of honor on this occasion. E. A. Kelley, chairman officiated at the meeting, and kept things moving along rapidly.

A sumptuous spread was enjoyed, served by the Methodist women, in the dining hall of the First Methodist Church and after the meal a delightful program was given.

After expressing delight at being guests on this occasion, each one stated that it was an honor to help make the record for the high school that was theirs at the district meet and they, too, were very proud of it. Big Spring sent seven contestants, and all seven won places 5 first places were won and 2 second places.

Misses Mildred Creath and Clea Faye Cook winners of first place in debate, told how they won out. Miss Helen Reagan, winner in Senior girls declamation told her own story. Curtis Bishop, winner of second place in extemporaneous speaking, gave a short talk showing his ability as an orator all the while he was telling the Luncheon Club members how he enjoyed the feast; Miss Louise Rogers winner of second place in senior girls essays told how surprised and delighted that she was when she learned that she was a winner in the contest; then the tennis champions were heard from. Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith tried to tell how they won so many games, but it is easier for them to show you than to tell you how. Theo said that he had to use both his head and his heels in playing the game.

George H. Craze, field representative of the Texas Public Health Association was introduced by Mr. Kelley and in a short time he told of the purpose of his visit to our city. He is interested in getting our citizens to organize a Public Health Society to conduct an educational campaign for the prevention of disease and to improve the health of the community. Some definite action has been taken for the organization of such a society.

Other prominent speakers, one L. W. Dawley of Dallas, were called on for short talks and each one handed some complimentary remarks to our thriving little city and its progressive citizenship.

GAME POSTPONED

The baseball game scheduled for 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Big Spring between the T. & P. team and the Midland Colts had to be postponed. The Midland team was unable to fill the engagement because a pitcher and catcher failed to report.

The game was postponed until Wednesday afternoon, May 4. Quite a large attendance is expected at the ball park when these two teams meet.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTICE

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11 a. m.
At the evening hour of worship there will be a young people's service at which time the new officers of the League will be installed.
There will be special music at each service, by the quartette and choir. Everyone is welcome at our services.

It is rumored that Judge and Mrs. J. B. Littler of Eastland contemplate moving back to Big Spring. A host of friends in Big Spring and Howard County would certainly accord them a warm welcome should they decide to return to the old home town.

Washing! Washing!

We leave everything but the grease and mud. Expert car washing at Bankhead Garage. 32-51

Rev. J. M. Corchran, pastor of the Methodist Church at Coahoma, was a visitor in Big Spring Monday.

Herald want ads gets results.

Furniture Prices Slashed!

Started Saturday Morning, April 23rd



The slow down in the oil fields has slackened the sale of Furniture. We have just unloaded two cars of new furniture this week and we have another car on the track. Our store is filled to capacity with the floor, basement, and all available space stacked high. We must sell enough to make room for the other car, so we are disregarding profit, and slashing prices to the limit. Just read some of these bargains we are offering:

Beds	\$10.00	\$ 6.65
Mattresses	\$10.50	\$ 6.65
Springs	\$ 6.50	\$ 4.95

Dressers	\$25.00	\$16.65
Dressers	\$27.50	\$17.85
Dressers	\$32.50	\$19.65
Dressers	\$35.00	\$23.85
Dressers	\$37.50	\$27.65
Dressers	\$47.50	\$34.85
Dressers	\$62.50	\$46.85

Bed Room Suites	\$59.85 to \$189.65
Dining Room Suites	\$89.65 to \$148.65
Living Room Suites	\$69.85 to \$196.45

Chifferobes	\$19.65 to \$38.65
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Congoleum Rugs (9x12)	\$9.95
Brussels Rugs (9x12)	\$18.85
Axminster Rugs, 9x12	\$33.95 to \$36.95

Haynes and Sealy Mattresses	\$31.95
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Congoleum by yard	65c up
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If you are going to buy dressers, rugs, living room suites, bedroom suites, dining room suites, or anything in the furniture line, you can not afford to miss these bargains we are offering you as they are as low as can be marked with pencil or pen.

COME IN AND LOOK AT THE QUALITY AND PRICE—It Can't Be Beat.

If you can buy it cheaper elsewhere we want you to tell us where. Positively the greatest bargains every offered in furniture.

Saving Stamps Given With Every Cash Purchase.....Ask For Them

W. R. PURSER & SONS

Big Spring Phone 141 Stanton

FEAST ON BROILERS

The Herald family was treated to three fine milk fed broilers last Saturday, presented to them by Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ford from their flock. To say that these were indeed enjoyed is expressing it mildly.

Mr. Ford is in the chicken business right. He believes in raising only high grade poultry and feeds them to produce the best quality. He has a mammoth incubator at work at his place, the largest of its kind in this section and it is serving the people for miles around.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Bible school 9:45
Preaching 11 a. m.
Communion 12 m.
Ladies Bible study every Monday afternoon at 3.
Mid-week Bible study every Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

The preachers meeting was fine, and everyone who attended the meetings enjoyed the services.

If we obey only the laws that meet our approval we lack much of being good citizens. Respect for all laws is essential if we are to have a stable government.

Fresh car flour and meal on the first. The White House.

RUMORED OIL SHOWING

A rumor was going the rounds Thursday that an oil showing had been encountered in the Texon-Marland test well on the J. B. Harding ranch, five miles south of Big Spring at about 3170 feet.

We have been unable to get any authentic information substantiating the rumor.

BUY LEASES NEAR SAND HILL.

It is stated that Wichita Falls oil men are to drill a test well near the old General Oil Co.'s Sand Hill well and there is a noticeable activity in lease buying in that immediate vicinity.

A number of oil companies are securing acreage around Sand Hill.

PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES

The women will meet at the church at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon for their regular Bible study. The lesson will be on the Life of Christ from the book of Luke. All members are urged to be present.

G. G. Childress was in the first of the week from his ranch twenty-five miles southeast of Big Spring.

Mrs. Vick Martin will leave Saturday for Ardmore, Okla.

Mother's Day—May 8th

You will get the best grade of Mother's Day Flowers that money can buy at the

Couch Greenhouse and Floral Company

Why not be truly loyal and give your orders to the one who has no other means of support.

1206 Greeg Street Phone 329

COLD STORAGE PLANT FOR BIG SPRING

The Winn Produce Co. has secured a tract of land from the Texas & Pacific railway at the corner of West First and Gregg street just south of the Oil Well Supply Co. office and they plan to erect a modern cold storage plant and produce house at this point. Work on same to start at an early date.

Choice residence lots, Henry St. for sale. V. H. Fierwiler, Phone 25.

According to report the Missouri Pacific railway is to get a coat of the carload shipments of taloupes from California to Eastern markets. With more right now than they can handle with available power, it is necessary to borrow from the Missouri Pacific to get the rush.

If you want to pay at and do your own delivery with us. The White House.

WASH SILK FROCKS OF ONE COLOR WITH ANOTHER



For much happiness in a little girl to be clad in green. Washable silks now little if any more than cotton, indeed, tub to perfect the laundering of silk simpler process than that of starch and so easy to wear.

Washable silks especially delectable are on the scene these days! It's an impossibility to pass them by unnoticed. Staying across a silken swimmer in and dry, printed lines, flowers of little box shapes, elegantly the width of the fabric might well be called "wash just like calico." Under little girls they are with the idea of having "silk dresses on the order of the big sister's." Silks are in solid tones and warranted "fast color" are especially featured throughout the season's fabric display. Just as for grown-ups, the present vogue is to use two or more colors together. There is the little girl's dress in the picture, for instance. This model, recently exhibited by the Fashion Art League of America, uses a contrasting silk for cuffs, for side-ties and for piping the neckline and scalloped hemline. In making little daughter's spring dresses it is well to carry in mind that scallops especially for the hemline are an outstanding feature in juvenile styling for spring.

Crepe de chine peasant frocks are foreseen as enjoying a big vogue this spring and summer. Since they involve much smocking and embroidery one cannot begin too soon to assemble the materials and to start on the needlework, unless one prefers to buy a "ready made."

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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RO AND PLAITS CONTRIBUTE TO SMART SPRING STYLING



Plaiting and the "nifty" are playing an interesting part, achieving in their most youthful silhouette.

Interest of smart styling a plait has been requisitioned for the simple dress to all sorts of elaborated versions. Box-pleat alternates either color or texture, is very popular just now. It is told in the dress in this picture.

Plaiting plus a bolero dress a silhouette of delectation. The skirt of a dress in a simple manner. The plait along from of cap which accounts for its popularity. A discreet touch of braiding about the bolero and on the collar and sleeves gives a neat finish to this dress which is so typical of youthful mode.

By the way, in spite of the fact that this dress has every appearance of a two-piece model, it is in reality a one-piece. It is a favorite "stunt" of the stylist to give a two-piece aspect to short jacket and bolero costumes, which are, after all, one-piece frocks.

Bolero! What a name! It is to conjure with this season. There's every type to be reckoned with from sleeveless to long-sleeved, and of every material, the latest being the georgette bolero worn in connection with formal evening dress. The black velvet jacket or bolero is a convenient one to include in one's spring wardrobe, for it is wearable for every occasion.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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S. J. R. No. 24
Proposing an amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1: That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election or appointment, a citizen of the United States and of this State and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for seven years and, during that time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record, or such practicing lawyer and Judge together. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justice shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers and at such general election the vacancy of said Courts shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases of which the courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, the said Court and the Judges thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said court, and who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five, and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges shall have the same qualifications as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices for a term of six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and laws.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals and the Judges thereof shall have the power to issue the writ of habeas corpus and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, issue such writs as may be necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said

Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said court, and said Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the state into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to re-district the State at any time, and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said districts, which court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associate Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein prescribed for Justices of the Supreme Court, provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all of the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Said Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court which clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of the Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election who shall reside in his district during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his court at the County seat of each county in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any county for the dispatch of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Courts when the Judge thereof is absent or is, from any cause, disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may assign any District Judge to any district in the State other than that for which he was elected with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 2: Said proposed Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Section 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A correct copy.)
Jane Y. McCallum,
Secretary of State.
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said dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

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Secretary of State.
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A JOINT RESOLUTION
S. J. R. No. 33.
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

Section 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per year, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

Section 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after Jan. 1, 1929, and not sooner;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Section 4. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A correct copy.)
Jane Y. McCallum,
Secretary of State.
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certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expense of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.
(A correct copy.)
Jane Y. McCallum,
Secretary of State.
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H. J. R. No. 32
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites; providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as section 60, Article 16, to read as follows to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit:

The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.
(A correct copy.)
Jane Y. McCallum,
Secretary of State.
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Matchmaker Sam Faust arranged two fights in Villa Acuna, Mexico, across from Del Rio Sunday, May 1, between San Angelo Pride Kid Pancho and Jose Rodriguez, light weight champion of Mexico, and he is also staging a fight in Ozona Monday night, May 2, between Kid Pancho and Shine Daniels. Ozona's negro K. O. artist; this bout is in connection with Ozona Rodeo, and these two bouts forced him to postpone the match he had booked for Monday May 2 until Wednesday night, May 4. Billy London who meets Young Hackenschmidt on that date will arrive here Sunday and Young Hackenschmidt will arrive Tuesday morning direct from Chicago. These two boys are "flying mare" artists and feature this hold along with others and will give the fans plenty of excitement.

RAINBOW GIRLS HAVE MEETING AND INITIATION, FRIDAY

Miss Louise Hayes was taken into the Order of Rainbow Girls at the last regular meeting Friday evening. Following the business meeting and initiation a social hour was in order. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Herald want ads get results.

DOES THE BIBLE PREDICT PEACE?

By Lieutenant Colonel
W. G. MacKendrick, D. S. O.

Since the close of the Great War it has been most interesting to watch the world-wide cry sounded from village, town and city for peace—peace at any price, but real peace!

This cry is heard among all Anglo-Saxon peoples wherever they are gathered in Britain, the United States, Canada, Australia, and those waste places of the earth that Anglo-Saxondom has taken over.

It is a strange fact that this cry for peace is heard only in Anglo-Saxondom and does not afflict Germany, Italy, Turkey or Russia. It seems to be confined to those peaceable nations who never in their history have been prepared for war—nations who mostly have had to be kicked into their wars and who, blundering along, have finally won out on the field of battle in the last round and then usually lost their winnings when the politicians and international financiers took the places of the fighting men, as at the Treaty of Versailles.

The question naturally arises, how comes it that all this peace propaganda occurs only among peoples who for one thousand years have been lovers of peace? Nations who never in their history have sought or started a war; peoples who while never seeking war have always won the wars into which they have been forced; peoples who have broken the back of every attempt of world despots who have endeavored to enslave the world age after age. One would think that this peace propaganda was necessary among the sword-rattling nations, but we do not find it there. Those nations that still hope to achieve greatness with the aid of their military machine—quite openly, as in the case of Russia; or covertly, as in the case of Germany—are not troubled with their women marching on Berlin, Rome, Angora or Moscow crying for no more war. But we do see that odd spectacle in Britain, the most peace-loving nation on earth, and in America also. Naturally, one wonders why.

A year ago Moscow sent out orders that all Communists in Anglo-Saxon countries should boost for disarmament and peace, and the reds in my home city joined the chorus which some of our parsons insinuated for no more war, for peace and disarmament. Today Moscow is buying thousands of horses in western Canada which will be used against the British Empire and the United States in the impending war.

It is a strange spectacle to see paid ministers of religion in many of our churches boosting for what that unholy outfit in Russia demands—Christian men of God working along the lines demanded by those would-be annihilators of God and of all God's works and of the Anglo-Saxon nations—these latter being the upholders of Christianity in this world today. By so doing, these ministers are working absolutely in direct opposition to God's commands as laid down in the only authentic data we have to go by, that is, the Bible.

As most citizens desire to live at peace both with their neighbors and their neighboring nations, the Church following this strong predilection for peace of those both in and outside of its fold has lent itself largely to all so-called peace movements.

The Church represents the Prince of Peace. So preachers of God's Word that feel that they are the natural leaders of so-called peace-movements, overlooking the fact that in doing so today they are cooperating with many of the most subversive elements in society, and are for disarmament at a time when our Bible plainly bids us prepare for the greatest war and time of trial that ever was on land or sea.

them in the isles of the sea, north and west of Palestine, where he said he would plant them and he fulfilled this prediction in eight separate and distinct invasions of Israel into Britain under the name of Angles, Saxons, Danes, Jutes, Normans, et cetera, that is, into the Covenanted Land. The word Brith in Hebrew is Covenant and the Word Ain in Hebrew is land—Brit-ain is the Covenanted Land, and Britain and her offspring nations (of which the United States of America was the first) fulfilled not one but all of the divine prophecies concerning Israel, not only today but down through the ages as predicted by the prophets. These people have done God's work of smashing despotism, never seeking war, rarely prepared for war, but winning always.

Satan using despotism again will within two years aim to take the mastery from God's executive nations, hence bolshevik Russia's world-wide work to raise Egypt, Turkey, Persia, India, Abyssinia, China and other countries against Anglo-Saxondom, and the Bible predicts that she will succeed in heading a heathen uprising and there will be great chaos in the earth. With the Bible forecast thus, should the Church work for disarmament, and talk of peace when there can be no peace on this earth until the things that must come to pass are accomplished?

The Jews have put across propaganda that they are Israel, 'the Chosen People,' though they do not fulfill one of the specifications laid down for the work that Israel was to do, while the Anglo-Saxon people fulfilled every one of them. The Jews are never spoken of in Scripture as the 'Chosen' while Israel always is. Judah is separate from Israel, as even Moses knew.

It is a serious error of the Church to assume that the Bible is a Book of Peace, as pacifists mean it, when even our Lord said, 'I come not to bring peace, but a sword,' and when it is clear that God appointed His chosen nation Israel as His battle-ax and weapons of war to smash the Babylonian nations of the earth until despotism is replaced by God's plan of ruling with truth, justice and love on earth, and this smashing—according to the prophets highly commended by our Lord—is the only possible prelude to universal peace. The reason we have no peace today is that the opposite of peace still exists in the world. Nowhere in the Bible does Jehovah advocate unpreparedness or disarmament for His People; on the contrary we read in Luke 11:21, 'The strong man armed keepeth his palace, his goods are in peace.'

I was among those who from the first predicted that the League of Nations would be a failure in either bringing in or preserving peace in Europe, because it conflicted with the League that the Creator of this world chose as 'His battle-ax and weapons of war' which He declared He would use to bring peace to this war-cursed planet. It is plainly set forth in the Bible that the great people and the nation and the company of nations, the Chosen People, Israel in the isles, would occupy world rule at this present day. It was foretold that the Great War would come and that the Israel Nation as God's battle-ax and weapons of war would win it and also redeem Jerusalem from the bloody hand of the Turk, as General Allenby did.

My study of the Bible was my authority for predicting the failure of the League of Nations conference to bring in peace because it was set up in opposition to the God-appointed League and therefore must fail. In the Destiny of Britain and America, written in 1920, I foretold its failure as soon as the workers of iniquity got among the fifty-odd nations forming this confederacy or league.

The Bible is an Anglo-Saxon Book and foretells Anglo-Saxon destiny, and strange as it may seem to those who learn of it for the first time, the destiny of Anglo-Saxondom is the destiny of the world. The Bible foretells the wars and the outcome of the wars and predicts what they will win just as they have done through the ages. I first learned this fact forty-four years ago and since that date I have watched Bible prophecy being turned into actual history before our eyes as detailed in the daily newspapers. It happened that a clerical friend of mine in 1879 predicted that in Britain's next war in Egypt, America would take part with Great Britain, as unlikely a prediction as could have been made, because in those days the politicians of the United States were twining the lion's tail on all possible occasions and the Republic's rulers then were as opposed to taking any action in Europe as they have been since 1918.

Well, in 1882—just three years later—Britain and France decided to

drive the Turk out of Egypt and sent their fleets to bombard and capture Alexandria. The admiral of the French fleet at the last minute sailed back to Toulon without firing a shot. The British fleet cleared decks and went into action. Four fourth-class American gunboats happened to be in the Mediterranean waters at that time and their Marines landed with the British Tars, capturing Alexandria. One of the American gunboats was in command of Captain Schley, afterward admiral in the Spanish War. Of course, they acted without instructions from Washington, but despite their rulers they helped do the job. My forebears were Scotch and the fact that a man could get out of the Bible news written three thousand years ahead of time, and could know the facts and predict the outcome, made an impression on my mind that forty-four year's study has proved to be true and accurate.

The taking of Jerusalem by Lord Allenby was accurately described in the Bible three thousand years ago. It was foretold that the city would be taken by His Covenant People (Brith in Hebrew is Covenant and Ish in Hebrew is man) and it was the British who redeemed Jerusalem in 1917, the year predicted by Reverend Grattan Guinness in 1875 in Light for the Latter Days. Jehovah had said he would defend Jerusalem in this war and he did so defend it, and not a shot or shell struck Jerusalem. Jehovah foretold three thousand years ago that 'as birds flying He would defend Jerusalem' and Allenby's aerial fleet did the job—men flying like birds. The question arises, How did the inspired prophet foresee that in these latter days a new device just recently developed—the airplane—would be used by Jehovah's chosen battle-ax brigade in the taking of Jerusalem? The answer, of course, is that Jehovah knew and He spake by the mouths of the Holy Prophets which have been since the world began, which apparently was a long, long time before Moses. You may remember our Lord's, 'O, fools and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken.' The taking of Jerusalem was part of that 'all.' Jehovah through Ezekiel 25:14 referring to the redemption of Jerusalem at this time said, 'And I will lay vengeance upon Edom (Turkey) by the hand of my people Israel.' They, the British or Covenant People, did the job through Allenby and fulfilled this prophecy.

Well, for forty-four years I have seen hundreds of prophecy made good to the very letter.

I have found the Bible to be what it purports to be—the Living Word of God, a message for the ordinary man's guidance nationally as well as personally, and also to contain the accurate foretold history of His Covenant People, the Anglo-Saxon nations of the earth who were to operate in the latter days as a nation, a great nation and a company or multitude of nations, and these People were to be a blessing wherever they went just as the Anglo-Saxon nations—America, Britain, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, et cetera, have been and will continue to be until the end. Not perfect, of course, because all men are imperfect and do evil, but instruments of the historic purpose.

When I am asked if the Bible prophesies Peace, I am constrained to say, Not until the causes of war have been destroyed in war.

The Almighty with accurate foreknowledge of all the wars, the terrible fightings and battles which He foretold in the Bible, knew when he appointed His Covenant People to be His battle-ax and weapons of war that it was no League of Nations picnic that Satan would lead the nations of the earth into until the Prince of Peace comes again to earth.

Among learned men in this field, August 4, 1914, to 1936, is described as the time of Chaos. November 11, 1918, to May 29, 1928, is described as the time of Truce in Chaos. Those of us who were at the front know from our experience during the late war what Chaos means, and if it return in 1928 well will it be for Britain, America, Canada, Australia, and all concerned, if in the meantime we keep ourselves alert against the tremendous war forces still existing.

Does the Bible predict peace and disarmament? Far from it. Describing those present times the prophet voices Jehovah's command, 'O, my people (God's Covenant Nations) hear my Word; make you ready to the battle and in those evil days be even as pilgrims upon the earth. He that selleth, let him be as one that selleth away. He that buyeth, as one that will lose; He that buildeth as one that shall not dwell therein, et cetera, and they that occupy their merchandise with robbery, the more they deck their cities, their houses, their possessions and their own persons, the more will I be angry with

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Redemption Fund	2,500.00
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CASH	241,799.18
TOTAL	\$988,329.92

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	121,666.46
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them for their sin, saith the Lord.'

Well, there you have it in a nutshell. The pacifist says talk peace, peace and disarmament and you will attain peace, but the Bible sees peace afar off. It scorns those who 'heal the hurt of My people lightly, saying, Peace, Peace, when there is no peace.'

'But,' says some one, 'doesn't the Bible say something about beating swords into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks?'

Yes, 'It shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established in the top of the mountains' (that is, the rule of righteousness set above all other rule) 'and all nations shall flow into it.' It is then that 'they shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.' You can find it all in Isaiah 2:2-4.

But when you come to the times preceding the righteous condition described, this is what you find; you find a great league of war against the righteous nations. 'Proclaim ye this among the Gentiles; Prepare war... beat your plowshares into swords, and your pruning hooks into spears.' You will find this with much else of interest in Joel 3.

And the message of the Bible is that in the last military struggle between the forces of righteousness and the forces of evil the world of na-

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dawes and daughter, Miss Nancy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dawes in Colorado last Friday.

Wilbur Matthews after a few days visit in this city with his parents, Mayor and Mrs. R. D. Matthews, left Saturday for his home in San Antonio

OUR FOUNTAINS BECOME MORE POPULAR EVERY DAY . . . CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Dr. Ora E. Estes and Mrs. J. L. Thornton left Thursday for San Antonio where Dr. Estes will attend the State Chiropractic convention.

W. M. McNeill of Minneapolis, Minn., was a business visitor in Big Spring a few days last week, looking after land interests in this section.

Big Spring is certainly spreading out, and it looks mighty good to see all the new homes being erected. From seventy-five to one hundred new homes have recently been completed since the present building program was inaugurated.

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Dr. A. B. Wheat of Cooper spent Sunday in this city visiting his niece Miss Willie Saunders. Dr. Wheat was enroute to El Paso, Texas, where he will attend the State Medical Association.

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Miss Clara Jones after spending the Easter holidays in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Jones, left Sunday night for Dallas, where she is attending St. Mary's College.

Everyone who is able to do so should contribute to aid the flood sufferers in the Mississippi. President Coolidge has asked the American people to contribute \$5,000,000 for their relief.

Vernon Crawford, T. B. Hoover, and Marvin Frost spent the past week end in this city with home-folks. They returned to Lubbock Sunday where they are students at the Texas Tech.

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Big Safety Meet and Banquet

200 Attend Safety Meet and Banquet—Honor Texas Electric Service Co. Employees for Saving Life

One of the finest meetings ever held in Big Spring was enjoyed by two hundred folks last Thursday night when the officials of the Texas Electric Service Co. gave a banquet in honor of their one hundred and seventy employees, and their wives. The banquet was served in the banquet hall of the Methodist Church at 7 o'clock p. m.

It was more like a regular family affair in which good cheer and good will were outstanding features. These safety meetings in which the men and officials confer with a view of promoting safety measures to safeguard the men in their work have grown from a very small beginning, and the beneficial results are indeed remarkable.

In addition to the talks, the program included a solo by Mrs. Chas. Morris accompanied at the piano by Miss Roberta Gay, and music by the Little Ramblers, the High School Orchestra.

After a delicious chicken dinner served by the ladies of the south side circle of the Methodist Church Mr. L. J. Geer, district manager, called the meeting to order for the purpose of discussing the safety of the employes and kept the program rolling along in a most entertaining manner.

Mr. G. W. Bean explained in detail the real causes of accidents and brought out the fact that most accidents were caused by injured workmen not keeping their mind on the work, due to illness or other causes.

Mr. R. M. Moore discussed the accidents that occurred in 1926 and brought out that the employes has all to gain and nothing to lose if he practices safety and thus uses the protective devices furnished by the company. In summing up his talk Mr. Moore said the whole plan of safety measures might well be in line with the title of our latest popular song, "It All Depends On You."

Mr. C. Clegg, district engineer, made an interesting talk on the value of cooperation in accident prevention. Mr. Clegg said "there are three things very important in the operation of any business, safety, efficiency and cooperation. When you see a crew which is practicing this you will find an efficient crew, a safe crew of workmen and a crew of workmen who are willing to cooperate with their fellow workmen."

The feature of the program was the presentation of an N. E. L. A. bronze medal and certificate to employes G. W. Bean and J. L. Dixon in recognition of their services in saving the life of F. E. Woodruff, a fellow workman who had been shocked by 60,000 volts. These two gentlemen used the Schaefer Prono Pressure method of resuscitation. All employes are required to know this method of artificial respiration as it

can be used in case of electric shock, drowning or gas asphyxiation. On April 6, 1926, Mr. F. E. Woodruff with other employes was working in the Royce City substation. Mr. Woodruff climbed on brace work of 60,000 volt oil switch when his foot slipped, he fell so close to the 60,000 volt conductor that it arced to his body rendering him unconscious and causing severe burns on the body. Messrs Bean and Dixon started applying the prone pressure method of resuscitation and worked on him for about fifteen or twenty minutes before Mr. Woodruff regained normal breathing. Mr. Geer paid high tribute to Mr. Bean and Mr. Dixon when he presented them with the medal and certificate.

Mr. R. M. Moore had his picture machine with him and presented two reels of motion pictures "Accident Prevention in the Electric Industry" this feature of the program being especially interesting and entertaining.

In the round table discussion in which visitors and all others were invited to participate many expressions were made as to the value of the safety meetings and the safety work being carried forward.

Several of the speakers pointed out that it would be well if the Schaefer Prono Pressure method of resuscitation be more generally known so that more lives might be saved.

The following officers of the Texas Electric Service company attended the Safety Meet and Banquet:

L. J. Geer, district manager, Sweetwater; G. D. Geer, distribution engineer, Sweetwater; G. W. Bean, field engineer, Big Spring; R. M. Moore, safety engineer, Dallas; C. V. Clegg, district engineer, Big Spring; J. B. Dalton, chief engineer, Big Spring; D. E. Snyder, engineer, Waco; Mr. Stockham, Chemist, Dallas; C. E. Cameron, local manager, Lamesa; R. A. Greaves, local manager, Big Spring; Edgar Smith, chief engineer, Lamesa; W. F. Jayes, meterman, Waco.

EQUIPMENT FOR HALEY HOTEL HAS ARRIVED FOR INSTALLING

Furnishings for the rooms of the Haley Hotel in the upstairs of the Albert M. Fisher building arrived this week.

The remodeling on the building has not been completed but is progressing rapidly. New openings in the building, partitions, and other improvements are being made as well as the interior being given a new coating of paint.

Miss Noreen Halley will be manager of the hotel.

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Brother G. S. Hardy, presiding elder of the Sweetwater District of the Methodist Churches, filled the pulpit at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning. The second quarterly conference was held in the afternoon.

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MATSUDA WINS

The peerless Jap, Matty Matsuda the undisputed undefeated welter-weight champion of the world, clearly demonstrated his superior strength and science last Monday evening at Clyde Miller's skating rink when he defeated Alex LaFebre of Montreal, Quebec, in a finish wrestling match before the largest crowd that has ever attended these events and both contestants were cheered by both the ladies and gentlemen when introduced by Matchmaker Faust. LaFebre who boosted his famous Chiropractic hold, found it was useless on the wily Jap and after he had applied same twice in the first stages of the match weakened with discouragement and Tuesday morning stated that it was entirely useless on the Jap and was forced to use other holds which the Jap broke with all the ease.

Matsuda took the first fall in 28 minutes and 45 seconds with a double wrist lock and the second fall in 18 minutes and 59 seconds with a body scissors. Both men used head locks, toe holds and various holds in effort to pin each others shoulders to the mat. The match was the cleanest and cleverest demonstration of the many art of self-defense that has ever been presented in this vicinity. Neither of the contestants used rough tactics at any time which won the approval of the fans.

Matsuda left Monday night for a match in San Francisco, Calif., and assured Matchmaker Faust that he was ready to return to Big Spring any time he is in this vicinity, and requested him to thank the citizens of this vicinity for the many kind favors shown him during his stay here.

LaFebre stated Tuesday that he lost his match due to worry and the climate. He was forced to leave his car in a nearby town Saturday and after receiving same Sunday found that it was necessary to bring it here for additional repairs also that he was unable to adapt himself to the local conditions as he was unable to breath properly shortly after entering the ring.

The fifteen minute wrestling match between Y. Yanes and Jose Rodriguez both local Mexican boys was far above the average and both boys were roundly cheered when the time limit was called. Two youngsters gave an exhibition of tube slapping which furnished many a laugh. Two local boys demonstrated their skill in a three round boxing contest which no decision was given.

Matchmaker Faust announced Billy Landoos who recently wrestled Jack Gorman to a draw, would meet Jim (Young) Hackenschmidt, the Kansas Cyclone of Newton, Kansas, on their next card, Wednesday, May 5.

John Curtis, M. E. Broughton, Henry Sneed, Jerome Lusk, J. D. Davis and J. C. Newton returned Monday from a fishing and hunting trip on the San Saba river. While fishing was not the best in the world, they had plenty of good luck hunting squirrels and feasted on this tender meat most of the time.

The State National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Statement of Condition as Reported to the Comptroller of the Currency at the Close of Business Mar. 23, 1927

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$483,472.92	Capital.....\$ 50,000.00
Commercial Paper.....140,285.19	Surplus Earned..... 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....NONE	Undivided Profits..... 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00	Circulation..... 50,000.00
5 per cent Redemption Fund.....2,500.00	Borrowed Money..... 50,000.00
Banking House and Fixtures.....25,900.00	DEPOSITS..... 700,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.....3,000.00	
Cotton Acceptances.....6,928.86	
CASH.....256,392.53	
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