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users," says the **POOL** have minimized punishment until it has stripped the **POOL** in Sun-power.

"A traditional and parasitic of technicalities has sucked blood out of the penal code." I am a Here the governor is blitting as per- splitting judges who throw as per- ments for the **POOL** and as an being asked every day as to when the bankers' \$50,000,000 pool will begin to function, and what will be the methods adopted by the pool, I beg to submit the following, which I can assure my friends will be the policy or methods adopted by the pool:

In the first place they will not make any loans direct to individuals. They may modify this rule, but it is not likely they will. It is my understanding that they will only take paper from substantial banks and cattle loan companies. The paper they take from these banks and cattle loan companies will have to be indorsed and guaranteed by the bank or cattle loan company from which they take it; and, it is further my understanding that they will only take such paper as is eligible for redaction with the Federal Reserve bank. The loans are all to be secured by livestock only, and they will have to carry a substantial margin. The pool is chartered or authorized to do business for thirty months; but no loans will be made to run for longer than six months at a time, and renewals will be acceptable at each six months' period. But at the expiration of thirty months all loans will have to be liquidated by the banks and loan companies that will be permitted to enjoy the discount privileges.

Must Be Indorsed

It is the intent and hope of this pool to be able to issue participating certificates to each of the subscribing banks, according to their pro rata participation in the \$50,000,000 stock of the pool, and to have these participating certificates made eligible for redaction with the Federal Reserve bank; thus, obviating the necessity of distributing the actual notes and mortgages to the contributing member banks, but instead just issue participating certificates for the amount of the loans. The banks so contributing, having received the participating certificates,

can take them to the Federal Reserve bank and get the money on them.

The impression prevails among some of our people that loans could be obtained direct from the pool, or through local banks, merely upon the introduction and recommendation of the small banks. This impression is erroneous, as, up to the present time, they have or will demand all loans to be indorsed and guaranteed by the bank or loan company through which it is obtained.

Thus, we have the working plan of the great heralded fifty million dollar bankers' pool for relief of the cattle industry. Where does the relief come in? How do the methods of the pool differ from present methods? They do not propose to make any loans for longer than six months. The cattlemen have been getting their money on six months' time always heretofore, and, in a good many instances, they could get twelve months' money. The pool does not propose to take any other character of collateral than livestock. We have always been able to get money on our livestock securities, but the deflation in values has reduced the value of a great many of the herds of the country to a point below the amount they are mortgaged for, and, it was the hope of the cattlemen that this pool would accept land and other securities in addition to the livestock, thus enabling the owner of cattle that are mortgaged for more than they will bring on the market to add their lands, or other character of collateral that they might have, to their cattle and obtain loans running from one to three years, which would make it possible for the cattle to grow into value equal if not more, than the mortgage.

"Is That Any Relief?"

The pool proposes to charge prevailing rates of interest on the loans they accept. What does the word "prevailing" mean? Does it mean any fixed rate? No, it means the pool will charge as much interest as the "prevailing" laws of the country will allow and the emergency needs of the borrower will justify. Is that any relief? Have we not always been able to borrow money at prevailing interest rates? And, were not the prevailing interest rates always lower for the last fifteen years prior to the time that the federal reserve act was passed and the finances of the country turned over to the control of a bunch of cheap politicians whom the Wall street bankers have handled just as a checker player moves the markers on the checker-board?

The final and convincing proof of this last statement is the creation of this much heralded bankers' pool. What were the circumstances that led up to the pool?

The livestock industry of the country was facing, and is yet, demoralization and destruction. The breeding herds were being slaughtered, immature cattle were forced on the markets. A nationwide appeal went up for relief for one of the basic industries of the land. The cry was heard by the power-that-be in Washington. Conferences were called, agitation was

started and some legislative relief measures were offered in congress.

The federal reserve board heard the rumblings of an approaching storm, and began the race to move, suggesting that a part of the profits of the federal reserve bank, ruthlessly extracted from the pockets of the people by the high interest charges imposed on red- discounts from member banks, be turned over to the war finance corporation for the purpose of financing the cattle industry of the country, and thus relieve the conditions that were leading to the destruction of the industry. Then, all of a sudden, like a clap of thunder from a clear sky, there appeared in Washington city a group of New York bankers, surcharged with the milk of human kindness and overflowing with patriotic zeal, and with a spirit of magnanimity unequalled in annals of time, offered to relieve this government of the burden of protecting and preserving the cattle industry by throwing themselves and all (just a fractional part) their money and influence and power into the breach, and shoulder the hazardous and brain-racking effort to preserve the livestock industry of the country.

U. S. Furnishes Money.

Now, what was the real reason that prompted this show of magnanimity on the part of the Wall street bankers? It was this: The bankers that compose this pool have been for the last several years really financing the cattle business of the country; as they, in a very large measure, buy the cattle paper from the banks and cattle loan companies that are loaning money to the cattlemen; they realized that, if congress made an appropriation of fifty million dollars for the use of the war finance corporation in financing the cattle industry of the country, the war finance corporation would fix an interest rate which would be less than the "prevailing" rate, and to the extent of the loans made by the war finance corporation the eastern banks would lose that much of the control of the industry. They further realized, or knew, or thought they knew, that they could ostensibly furnish the money to finance the industry, but in fact they expected them, as they are assured now the federal reserve bank will furnish the money, by re-discounting the notes of the pool, issued by the trustees of the pool; thus, by lead of allowing the government, through the war finance corporation, to furnish the cattlemen direct, and at a moderate rate of interest and for a longer term of years, the government, through the federal reserve bank, will finance the eastern bankers (members of the pool), and the eastern or pool bankers will lend the money to the banks, trust companies and cattle loan companies, who will, in turn, lend it to the cattlemen of the country, thus forcing the cattlemen to pay the cattle loan companies a profit on the money they borrow from the government through the federal reserve bank. So, in the final analysis, the government is furnishing the money to finance the cattle industry through a homogenous arrangement be-

A bird like this makes a model husband



HER NICE new husband, STEPPED OUT of the house, WHISTLING LIKE a bird, WHICH ALARMED young wife, ESPECIALLY WHEN, SHE FOUND she'd picked THE WRONG package, AND INSTEAD of oatmeal, HAD GIVEN him birdseed, BUT DON'T think from this, THAT EVERY guy, YOU HEAR whistling, HAS NECESSARILY, BEEN ROBBING the canary, OTHER THINGS inspire, THE ALMOST human male, TO BLOW through his lips, AND MAKE shrill noises, A RAISE, for example, OR A day off when, A DOUBLE header is on.

OR AN everyday thing, LIKE A good drag, ON ONE of those smokes, THAT SATISFY, WHICH CERTAINLY are, THE REAL birdseed, FOR MAKING men, TRILL THEIR pipes for joy, SO LADIES, if hubby, GOES AWAY whistling, YOU NEEDN'T worry, ALL'S SWELL.

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SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—Went 2 a forth of July picnic and had lots of things to eat and etc. pa & mister Gillem was setting on the gram tawking wen ma aksidentally over-herd pa say—She had the prittiest ankels and her neck was the nicest I ever seen and tawk about a high stepper believe me that old girl was shure there & I invested a hole weeks wages on her but she never showed. I saw ma but sed nothing she was gitting white under her curls & she up & ast pa Who is the husay. Pa tride 2 explaine it was a race horse wich he had lost money on, but ma was 2 hard harted 2 beleave him.

Saturday—ma give me a \$ bill & sed You go 2 the drug stoffe & git a ticket 2 the city and a dime worth of chewing gum. I got the ticket & jumped on a car & went 2 the city & brought the gum and come on back. Wen I entered the house ma was setting in a chare & swetting & she grabbed me & batted me a few & sed Where you ben. I told her & left the room but I herd her say Of all the Bone heds he is the wurst I ever seen. Then she sed she diddnt say 2 go 2 the city for she wanted 2 go her owa self.

Sunday—at dinner ma ast pa did he like the pie crust & pa sed it was fine only for 1 thing, ma sed Wot & he replied The crusts is 2 close together.

Monday—Went down 2 the city Jale 2 see a hobe wich had been arrested for Fragnancy.

Tuesday—Jake's conzen Art wich has been in Frantz come home and he had a gas mast & a helmit & a croy dagger & a hote in his leg wich was a baynet stab from a hun.

Wednesday—I aksepted a posishun with a farmer today 2 ride a horse wile he wood plow corn. I sure am soar tonite & I feel as tho I woodnt care if the band wood play the Star spangled banner all the Time.

Thursday—Lade off.

There is some talk of oiling the streets of Big Spring but it might be well to test out this oiling process on a block or so to determine whether or not it is practicable. We note that the railroad crossings where the railroad company has tried oiling the roadbed it appears to be O. K.

Want Ads get the results. Cascara Laxative syrup... The ideal laxative... Cunningham & Philips. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hornbarger returned the first of the week from a visit in El Paso. Bad management, graft and irregularities in some of the departments of the State government were charged made by Governor Neff in speeches at Meza and Odessa last Saturday.

Mrs. F. F. Gary, Miss Lillian Frances Gary and McCall Gary returned Sunday evening from an auto trip to El Paso and Cloudcroft.

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At Mandan, North Dakota Saturday the thermometer registered 100 1-2 degrees, so far as we know not the warmest yet of degrees.

The fire department was called on Sunday evening, the alarm sounded on account of a large fire in the west part of town.

Mrs. Bart Williams returned from a visit with her husband at Stanton.

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BIG SPRING, TEXAS



Line of Sheep Husbandry in the United States

The census of the year 1920, just published, exhibit the deplorable condition of sheep husbandry in the United States. In round figures and rough speaking, there has been a decrease of a million sheep a year for twenty years, and the end is not yet. In the United States the sheep husbandry is in a general disrepair. The blame is not properly placed. The distress is largely caused by the blighting hand of the government. The handling of the wool clip in the United States during the war is characterized by the most alarmingly stupid. The sheep raiser was treated by extraordinary and unnecessary measures to the highest degree of cruelty, and then after getting him down to it, he was dumped into the hands of adversity. Natural and unavoidable causes contributed, but the government mismanagement was the chief of it. Then again, the agricultural department at Washington has to have overlooked the sheep industry or let it drift. In fact, the department is forgetting that its first duty is to encourage production. The department has taken out "production" and substituted the word "regulation." The government has taken the word "encouragement" out of government dictionaries and put in the word "interference." The blighting hand of government meddling and interference is ruining American industry, and sheep raising is no exception; neither is wine raising an exception. It is the same route.—National Farmer.

FOR SALE—Wagon scale, good condition. I have installed extra large scale to take care of trucks and heavy loads. KEISLING GIN CO.

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"We have much upon which to congratulate ourselves. Our difficulties are infinitely less than those of Europe; we have weathered the danger points of a great crisis; our financial system has proved its strength and for the first time we have passed safely through a commodity crisis without monetary panic. Our people have abundant food and abundant clothing. We are at least warmly housed, even though crowded. We possess in the high intelligence, high courage and high ideals of our people ample reserves of economic, social and political strength. We possess a great sense of neighborliness that has had fine manifestation in these difficult months in help given each other for weathering the storm. We have a remarkably small ratio of failures."—Herbert Hoover.

Herbert Hoover is a long-headed and conservative American. He is a man of vision and a man of action. He knows that the genius of the world will solve the problems of the world and that in time business normalcy and productive energy will be at its height again. It is impossible to destroy \$100,000,000,000 in property and not pay the price. It is impossible to pile up a war debt of \$250,000,000,000 and not pay the penalty. All that has been taken from the wealth of the world must be replaced and that, too, by the work of hand and brain. All debt that has been piled on the world by the blight of the sword must be liquidated in the long years to come, and the producers of the world must pay the war costs inflicted by militarism upon the productive capacities and productive energies of the nations. This is the logic of life. This is the logic of history and this is the logic of the situation. Wealth cannot be created by the printing presses of the government. It cannot be created by issuing promises to pay. It must be created by the combined forces of capital and labor and there is no escape from the logic of this reasoning.—Fort Worth Record.

Dr. A. Levy Coming

Dr. A. Levy of San Antonio, the well-known optician will be in Big Spring next week. Those wishing to have glasses properly fitted should consult him at Cunningham & Phillips drug store. (1st-Advertisement)

Jed Crawford of Muskogee, Okla., arrived Sunday for a visit with his brother, W. J. Crawford, and old time friends in this city.

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

Enactment of a Sunday "blue-law" prohibiting among other things operation of trains on Sunday and excluding Sunday newspapers from the mails will be urged by the Methodist Central Sabbath crusade committee.

Face to Face With a Deficit

Business men of Texas are organizing their forces to send representatives to Austin to enter a solemn protest against fat appropriation bills or the creation of useless jobs or new state ventures at this time. There is a reason for it.

State Treasurer John W. Baker estimated that there will be a deficit in the State treasury of \$225,471.41 at the close of the present fiscal year, Aug. 31. His estimate was made in a letter to Charles G. Thomas, speaker of the house of representatives.

Mr. Baker pointed out that the appropriations and outstanding warrants at the close of the fiscal year, Aug. 31, 1921, amounted to \$22,711,726.63, while the balance in the treasury and the receipts from other sources at the beginning of the fiscal year of 1921 was \$22,486,255.22. The apparent deficit Mr. Baker showed, is the difference between the appropriations and expenditures and the revenues.

Mr. Baker said that he was of the opinion that no appropriation would remain unexpended at the close of the year.

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

Uncover All Trusts, Plan of Farmers

Washington, July 11.—Investigation of operations of the Federal Reserve Board, the United States Chamber of Commerce, "the great trusts, such as steel, coal credit and money trusts," was asked today by a Joint Congressional committee investigating agricultural conditions by C. S. Barrett, chairman of the National Boards of Farm Organizations and president of the National Farmers' Union.

Charles A. Lyman, secretary of the National Board of Farm Organizations, told the committee that agriculture was facing bankruptcy and ruin.

"A policy of deflation of the currency and restriction of credit was instituted by Government agencies. This has resulted in a loss to farmers in the last year of \$7,000,000,000," Lyman said.

Big Spring folks, or the majority of them at least, had rather boost for some other town than their own home town, or so it seems. They are always ready to boost the accomplishment of any gink just so he is not a resident of our city. We just can't explain the reason therefor unless it is that our folks are a little bit jealous, and are afraid that if our town prospers or one of our citizens is accorded a little praise someone they do not like may benefit. It's a mighty narrow viewpoint, but there is ample room to warrant this suspicion.

Services At Catholic Church

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



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You know that these hot days when you pull off your coat that old one looks bad, so come in here and freshen up your stock.

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Miss Ruth Johnson has returned from a visit with relatives in Stamford.

WALL PAPER MAKES THE HOME A PLACE TO LIVE...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Slaughter Sr. enroute from Lubbock to Dallas in their Cadillac touring car spent Saturday evening in this city.

Girls: You are just as pretty as your teeth. Don't fool yourself with your mouth shut. We advise a Dentist for you and one of our brushes...Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. W. W. Crawford and son after a brief visit with relatives in this city left Friday evening for Dallas where they will join Mr. Crawford and make their home for the present.

With several homes under construction, and quite a few being improved, especially in being given fresh coats of paint, the march of progress in our city keeps going forward though at a slower pace than most of us would like to see.

THE QUALITY AND COOL AND CLEAN SURROUNDINGS NEARLY ALWAYS BRING YOU BACK TO CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS' FOUNDATION.

We are for Pat Neff is he sticks to this program. He said in so many words that he was "going to tell the legislature that it must keep within the revenues in sight and not appropriate one dollar unless the State had it to spend.

Nylotts Cold Cream.....78
Harmony cold cream.....78
Harmony cocoa butter cream.....78
WARD'S.

Flash: Light and all supplies.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Klenzo Tooth Paste excels all others in whitening the teeth. 32c. Ward's.

J. I. Pritchard and family returned the first of the week from a visit on the Concho river. J. I. Jr., who was painfully injured some two weeks ago, is now recovering from his injuries.

Arrangements have about been completed for the construction of a swimming pool in Big Spring and if all plans do not go wrong we may be able to enjoy a swim in this pool before the close of summer.

AFTER BATHING (IF YOU HAVE ENOUGH WATER TO BATHE) YOU WILL GET LOTS OF JOY OUT OF A TALCUM RUB...WE HAVE THE TALCUM FOR TWO BITS A THROW...CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Charles Ray Lees was operated on at Dallas last Friday afternoon and a gold collar button which he had swallowed July 4th was removed from his bronchial tube. The operation, which was directed entirely by means of the X-ray, required one hour and thirty minutes.

Secretary of the U. S. Treasury Mellon announces that according to information received from Chicago, the \$50,000,000 banking pool formed to handle live stock loans will be in a position to begin making loans this week. Advances of at least \$17,000,000 can be made the first week.

"Ever Sharp" the world's writer...Cunningham & Phillips.

A Botherome Disease
Film: "Are you ever bothered with rheumatism?"
Flam: "Yes, continually. My friends are forever telling me about theirs."—Life.

WHEN IN DOUBT, PHONE NO 1. (Advertisement.)

Dine at the Busy Bee this coming Sunday. If you do, we know you will be back the next.

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

The island of Yap has an area of eight square miles. It has occupied more space than that in the daily papers during the last three months.—Hilo (Hawaii) Herald.

Some of our folks are planning to have a picnic on the mountain south of town just to show more of our folks what a beautiful view is possible from that site, and to interest them in constructing a scenic drive along the rim of the mountain. For one hundred dollars or so, it is said, this road could be made a peach of a drive. Drive up and look over the proposition.

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

In talking of hard times and about the unnecessary surrender to gloom, Thos. A. Edison said the other day: "I have been through five depressions in my business life. They are all alike. This latest one is exactly like all the rest. The men who, if business fell off 60 per cent, increased their selling effort by 75 per cent, managed to pull through as if there was no depression and the efforts of such men tended to shorten the periods of depression."

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Expert watch repairing done at Ward's (advertisement)

Mrs. Settle Anderson, of Iatan spent Sunday in this city on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Jones

Bring your jewelry to us and let repair it for you. Ward's. Goggles all styles and prices. Wards.

Mrs. Chas. Morris of El Paso arrived Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alec Mitchell.

Saturday Special — Divinity — 1-2 pound for 20 cents.

THE ELITE CONFECTIONERY
Snappy Service

Womens Missionary Society

The Womens Missionary Society of the Christian church met with Mrs. J. T. Brown, at 3 p. m. Monday, July 11th.

Song—"My Jesus I Love Thee".
Prayer—Bro. Brown.

Nine members present, one visitor, who became a member at close of meeting.

Minutes approved as read.
Treasurers report accepted.
Mrs. E. W. Brown was elected to assist with Junior work.
Report of retiring president.
Installation of officers.
Leader—Mrs. E. W. Brown.
Song—"God Will Take Care of You"
Bible Study—Mrs. J. T. Brown.
Rainbow Promise—Mrs. F. M. Parker

Womans Task—Mrs. E. W. Brown.
Quiz—Conducted by Mrs. J. L. Milner

Benediction.

Delicious salad course was served by Mrs. Brown and a pleasant meeting was enjoyed by all. Reporter.

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Time to kill those "peaky" flies. Let's kill 'em. Daisy Fly Killer, 25 cents; Red Diamond Insect powder, 15c or 2 for 25c. Siebert's Fly paper, 5c. Elkay's Ant and Roach powder, 20c. and numerous other powders that will sure kill flies. WARD'S.

A. H. Crawford and family are enjoying cool weather in the Pikes Peak region of Colorado.

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

Mrs. M. H. Jones Entertains Rook Club

Mrs. M. H. Jones was hostess to the members of the Rook Club Thursday morning and the meeting proved one of the most pleasant every attended.

Six tables of players took part in the series of interesting games of Rook and keen was the rivalry for the honor of making high score. Mrs. Cliff Talbot made visitor's high score and Mrs. J. R. Copeland and Mrs. H. W. Leeper tied for club-high score; Mrs. Leeper winning in the cut.

The delicious refreshments served added much to the pleasures of the occasion.

The first thought of Hot Weather suggests our fountain with its cooling refreshments.

THE ELITE CONFECTIONERY
Snappy Service

K. of P. Picnic

The members of the Knights of Pythias, and Pythian Sisters are invited to attend a Moonlight Picnic, Monday night, July 15th. Come and bring well filled baskets. All Knights and families are cordially invited.

The picnic party will leave K. of P. Hall at 7 o'clock sharp.

Notice—Hemstitching

I have bought Mrs. Templeton's Hemstitching outfit and will appreciate your patronage when you desire any hemstitching. Phone 247, or call at residence, corner Beal and Howard St.

W. W. McElhannon and family left last Saturday for an auto trip to Abilene, Mineral Wells and other points East.

Use Fly Oil on your cows and they will do much better. 50c quart, 75c 1-2 gallon, \$1.25, gallon. Ward's.



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We print it right here that if you don't know the "feel" and the friendship of a joy'us jimmy pipe—GO GET ONE! And—get some Prince Albert and bag a howdy-do on the big smoke-gong!

For, Prince Albert's quality—flavor—coolness—fragrance—is in a class of its own! You never tasted such tobacco! Why—figure out what it alone means to your tongue and temper when we tell you that Prince Albert can't bite, can't parch! Our exclusive patented process fixes that!

Prince Albert is a revelation in a makin's cigarette! My, but how that delightful flavor makes a dent! And, how it does answer that hankering! Prince Albert rolls easy and stays put because it is crimped cut. And, say—oh, go on and get the papers or a pipe! Do it right now!

Prince Albert is sold in tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors and in the pound crystal glass humidors with sponge moistener top.



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Of course it's mighty hot these days to talk clothing—but as long as civilization is in the saddle we must wear clothing and we just want to remind you that ours is the best place to secure anything needed in the line of Clothing or Dry Goods. Best because our prices are the lowest.

BIG BARGAINS IN ALL OUR SUMMER GOODS

Look thru our lines of Voiles, Organdies, Silks, Gingham, and Percales. See the Messalines we are sacrificing at \$1.95 per yard.

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

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HATS, CAPS, NECKTIES, BELTS
HANDKERCHIEFS, SHIRTS, UNION SUITS

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

Now is an opportune time to check up the clothing needs of your family and do your shopping.

REMEMBER

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

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Report of Prayer Circles

Wednesday, July 13, 1921.

Circle 4A. Met with Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Hughes was the leader, and 7 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Spears will be the leader.

Circle 4B. No Report.

Circle 4C. Met with Mrs. Garland Griffee, Mrs. Crawford was the leader, and 21 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Jim Williams, and Mrs. Gay will be the leader.

Circle 5A. Met with Mrs. Littler, Mrs. Morrison was the leader, and 2 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. T. S. Currie, and Mrs. Morrison will lead again.

Circle 5B. No Report.

Circle 6. Met with Mrs. Davis, Mrs. George Brown was the leader, and 8 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Willie Davis, and Miss Gertrude Davis will be the leader.

Circle 8. Met with Mrs. Leach, Mrs. Hollenbeck was the leader, and 13 were present. Will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Roy Franklin, and Mrs. Mason will be the leader.

NOTICE TO LADIES

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

Mrs. Wm. Fahrenkamp and daughter Miss Aggie of El Paso enroute for a trip to Austin and other points in South Texas stopped over here today for a visit with her sons, W. F. Jr. and E. E. Fahrenkamp.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Culwell enroute from Lamesa to points in East Texas were visitors in our city the forepart of the week. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Curtis while here.

A citizen of Iatan who was here this week states that he expects five additional drilling rigs to be started in the Iatan section section within the next sixty days.

Two men have been added to the car repair department at the T. & P. shops the past week. We hope to see the force in all departments increased in the near future.

Misses Bertha Rae Wilkinson and Bulah Mae Houston of Stanton, have been visitors here this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Wilkinson.

CHOCOLATE SHOP CANDY STARTS THE EVENING PLEASANTLY..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Mrs. Louis Powell and daughter after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Matthews, left Thursday evening for their home in Chicago.

Herald want ads pay. Try one.

Grape Juice. POOL-REED CO.

Herald Want Ads got big results.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Big Spring, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1921.

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts, including redcounts.....	\$47,000.00
2. Overdrafts, unsecured.....	150.00
4. U. S. Government securities owned:	
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value).....	\$50,000.00
b. All other United States Government securities.....	21,941.50
Total.....	71,941.50
5. Other bonds, stocks, certificates, etc.....	1,000.00
6. Banking House.....	15,000.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	25,000.00
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks..	151,000.00
11. Amount due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9 or 10).....	1,500.00
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12).....	100.00
14. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	5,000.00
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2,000.00
TOTAL.....	\$714,000.00
LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
18. Surplus fund.....	100,000.00
19. Undivided profits.....	\$61,442.18
c. Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid....	15,919.26
20. Circulating notes outstanding.....	45,000.00
22. Amounts due to national banks.....	15,000.00
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in items 21 or 22).....	97,000.00
25. Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	1,000.00
26. Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25.....	99,408.59
28. Individual deposits subject to check.....	251,000.00
31. Other demand deposits.....	100,000.00
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31....	390,907.40
TOTAL.....	\$714,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard, ss:
I, R. L. Price, Vice President and cashier of the above-named bank, solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
R. L. PRICE, Vice Pres. and Cashier.
CORRECT—Attest:
L. S. McDOWELL,
R. C. SANDERSON,
J. W. WARD, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1921.
JNO. B. LITTLER, Notary Public.

Lower Prices - Satisfaction

ARE YOURS IF YOU PATRONIZE THE WIGWAM RESTAURANT

We have reduced the price of Regular Dinner to 40 cents and all other food orders in proportion. You will be more than pleased with the wholesome meals we are now serving. Give us a trial.

Short Orders A Specialty Open Day and Night

The Wigwam Restaurant
Phone 350 J. C. Horn, Proprietor Big Spring, Tex.

Bring your old watches to us. We do expert repair work. Ward's.

Miss Ruth Cardwell returned home last Saturday from Columbia, Mo., where she has been attending the State University of Missouri.

Jelly, Jams, and Preserves. POOL-REED COMPANY.

Fresh rendered hog lard, 15c per pound. REED CO. MARKET.

Mrs. Grace Cardwell has returned from Temple Sanitarium much improved in health. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Robinson and Frank...

Fresh cakes always on hand. REED CO.

Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK
in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1921.

RESOURCES

Discounts, including rediscounts	\$394,275.76
Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal reserve (other than acceptances sold)	\$ 31,494.12
Unsecured	362,781.64
Government securities owned:	63.27
U. S. bonds	50,000.00
United States Government Securities	5,938.80
Real estate, stocks, securities, etc.	55,938.80
Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	\$4,516.67
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	1,100.00
Amount due from national banks	30,671.28
Amount due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13)	161,040.80
Amount due from banks in the same city or town (other than item 12)	12,545.23
Amount due from banks in other cities or towns (other than item 12)	921.02
Amount due from banks located outside of city or town of bank and other cash items	174,507.05
Amount due from U. S. Treasurer and due from other sources	1,195.23
Other assets	2,500.00
TOTAL	\$679,273.90

LIABILITIES

Amount paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Profits	50,000.00
Notes outstanding	3,306.08
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (included in items 21 or 22)	48,700.00
Amount due on own bank outstanding	115,850.11
Amount due on items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	8,174.16
Deposits subject to check	124,024.27
Demand deposits	336,139.19
Reserve deposits (other than bank deposits)	67,104.45
Reserve, items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	403,243.64
TOTAL	\$679,273.90

ROBT. T. PINER, Cashier.

Methodist Notes

Although the weather keeps hot, our Sunday school keeps its splendid pitch in interest and attendance. Two hundred and seventy-five present Sunday—although our preacher is out of town. No one played hookey. We had Bro. Doak from Abilene with us, both at S. S. and for the preaching services. He gave us an interesting and humorous talk on the home folks at S. S. and preached a wonderful sermon at the morning hour. We were extremely glad to welcome him.

Next Sunday Bro. Hunt from Abilene will be with us.

Mrs. Hughes and her assistants reported 45 present in the Beginners' Department. A glimpse at the beautiful representation of summer and winter as shown by the sand-table illustrations, make us understand why there is never a slump in this department. Mrs. Flewelen's class have so outgrown their boundaries that an overflow was necessary into Mrs. Hardy's class. However, the exodus was not even perceptible. The Supt. doesn't mention this class except with her fingers crossed. They are the apple of her eye. Mr. Deats must have offered a prize of some sort—the men in his class rarely ever miss. I know something awful nice about Miss Bellah's class, but I can't tell it for three whole weeks. It's a secret. Since Miss Bellah became president, there is no limit to the efficiency of this splendid body of young men and women. Mrs. W. A. Miller had at least 30 girls of seven and eight in her class Sunday. There was a large percentage of boys in Miss Nell Hatch, Miss Annie Ward, Mrs. Davis, Miss Schull and Mrs. Thomas' classes.

The Juniors sang their new song for Bro. Doak and received hearty applause. Mrs. Morris had an unusually good crowd of young women. They enjoy their class—their good lessons—and most of all their beautiful teacher. Two classes contested for the privilege of Mrs. Stripling for teacher, but her own refused to let her go. Hot weather has thinned their ranks, but not their enthusiasm. Miss Lillie Sue Settles and Miss Miriam McDonald have two banner classes of beautiful, studious girls. We have something in view for them and also Mrs. Musgroves nice bunch of girls. Meet with us Sunday if you are not yet enrolled.

The work of overhauling the 225 horse-power Deisel engine of the West Texas Electric Co. in this city, was completed last week, and the engine put in commission Sunday. The new pistons and other parts installed places this powerful engine in first class shape. Infact makes it as good as new. With this engine in shape there will be no danger of an interference in the light or power service.

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

The Hit of The Season

AT THE



Wednesday and Thursday
July 20th and 21st



A picture that pays
one hundred laughs
on the dollar!

Fatty spends scads of Grandpa's Easy Money in his fun hit "Brewster's Millions." But you'll spend your strength laughing while he earns this dollar from Uncle Sam. When you see what he did—you'll want Uncle Sam locked up for extravagance. But as for laughs and excitement—holly Moses. Fatty's a real dectektiv, but you'll need no magnifying glass to find the laughs in this picture.

Admission 15c and 35c Continuous Show 2:30 to 10:30

Remember the Romance of Big Spring
will be the EXTRA SPECIAL ATTRACTION at the LYRIC
MONDAY and TUESDAY, JULY 18 and 19. Don't fail to see Big Spring and the Big Spring folks in the movies. Perhaps you may appear in this picture. Don't fail to see it.

KODAK PICTURES FREE
For Best Kodak Finishing You Ever Saw
PROMONE CENT UP
KYOSTUDIOS
WOOD, TEX

Have you tried Pool-Reed? Yes! They have—it's so tender—just chicken. They make every, too. When you get it to you right now.

Word of Thanks
to express our gratefulness and neighbors for their kindness when we lost to fire, Monday morning. Barnett and family.

Have plenty of carbon to use. Price \$2.50 per gal-

"Midland To Celebrate With Three Days Rodeo"

Persons who enjoy the thrills of Western or Cow Boy sports will be interested to know that an affair of this kind with much elaborations, is staged to take place in Midland September 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

Also there is to be a big Barbecue, free to all and an auction sale of registered cattle. Roping, racing, riding, etc., with cash prizes that will attract the most expert in these sports.

Last year Midland had a two days affair of this kind and it was such a success that it is to be repeated and on a larger, more extensive and expensive scale.

Everybody is waiting for the occasion being assured of good entertainment and hotel accommodations unsurpassed.

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

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BUICK

Ask and person interested in automobiles what he thinks of Buick. We abide by his opinion.

Then ride in a New Buick to learn for yourself the reason for this widespread confidence.

You'll discover there's more than reliability in a Buick. You'll find it's so easy to operate, so comfortable; and there's such beauty in the new body lines.

The continuous use of your Buick is provided for in every emergency by Authorized Buick Service.

Model	Old Price	New Price	Model	Old Price	New Price
23-44	\$1795.00	\$1495.00	22-48	\$2985.00	\$2325.00
23-42	1795.00	1525.00	22-40	2065.00	1735.00
23-46	2595.00	2155.00	22-50	3295.00	2635.00
23-47	2995.00	2455.00			

Prices F. O. B. Flint, Michigan

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY
FLINT, MICHIGAN

BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

WOLCOTT AUTO CO.
Phone 166 Big Spring, Texas

Wash boards and tubs. POOL-REED COMPANY.

Kreso will keep the place free from flies.....Cunningham & Phillips.

F. C. Neidermeier of Van Horn was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

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

The following motored to the City Park, south of town, to enjoy a chicken supper Tuesday evening: W. W. Rix and family, Nat Shick and family, Mrs. Una Covert, Mrs. A. M. Evans, Misses Maud Shick, Spencer and Mattie Leatherwood, Messrs R. L. Price, J. W. Ward, and R. C. Sanderson of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rix of Lubbock. The big shower arrived just as the feast was being spread and it was a case of grab all one could hold and run for shelter.

Home Service Company

The Home Service Company will meet at the Christian church on Monday, July 18th at 4:00 p. m., where the following interesting program will be given. These meetings are open to the public and everybody is urged to attend and take part in the discussions.

Devotional.....Mrs. Reagan.
Piano Solo.....Lois Garrett
Health conditions in our town.....Dr. Davis
What a nutrition worker will mean to Big Spring and Howard County.....Mrs. O'Keefe.
Solo.....Miss Ricker
Health Story.....Miss Barnes
Toads we should eat.....
Closing Prayer.....Mrs. J. T. Brown

Did you know you could get better coffee for less money, by using the Royal freshly roasted coffee. The Royal Coffee Co. 113 Main St. Phone 614.

Heirs Celebrate Settlement of Estate.

Lubbock, Texas, July 13.—The passing of one of Texas' greatest cattle ranches was celebrated when the C. C. Slaughter ranch passed into the hands of 10 heirs and was divided.

When the rebranding and the land division had been completed, preparations were made for a celebration. Dr. G. T. Neal of Douglas, Ariz., was in charge of the dinner. Ten calves were converted into barbecued meat. Dinner, which was described as "im-mense", was served to more than 200 people. Dancing followed and continued until 3 o'clock the following morning, music being furnished by musicians from here.—El Paso Herald.

Rezell Pearl Tooth Powder
Will thoroughly cleanse, whiten and preserve the teeth. Price 22. Ward's.

Goggles
Goggles of all sorts and styles and prices for sale at Ward's.

Talc

Jounfeel Talc.....32
Nysis Talc.....37
Rezell Talc.....32
They are the best and can be bought only at the Rexall Store Ward's.

W. A. Nance and family and Mrs. N. J. Allen of Ballinger, Texas, were here this week for a visit with Ben Allen and family.



Lost Beauty Returned

If your skin is "muddy" looking
If you have pimples
If you have "greasy" skin
If you have "freckles"

Here is What to Do!

We make a preparation that we have sold for about three months and we have Sold more than you think, and we **GUARANTEE** it to satisfy you, and and don't ask questions.

*Its Cheap and Easily Applied
We Have Never Had a Complaint*

CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS

IN BUSINESS FOR YOUR HEALTH

Is Your Motto—"Keep Smiling!"

INVESTIGATE
Chiropractic-Massage
Evans & Longbotham
Room 12

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

MILLER STUDIO

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

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

IF— We Lost Your Good Will

If our service station burned down we'd get the insurance.
If burglars stole our cash, we could borrow some.

But if we lost that part of our business called **GOOD WILL**, we could get it back again only through months, or possibly years, of the hardest kind of work.

That's why we say **GOOD WILL** is the most valuable thing we own.

Our promptness and thoroughness will show you, if you come in, how much we value your **GOOD WILL**.

West Texas Battery Co.
PHONE 226

First Door West of Lyric Theatre.
HEADQUARTERS FOR NEW

Willard Batteries

BLEMISHES: REMOVED OR NO
PAY... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS'
BLEMISH REMOVER.

The Divining Rod

"The idea of a 'divining rod' or some other instrument that may be used as a means of finding buried treasure, mineral deposits, and underground oil or water is a superstition that continues with marvelous persistence in spite of the lack of tangible results from its employment.

It may be said without qualification or exception that no rod or instrument has yet been devised to find buried treasures, nor any instrument that will indicate the presence of gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc, or other non-magnetic metals, or their ores, that are hidden from view under ground.

Iron, nickel, and some minerals that contain these metals are magnetic, and the dip-needle or miner's compass has been adapted to use in prospecting for these metals. Such an instrument can be purchased, but special training is required to enable anyone to use it successfully. Although the use of the dip-needle is theoretically simple, much practice is required to make accurate observations with it, and after these are made they must be interpreted by the consideration of many factors, so that the unskilled user is likely to be disappointed in his results.

Gold, silver, copper, lead, and zinc are not magnetic, and no instrument now in use will indicate the presence of these metals or their ores if they are hidden from view within the ground. Devices that are supposed to indicate the presence of concealed nonmagnetic ore are usually offered for sale either through ignorance or with intent to defraud. Some honest attempts have been made to prospect for nonmagnetic ores by measuring in different directions the capacity of the ground to conduct an electric current, the idea being that ground containing metallic material will conduct the current better than that which contains none. These attempts, as well as trials with other electrical devices, however, have not been successful, and the various forms of such apparatus could not be used by one unfamiliar with electrical work.

No instrument other than the drill has been devised that will indicate the presence of water or oil underground. In determining the probable existence of underground supplies of these liquids geologists are guided by their knowledge of the relation of beds of rocks visible at the surface to beds that contain oil or water at other places in the same general region. They also make use of the recognized relation of occurrences of oil or water to certain structure (folds, faults, etc.) in the rocks, and of surface indications, such as oil seeps, springs, out-flows of gas, etc. The United States Geological Survey has published as Water-Supply Paper 416 a report by A. J. Ellis, entitled "The divining rod, a history of water witching," which shows the uselessness of the instrument. This report may be obtained from the Director of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

Grammar in Schools

Less technical grammar—all of it omitted below the grade of 7-A—is among the recommendations of the New York Principals' association submitted to the board of superintendents. Instead, it is stated, the children should be habituated to correct structure and grammatical forms.

This means, we hope, not less but greater emphasis on grammar in the Curriculum of what have been known so long as "grammar schools". For grammar, despite all protests of the untutored, is the basic of study. It is more important that it be measured than that they learn to articulate correctly.

Probably a large percentage of parents do not see the prime value of grammar and purposely or unconsciously they discourage their children in mastering its principles of proper pronunciation, spelling, word inflection and syntax, this latter including what the educators describe as technical grammar.

But parents unite in emphasis on mathematics. A "good head for figures" is supposed to forecast a good business man. Yet every child is born with a passion for acquisitiveness that sooner or later will interest him in figures. Railway maps will drive into his head a sketchy geography of his own country. Newspapers will re-echo the important facts of the history of his country. To grammar, the most important, he is least likely to turn back for self-improvement should his education be limited to grades of the grammar school.—New York Tribune.

Brick For Sale

3000—new, building brick for sale. Will sell them right. \$2-17
KEISLING GIN. CO.

Light Housekeeping Rooms For Rent

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

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

Razors and razor blades of all kinds... Cunningham & Phillips.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

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

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$481,834.84	Capital.....	
Cotton Acceptances.....	11,000.88	Certified Surplus Earned.....	
U. S. Bonds.....	16,814.97	Undivided Profits.....	
Banking House.....	7,000.00	Dividend Payable June 30.....	
Interest & Assts. in Guaranty Fund.....	8,510.70	Borrowed Money.....	
CASH.....	309,286.17	DEPOSITS.....	
			\$785,142.05

"No Depositor In A State Bank In Texas Has Ever Lost A Dollar"

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations

You Need Them. We are prepared at All Times to Grant

Customers Accommodations.

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With

The Heart of the Country Weekly

There is something wrong with a system of existence that brings tears to the eyes of an old man and causes his shoulders to be shaken by sobs. When one has passed through the years of trial and sorrow, raised a family and toiled all along the way, he should know a few years of peace and love and tender care before he lays down the burden. This is inspired by an incident that touched us deeply, a few days ago. An old and respected father stopped us on the street and told of a distressing incident that had happened to his family. "I want to ask you to keep it out of the paper," he said, and then the tears came and the pent-up anguish burst into sobs. It always hurts to see a child cry. We stopped on the way to the office this morning to wipe the tears from the dirty face of a little fellow who said, "A big boy hit me in the jaw," but to see a man past eighty with tears rolling down his withered cheeks, simply is too much. Indeed we'll keep it out of the paper, old friend, along with the many unprinted columns of sadness and sorrow and sin that we have kept out of the paper for so, these many years. We sometimes think we are a pretty poor sort of editor, after all. When we get a good story, from the city reporter's point of view, we always see the gray-haired mother or the proud sister who will be hurt by the publication of the sordid details and we kill it. Recently, in a neighboring town, a poor little sick girl suddenly wandered away from home and the sensational city paper played it up with a scare head across the front page and even insinuated that the young lady had been enticed away. While the frantic mother was anxiously awaiting any information that would lead to the return of the child the young lady came back and a hasty message to the city newspaper told of the return of the sick daughter. "Oh, hell!" answered the voice over the phone, "we had it all played up for the front page." No thought of the bleeding hearts or tormenting fears of anguished parents ever weighs with these ghouls of the pencil who pry into the sacred tragedies and haul family skeletons out to be stared at by an unsympathetic public. Anything for a sensation. Anything to sell the papers. There is no heart or soul in the city newspaper, but thank God the little old country weekly, the home town paper, still has a heart and it beats with sympathy for the friends and neighbors who watch for its coming each week.—Sault Ste. Marie (Mich.) Soo Times.

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

F. W. Boardman, fuel supervisor of the Texas & Pacific Ry., and Geo. W. Deats, fuel inspector, were here Saturday enroute to Toyah and Sierra Blanco to inspect the work of oiling the roadbed of the T. & P. Ry. This work which was started Saturday will be continued until the roadbed is oiled the entire distance from Sierra Blanco to Fort Worth. The work was started Saturday, when a thirteen mile stretch of roadbed was oiled, and the task will be carried forward as rapidly as possible.

IT'S COOL NOW HERE: CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS' STORE.

"Bonnie B" Hair nets at Ward's 10c.

The Best Auto Repair Works

is assured at

BLANCK'S GARAGE

We have expert mechanics who do work right—and every job is completed promptly.

When that car of yours needs tuning bring it to us and it will be put in A 1

TRY OUR AUTO BEAUTY PARLOR

We have every facility for cleaning up. All loose bolts looked after and tightened when we clean your car. Phone us up and get your car for a thorough cleaning. Plenty of storage for autos at our garage.

PHONE 120

BLANCK'S GARAGE

Garage and Auto Repair Works
405 Main St. BIG SPRING, TEXAS

In Lighter Vein

A fellow merchant dropped in the other day to have a word with a business man downtown. Everybody except the boss seemed cheerful and the men about the office fairly beamed.

"Your clerks seem to be in a rare good humor," observed the friend, as he took a seat.

"Yes," said the other. "My wife has just been here and it tickles them to death to see somebody boss me around."

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"See the spider, my son, spinning its web," said the instructive parent to his small son. "Is it not wonderful? Do you reflect that no man could spin that web, no matter how hard he might try?"

"Well, what of it?" replied the up-to-date offspring. "Watch me spin this top. No spider can do that, no matter how hard he might try."

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Pupils in a primary grade recently were instructed to develop their powers of observation, as well as their descriptive ability, by a series of "Human Nature Observations," as the course was called. They were told to keep their eyes open for interesting happenings of a human nature character and report at school. When they were called on to give their observations, Elizabeth, 6 years old, reported as follows: "Last night I was walking through Commercial park, and I saw a young man and a girl sitting real close together on a bench, and the man's head was on the girl's shoulder, and I thought it was real interesting."

—Fort Worth Record.

Pound paper has gone down.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Klenzo tar soap is excellent for the shampoo of the hair, 30c at Ward's.

Paint up the old car yourself.... Cunningham & Phillips.

Our folks do not see scenic beauties of this you want to learn to be a visitor to Moss Bluffs Mount or along any drives in our county hear them rave. We these features if we see tourists or visitors to

Shoppers like Cheap marking pens, sheep, \$2.50 per gallon. Biles Drug Store.

Shake Well Doctor: Young lady (telephone doctor, I forgot to ask eye medicine you gave Doctor: "Well" Young lady: "Do I eyes before or after

CHOCOLATE SHOW THE EVENING PAPER CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

After the Cold: "The poor girl," pathetic woman, "clothes on to keep her" "Which was she?" Cayenne, "terribly fashionable?"

If it isn't a Conklin's pen it isn't the Biles Drug Store.

Qualified Employer: "You are an important executive Applicant: "Yes, I am" "What was it?" "I was hanged at

Let Lees Do It

Cleaning and Pressing

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

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

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ANYTHING IN TAILORING
Cleaning and Pressing Suits Made to Measure
Phone 420 105 E. Second St.
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

TRY US

Harper & Huddleston

Dray and Transfer
PHONE 291
Office in Old General Oil Co. Building
East Second Street.

Seed, at Ward's.
Mullinger spent Sunday with
in Merkel.
favorite toilet cream—for
hands and sunburn. Price 42.
McCutchan left Monday for
to attend the annual meeting
State Sheriff's Association.
why cook? Bring Hubby to
"Bee" and eat a chicken dinner
Sunday. "Ice cream 'n
"ing."
D. B. Doak of Abilene conduct-
services at the Union Meeting
Methodist Church here Sunday
handsome new bungalow being
at South Scurry street
A. Shive is rapidly nearing
completion.
Vista Ice Cream served at our
20c a dish, 35c pt.; 60c qt.

John P. Watkins returned Wednes-
day from a business trip to El Paso.
Eyes tested and glasses fitted by a
graduate optician. Ward's Drug Store.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thixton left the
first of the week for an auto trip to
points in California. They expect to
be gone about forty days.
Come to us to have your jewelry re-
paired. We do expert repairing and
work guaranteed. Ward's.
Mrs. J. D. Birdwell and daughter,
Miss Maydell, left Monday in their auto
for Abilene where they will spend a
week with Mrs. Omar Radford.
Klenzo liquid antiseptic—for com-
bating germs—also valuable in the
treatment of Pyrohea. Price 52 cts.
Ward's.
John Schwarzenbach after a few
days visit with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. R. L. Schwarzenbach, returned to
El Paso Monday morning. John holds
a position as machinist in the T. & P.
shops in that city.

A Chastened Party

The Socialist convention in Detroit
has served to call attention to the
present insignificance of the American
Socialist party. Its present enrollment
is a trifle over 14,000. How trifling a
role the party plays now in our na-
tional elections may be inferred by
comparing this number with the 7,000-
000 majority of the winning party in
the last election.

The Socialist membership, it must be
admitted, has never been a fair index
to the Socialist movement in this
country. In some elections several
times as many Socialist vote have
been cast as there were members in
the party. But it is clear that not
only has the Socialist vote shrunk far
more in proportion. The biggest vote
ever cast was about 900,000 for Debs
in 1912. At that time there were more
than 100,000 in the party, which in-
cluded both men and women. In the
last national election, the vote was
about 600,000, which really represents
a decrease of two-thirds rather than
one-third, because the voting power
was doubled by woman suffrage. On
the same basis the party should now
have about 70,000 members instead of
14,000 if both had shrunk in the same
ratio.

Socialism has fallen into discredit as
a result of the exhibitions of Socialism
given in Germany during the war and
in Russia since. The American Socialist
party has been discredited still more
than the Socialist philosophy, because
it refused to follow the comparatively
sane lines of the British Fabians and
the most enlightened American leaders.
During the war the men who control-
led the party in America renounced
their Americanism and championed
the cause of the German Socialists
who were heart and soul with the
Prussian onslaught against civilization.
So offensive a stand alienated the best
element of the American Socialist.

The remnant evidently is in a
chastened mood. One delegate refer-
red sarcastically to "the spectacle of a
bunch of 10,000 Socialists talking about
the dictatorship of the proletariat."
In this spirit the convention renounced
proletariat rule, deserted the Russian
Soviet system and decided to have
nothing more to do with European
Socialism. It was a wise decision,
but it will not serve to regain the
ground lost by an American excesses
of radicalism.—Berkeley Gazette.

Watkins Territory to Let

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Big Spring, Texas.

A disarmament parley may be called
in the near future, and in which
Great Britain, Japan and the United
States will endeavor to reach an agree-
ment to call a halt on the construction
of new airships. Here's hoping it
does not prove as fruitless as has
been the effort to secure world's peace

Miss Myra Lankford who had been
visiting her cousin M. P. Stevens and
family left last Friday for her home
at Cameron.

Pure apple vinegar from the barrel.
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Now Selling at the Lowest
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- 30x3 1/2 - - \$24.50
 - 32x4 - - 46.30
 - 34x4 1/2 - - 54.90
- (And Other Sizes in Proportion)

Tire repair men, who judge values best, class these tires as
having the sturdiest carcass made. Forty-seven high-
grade car manufacturers use them as standard equipment.
They are the quality choice of cord users.

\$13.95 for 30x3 1/2 Regular Non-Skid Fabric

This new low price is made possible by strictest economies
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Plant No. 2 was erected for the sole purpose of making
30x3 1/2 inch Non-Skid fabric tires. With a daily capacity
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All materials used are the best obtainable. The quality is
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A Home Course in Domestic Science

"Twenty Lessons in Domestic Science"
by Marion Cole Fisher has recently been
received by us for review.

This is a complete advanced course
in domestic science and home economics
bolled down to meet the requirements
of the housewife and the student.

The entire course consists of twenty
practical lessons—one hundred pages
filled with the most valuable informa-
tion the housewife can possess—heretofore
taught only in domestic science
schools.

Do you know the relative value of
food, which fruits to use for cooking,
what purpose salads serve, the correct
use of condiments, about proper kitchen
equipments, about U. S. Govern-
ment's bulletins, how to reduce the
high cost of living, how to promote and
protect your own and your families
health, how to make housekeeping
simpler and more economical and
more pleasant by utilizing modern
science in the home.

This book, we note, is priced at \$2.00
per copy and from what we understand
it contains a complete \$100.00 college
course, condensed, and it is practically
free to every interested housewife.

Write the Home Economics Depart-
ment of the Calumet Baking Powder
Co., 4100-28 Flimore St., Chicago, Illi-
nois, for full particulars regarding the
book and how to secure it.

Ladies: Dine at the Busy Bee this
coming Sunday. See for yourself com-
paratively if the quality, quantity and
service plus reduction of charges July
1st isn't far ahead of the Sunday
drudgery.

One of the largest, if not the
largest, crowds ever assembled in Big
Spring was there Monday to celebrate
the 4th of July. Everything passed
on according to schedule, and the
American Legion and the Big Spring
Band are to be praised for the man-
ner in which they conducted the af-
fair.—Gall Gazette.

Fly Oil—to protect your cows from
flies, 25c pt. \$1.00 per gallon when
bought in 5 gallon lots. Ward's.

Shreffl Vann of Brownsville passed
thru this city in his auto Saturday en-
route to Amarillo to attend the annual
session of the State Sheriff's Associa-
tion.

Why not eat at the Busy Bee. "Sani-
tary Throughout." A trial is all we
ask.

Jim Friend, foreman of the T. & P.
shops at El Paso, spent last Friday in
this city, enroute home from a month's
vacation spent at Baird and other
points East.

Figure with us on cash orders—we
handle only the best groceries and
meats. Give us a trial—that's all we
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Actual value sometimes consists as
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See P. S. WILKINS, at Y. M. C. A.

It being thought that the 12,000
postmasterhips will not be sufficient
to appease the hungry ple-hunters of
the G. O. P. it is now planned to
advance approximately 3,000 fourth-
class postoffices to the presidential
grade thereby making places for worthy
Republicans.

The Ku Klux Klan or members of
a like organization kidnapped a man
at Glidden, Texas, Monday, knocking
him on the head and choking him,
but finding they had the wrong man
after they had gone out into the
country. The abductors wore masks.

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



Another Reduction in Ford Cars

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

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

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

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

"During May we produced 191,324 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the
biggest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on
a 24-hour car daily schedule for June.

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

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

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is now ready to do your laundry work and do it satisfactorily.

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We Do All Kinds of Laundry Work

Work Called For and Delivered

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Presbyterian Auxiliary Notes.

Next Monday, July 15th is Circle Day meeting. They all meet at 3 o'clock for work. The Whatsoevers with Mrs. Cunningham; The Dorcas, with Mrs. J. T. Brooks; The King's Daughters, with Mrs. S. A. Hathecock.

Last Monday was program day and a most interesting double program was carried out at the church. Being "two in one," it was of course much longer than usual but the interested expression on the faces and the animated discussions were ample proof that no one was weary. However, we may feel assured that very few meetings if any will be so long again.

Tuesday morning found a committee at the home of Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt for the receiving of articles and packing the box for the Indian Orphanage at Goodland, Okla. Bedding, clothing and household articles of all kinds were sent and a most useful box of good things has been shipped to this worthy institution.

Remember the Circles next Monday.

Thursday Club Notes

The members of the Thursday Club enjoyed an especially pleasant meeting last week at which time they were the guests of Mrs. Fox Stripling.

In the series of interesting games Mrs. V. H. Flewelen made visitor's high score and Mrs. J. O. Hoard made Club high score.

Delicious refreshments added much to the enjoyments of the occasion.

Miss Jennie Bell left Monday for Rockport to enjoy her vacation.

Program and Picnic

Last Friday at the Methodist church the Juniors and Primaries entertained the Mothers of the Cradle Roll. Miss Barnes gave us a treat with one of her bright, cheery stories which everyone enjoyed.

After the program Mrs. Harvey Moore, Mrs. D. W. Christian, Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. H. L. Rix, Mrs. Peake, Mrs. A. G. Hall, Mrs. Flewelen, Mr. Clyde Thomas and Mr. H. L. Rix with his truck took the crowd out to the Park to enjoy supper and ice cream.

Our Junior program for Sunday: Letters from Shanghai by Elizabeth Burns.

How I spend my holiday at St. John Junior church by Adele Thomas.

The Master's Questions by Forest Hill.

The Boy from the street by T. B. Reeves.

The work in West Sockow by Patrybell Reeves.

The Bible story "Elijah in God's Care."

Marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk here last Thursday to R. S. Malone and Miss Josephine Hammer. The contracting parties are well known young people of Sweetwater and the wedding ceremony was performed in that city Friday July 8th by Rev. E. W. McLaurin.

The regular monthly meeting of the Commissioners' Court was held the forepart of this week.

John Bowser was arrested Wednesday on a charge of statutory rape.

Homemakers Meeting

Conspicuous on the calendar of social events for the Homemakers of the First Baptist church was the meeting held at the home of Mrs. Travis Reed on Scurry street, Thursday afternoon, July 7. On account of the absence of the president Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Henley first vice, president presided. During the short business session Mrs. Henley asked for volunteers to visit several prospective members and she requested a full attendance at the next meeting, as the election of officers will be had at this time.

Mrs. Reagan, teacher of the class, read a general report of the class work for the year. It was found that a number of important things have been accomplished since the organization of the class. Ten points of the "Standard of Excellence" have been attained, and we have enrolled 59 members.

We had the honor to have with us, Miss Lucille Reagan, who is to go to Africa at an early date. She entertained us, as only one of her charming personality can, with a talk on the different phases of the work done at Southwestern Theological Seminary of which she is a recent graduate. Her talk was very much enjoyed.

The social part of the meeting was then in order. Every one was asked to tell some anecdote that had happened within her family circle. Many thrilling incidents were related, which caused an uproar of laughter.

The hostesses for the afternoon who were Mesdames Travis Reed, B. N. Ralph and K. S. Beckett, served a delicious ice course at the conclusion of the afternoon's pleasures.

A hearty welcome awaits any one who cares to join us. Babies are always welcome too.

Priscilla Club Meeting

Miss Mary Johnson delightfully entertained the members of the Priscilla Club last Friday afternoon. After the busy but jolly session delicious refreshments were enjoyed.

Fifteen were present; the out-of-town guests being Mrs. M. R. Shelton, of Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. L. A. Coulson of Corsicana.

Extra Notice

One brown, and one dun mule, both branded X under bar on thigh are now in Mrs. Mott's pasture, 1 1/2 mile from Stanton. Owner can secure same by paying pasturage and also paying for this notice. J. R. SALLS, Stanton, Texas

Dr. J. H. Dean of Dallas, interested in the ownership of the C. C. Slaughter lands, north of Big Spring, was a business visitor here Thursday.

John Quinn underwent an operation to correct a nasal trouble Wednesday and is feeling fine since the operation was successfully completed.

W. B. Burns was here Wednesday from his ranch in Glasscock County.



Would you write a few words for \$5,000?

Enter Mr. Edison's \$10,000 Prize Contest

Mr. Edison spent 3 million dollars in developing a phonograph of such absolute realism that its RE-CREATION of music cannot be distinguished from the original music.

Mr. Edison wants a phrase of not more than 4 or 5 words that will differentiate this instrument from all other sound-reproducing devices and emphasize the fact that it is an instrumentality by which the true beauties and full benefits of music can be brought into every home. If you are not a New Edison owner, we will gladly loan you a New Edison on

Three Days Free Trial

Then you can learn for yourself just what distinguishes the New Edison from phonographs and talking machines. Then you can test the famous life-like realism, and experience what music will do for you.

Mail or bring the coupon to our store, and we will deliver a New Edison to your home, without expense or obligation to you. Also ask us for folder giving full details of the \$10,000 Prize Contest. Act quickly, because we have only a few instruments to loan.

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Entire stock of women's and misses Spring and Summer apparel marked at prices that will sell immediately.

Come in and take a stroll through our store, and thus, let us show you—rather than tell you—of the incomparable savings that await you.

SUMMER DRESSES MUST GO

An Absolute Sacrifice of Summer's Most Fashionable Dresses

- \$35.00 Summer Dresses, for.....\$18.00
 - \$27.50 Summer Dresses, for.....\$13.75
 - \$25.00 Summer Dresses, for.....\$12.50
 - \$20.00 Summer Dresses, for.....\$10.00
 - \$15.00 Summer Dresses, for.....\$ 8.50
- Swisses, Organdies, Volles, Linens, all styles are this season's models, all handsomely trimmed, and color assortment is very complete.

A group of silk dresses must go—

ON SALE BEGINNING SATURDAY

\$29.00

Values will be included dresses up to \$60.00. Among these most desirable Frocks are Lace Frocks for dinner and evening wear—street and afternoon Frocks with all the high-class style details.

ULTRA SMART SKIRTS TO CLEAR AWAY

As a Special Clearance Offer we present this group of fine Skirts. In this lot you will find Satins, Sport flannels, and many kinds of Sport Silks. They were formerly priced up to \$20.00, for.....\$ 9.95



Decrease in Revenue from T. U. Oil Lands

Austin, Texas, July 12.—Revenue of the University of Texas, derived from oil leases of its lands, is showing a big falling off, according to W. R. Long, auditor of that institution. When wild-cattling was at its height the demand for the lease of these lands for oil exploration and exploitation was very great, a total revenue of approximately \$225,000 being derived from this source. With the subsidence of the excitement there is a falling off in lease contracts. It is stated that comparatively few of the original leases have been renewed with their expiration. The revenue of the university from grazing leases on the same lands amounted this year to \$221,000.

Practically one-half of the money derived from oil leases has been expended at the school of mines at El Paso, a considerable sum at the school of medicine at Galveston, and a part of the money at the main university here. The oil lease money can be expended for permanent improvements only, while the grazing funds may be used for maintenance.

A Declaration of Independence

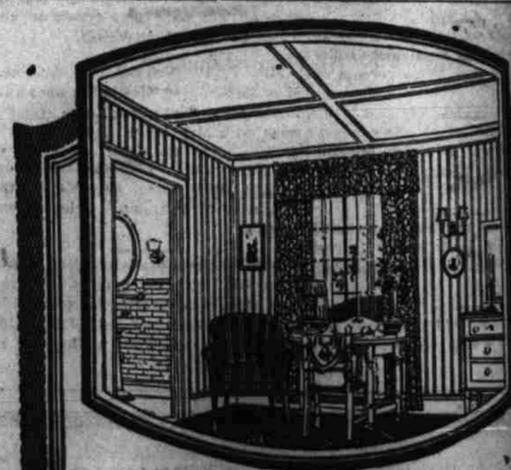
The Farm Bureau Federation, wherever an organization of it has been formed, has adopted a declaration which farmer members have been prompt to sign.

It declares the farmers intend to get more of the benefit of their products for themselves, avert hoarding and speculation, aid financing, reduce waste, facilitate distribution without destructive dumping or speculative holding, "provide our families with the comforts of modest and wholesome living, and preserve for our country the saving forces of a progressive, prosperous and contented husbandry.

This sounds quite like the declaration of independence it is intended to be, independence from those intermediaries who, as farmers assert, have kept prices up for consumers and down for the producers.—El Paso Herald.

The force of linemen of the West Texas Electric Co. are going ahead with the work of stringing new lines in the business section of the city. In addition to adding new lines for light service they are moving all high power lines from the Main street to the alleys.

Miss Emily Bradley left Sunday morning for a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Abilene and Callahan county.



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

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Burton-Lingo Co. LUMBER

Phone No. 22 Big Spring, Texas

W. E. Knott was here this week from his ranch in New Mexico. Mr. Knott was a resident of this county some six or seven years ago.

Railroad wages took another downward turn late Tuesday when the United States Railroad Board ordered a slash of 6 cents an hour in the pay of express employees.

The Big Spring Elks baseball team left Thursday for Hermleigh, Texas, to play a series of three games with the Hermleigh team. The series will be played Thursday and Friday.

Europe is suffering from a heat wave the worst known in years.

W. P. Edwards will return from a visit to his ranch in County.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hill left Sunday for a visit to Pittsburg, Texas.

Plans for Sale
If you want a good place to bargain it will be to your phone 588.