

# The Big Spring Herald

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By T. E. Jordan

## Oil Tests Chalk Section

Now Being Made to Test Wells Near the Chalk No. 1

Doubtful No. 1  
The Doubtful well No. 1, on the Doubtful ranch, which was abandoned for some weeks, has resumed in the near

Oil Co. Location.  
It is reported that the Humble Oil Co. has made a location for a well in section 122, block 29, T. & P. survey. This location is one and one-half miles from the Chalk No. 1.

Deep Rock No. 1  
A thorough test to determine the production of the Oil Co.'s Hyman No. 1, block 29, W. & N. W. 1/4, is stated that this well is expected that this well is to produce 100 barrels or better from around the 2700-foot zone thoroughly cleaned and may prove to be a better

Black Shale at Sparkman  
At the Odward and Hoover on the Sparkman ranch, eastern portion of Glass, are very much encouraging the favorable formation encountered in this test.

The well went into a black shale and water will be cut the drill is sent any deep formation. The work is being done to lower 5-8-inch cut off water encountered in this now underway.

Chalk No. 1  
Reference prevented any test on the Chalk well was it decided to permit to pump itself for the well was cleaned out by being reset in an cause the well to flow pressure from above. The tubing interfering has been flowing about fifty day.

Chalk No. 1  
The Chalk No. 1 well will be a number of new under way in the Chalk this a very short time.

Chalk Oil Company expect to start their offset to No. 1 within ten days. A location on the quarter of section 113, Magnolia Petroleum Company dug and are now hauling for their offset to the Chalk No. 1. They will start rig.

Chalk No. 1  
Mr. and Carey are making to drill four tests. They are over the Humphries Oil acreage just east of Chalk No. 1. They are also to drill on section 97.

Production Company is arrangements to make a test northeast quarter of section 113. The well has been drilled on the H. R. Clay ranch a water supply for the made on this location. A now set up for this test.

Tests to Be Drilled  
Operations in West Texas Chalk Oil Company, announced Friday by F. W. Marland, City, Ok., president, of the starting within of thirty to forty tests, H. F. Geyer of Fort Worth, of the Marland Oil Company.

Members of a party of land officials, including landowners, who are on a tour of Marland properties in Crockett, Upton and counties. Passing through the two private cars Saturday, the party will reach Sunday afternoon.

In Marland's big development program, two or three additional tests will be drilled on Upton county land owned by Sanger Bros. of Dallas, where there now are one actual and one potential producer, said E. F. Geyer. Four more tests will be sunk on the Burleson tract and one on the Hughes tract near Zoch and associates' No. 1 Keith, all in Upton. One and probably two tests will be drilled in southeastern Howard county in the vicinity of Owen and Sloan's No. 1 Chalk, discovery producer. One of these tests is definitely located a quarter mile south of No. 1 Chalk. The other, if drilled, will be east of it. These wells, Mr. Geyer explained, are additional to any that will be drilled in Crockett county jointly with the Humble.

Tankage has been set at No. 1 Chalk by the Kay County Gas Company, Marland subsidiary, for which Marland Pipe Line Company engineers now are running the survey for a projected pipe line from No. 1 Chalk to Coahoma on the T. & P. R. R. Actual construction of the line will depend upon the volume of production in the area. George Marland of Fort Worth, president of the Reagan County Purchasing Company, said that the first oil will be run within a week through the Marland Pipe Line Company's line from the Powell field in northern Crockett county to Kemper on the Orient Railroad. This is a six-inch, fifteen-mile line.

Extension of the Marland pipe line from Independent's No. 1 Taylor in Crane county, fifteen miles north of the Magnolia's No. 1 University (formerly Church-Fields), will await the outcome of production in that area, George Marland explained. Dallas News.

## MANY CARS OF FRUIT ARE RECALLED HERE

Few people realize the number of cars of fruit and vegetables that are handled by the Texas & Pacific, nor the number of cars that have to be reloaded at Big Spring. Here's a report from the Pacific Fruit Express Co., giving this information for the past month.

During the month of April, 569 carload shipments passed thru Big Spring under ice. There were 338 cars passing under standard ventilation, making a total of 907 P. F. E. Co. cars with oranges, lemons, lettuce, tomatoes, cauliflowers, etc., for the east.

Of the 569 cars under ice, 220 were pre-cooled, but 349 cars had to be reloaded at Big Spring. As the cars required an average of one ton of ice each, a considerable amount of ice was needed to supply the ice for these cars.

The movement of fruit and vegetables from California is heavier than during previous years.

## TRADES TRIP TO ACKERLY

The Chamber of Commerce in response to an invitation from citizens of Ackerly is to send the Big Spring Booster Band and a delegation of twenty five to fifty to Ackerly on Thursday evening, May 13, to join in a community gathering there. The Ackerly folks will be in charge of the program and a general good time is assured all who are present.

Ladies as well as men are extended a cordial invitation to make this trip.

A committee will make arrangements to provide automobiles to take all who care to go.

## ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Tom Zachary, charged with assault to commit rape, was arrested at Colorado, Wednesday afternoon. The arrest was made about two hours after the officers here had been advised of the crime. A ten year old girl is the complaining witness and the attempt was made in Big Spring between 3 and 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

## SMALLPOX REPORTED HERE

A number of cases of small pox are reported in our city and county and if you want to play safe you should be vaccinated at once. Owing to the fact that a number of the cases have been mild there is even more danger of this dread disease being spread among our folks.

## WOLF HUNTERS MEET AT GAIL

Wolf hunters from all sections of Texas met at Gail, Texas, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for the annual meet. It is said that about 250 dogs were brought to the meet to be entered in the contests.

## Poultry and Eggs Valuable Industry

Do You Keep Chickens Or Do They Keep You?—Local Testimony of How Hens Pay Own Way

The poultry industry in Texas is increasing rapidly, both in magnitude and value. However it is too often looked upon as being unprofitable, and therefore is a very much neglected phase of farming. Despite this fact, poultry raising is fast proving itself a reliable source of income; and quite naturally the interest develops as the value of the poultry industry increases.

Our first impulse, under present conditions, is to sell our poultry, thinking only of high priced feed and the ready market for all kinds of poultry. We forget or fail to consider the egg market of thirty to fifty cents per dozen, and that a two pound fryer is the cheapest meat raised on the farm. Where is the profit in selling young poultry and buying beef, mutton or pork?

If your poultry yard is overstocked sell off the old birds, keep your pullets for fall and winter laying.

Among the most frequently asked question is, "What shall I feed my hens to make them lay?" This is a very pertinent question, and its solution plays an important part in profitable poultry raising.

We are peculiarly blessed in this section of the country with conditions that are conducive to the growth of grain sorghums, which is an excellent poultry feed, when properly balanced with protein feeds. Practically all the required feeds can be produced on our farms. If there is but one grain to be fed some of the grain sorghums, either whole or ground, can be safely and profitably substituted for corn, which stands at the top as poultry feed, wheat bran, cotton seed meal, peanut meal, and oats are excellent dry mash feeds. If green pasture is not available, such as sprouted oats, wheat or barley, turnips or plumeless is very necessary, if maximum profits are obtained. The keeping of a flock of poultry on each farm should receive encouragement, and should be carefully considered by each farmer. There should be an exact record kept of all feed fed and returns obtained before it is concluded that poultry is unprofitable. As a local testimony of what can be done with a few good hens when properly bred and fed we quote you figures given us by Mr. C. W. Spence, who lives one mile north and one mile west of Big Spring. Starting January, 1926, with 60 hens, Mr. and Mrs. Spence have hatched and sold 1700 baby chicks at 20 cents each, sold 36 fryers at 65 cents each, 700 setting eggs at \$10.00 per hundred, cull eggs at 25 cents per dozen, 95 dozen, aside from the chickens sold they have on their yard about 200 young chicks that range in size from fryers to smaller. This represents an income of \$457.75, the birds on the yard are easily worth \$150.00. The equipment necessary to carry this poultry work on, according to Mr. Spence, was four incubators with a hatching capacity of 710 eggs, a poultry house 32x12 feet, a brooder house 10x12 feet.

Mr. Spence says he has lost very little time from his field work. He also states that he and Mrs. Spence are studying the poultry business as they would study any business, that it require care and attention to make money from poultry. For the past four or five years the good price paid for cotton, the good yields and the high prices of feed has diverted our attention from the "Safety First" in our farming program. The farmers who are spending one hour in the morning and the same time in the afternoon, before and after field hours caring for the cow, sow and hen are in reality, living under their own "vine and fig tree." He exchanges dairy and poultry products for groceries, takes his surplus and pays cash for dry goods, hardware, etc. With this program he cannot raise so many bales of cotton but will have his meat and feed aside from a cash income through the year. The farmer who plants all cotton and harvests it for low prices generally decides that all feed the next year should pay, but too frequently is again disappointed at harvest time. He is generally in the predicament of the old colored man who ran a "zig-zag" course when being shot at

by his pursuing enemy, after being painfully wounded decided that he must have ZIGGED when he should have ZAGGED.

Before going too far with our 1926 program, let us consider the keeping of a few laying hens on our yards during the year, also the keeping of a full record of feed fed and eggs produced, then it will not be necessary to guess as to whether it is profitable to keep poultry or not. We will be in a position to know. The time spent in the proper care of the cow, sow and hen will declare a dividend surprisingly large.

C. T. WATSON, Secretary.

## DEATH CLAIMS G. W. LEES

Many hearts were saddened in this city when the announcement was received last Saturday morning that G. W. Lees was dead at San Antonio, Texas. His death came suddenly and most unexpectedly about 10 o'clock a. m. Saturday, May 1. He was talking to a fellow workman at the I. & G. N. railway shops, where he was employed, when he sank to the floor and expired almost instantly.

Mr. Lees was born in Manchester, England, May 30th 1867. The family moved to Canada where Mr. Lees spent his boyhood days. He came to Big Spring about August 25, 1886 and resided here continuously until August, 1923, when he moved to San Antonio where he accepted a position with the International and Great Northern Ry. He was married in Big Spring May 30th, 1894.

Mr. Lees was a whole-souled gentleman in every sense of the word, and ever had a cheerful word or a helping hand to make the pathway along life's way just a little better and brighter for his fellow man. He truly believed in carrying out the teaching of the Golden Rule in all his dealings. He was an untiring worker, and during the twenty-five years he served as foreman of roundhouse at the Texas & Pacific Ry. shops in this city, he was the first man on the job and the last to leave and the road never had a more faithful and efficient worker. He showed the same loyalty to the development of his city, his lodge and to his friends. His going has left many saddened hearts for he was beloved and esteemed by everyone who knew him.

The remains were brought to Big Spring from San Antonio Sunday night and funeral services were conducted at the Episcopal church in this city at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon by Rev. Frank H. Stedman, assisted by the Rt. Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, D. D., Bishop of the North Texas Diocese. The Masons thereon took charge and at the graveside in the Masonic cemetery conducted a solemn and impressive ceremony for a beloved brother and one who had been a faithful member for many years. Every business house in Big Spring was closed while the funeral services were being conducted.

He is survived by his wife and three sons, Herb, G. and Harry Lees of this city, and Charles Ray Lees of Dallas, who is a student in Baylor Medical College, and to those who sorrow for one deeply beloved is extended the heartfelt sympathy of our entire citizenship.

## THREE BOYS ARRESTED

Clayton McMurray, Bertie Wingo and Albert Echols were arrested last Friday on a charge of theft. Clayton McMurray who was out under a suspended sentence of two years for theft of an auto has had the suspension revoked and is now being held in jail until he can be sent to the reformatory at Gainesville.

Albert Echols was released on a bond of \$500 and Bertie Wingo is out under a bond of \$1500.

## BUYS 376 YEARLING STEERS

W. E. Hicks of Hereford this week received 212 head of yearling steers from Henry Currie of Glasscock county and 155 head of yearling steers from W. B. Currie of Big Spring. The cattle were loaded for shipment at Stanton, Thursday. A fancy price was paid for this choice young stuff. The sales were made by Chas. S. Middleton of Lubbock.

## BOND PLACED AT \$3500

An examining trial for Enoch Lohse, charged with incest, was held Wednesday morning and his bond had been set at \$3500. Up to the time of our going to press he had not made bond.

Successful men are good mixers. They mix a high quality of brains with tireless energy.

## Do You Favor Better Roads?

If So, Be Sure to Vote Saturday in Favor of 15-cent Tax for Maintaining Our County Roads

Do not fail to cast your vote for better roads in the rural sections of Howard county in the county-wide election, Saturday, May 8.

A growing county such as Howard needs good roads and more new roads to various portions now showing a marked development, especially along agricultural lines. Those living on good roads know their worth and realize that those living in the distant parts of the county are entitled to better roads. Increasing the tax 15 cents on the \$100 valuation is the sensible way to secure funds to improve the roads which the State Highway Department do not have in charge. If a bond issue is voted or valuations are increased in order to carry on road improvement the cost in the long run falls extra heavy on all of us.

On the 15 cent on the \$100 valuation the cost is not excessive as you pay a much heavier tax in wear and tear on your vehicle if you are compelled to use the bad roads. The funds for road purposes in our county are inadequate to properly maintain the many miles of roads in our county, exclusive of the 70 or 80 miles maintained by the State Highway department. There is a constant demand for the opening of new roads. Unless additional funds are provided by the tax to be voted on Saturday it is certain that the roads in the county will go to the bad. As we understand it, the road fund of our county is practically exhausted and by next fall when cotton and other products must be hauled to market these roads will be in no shape for traffic if no more repair work is to be done on them until next year.

Think it over and you will decide that it will be the part of wisdom to vote for the small road tax increase so that our rural roads may be properly maintained.

## T. & P. TEAM LINING UP GAMES

The full line-up of the Big Spring T. & P. team will be completed about the middle of May by which time Slick Moore, spitball pitcher Graves, first baseman, and all members of last year's team, will be here to get in the game. Another pitcher will also be secured by that time.

The opening game of the season is scheduled for Sunday, May 23, at which time the Dallas T. & P. team will come to Big Spring with the avowed purpose of cleaning up on the home team. They expect to bring a big bunch of Dallas fans with them.

The Marshall T. & P. team is expected here May 30. But if they can't come, Dallas will return. Games with Fort Worth and El Paso are being arranged. The Paris All-Stars have made a contract to be here July 10 and 11. This is a fast team made up of college men and semi-pro players.

## RUNAWAY GIRLS CAUGHT HERE

Two little girls from De Leon, Texas, aged 12 and 13 years, were detained at Big Spring Wednesday, until the father of one of them could reach here to take them home. The girls becoming displeased with their teacher decided to run away from home. When they reached this city by train their funds were just about exhausted. They planned to don overalls and beat their way from this point to Old Mexico. Sheriff House located the girls at the Wyoming House soon after being notified to look out for the runaways.

## B. S. GOLFERS DEFEAT LAMESA

C. E. Yarnell, N. W. McCleskey, Archie True, Sam Weaver and Fred Stephens, members of the Big Spring Country Club, motored to Lamesa Sunday to try their skill against members of the Lamesa club.

The Big Spring golfers had the better of the argument, defeating the Lamesa quintet by fifteen points in the twenty-seven holes played. They report royal treatment at the hands of the Lamesa club members.

## SINGING AT ELBOW

There will be a community Song Service at Elbow school house Sunday night at 8 o'clock. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to be present.

## THE FAT AND LEAN BALL GAME

If you witnessed the struggle between the Fat and Lean baseball teams last Friday you know what happened, and if you were not there you certainly missed a treat.

Wm. Fisher, the general manager, says he had just as soon try to manage a revolution as to handle these temperamental ball players, and they are going to have to pick a new manager next year. He says he lost fifty pounds, more or less, so they had best secure someone who is anxious to reduce.

The game, as might be expected, settled nothing. The old rivalry still stands as the game was declared a draw because the Fats ran out of substitutes and were not able to give the Leans their turn at the bat in the last half of the fifth inning.

Since each side believed only one side would get to bat neither was willing to take the field so it was necessary to stage a foot race in order to settle the fuss.

The uniforms were placed in sacks across the middle of the diamond and the members of the teams lined up back of home plate. The players were to run to the center of the diamond, don their uniform and then race back to the starting point. The team winning in this race to have first bat. Because Dr. Ellington, in his haste, had gotten into his suit backwards, the Fats were declared the winners.

Captain Jim Black was the first man at bat and managed to rap out a safety—and while the Leans were juggling the ball around, finally got in home, but he wasn't able to play any more. The Fats managed to circle the diamond about eight times before they were completely exhausted and unable to finish the game. The Leans had about seven scores and were going stronger, with Fencebuster Mellinger held in reserve as a pinch hitter.

The Fats who covered themselves with glory, perspiration and dust in order to humble the despised Leans were Jim Black, captain; George Hatch, Norman Reed, John Price, Bernard Fisher, Bill Battle, Jack Smith, Joe Fisher, Shine Phillips, John Shram, Dr. M. H. Bennett, W. W. Inkman.

Bill Battle pitched big league ball for the Fats. And in addition to catching a jam-up game for the heavies, Jack Smith was credited with a home run on a scratch hit.

The Leans, who claim there will be no draw next time, and who brag they can beat the big bullies for money, marbles or chalk, are going to be in shape to take them on again next year. They were captained by E. E. Fahrenkamp and stacked up as follows: Arch True, Carroll Barnett, Robt. T. Piner, Edmund Notestine, C. T. Watson, E. O. Ellington, J. M. Manuel, C. W. Cunningham, Vick Mellinger, Joe Carpenter.

Anyway it was a good game and everyone had their money's worth of fun, except a few of the Fat boys who hadn't wind enough left to enjoy anything after they had been in the game a few minutes.

## T. & P. TEAM DEFEATS COAHOMA

A large crowd of fans were at the baseball park in this city last Sunday to witness, the game between Coahoma and the Big Spring T. & P. team, and one of the best games ever witnessed on the local diamond was enjoyed. Up until the last half of the eighth inning not a score had been made by either team.

It was a pitcher's battle between Baber of the T. & P. and Carter of Coahoma. Only three hits were made off Baber, while the Big Spring batters nipped Carter for seven hits. The Big Spring infield had the busy session and showed up mighty well. The Coahoma fielders had plenty of chances and they made some sensational catches. It was a fast, as well as good, clean game from start to finish, the kind of a game the fans appreciate. This is the kind of baseball that will insure a good attendance at future games.

The Westbrook team will be here next Sunday afternoon and another fine game may be expected. Since Westbrook defeated Coahoma last Saturday it is certain they have a good team.

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Read Herald want ads.

### STERLING COUNTY OIL NEWS

A new drilling site was staked out by County Surveyor Kells last Saturday in the center of the N. W. 1-4 of section 31, block 11, S. P. Ry. Co., 3 miles southeast of here, and west of the C. A. Broome, formerly known as the Dook headquarters ranch, about 1 1-2 miles. The new test was surveyed for the Exploration Oil Company of Texas, with headquarters at San Angelo. We are told that the Company expects to begin drilling operations in the near future. This location is situated 3 miles north of the H. D. Rummell well on section 3, block A, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co.

The H. D. Rummell well in the N. E. corner of section 3, block A, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., in the L. T. Clark pasture, 1 mile southeast of here, drilled into an oil bearing sand last Tuesday at 1160 feet. While no official test has been reported oil men estimate the strike as being good for 15 barrels a day. It is reported that the hole stood 200 feet Tuesday morning in oil with a little water at the bottom. Operations were suspended soon after the strike in order to run casing to prevent a threatened cave-in. It will be remembered that good showings of oil were struck in the Konawa-Angelo Clark No. 1, 1 3-4 miles south of this well; in Rummell Clark No. 1, about 2 1-2 miles southwest, and in Roxana Clark No. 1, 1 1-2 miles southeast of Rummell No. 2, from 1030 to 1350 feet. The Richardson well, about 5 miles southwest of Rummell No. 2, made a good showing of oil in 1920. Rummell No. 2 is 104 feet higher than Roxana Clark No. 1. Not one of the five tests made in this vicinity has failed to make a showing of oil. Mr. Rummell of West Virginia has 6135 acres of the Clark lands leased, and it is expected that much development will be carried on in this vicinity during the present year.

The Sloan-Owen Chalk No. 1, on section 113, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., 24 miles northwest of here, continues to flow a stream of oil into its reservoirs at the rate of 40 barrels a day. It is planned to put this well on the pump when it is expected to greatly increase its output. A pipeline from this well to the T. & P. Railroad is being considered. Preparations are going forward to the further development of this new oil strike.

The result of the shot last week in the Deep Rock Hyman No. 1, on section 88, block 29, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., 24 miles northwest of here, increased the showing of oil in this well to 25 barrels between 2695 and 2730 feet.

Collins No. 1, on section 3, block "W," T. & P. Ry. Co., 6 miles east of here is drilling in sandy lime past 2700 feet.

Deep Rock Clark No. 1, on section 17, block 15, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 8 miles southeast of here, is drilling in blue shale past 1910 feet.

Roxana Clark No. 1 on section 5, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., 13 miles southeast of here, is running 6-inch casing at 2800 feet.

Sparkman well on section 34, block 30, W. & N. W. Ry. Co., 20 miles west of here is drilling shale past 3060 feet.

California Davis No. 1, on southeast 1-4 of section 188, block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 3-4 of a mile north of the town limits spudded in Thursday afternoon. The contract depth of this well is 3500 feet. — Sterling City News-Record.

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I am the parent of progress, creator of culture, molder of destiny. Philosophy, science and art are the works of my hand. I banish ignorance, discourage vice, disarm anarchy.

Thus have I become freedom's citadel, the arm of democracy, the hope of youth, the pride of adolescence, the joy of the age. Fortunately the nations and happy the homes that welcome me.

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"Crime doesn't pay," says Ray Majors, reviewing his career for the public benefit of Kansas. And he ought to know. He's a bright, courageous youth, and has "pulled off" more big things than most of them. But at what price. He sums up the whole matter thus in his prison quarters:

"I am 30 years old. I began my career of crime 10 years ago. Eight of those ten years I have spent in jails and penitentiaries. I have been shot 17 times—13 times with pistols, once with a rifle and three times with a shot gun. My left shoulder is shot away. My left arm is paralyzed from the elbow to the shoulder. One lung is gone. My body is scarred from head to foot with bullet wounds. And I say, 'You can't win.'"

That should meet the eyes of a lot of young fellows looking for loot and glory.—Indian Journal.

Spring...Lazy feelings...Try Dynamic tonic...Cunningham & Phillips.

### A TEXAS ATTRACTION

Texas is a favored land from the standpoint of the student of geology and archeology. Here the earth's strata which represent the chronological development of the earth are laid closely together. At many points whole cross-sections of strata dating back millions of years, are exposed to the eye. This distinction of Texas is well known to a number of the foremost students of this science in the world, Professor Winston of Texas Christian University, who has made valuable contributions to existing data, was aided in his work by the remarkable accessibility of strata in Texas.

Here is another example of a neglected resource in Texas. Hundreds of geologists flock into other regions to study with great difficulty the very things that can be reached with utmost ease in Texas. They do this because they are not aware of Texas' attractions and because they are invited elsewhere and made welcome.

Texas might advertise itself in this respect a bit more and obtain

beneficial results. In large institutions to permanent camps here as classes engaged in geology. The thing required in Texas by local agencies is usual.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

What are you going to push our section to the is due for a big development the cities and sections awake and active are attract the men with investment. It surely will be prosperous times continue.

Some more new business assured for Big Spring number of new houses included in the building the oil development spur we can also expect of new business building city.

Mail your Mothers early...Cunningham

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room had a local reputation very close, not to say stinging. The bride was anything but stingy. The ceremony had completed and after lay his prayer book, the officiant looked expectantly at his bride.

"How much is it," whispered the officiant.

"Whatever you think it is," was the reply.

The groom took one hurried look at the bride and offered the fifty cent piece.

The reverend gentleman took a hand in his pocket and twenty cents, which he held up to the startled benedict. "Your change," he said.

Gentleman.

PLANE FROM DALLAS

May 3. S. S. Owen, oil man, won in a race with

ing Dallas late Sunday and Colorado just before his

Mr. Jack Brown of Colorado on the operating table at

Sanitarium to successfully

large an operation which

Mr.

own and his business asso-

A. Sloan, were in Dallas on

when Owen received a wire

ing him of the serious condi-

his daughter. They raced to

with in a high powered auto-

climbed into a waiting plane

at the bedside of Mrs.

at the sanitarium within

hours.

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THE SIX VIRTUES

The "six virtues of a good driver" as compiled by the American Automobile Association should be pasted on the windshield of every automobile in the country.

Here they are:

1. The good driver has a high degree of self control at all times, this control manifesting itself in various ways.

2. Always maintains his car in such shape that it responds easily and quickly, thus assuring control of the car as far as the purely mechanical question is concerned.

3. Regulates his speed in accordance with the conditions of the road over which he is traveling, and never travels at such a rate that he can not stop within the "clear course" ahead.

4. Invariably exercises due regard for the rights of others and always applies the simple axioms of courteous behavior.

5. Accepts the safety of the pedestrian as a primary consideration.

6. Keeps his mind on the road ahead, as day-dreaming or chattering at the wheel causes many more accidents than are caused by bee stings. — Abilene Reporter.

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J. D. BILES

There were just as many careless drivers in the old days, but you see, horses had sense. — Hartford Times.

"APPLESAUCE" A RECENT BROADWAY SUCCESS

Comedy Enjoys Continuous Run in New York and Chicago

Probably for the first time in Chautauqua history has a Broadway success been contracted for a Chautauqua circuit before it has run the gamut of theater goers in the metropolitan centers of the country. Even yet this great comedy on American life has not closed its run in New York, where it has been enjoying a long run at the Ambassador Theater.

Therefore, Premier Chautauqua patrons are assured of one of the very latest theatrical successes when "Applesauce" comes to Big Spring on the night of June 4, as a feature of the 1926 Redpath-Horner Premier Chautauqua Program.

"Applesauce" is from the pen of Barry Connors, and it gets its name from the modern word for "blarney," "the glad hand," etc. It is served without stint, by Bill McAllister, the hero of the play—a loveable, good looking, semi-worthless youth who wants to marry Pa Robinson's daughter, Hazel. Pa and Ma want her to wed the plodding, well-to-do youth of the town, Rollo Jenkins. Bill talks Rollo into thinking marriage is too expensive a business venture for that rich tight-wad to indulge in. Hazel accepts Rollo, but her love for Bill and his Applesauce cannot be drowned and—but that would be telling the unusually happy ending of an unusually happy play.

"A happy, happy play with a message of cheer, sunny skies and silver linings. One of those synthetic concoctions it is of homely American small-town virtues, sweet girlhood, glib young men, and violent jerks at the heart strings that are calculated to send the customers out into the night bigger and better men and women," is the way the New York Evening World described it last September after its opening appearance in that city.

"Applesauce" promises to be a great treat to Premier Chautauqua patrons. There is no doubt that it will be the play that the New York News says it is: "A clever, virile comedy made up of big laughs and little freshets of tears."

INCREASED USE OF COTTON

The need of the South is to secure larger use of cotton goods. Since silk has so largely supplanted cotton in women's wear, what was not very many years ago a large demand has been greatly reduced. One method of securing a new use of cotton is to secure the shipment of cement in cotton bags. It is said the Portland Cement Association prefers to ship cement in cotton bags. Each bag has a cash return value.

Why should not all the buyers in the South ask that their cement be shipped them in cotton bags? A greater use of cotton bags means a greater consumption of raw cotton, increasing to that extent the demand for cotton. The outlook for cotton prices next fall is anything but encouraging and steps should be taken by all Southern business men to secure a larger and wider use of the staple.

We would suggest that the women of the South give up silk stockings and return to wearing wholesome cotton, but it is a dangerous thing for a mere man to intrude upon the domain of the decrees of fashion, decrees which most women accept as if they were the laws of the Medes and Persians. — Raleigh News and Observer.

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TO DAM COLORADO

Austin, May 1.—Assurance of a \$20,000,000 water power project, the largest ever undertaken in Texas, was given today when the State Board of Water Engineers granted applications of the syndicate of Dallas for permits to construct five of the six proposed dams in the Colorado river between Austin and Marble Falls and took under advisement the application for the sixth dam.

Your Doctor... What would you do without him?... Cunningham and Phillips.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Mother's Day

Sunday, May 9

is the "day of all days" when Mother must not be forgotten. Setting aside this Sunday every year especially for a remembrance of Mothers is a beautiful custom and every Mother will appreciate a small token of love on this day.

Our store can supply many appropriate gifts for Mother



Handkerchiefs, hosiery, scarfs, gloves, hand bags, madeira linens, silk, voile or nainsook undergarments are a few of the articles we believe Mothers would like to own.

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The colors are new and beautiful—the styles are distinctive—the qualities are fine and the prices are very modest.

THERE IS STYLE



In the new Footwear we are showing this week, and there is quality too. The right shoes mean a lot, because if they are not right the whole costume is spoiled. We have the right styles and colors to harmonize with your frock.

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COPELAND BROS.

NEXT WEEK SURE

Copeland Bros. Show which was originally advertised for this week will positively be here next week, May 19 on the Read lot west of town. The Friday night Parent-Teacher benefit will be held and the show will be the same as formerly advertised. With a big Charleston contest one night. The opening bill "Dear Old Pal of Mine" should not be missed as it is good. And ladies will be FREE on opening night, Monday, May 10.

WATCH REPAIRING

Our Watch Repair Department is growing so fast we were compelled to put on extra help. There's a reason. Give us your next job and be convinced. Wilke's Jewelry and Optical Shop.

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Have some extra good work mules for sale. Phone the Gular ranch or see George White, 911 Gregg street, 23 ft

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Nothing is more futile than to put on your best clothes when you need a hair cut. — Ohio State Journal.

BILL OF SALE NEEDED

FOR AUTO TRANSFER

Austin, May 1.—It is unlawful for any person whether acting for himself or another, to sell, trade or otherwise transfer any second-hand motor vehicle without delivering to the transferee a bill of sale in duplicate. This restatement of the statute made several days ago by the attorney general's department was announced Saturday by the highway department.

A MOTHERS DAY PROGRAM

A special Mothers Day program will be rendered by the members of the Sunday School classes at the First Christian church in this city, Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Mothers are extended a cordial invitation to attend this service.

Billie Moore, 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moore, was painfully injured last Friday evening when he fell against a stove. Four stitches were necessary to close a cut on his ear.

Good used dressers, oil stoves, cabinets, wardrobes, side boards, settees, davenport and duofolds, galore at CREATH'S.—advertising.

Louie Hatto left Tuesday night for Abilene where he goes to serve as a juror in the Federal court.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are inadequate to express our gratitude to each and all of you who came to us when we were called upon to give up our beloved husband and father. Your many acts of kindness, words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings were a source of great comfort to us. We trust that when your hour of sorrow comes that you may also be surrounded by such loyal and thoughtful friends.

Mrs. G. W. Lees, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lees and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lees and family, Chas. Ray Lees.

"Look twice and drive slow," is pretty good advice to drivers of automobiles in the business section of our city at this time. With the streets torn up it is not safe to take any chances by doing any fast or fancy driving.

L. E. Coleman this week was awarded the plumbing and wiring job on the Mrs. S. H. Hall home on South Scurry street. Mr. Coleman also has the contract for wiring the new Methodist church building.

Quite a number of representatives of oil companies are to be noted in our city these days.

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## Announcement Column

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24, 1926.

For County and District Clerk:  
**J. I. PRICHARD**

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
**FRANK HOUSE**  
(Re-election)  
**ANDREW J. MERRICK**  
**B. F. (Bud) MCKINNEY**

For County Judge:  
**H. R. DEBENPORT**  
(Re-election)  
**W. CARROLL BARNETT**

For Tax Assessor:  
**ANDERSON BAILEY**  
(Re-Election)  
**MRS. W. W. SATTERWHITE**

For County Treasurer:  
**E. G. TOWLER**  
**W. A. PRESCOTT**  
**D. F. PAINTER**  
**A. G. THROOP**  
**MISS ZOU HARDY**

For County Attorney, Howard Co.:  
**JAMES LITTLE**

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:  
**ALGEN A. BARNETT JR.**  
**LEM SMITH**  
**LEM STALLINGS**  
**J. W. CARPENTER**  
**SMITH M. MCKINNON**  
**ALBERT EDENS**  
**E. J. STOVALL**  
**JOHN ORY**  
**CHARLES C. NANCE**  
**A. T. LLOYD**

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:  
**O. C. BAYES**  
**A. H. BUGG**

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:  
**J. S. McCRIGHT**

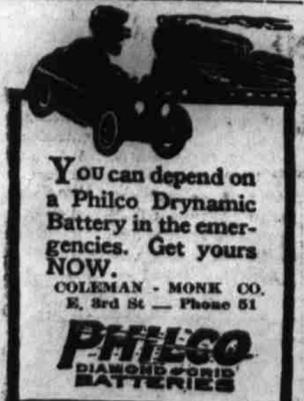
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:  
**G. H. PORCH**  
**J. O. ROSSER**

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:  
**WALTER COFFEE**  
**TOM HOLLER**  
**W. B. SNEED**

Candidate for Constable, Precinct 1:  
**W. B. DAY**

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:  
**K. G. BIRKHEAD**  
**FRANK LOVELESS**  
(Re-election)  
**H. C. REID**

GLASSCOCK COUNTY  
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
**W. L. LEMMONS**  
(Re-election)



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Herald Want Ads get results.

## AIR MAIL SERVICE STARTING

The postal department recently let the contract for carrying air mail between Fort Worth-Dallas and Chicago to the National Air Transport, of Chicago, and regular flights will start with this mail May 13th, mail leaving Fort Worth and Chicago in the mornings after the arrival of in bound mail trains, and arriving in both cities in ample time for mail to reach out of the city points by evening mail trains.

This will be particularly useful to interior Texas cities, in that mail from those cities arriving Fort Worth on morning mail trains will arrive Chicago that evening, and New York the following morning, reducing time of delivery approximately thirty-six hours.

This also applies to the intermediate cities of Oklahoma City, Wichita and Kansas City to a greater extent, in that north bound mail reaching these cities can be answered the day of arrival.

In addition to mail, these planes will also carry express, which should be a great assistance in filling rush orders for lighter class goods throughout the state.

The opening of this service marks a new epoch in transportation for Texas, and the cities of Fort Worth and Dallas have been required to make heavy guarantees to the transportation company to cover them against possible loss, so it is advisable that all make use of the air mail in order that the service may be continued after the guarantee period is past.

One of these Air Mail Carrying Transports has been named "Miss Fort Worth." In appreciation of this recognition, the City of Fort Worth has arranged a suitable program for the christening of this airship, and the ceremonies will occur Saturday afternoon, May 8, at 2 p. m. upon the Flying Field on the Decatur Road North of Fort Worth. This is the last day of International Boys Week and an attractive program, including the christening, at which Miss Mary Meacham, daughter of Mayor Meacham will officiate. Following which there will be a chorus of 500 girls ending with a Flying Circus lasting more than one hour, in which something like 50 plays will participate. Fort Worth citizenship through the various organizations cordially invite friends throughout West Texas to participate in these exercises.  
Porter A. Whaley, Manager.

## DRAWING AND WRITING EXHIBIT AT JUNIOR HI

An exhibit worthy of much favorable comment, was on display at the Junior High School the past week showing the work of the fifth, sixth and seventh grades of the Junior High School in writing and drawing. Mrs. J. L. Thomas, teacher of this work in the school arranged and directed this exhibit, which was artistically displayed in a large room on the east side of the building. The work of the pupils of the different grades was exhibited in the different subjects. Products maps in geography, health and fire prevention posters, pamphlets in reading, geography, and grammar were on display in attractive arrangement, and with artistically designed covers. These were on display with the regular work done in drawing. Different kinds of sketching, together with work in water colors of flowers and other kinds of pictures were portrayed by the pupils, in this work, showing their sense of proportion and of lines.

One of the most outstanding and significant features of the exhibit was the improvement made by the pupils in writing as shown by a sample of their writing at the beginning of school and as it is at the present time. At the beginning, some of the script is scarcely legible, and now the same person writes a smooth and even penmanship.

The remarkable improvement made by the pupils of these grades seem proof enough upon seeing it, that anyone and everyone can learn to write well. Mrs. Thomas, who has taught writing and drawing in the city schools of Dallas for sixteen years has supervised this work in the Junior High school the past two years, and a marked progress is evidenced in this time.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the Junior High served delicious refreshments to the many visitors who called on Thursday and Friday to see the display of this work. Quite a few mothers and fathers came to see the display on Friday evening, the room being opened for callers until about ten o'clock.

**GREAT SURPRISE FOR MOTHER**  
Mother would appreciate a nice cake on Mothers Day. Why not send one. Phone 142. The Home Bakery.

Mrs. B. O. Jones has been very ill for the past three weeks.

## RANCHES GET OIL ACTIVITY

Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, April 29.—Few better examples of the transition in activities taking place in the broad domain of the Old West under the stimulus of present-day business and the advance of science are found than in the march of the oil operator across Howard and adjoining counties. Cattle ranges of the old days are now sprouting oil well derricks and ranchers who once did business mostly in terms of cattle are now doing business in mineral leases and royalties as well. And many of them are turning great portions of their ranches into cultivated farm land. Great herds of cattle still roam the ranges, but these cattle are now blooded animals. The old Texas longhorn and the scrub steer are becoming as scarce today as barbed wire fences were in the days of the old range.

One of the leading Howard county ranchers, who by reason of the growth in oil activities in this section has leased considerable acreage of ranch land for oil prospecting, is Will P. Edwards of Big Spring. Mr. Edwards has one ranch, the O-4 Ranch, of 20,000 acres in Northwest Crane and Southeast Ector counties. This ranch lies north of the University of Texas land, on which the Church & Fields well, held by the Magnolia Petroleum Company, was brought in, the Church and Fields well being in the northeast part of Crane county. Mr. Edwards has leased ten sections of this ranch in Crane county to the Humble Oil and Refining Company, Simms Oil Company and Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company.

Of that portion of the ranch lying in Ector county he has leased twenty sections or more to the Sun Oil Company, Texas and Pacific Coal and Oil Company, Simms Oil Company and the Humble Oil and Refining Company. The lease to the Simms Oil Company carries a drilling contract, this operation, definite location for which is yet to be made, to be spudded in within the next ninety days.

Mr. Edwards has two other ranches also, the Lucien Wells ranch of 9,000 acres in Howard and Glasscock county and a ranch of 14,000 acres in Glasscock and Reagan counties.

In addition to his ranching activities, Mr. Edwards is engaged in the banking business, being vice president of the West Texas National Bank of Big Spring. He is also becoming a farmer of growing magnitude, now having about 2,500 acres of his Lucien Wells Ranch in cultivation. But he has by no means grown away from his favorite occupation of ranching and his cattle still feed on the grass-covered ranges. He has about 4,500 head at present and his cattle are of blooded stock. The sight of an oil well derrick and the noise of drilling machinery are becoming more and more common as the days go by, however, on the stretches that once knew only the grazing herd, the riding cowboy and the chuck wagon.—Dallas News.

## PRESBYTERIAN AUX. MEETING

The regular program meeting for the month of May will be held at the church Monday afternoon at three o'clock, with Mrs. W. C. Barnett in charge. All members are urged to attend.

Devotional—Mrs. Kennon.  
Texas—Where There is no Vision the People Perish.

Subject—General Review for Missions—Leader, Mrs. W. C. Barnett.  
Hymn 253, "Saviour Like a Shepherd."

Thirty years in a Secretary's Office—Mrs. J. B. Delbridge.

Story—"A Measely Trip."—Mrs. Sam Stinson.

One minute items from survey, by all members.  
Prayer that more natives be brought to Christ in all missions—Mrs. Owen.

A general view of the mission fields in China—Mrs. L. S. McDowell.

Daily vacation Bible school in Brazil—Mrs. W. R. Settles.

"Prayer Changes Things."  
Misphah.

Mrs. W. A. Morris of Stephenville has returned to spend the summer with her husband at Knott, Miss Mayle Dee did not return. She will attend summer school at John Tarleton college. We are glad to have Mrs. Morris back.

Dr. E. H. Happel returned Friday night from Wichita Falls, where he had been to attend the Dental Association, which was in session there the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Compton of Dallas arrived Wednesday morning for a several days visit with relatives and friends in this city.

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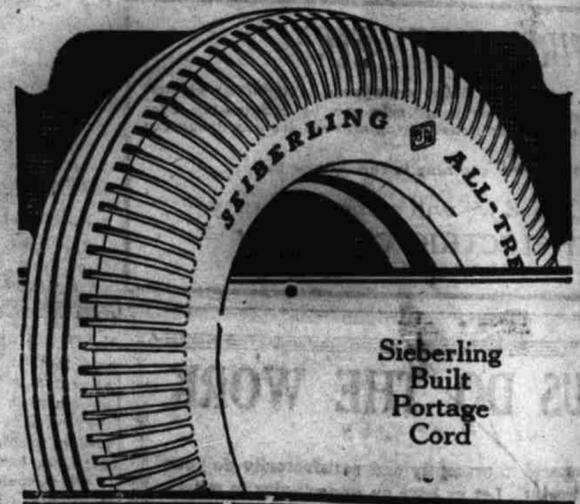
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## W. B. DAY FOR CONSTABLE

We are authorized to announce W. B. Day as a candidate for the office of Constable of Precinct 1 of Howard county. He announces subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 24, and his name appears in the announcement column of the Herald.

Mr. Day has been engaged in the ranching business in this section the past twelve years and is known to a great many of our folks. He is a dependable citizen, esteemed by those who know him and will perform the duties of the office in an efficient, fair and impartial manner. He is now a resident of the city of Big Spring and expects to meet most of the voters before election day and let them know he is in the race.

The voters will make no mistake in entrusting Mr. Day with this office, is the statement of those who know him and have had business dealings with him.

You are requested to give Mr. Day's candidacy due consideration in the primary election next July.

Due to a washout on the joint track west of Sierra Blanca last Monday night, Texas & Pacific passenger train No. 2 was sixteen hours and more late Tuesday.

Bert Crosno, manager of the piano department of the Rix Furniture & Undertaking Co., of Lubbock, spent several days in our city this week.

Tooth paste...A jar of cold cream...shaving utensils...We make it a point to please...Cunningham & Phillips.

## Poultry Wanted

When your Poultry is ready for the market we want it and will promise you a good market for it in any part of the country.

## PLANTS AND SEED

We have a very complete line of seeds and will ship them as they are ready to put out.

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GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

## EXPRESSION OF THANKS

To everyone who assisted in any way in making the May Festival a success we wish to extend our sincere thanks to you. All courtesies extended us were indeed appreciated.

May Festival Committee of City Federation.

Three big trucks with trailers attached are now being used to transport casing and other material from the L. S. McDowell ranch to this point for shipment by rail to Breckinridge.

## SENIORS WILL MEET

FINAL EXERCISES

Final examinations of the Senior class of the Senior High school will be held on Sunday, May 11. There are dates for graduation of whom will finish the summer school. The re-entrance sermon will be held on Sunday, May 16, and the commencement exercises will be held on May 21.

Read the display with...

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Get rid of That Tired, Run-Down Feeling. Build Yourself Up! Win Back Your Strength, Energy "Pep."

There are lots of people who drag around with that tired, run-down feeling because they have tried many treatments and failed to get results. They're discouraged and "blue"—and take the advice even of their family physician.

Use the people we want Dr. Thacher's help. We want them to get the best treatment in their own homes at our expense. For we know that Dr. Thacher has done in countless cases of indigestion, constipation, and impure blood, and the many "peps" of a torpid liver and stomach trouble. And we know that these sufferers will become our most enthusiastic patrons once they are convinced.

Use the Coupon Act at once, as this offer is limited. Start building yourself up today. Know what it means to enjoy and digest tasty food.

This Coupon is Good for One Sample Bottle of THACHER'S LIVER & BLOOD SYRUP. Read full details above, then act at once. Prove to yourself that you can feel at your best once again.

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Give them Bread—plenty of Bread.

Bread is any child's between-meals food. The more they eat of it, the sunnier they get.

### SALLY ANN BREAD

It's the big, delicious loaf made with lots of good, pure wheat and sugar and shortening. Just from its sweet, wholesome taste you can tell—it's all nourishment.

Ask your grocer. If he's on his job, he sells Sally Ann Bread.

Delivered to your Grocer fresh twice every day.

## HOME BAKERY

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**BURNER IN MASOONIC**  
AT DALLAS LAST WEEK  
Whom returned Monday from a week's stay in Dallas for the Spring work. The work were conferred ceremonies which lasted day until Friday night. Being at Dallas was attending a large class, who all over the state to take a degree in Masoury.

**National Bank**  
fine showing as by their state this issue. For and Service do Banking business The State National of Big Spring.

Mrs. A. L. Wooten returned part of the week from Dallas, where they had been the Dental Association.

**BIG SPRING ASSOCIATIONAL B. Y. P. U. CONFERENCE**  
Meets with the Fifth Sunday meeting at Knott, Texas, May 30, 1926, 3:00 p. m.  
Subject—The B. Y. P. U.  
Song Leader—Elizabeth Barton.  
Special Music—Bethel  
Devotional—Clarence Wood.  
Aim and Object of the B. Y. P. U. Coahoma.  
Purpose of the B. Y. P. U.—Lat Church, Big Spring.  
Special Music—Prairie View.  
Program—Midland.  
The B. Y. P. U. Standard and Mottoes—Est 3rd Street Church, Big Spring.  
Inspirational Talks.  
Business.  
Conference will Meet with Coahoma Union June 27, 1926.  
Program Committee.

Miss Stella Watson of Sweetwater visited her sister, Mrs. L. E. Coleman, and friends in this city the forepart of the week.

### FLOOD WATERS STRAND TRAIN

Flood waters coming down an arroyo from the Finlay Mountain section, as a result of the heavy downpour of rain Monday afternoon, washed out approaches to a bridge at Madden, leaving a mogul freight engine stranded on the bridge, according to William A. Roberts, Southern Pacific dispatcher.

It was 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon before a shoofoo could be constructed around the bridge to permit passage of any trains, and two days before trains can run over the main line and the bridge.

With torrents of water coming down the wide wash, the freight engine was creeping, feeling its way along, to see if the flood endangered structure could be negotiated. The flood was too much for the bed of the wash.

It began to weaken the approach to the bridge between the engine and the bulk of the train. The approach gave way, and being clogged with freight cars, forced the water around the other approach and washed it out, leaving the big engine stranded.

Equipment went out to the scene of the washout, and passengers were transferred from trains No. 7 and 103 to the emergency equipment and were brought to El Paso.

Texas & Pacific, which uses the line from here to Sierra Blanca, sent out equipment Monday night to get the Sunshine Special passengers and bring them into El Paso.

T. & P. Sunshine Special No. 2, due here at 7:25 a. m. Tuesday did not reach here until nearly midnight Tuesday.

Many of the winding and troublesome washes between Sierra Blanca and McNary, in the edge of the Rio Grande valley, would be eliminated it is stated, if the road went from Sierra Blanca direct to the valley at Fort Quitman.

### WILLIE DAWES MAKES UNUSUAL SPEED RECORD

Willie Dawes, popular student of the Big Spring High school and a member of the 1926 graduating class, was awarded a gold medal, with a pearl setting for having made an unusual record in typewriting this year. The medal was presented to him by A. B. Edwards, teacher in the Commercial department of the Big Spring High School, at a special assembly held at the High School on Monday morning. The medal was awarded by the Underwood Typewriter Company, and is given to the student for speed and accuracy in this work. Willie's record shows that he can write 70 net words per minute writing continuously for 15 minutes. This record has not been surpassed by any other high school student in the State, so far this year, according to the Underwood people.

Speed award emblems of silver were also presented to Howard Smith and Harry Rosser, who also made good showing in typewriting. They were able to write 50 net words, writing continuously for a period of 15 minutes.

A. B. Edwards, head of the commercial department, was also presented with a beautifully engraved solid gold pearl trimmed pin, in recognition of the superior work that has been done in his department. Supt. B. P. Bittle made the presentation speech and in a few words gave the splendid development of the commercial department under the supervision of Mr. Edwards. He stated that this department in the Big Spring High School is said to rank as sixth best in the State.

Winners in the Interscholastic contests at the district meet in Abilene, in April were given their awards at this special assembly also. Those receiving medals at this time were: Grace Hatchett, Third place in Essay contest; Rueben Williams and Wayne Cook, First place in debate; Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith, Third place in tennis; Marie Vick, Junior girls declamation, (second place); Letha Walling of Moore school, first place in Junior rural girls declamation.

### EXTRA LARGE HEN EGG

P. A. Pitman, who lives on the Settles ranch, fifteen miles south of Big Spring, brought to the Herald office on Saturday morning an extra large specimen of hen fruit. At first glance you judge it to be the fruit of an ostrich, but upon careful thought, you are lead to believe that it is probably a turkey egg. But Mr. Pitman says that a hen boasted of having done the work.

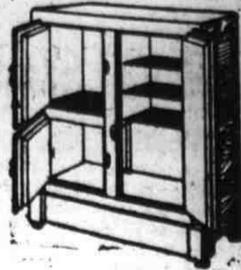
It measures 6 and 5-8 inches around the egg, and 7 1-2 inches lengthwise around the egg.

M. F. Burns of Midland visited the family of F. F. Gary the forepart of this week.

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### CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Bible class 10 a. m.

Preaching 11 a. m.

Communion service 12 o'clock.

Brother W. C. Smith preaches for us every Lord's day morning. We are glad to have Brother Smith do this for the church and hope that he continues with his good gospel sermons.

Ladies Bible study every Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Lesson subject, Lesson twelve, third period continued.

Our attendance was good last Tuesday. Let's make it even better this week.

A surprise picnic for the Kyle family was planned and carried out on short notice Wednesday at the City Water Works by members of the church.

We were sorry that we couldn't get all of the members word about this affair but it was utterly impossible on such short notice. We are very sorry indeed to lose the Kyle family from the church here, because they are good staunch church workers. We wish them well where ever they may go. This picnic was given as a farewell to this estimable family.

On Saturday evening, Mrs. Stovall's class of girls and Mr. Acuff's class of boys enjoyed a picnic.

### CARD OF THANKS

The officers and members of the Cemetery Association of Howard county wish to thank the good people who so ably assisted in making the Fat and Lean ball game a success. Due to your cooperation and good will, we took in as proceeds from the sale of tickets, \$267.25, clearing \$249.25 of this amount, which will be used for improvements at Mt. Olive cemetery. Especially do we want to thank the Fats and Leans who came out to practice and made up the team, the Home Economics Girls and Miss Werna Hargis for making the suits, the Booster Band for furnishing the music, the business men for closing the stores at 5:30, and everyone who sold tickets for the game. We appreciate your support.

The Cemetery Association.

Mrs. Glen Hancock of Wichita Falls left Monday for her home after a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lockhead and two sons of Hagerman, N. M., arrived Monday night for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. A. White and other relatives in this city.

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### SPECIAL

Special Mothers Day services will be held at the First Christian church Sunday, beginning with the Bible school. The Bible school will be conducted by mothers, and the pastor will preach a mothers sermon at the eleven o'clock service.

Special music has been arranged and we cordially invite you to be present.

There will also be special music at the night service. Remember Bible school begins at 9:45, morning service at 11, and night service at 8 o'clock. Go to church Sunday. Make First Christian your church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Russel returned the latter part of last week from Stephenville where they were summoned by the critical illness and death of Mrs. Russell's father, T. P. Markham.

Miss Frances Webb spent the week-end in Lenora with homefolks

### ROBT. STRIPLING PROMOTED

Robert Stripling, bookkeeper for the H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery Co. in Big Spring, has won a deserved promotion. He is made head bookkeeper of the wholesale house at Lubbock and is to leave Saturday for Lubbock to begin upon his duties. An increase of \$25 monthly in the salary goes with the position.

This advancement for Robert who is not yet nineteen years of age, is also a boost for the Big Spring Public school since his training was received in the Commercial Department of our schools. The statement is rightly made, that the Big Spring High School has the most complete and thorough commercial department of any public school in Texas.

B. F. Warren and two sons of Killeen are in this city visiting, the guests of his brother in law, M. L. Musgrove and family.

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Florida real estate is becoming so valuable, we understand, that north-bound tourists are being compelled to dust off their automobiles before crossing the State line. Columbus Dispatch.

The widening of First street from Runnels to Gregg street will be a big help since this street handles much more traffic than many other streets in the business section.

Thermos Jugs...Cunningham & Phillips.

### 'DIPS' IN HIGHWAYS WILL BE ELIMINATED BY COMMISSION

Austin, Texas, April 30.—Elimination of the "highway dips" used in place of culverts as passage over some streams has been ordered by the State Highway Department. Several years will be required before they are all taken out of the State highway system.

Fly killers... We have the spray to spray in your flies..... Cunningham & Phillips.

## Our Texas Girls

By Phoebe K. Warner

Throughout the entire nation this is Girls' Week. One of the very best signs of the future is that men are coming alive to their responsibility to the BOYS of this nation. Our fathers of this generation have discovered they can not rear their own son to the highest ideals of citizenship unless they help rear all the other boys in the neighborhood and the State.

A boy is a social animal and he is going to MIX. And if somebody older and wiser does not direct the mixture he will direct it himself. He will pick it up. We have all been rather slow reaching the conclusion that we can not rear our children alone in these days. It was different in father's and grandfather's day when there were not so many places to go and not so many ways to go there. And the whole nation is discovering if it would keep its boys and girls at home and keep them happy and contented there, something is going to have to be done to make the home community more interesting and attractive.

The Boy Scouts is one of the outcomes of this conclusion. The Girl Scouts is another outgrowth of it. And the Camp Fire Girls, and the Girls' Home Improvement clubs, the Boys' Better Live Stock clubs and all the different organizations that have come into existence in this new country. Not the least of which is the part athletics plays and the Interscholastic League.

It would be a good subject for any meeting this week in the interest of the Girls of America if someone would review the new movements that have been inaugurated in the last twenty-six years in the interest of boys and girls. It might take a lot of the pessimism out of you, and help you to get a clearer vision not only of the needs of the youth of today but what is actually being done and the effect it is having in the lives of our youth.

Suppose we take our own Texas girls. There is probably no more universally criticised group of Texans today than our girls. What's the matter with them? And what are YOU doing to help them? Now the most natural answer that is coming back to this question is "Why I am saving and sacrificing and working and worrying to train my daughter and to educate her but she don't seem to appreciate a thing I do." But are you a friend to your child? Are you your daughter's companion? Do you live with her or just for her? And most of all do you take a vital interest in her social life? Girls are social beings also. They love the group life. They can't be happy without it. What are you doing to help mold the ideals and the standards of the whole group of girls that your daughter associates with?

If you are too busy to plan good times for your daughter; if you can not do the things for her you would love to do, are you backing the other women who do give their time and brains and strength to the work? Is there a Camp Fire organization in your community? Is there a Girls' Scout organization in your community? Is there a Girls' Club in your school district sponsored by a live Home Demonstration Agent? Please listen to this. Mothers and Fathers of Texas: A good home demonstrator will be worth more to the girls of your county in molding their home ideals and teaching them how to realize their ideals and how to work together to make their home life and their community life more interesting than all the taxes she will ever cost you if she did not do a thing but work with your girls. A good home demonstrator will find ways and make ways for your girls to make money that will help them realize their dreams of life.

Why are you an unhappy, grouchy discontented man or woman? Is it not more than anything else because you have not been able to realize the dreams and the ambitions of your life? You'd be a wonderful fellow or a most charming woman if so many things had not gotten in the way of your life's ambitions. How about daughter? Are we going to start her out in life by dwarfing her ambitions? Some of us are, and others are dwarfing her by heaping everything on daughter and saving nothing for ourselves. Most of us need a common sense balance wheel in our brain.

There are in Texas at this time about 700,000 girls of school age. How many of them have been in school this entire year? Are we educating our Texas girls for the homes they are soon to establish? It is estimated that 85 per cent of our girls marry and establish a home before they are 25 years of age. The other 15 per cent enter the professions or engage in some kind of service. Of this 700,000 Texas girls of school age, 223,000 of them were

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of high school age this year. A quarter-million high school girls in Texas. Wouldn't that be the loveliest sight in the State if we could get them all together some day? But— Of our 223,000 Texas girls who are entitled to a full high school education and should be in high school only 56,000 Texas girls were in any high school this past school year. Where were the other 167,000 Texas high school girls in 1925-1926? Why were they not in high schools? What were they doing in these most important training days of their lives? Whose business is it to see that these girls get their natural State Rights, the right to eleven years of public school training? It was the Governor of Mississippi who said: "The thing we need to do as citizens is to talk less about our State Rights and more about our State Duties."

There is enough in this one fact relative to our high school girls to keep us all busy for a week in the interest of our girls. And if as a State we would only solve the high school problem of our girls that would eliminate many more unpleasant problems. Among them the problem of delinquency, the problem of child marriage, and child labor and its consequences.

There is one organization in America that has for its goal a High School Education for every girl in the Nation. And that organization is the Business and Professional Women's Federation. Let's make it the goal of every organization, the General Federation of Women's

Clubs, the D. A. R.'s, the Y. W. O. A., the home demonstration work, and the school itself. Let's build our schools to fit the needs of a girl's life and then make a way to keep her there until she is fit for life and all it demands. And let us all try to remember that a girl's physical, mental, social and spiritual life are all so closely related that you can not help one without helping the other or harm one without harming the other. And let the goal of all our work for Texas girls be a well balanced development for an all-round life. We need more all-round girls in Texas.

### YOUNG PEOPLE SPEND SUNDAY IN BIG SPRING

On last Sunday the following Lamesa Young people attended church at the First Baptist church at Big Spring at the morning service after which they motored out to Moss Spring and ate dinner.

Misses Louise Knight, Flora Laramore, Era Grimes, Francis Hellums, Mary Dell Butler and Mesary Mat McCall, J. Tall Richardson, and all report a pleasant trip a good sermon and a fine dinner. Lamesa Reporter.

L. S. Patterson of this city and J. S. McCright and R. V. Guthrie of Coahoma are in Abilene serving at Grand Jurors in Federal Court.

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The Indians have taken the warpath again.  
 A grim host of 2500 Navajos, stripped bare with the exception of tight skin caps, breech cloths and moccasins, their lean bodies blackened with the charcoal from lightning struck trees, charged across the hot floor of the Painted Desert on lean Navajo ponies.

Shrill, blood chilling cries escaped the thin lips of the riders as they swept onward, paying scant attention to their saddleless horses and occupying themselves almost wholly with their tough hide shields, long spears and bows and arrows.

Forgotten was the fact that the Navajos gave up war forever nearly sixty years ago; forgotten was the fact that they were reproducing a battle against the whites in order that motion picture cameras might capture the scene to be used with hundreds of the other scenes that go to make up the Paramount screen version of Zane Grey's epic of the American Indian, "The Vanishing American," coming to the R. and R. Lyric theater next Monday and Tuesday, May 10 and 11.

"It's a thrill I won't forget and one I don't want repeated," said Lois Wilson, who witnessed the scene from a position alongside the cameras. "It did not seem to me that among those horrifying black riders were any of the easy going, almost gentle silversmiths with whom I had traded only the afternoon before.

"They seemed to me to have been kindled with a flaming passion to crush and kill. Their black eyes were afire and I felt sure the spirit of their warrior forefathers had been awakened in them. I don't think anyone can doubt my sincerity when I say I was relieved at the close of those scenes."

After this particular battle sequence had been completed in the course of five days, a huge barbecue and field meet was staged with the red warriors as the honored guests and good will prevailed on all sides. Later the same warriors took part with several thousand other Navajo men, women and children in other scenes of "The Vanishing American."

The filming of this picture kept a company of 500 white people on the Navajo reservation in Arizona over a period of four months.  
 Featured with Miss Wilson in the principal roles of the production, Zane Grey's greatest production, are Richard Dix, Noah Beery and Malcolm McGregor. Lucien Hubbard adapted the story for the screen; Ethel Cooherty wrote the continuity and George B. Seitz, who made "Wild Horse Mesa," directed.

**MR. DEPEW ADVISES**

Chauncey M. Depew arrives at the eminence of 92 years in time to make a few observations on life and living. Due to the popular fallacy that because a man attains unusual old age he can prescribe a course whereby others can do likewise, a fallacy blood sister to that which attributes to a successful business man the prescience required to point out the way to business success to others, the world regularly on his birthday demands of Mr. Depew a formula for virile old age. Nothing loth, he gives a new one every year. Mr. Depew always loved his little joke, a characteristic which made him one of the most enduring if not the most sparkling after-dinner speaker in the history of this commonwealth, which is very little longer than that of Mr. Depew himself.  
 Having reached 92 Friday, Mr. Depew, at the behest of the assiduous reporters, listed in order of their importance the prerequisites for attaining the nonagenarian estate. The first was, moderation in all things. The second was "keep in the middle of the road," which makes the adoration doubly impressive. Others were to eat proper foods, marry young and be an optimist. Simple prescriptions all, but sometimes hard to fill.

Obeying instructions, anyone, barring the chances of living and hereditary limitations, might easily attain old age. Not every man can live to look back on 92 years of life; neither can every man attain the eminence otherwise which Mr. Depew has attained. Since old age and the kind of fame Mr. Depew possesses accompany each other in the case of perhaps only one man in a million, the inducement is not so great for those who savor a regimen somewhat more exciting than that which he prescribes. It's not such good fun to give up everything to attain old age and then find that one is famous only for superannuatedness.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

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**NEWS IN WEST TEXAS**

West Texas C. of C.  
 Work wrecking the church has started preparation for making new imposing \$40,000 Episcopal structure to be...  
 The College Officials of Texas State Teachers College, that about \$850,000...  
 To date 43 bands papers agreeing to participate in the 5th annual band...  
 The Memphis Gold announces that it will Panhandle District...  
 Two new oil wells edge of the new Dun...  
 Merchants of Carbon...  
 Soundings are on the site for Mineral...  
 The Crosby County...  
 Application of the...  
 West Texas...  
 These little pesky ants...  
 Irvin Arnold of St. Louis was a visitor in Big Spring Monday.

white ways may at any time be obtained from the head office of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Stamford — Officials of the Texas Transcontinental Trail recently met here and let a contract for 40,000 booklets describing the newly named highway between Texas and New Mexico.

Vernon — The Vernon Chamber of Commerce is making plans for a trade trip into Oklahoma, the party to leave this city on May 26.

Ranger — Dallas interests announce the construction of a new 100-foot front business house here on West Main Street, to be occupied by two new business institutions.

Silverton — What is believed to be the first hog nursery in the entire Southwest has been located here, for the purpose of supplying selected gilts to West Texas farmers.

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Official List  
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 When citizens have work done by a "bootlegger" Plumber, or an Unlicensed and Non-bonded mechanic, you cannot obtain a permit for sewer connection and you are liable to have to disconnect, or obtain a special permit from the City Council direct upon payment of a special fee extra, in the sum of \$5.00 for special investigation.

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 Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. M. H. Morrison, Superintendent.  
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**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
 Corner Main and Fifth Street  
 R. L. OWEN, Pastor  
 Phone 369  
 Services each Sabbath, except the third.  
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship 11 o'clock.  
 Evening worship 8 o'clock.  
 Mid-week service, 8 p. m. Wed.  
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 W. C. HINDS, Pastor  
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 Phone 343  
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 Epworth League, 7 p. m.  
 Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
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"NOTHING can take the place of Thedford's Black-Draught with us because we have never found anything at once so mild and so effective," says Mrs. Hugh Nichols, R. F. D. 4, Princeton, Ky. "When the children have spells of indigestion and upset stomachs, I always straighten them out with a dose or two of Black-Draught."

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There is a rumor going the rounds that L. W. Baldwin, president of the Missouri-Pacific Ry. system is to be made president of the Texas and Pacific Ry. Anyway the Missouri-Pacific is due to outline the future policies of the T. & P.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Talbot and son returned last Wednesday from Corpus Christi for a visit with relatives and friends in this city. They will leave sometime this week end for Dallas, where they will visit until the first of June.

Opey the impulse. Get that paint brush and get busy. . . . We have the material. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

Rev. Bishop E. Cecil Seaman and Rev. F. H. Stedman left Tuesday morning for Barstow.

## TRANSCONTINENTAL TEST ON ROBERTS RANCH, IN HOWARD

Big Spring, Howard Co., Texas, May 3.—On the ranch of Mrs. Dora Roberts in the southeastern part of Howard county, the Transcontinental Oil Company is drilling its first test in this particular section of the state. The company holds 4,666 acres of the Roberts ranch under lease. The test, known as the Dora Roberts No. 1, is located in the center of section 100, block 29, W. & N. W. survey.

Rigging up on this test was begun Jan. 17 of this year and the drill is now down around 2000 feet. The Roberts test is not the only West Texas operation of the Transcontinental, however, the company having two tests under way in Crockett county to the south. It has just finished a dry hole in Pecos county. Indications are that the Transcontinental contemplates considerable work along the Pecos river in Pecos and Crockett counties. It holds thousands of acres along the river in those counties, the territory over which its holdings lay being twenty to thirty miles long.

The Roberts ranch on which the company is drilling in Southeastern Howard county is the property of Mrs. Dora Roberts of Big Spring, widow of John Roberts, who was one of the pioneer cattlemen of this section. The Roberts ranch, lying in Southern Howard county and running across into Glasscock county to the south, comprises about thirty sections. Mrs. Roberts is well known in Texas for her philanthropy toward education, being one of the first contributors to Southern Methodist University of Dallas to which she gave \$25,000.

Operations of the Transcontinental in this area are under the supervision of Superintendent L. J. McMillen, whose headquarters are at Ranger. Mr. McMillen's experience with the Transcontinental includes service in the Desdemona, Caddo and old Leera fields. He was a recent visitor to the Howard county operation on the Roberts ranch. —Dallas News.

## WHO COULD GIVE A PIANO TO THE MEXICAN MISSION

Two of the churches in Big Spring are backing this work, but I raise the question if the Mexican people do not furnish an opportunity as well as a responsibility for every Christian in our community.

They are here partly in response to our call for labor, and they need what we can do for them, no less than we need what they can do for us.

They love beauty and music. They are kind hearted and appreciative, yet most of them are poorer than we dream—too poor even to take advantage of the public school we furnish—where our people are willing for them to attend it. But this note is to acquaint you with an educated Mexican man, a college graduate and the mission pastor, who has come to make his home here, and to help his people in every way possible.

He can play well and could give music lessons to the Mexican children if he had the use of a piano. Such an instrument would also be a wonderful asset to the mission, the Mexican orchestra and the whole Mexican population, for church services, entertainments, etc. But the people who pay the other expenses, cannot buy a piano, perhaps for years.

So this is to tell you all of a great opportunity for some one who has a piano that is not in use. Weigh the good it could do in the mission, and the happiness it would give to hundreds, against the good it is doing closed and covered, and see if you would not like to donate it to the former use.

If you can afford to do such a beautiful deed, if you want to make an investment that will lay up compound interest for you in heaven, as long as the world stands, just call up 65 and let it be known.

This is not an official appeal. It is merely a personal statement of a fascinating opportunity made by one who loves the cause and is in close touch with its situation. If I should die of joy or sheer gratitude for the gift perhaps some one else could be found to take over and deliver the piano. Mrs. S. H. Morrison.

## WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

A change in the regular program of the Wednesday Luncheon Club was in order this week, wherein members were not compelled to listen to oratory but were treated to fine music—vocal and instrumental.

Miss Elizabeth Barton, vocalist; Miss Mary Wade, accompanist; Willie Dawes, vocalist, high school pupils, were the entertainers and the numbers were certainly enjoyed.

At the close of the program the committee to arrange for conveyances for the trip to Ackerly on Thursday May 13, was announced.

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## MOTHERS' DAY, MAY 13



## MOTHER

"Amid the doubts that often come One thought stands boldly clear: There's one true Soul in all the world It is my Mother Dear"

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Silk, all way up

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The best shades for your use and they wear and wear and wear. Gotham Gold Stripe sheer silk hose are solving the hose problem for more women and misses every day.

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Silk all way up . . . \$1.95

Carefully selected in these desirable shades—

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| Wild Rose   | Bran      |
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| Moon Light  | Sea Spray |
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Also in Onyx Pointex very fine silk chiffon hose reasonably priced . . . \$2.75

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Children's hose colorful or plain silk and Hale, half and three-quarter length

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Vanities—French sets, panties and vests—Tailored or interestingly trimmed dainty lace.

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All in above colors.

Silk Crepe Nighties—Their light fine texture is most pleasing. The lavishly applied lace is extraordinary \$6.50 to \$8.50

Silk Crepe Chemise—Lace inserting and trimming express their true charm. Two-tone straps add to their attractiveness at . . . \$5.95 to \$7.50

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## GIVE MOTHER SOMETHING USEFUL TO WEAR

## BROTHER OF MRS. J. C. HURT BURNED TO DEATH, APRIL 28

The many friends of Mrs. J. C. Hurt deeply sympathize with her in the death of her brother, Virgil Cross, aged 41 years on April 28, at Northville, Mich. Virgil, and three companions, occupying a bachelor's apartment lost their lives when the apartment was destroyed by fire. It is thought that an exploding stove caused the fire, and that the leaking gas may have rendered the occupants unconscious before the explosion.

## DELIVERS BACCALAUREATE SERMON AT ACKERLY

J. M. Manuel, general secretary of the Big Spring Y. M. C. A., delivered the Baccalaureate sermon to the members of the graduating class of the Ackerly public school last Sunday morning.

The services were held in the handsome new brick school building at Ackerly and a large number were present on this occasion.

## PIANO PUPILS WILL APPEAR IN RECITAL

Miss Elsie Willis will present sixteen of her music pupils in recital on Tuesday evening, May 11, at 8 o'clock, at the First Christian church. A delightful program of piano solos, duets, and a piano trio, has been arranged and also several special numbers.

The public is cordially invited to attend this recital.

## A CAKE FOR MOTHERS DAY

What could be nicer than a big fine cake for Mothers Day. Just phone 142. The Home Bakery.

Hayden Griffith spent several days in Lubbock last week.

## JINGLE ADS

Magazines make a pleasing gift. So, to celebrate "Mother's Day," Examine the varied collection You'll find in the Biles array.

On "Mother's Day," to give her joy. Why not free her from annoy? Let L. E. Coleman install a stove. And thus your sure affection prove.

A well-stocked pantry for "Mother's Day." No pleasure could exceed; And all you need to fill the shelves, is a tip to Pool and Reed.

Cunningham & Phillips Have "the gift" for "Mother's Day." Boxes of lovely candy. To present on the 9th of May.

## SCHOOL PLAY AT MOORE MAY 13

A play entitled, "The Old Fashioned Mother" will be presented at the Moore school house on Thursday night, May 13. The pupils of the school will be assisted by a few grown-ups in the presentation of this fine play. The entertainment will start about 8 p. m. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

## HERE TO RECEIVE 2500 STEER YEARLINGS

O. F. Jones of Amarillo arrived Wednesday to receive 2500 steer yearlings he recently purchased from Tom Good. The yearlings which are on Mr. Good's ranch in Dawson county are to be shipped to Dalhart today. They are being loaded at Lamasa.

Louis Skelley returned Wednesday from Marshall where he had been under treatment at the T. & P. Hospital for a week.

## Remember "Dad's" Mothers Day

And this is the very best of our Big Spring Insurance Co. Can show you the way.

Increase your insurance. On "Mother's Day" Stucco the house, or Jim Winslow can make new! The old house by his side. Phone 306.

Friends in this city of announcements of the birth of Billie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ineson, who arrived home on May 3, 1918. Young daughter weighs 8 pounds.

ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL NINE POUNDS

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express thanks to our friends who were so kind and generous during the long illness of our baby. May God's richest blessing be upon you all. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. H.

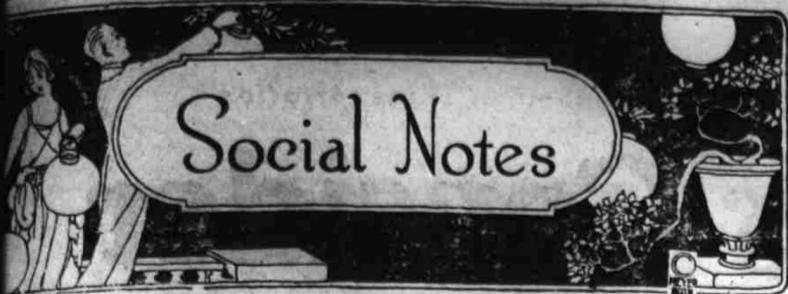
Born to Elmo H. H. 13 pound boy on May 3, 1918. He has a "pach" and two girls. Grandfather, T. G. H. and his James E. H.

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By T. E. Jordan



## Social Notes

### ACKLE-WIESEN

Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Moreland Place on Tuesday evening, the ceremony was performed in marriage Miss Wiesen to Mr. Albert Killoff, North Dakota. The ceremony was beautiful with ferns, palms, pot plants and flowers. At the end of the ceremony the room was formed an empty, amid the flowers stood tall lighted candles, tall cathedral candles throughout the home with the soft rose shaded light. A beautiful setting. Mrs. W. Day, accompanied by Mrs. Graves, sang "The Rose Tree" immediately following the strains of Lohengrin march, played by the piano, accompanied by Mr. Cochran on the violin; on the long stairway was Edmonson, bridesmaid gorgette over green with red hat and accessories to be carried a shower bouquet. Then came Miss the maid of honor, gown beautiful white gorgette hat of pink and accessories. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas. She entered alone. She was in a Lanvin gown of flesh georgette over flesh with silver trimmings, a large Cecile model of red with fine silver lace. She wore of black satin stone buckles, and flesh carried a beautiful real orchid, which was carried by her wedding 20. Her bouquet was of red and yellow lilies. They sat at the altar by the best girl Edell Seal of Olney, and room. The beautiful ring was read by Dr. J. K. The ceremony an informal was held. The bride wore a three-tiered wedding gown. The table was covered with an exquisite white lace cloth. Sweet cake and tall candles on each corner of the cake was cut by the bride and served to the guests by the mother of the bride. Mrs. Mae Wiesen, cousin of the bride, presided at the punch table. The bride's bouquet was carried by Miss Annie Mae Wiesen. She was going away suit was blue and white. The orchestra furnished music for the reception. The bride and groom were received by the groom's parents, wearing black and white. The groom wore a tuxedo with corsage of Mrs. J. Campbell in gorgette with corsage of Mrs. Hennessy gowned in gorgette over yellow and white. The bride wore a blue and white velvet with white sweet peas. The bride and groom went on a short wedding trip. Mr. Gackle will be temporarily in Olney, where Mr. Gackle and in a number of oil wells. The guests were Mrs. Stewart and Mr. True, Mrs. Hennessy, John and Edell Seal of Olney, Mrs. Peters of San Antonio, the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Handley, and daughter of Handley, L. F. Gress and R. M. Gress, Mrs. R. J. Campbell of Kingsville, sister of the bride, Mrs. Arch Langhead of La. The bride of this city decorated her wedding cake—a rosebud design was carried.

### TIN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

April showers did not keep away the jolly crowd that assembled at the Presbyterian Manse on Wednesday evening to celebrate with Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Owen their tenth wedding anniversary. While they attended the Wednesday evening services at the church, busy preparations were being made in their home for a surprise party, that is a tin shower in honor of their tin anniversary, which was presided over by Mrs. O. Dubberly and Mrs. C. C. Hinds. The bridal party had been previously arranged, and they were the ones who took charge of the surprised couple upon their return from church. R. C. Strain was best man, and he took care of the frustrated parson, while the maid of honor, Mrs. W. C. Barnett, cared for the winsome and blushing bride of ten years ago. Each one carried an arm bouquet of yellow roses. The flower girl, Mrs. J. O. Tamsitt, scattered rose petals in the path of the bride, and the ringbearer, T. S. Currie, carried the antique ivory ring in the heart of a rose. Preceding the entrance of the wedding party, Mrs. Delbridge sang, accompanied by Miss Elza Jeanette Barnett, who also played the bridal chorus from Lohengrin. The bride and groom of ten years met at the altar, and with Mrs. W. F. Cushing as mistress of ceremonies, the couple was questioned to see if they had kept their vows of married bliss. Answering correctly, and truthfully each question, the ring was placed on the hand of the bride by the groom, and a silver loving cup was presented to the faithful couple for their ten years of wedded loyalty. Congratulations and viewing the shower of useful gifts was then in order. The cutting of the wedding cake by the bride and her guests was another pleasure to this occasion. Toasts were given by J. O. Tamsitt "To the Bride," and by C. W. Cunningham "To the Bridegroom." Delicious fruit punch was served by Mrs. R. C. Strain, Mrs. E. L. Barwick and Mrs. T. S. Currie. To still add to the surprise of the evening, a beautifully wrapped package was presented to T. S. Currie, who happened to be two score and then some years old on this day. Best wishes and many happy returns of the day was also extended to him. This brought this happy affair to a close, which was declared by the pastor and his wife to be one of the most delightful and happiest occasions ever held in their honor in these ten years.

### MISS ANDRE WALKER ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Richly colored spring flowers, such as flags, larkspur, roses and honeysuckle, lent their floral charm to the artistic and attractive rooms of the Walker home last week, when Miss Andree Walker entertained friends at bridge. Miss Walker was hostess to five tables of players on Wednesday afternoon, and in this environment of rare beauty, the guests played a series of interesting bridge games. Hand painted table markers, score pads and tallies were found on the tables, with clusters of blossoms carrying out the springtime note, painted thereon. Mrs. G. B. Cunningham was the lucky winner of high score on Wednesday afternoon. A delectable one course luncheon was served to the twenty guests. Again on Thursday afternoon Miss Walker entertained four tables of bridge enthusiasts. In this same pretty setting, the daintily appointed tables were arranged, and in the play the honor of high score was won by Mrs. M. H. Bennett. At the tea hour, an attractive refreshment plate holding pear salad, chicken salad sandwiches, sweet pickles, iced tea and spiced raisins was served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. A. C. Walker.

### WINS SCHOLASTIC HONORS

It is with great pride and pleasure we read of the progress made in Bowling Green, Ky., by a former Big Spring girl, Miss Olivia Kirby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Kirby, who will graduate from Junior College this June with the honor of being awarded a Life Certificate from Western Kentucky State Teachers College of Bowling Green. Miss Olivia is class treasurer of the sophomores, a class of over 300 members. She will resume her studies in the fall, taking her A. B. degree in two more years. In the music department Miss Olivia has also made quite a mark. She has studied voice under the capable direction of Miss Lenora Wilson and Mr. Franz Strahm, and is becoming one of the leading soloists of Bowling Green, being the youngest paid soloist in the city. She sings for the Christian Science church. Recently when the Latin Club gave a program at chapel, Miss Kirby sang "My Old Kentucky Home" in Latin. It was quite a feat, and she had many compliments upon her rendition of the old favorite.

### TROUT-HARLAND

On last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the ceremony was performed by Justice of Peace Maupin which united in marriage Miss Bernice Harland and Mr. Gomer Trout. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harland of Knott who have made their home in Howard county for the past fifteen years. Bernice is a sweet and lovable character and will make a true helpmate for the man she has chosen as her companion. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Trout of Knott who came here last spring from Oklahoma and is a most noble young man of sterling worth. After the ceremony the happy couple motored to Colorado, accompanied by the bride's sister, Miss Mildred Harland, Willie Witt and Mrs. Lowry Reynolds. The bride and groom will make their home at Knott among their many friends who wish them a long happy wedded life.

### THURSDAY ROOK CLUB ENTERTAINED BY MRS. PURSER

A color theme of pink and green, in very delicate shades was prettily employed in the party details on last Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. F. M. Purser was hostess to the members of the Thursday Rook club entertaining four tables of players. Dainty appointments were found at each table, where the guests were seated for the afternoon play. Mrs. H. F. Williamson was the lucky winner of high score among the club members, and Mrs. Roy Miller was winner of visitors high score. An unusually attractive two course luncheon followed the play; in which the chosen color scheme was featured. Candy baskets were given as party favors.

### NOTICE

Young calves for sale. See Mr. Joe B.

### MEXICANS CELEBRATE THEIR INDEPENDENCE

The Mexican population of this county celebrated their Independence Day, El Cinco Del Mayo, with a patriotic program followed by a dance in the Blue Cross Hall on Wednesday evening. The program consisted of talks, pantomimes, and music by the Mexican orchestra. Several hundred Mexicans attended this celebration. A dance followed the rendition of the progra.

### ENTRE NOUS MEMBERS GUESTS OF MRS. EDWARDS

Because of bereavement in the homes of some of the members of the club, the Entre Nous club, has not met regularly for the past several weeks, but on Thursday afternoon the club members met in the home of Mrs. A. B. Edwards with two tables of players contesting in the bridge games for high score. Mrs. E. H. Happel was winner of the top score among the club members and Mrs. Shine Phillips won high score for the visitors. A two course luncheon was an added pleasure to the play. The club is meeting this afternoon (Thursday) with Mrs. J. D. Oashear at Stanton.

### DEDICATORY SERVICES OF EPISCOPAL PARISH HOUSE

Dedicatory services of the new Episcopal Parish House, which has been recently completed were held at the Parish House on Monday evening, May 3. The Rt. Rev. E. Cecil Seaman of Amarillo, Bishop of the Northwest District of Texas, conducted the services, and dedicated the handsome stucco building, to the usefulness and service of the community. Beautiful floral decorations lent their beauty to the new Parish House with roses, poppies, sweet William and honeysuckle massed in vases and bowls and placed at every vantage point. The guests were received by Mrs. J. D. Biles, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church. Others in the receiving line were Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Stedman, Bishop E. Cecil Seaman and W. R. Dawes. Bishop Seaman led in the community singing, which was a group of songs that will always be favorites of the young and old. Following the hymn, sung by members of the choir of all the churches in the city, were the prayers of consecration, and a short address by the Bishop. Reverend Seaman gave the uses of a Parish House in any community, stating its primary purpose is to serve as a meeting place for religious education, where it can be carried on seven days a week. The young people of the community come together here during the week in groups and pack boxes for missionaries, or do other kinds of social service work, that put into practice what is learned in the lesson at church school on Sunday. League Programs are held in the Parish house, the Woman's Auxiliary meet here for group study, and according to Bishop Seaman, a Parish House is just as necessary in a city as a church. The camp for young people to be held at Christoval from July 5 to 13, was also discussed by Bishop Seaman, who outlined the program that is to be carried on for young people between the ages of 14 and 25. There will be three study periods each day, and a special time for helpful recreation. All of the young people of the church are urged to attend if possible. The punch table which was presided over by Miss Elsie Willis carried out a decorative scheme featuring the rainbow colors. Misses Helen Hayden, Olive Ruth Bird and Florence Van Gelder, assisted in serving. The pastors of the different churches in the city attended the dedicatory services, and many of their congregations. Over one hundred guests called thruout the evening.

### MAY FESTIVAL WITNESSED BY LARGE GATHERING

Between two and three hundred people witnessed the parade and May Festival which was held on the courthouse lawn Saturday evening, as a climax to Better Home Week. About two hundred school children participated in delightful numbers consisting of May pole dances, other dances and drills, which were spectacular and beautiful, made so by attractive costuming, and artistic planning. In the late hours of the afternoon, the Queen of the May, Miss Elizabeth Barton, was crowned by Mayor Clyde E. Thomas, and the group of royal entertainers paid homage to her majesty, before participating in the various numbers. The Queen was beautifully gowned in white, and her attendants, likewise were lovely in gowns of rainbow shades. The Big Spring Booster Band furnished music on this occasion, and the Boy Scouts ably assisted in handling the crowd, and lent their efforts wherever they were needed, true to the spirit of the Boy Scouts of America. "MOTHER'S DAY" PROGRAM GIVEN BY SUSAN WESLEYS The approach of "Mother's Day," suggested the theme carried out in the program given at the monthly social meeting of the Susana Wesley Sunday school class of the Methodist church, which was held at the Y. M. C. A. On Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Greaves, Mrs. King and Mrs. Herring hostesses. "Mother Machree" was beautifully sung by Mrs. G. F. Reynolds, followed by an interesting paper "Mother," prepared by Mrs. Rogers. Mrs. W. C. Hinds read a paper on "Susana Wesley as a Mother," which was a delight to every guest. Mrs. H. F. Williamson drew the mysterious packages, which contained a pair of hand painted slipper trees, and a shoe horn. Contests and games followed the program and continued until the refreshment hour. Delicious ice cream and cake was served by the hostesses.

### MRS. HIGGS FAVORED US WITH A READING

Mrs. Higgs favored us with a reading and Mrs. Hatch took us back to our childhood days when she read. Mrs. Maupin served delicious refreshments, and we adjourned to meet one month hence. So mote it be. DALLAS NEWS TELLS ABOUT BIG SPRING On page ten of the Dallas Morning News of Wednesday, May 6 under the heading "Big Spring Scene Reflect Agricultural Growth" appears five photographic scenes. The following reading matter gives the interesting data of our section. Although in a section of the State where activities in the past have been confined largely to cattle raising, Big Spring and Howard County are showing increasing evidences of the strengthening hold of agriculture. Part of Howard County is of rough, semi-mountainous topography, illustrated by one of the scenes in the group of photographs above, unfitted for extensive farming, but the larger part of the county, the northern, western and southwestern sections, is of fine farm land which is being cultivated in increasing measure. United States agricultural experiment station is located at Big Spring, being in its eleventh crop year. Blooded Herefords are found in large numbers on the ranches of the county that still flourish, but are combining soil cultivation with cattle raising. The Big Spring folks indeed appreciate the great amount of favorable publicity the Dallas News has given our section. FREAKISH EGGS The hens throughout Howard county must be carrying on some kind of a contest, that we natives know nothing about, judging from a few of the specimens of freakish hen fruit that has been brought into our office this week. All of the eggs are unusually large and odd in shape. We have on our desk now an egg laid by a hen on the Schwarzenbach farm, that measures four inches in length. We also have another one, brought into the office by Mrs. J. M. Coleman, which measures 9 1-2 inches by 8 1-2 inches. Elsewhere in this issue we have given you the dimensions of an unusually large hen egg brought into this office by Mr. Pitman. Naturally we conclude that the hens in Howard county are trying to put something over on us, either that or they want to show our new C. of C. secretary what they can do, since he seems interested in the poultry business. A. M. FISHER LEAVES FOR NEW YORK MARKETS Albert M. Fisher of the A. M. Fisher Co., of this city left this morning for an extended buying trip in New York City. Due to recent style developments, this store found it necessary to have their buyer visit the market personally to select their late spring and summer ready-to-wear and millinery. Albert M. Fisher is one of the two merchants west of Fort Worth to visit the New York markets at this season of the year. Mr. Fisher will select a full line of apparel for mllady, giving much attention to frocks for sports, afternoon and evening wear. The New York market offers many buying advantages both as to style and price. MORE FINE RAINS APPEAR The arrival of a rain is no longer news in this section of West Texas. We had from light showers to regular gully washers thruout our county Tuesday and Wednesday. These showers on top of the good rains last week are certainly putting our farming land in ideal shape for making big crops. Few had completed planting before the rainy season set in so every bright day is going to be a busy one until planting has been finished. The best prospect for a bumper crop ever known is the verdict to be heard on all sides this week. MONDAY IS SOCIAL SERVICE DAY FOR METHODIST AUX. The regular social service meeting of the Methodist Auxiliary will be held in the Rest Room of the court house at three o'clock. Every member of the Auxiliary is urged to be present. Lee Walton and family of Midway spent Sunday in this city visiting Bert Fields and family.

**AN ANTIDOTE FOR CRIME**

By Adolph Lewisohn

The prisoners of today were children or young people twenty years ago. The prisoners of twenty years hence are now children or young people in our midst. Are we not at least partly to blame for our negligence or inability to help these children or young people by giving them the right opportunity and surroundings? Is it the fault entirely of men in prison that they went wrong? Are not the prisoners only the unfortunate consequence of our neglect or incompetence? It is self-evident that all the people who are going to be put into prison within the next ten or twenty years or more must now be living and are the children or young people of the present day. There must naturally be a very large number of children or young people or people of middle age now in the community who will go into prisons during the next ten or twenty years. The prisoners of today were part of the general population before they were sent to prison. In childhood they could have been criminals, but many have become such either through circumstances, or their surroundings, or faulty treatment, and we are all in a way at fault in that we have not been able to influence these children and young people to follow the straight path. The blame cannot entirely be laid on the prisoners who have lacked the right opportunity and who have had to live in the wrong surroundings. Are we not in part to blame if we neglect or fail to bring up the children or young people so that at most only a small number will have to go to prison later on?

While I think the reports about the crime situation are somewhat overrated, I agree that the condition is a very serious one, and ought to be at least partly remedied as soon as possible if it cannot be entirely corrected. We must concentrate for the present particularly on the serious crimes, like theft, robbery, murder, etc.

The automobile is one of the principal accessories to the crime wave, but as the automobile has come to stay, means have to be devised by which to counteract its menace so far as crime is concerned. The easy procurement of firearms, guns, pistols, etc., is also responsible for many of the crimes of violence. If it could be made more difficult for robbers and thieves to own or procure firearms, it would be very desirable, but the difficulty is that such restriction is apt to result in the law abiding public being prevented from having them for defense while the criminal will somehow or other manage to procure them.

As an immediate remedy for the crime wave there seems to be only one course to pursue. The authorities or those in charge, should be of the highest type, only interested in the welfare of the public, making it understood to everybody, particularly to the underworld or those that are likely to be employed in criminal pursuits that the authorities are active and able to detect crime wherever it may be perpetrated and to detect it quickly, that the machinery is there to stop it, to arrest the criminals and to have them tried quickly, so that the criminally inclined will feel that there is very little chance of their escaping detection and practically no possibility of their evading punishment either by money power or politics or the cleverness of lawyers, etc., but that they will be surely and quickly arrested and tried; in other words that swift and sure justice will be administered and that no effort or expense will be spared to carry this out. In time it will be less costly to the community than slow detection and delayed prosecution of criminals. A good many criminals then will refrain from criminal acts and find it more advisable and profitable to make their living in an honest way.

**Renew Your Health by Purification**

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health. Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package, containing full directions. (Adv.) 35 cts. At any drug store.

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

**BARNUM SAID IT**

Barnum said, "The American people like to be humbugged." It has also come to the notice of several health departments that there are men travelling around thru the country claiming to be specialists on diseases of the eye, usually claiming to be professors in some medical college. They pretend to find some trouble with your eyes, or if there is some real trouble, they claim to be able to cure it, charging fabulous prices for medicine or glasses. They then depart and never come back. The patient is no better and often worse. Some time ago I saw a wagon filled with packages of medicine called "home medicine." The vendors were selling a year's supply of medicine for \$10; various concoctions recommended to cure almost every disease that flesh is heir to. The people who bought this medi-

cine would use it something like this:

A child would be taken sick with sore throat—they would look thru their supply and find one recommended for sore throat. The child would probably get worse until a day or so the family would find that the remedy was doing no good, then they would send for the doctor, and he would find that it was a case of diphtheria, and too late to do any good.

I saw a circular a few days ago, boasting a cure for tuberculosis, diphtheria, asthma, colds, pneumonia and skin diseases—all cured by one kind of medicine at \$5 for enough to last for 60 days. Of course, they never expected anyone to get but one bottle. The circular stated that if the medicine did not cure the diseases mentioned, you had something else.

Stick to your family doctor; get

his advise about medical matters.—Dr. Register in The Progressive Farmer.

**NOTICE**

I am in the plumbing business. I need no introduction to the old timers here for I have done plumbing work in Big Spring and West Texas for over 20 years and for 15 years before coming to this section. I do my own work and am here to stay. H. T. Lane, the Plumber, the man that can save you money. Phone 55.

**DIAMONDS**

A wonderful new stock just arrived at Wilke's brought direct from the cutters; thus we save you the middleman's profit. Sixty-two to select from. 30 ct

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**AMERICAN LEGION JULY FOURTH CELEBRATION**

The members of the Big Spring Post of the American Legion have definitely decided to stage their annual July 4 celebration this year on a bigger scale and are now at work on making the necessary plans and preparations.

A Rodeo will be the big attraction around which the rest of the program will be arranged. The preliminary contests will be staged Saturday, July 3, with the main event to be held Monday, July 5.

Baseball games will be staged Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The big platform dance will be held Saturday and Monday nights. Rabbit races and other interesting features will be added to the program this year.

As in the past a big free barbecue will be served to all visitors on Monday. Ten beehives have already been

donated for this feed. As in years past, the visitors from all portions of Texas are expected to participate in this jubilee.

**MULES and HORSES**

We keep one to two and good horses all day and crop season. This feed, ready for work. teams see us, at Lammie C. Billingsley & Son, phone

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Angelo. Sunday from a

Frank Hodnett reported rain at his farm in the vicinity last Tuesday

# Sell The World!

Written by "Bing" Hooper

## THE PRIZES

- Ladies' Gold Ring Diamond Set, from Wilke, Jeweler, value..... \$12.50
- Damen De Luxe Portraits from Bradshaw Studio, value..... 12.00
- Diamond of La Tausca Pearls, from Fox Jewelry and Drug Co., value..... 10.00
- Diamond Del Monte Pearls, Sterling Silver Clasp, value..... 6.00

### COMPETITION

There are several things that make this grocery stand out. It is the store that features the Del Monte brand of canned and package goods. Whenever you get anything with Del Monte on it you always know you are safe—it is better to be safe than sorry. They are high class goods throughout. The whole line. The store's reputation for furnishing the best in the fresh meat line has long since been established. Hand-rolled prime roasts, fresh fish from the water and fresh killed poultry is what you get at this market. Exclusive sale in Chapman's Best flour is also a trade puller for this store. Give the name and also the name of their leading brand of coffee.

Who hasn't heard of Dunlop automobile tires? The Dunlop tires have no superior and few rivals in real value for the money invested. The garage that sells these tires is also agent for the Willard battery—the old reliable—now better than ever. The success of automobilizing depends on a good battery. You can get with a bum liver but you can't get very far with a bum battery. These people also maintain a tire repair shop with expert workmen. They will grease or wash your car and take care of its mechanical needs. You can rent a Ford here at a reasonable price and let the other fellow worry about the upkeep. What is the name and the name of the proprietors? What radio receivers do they sell?

Here is a candy store and ice cream parlor that has grown rapidly in popularity since it has been under the present management. Their candies are always fresh and pure and the ice cream they serve is most delicious. A nice soda fountain is constantly oozing out its cool and refreshing drinks. When your tooth aches for something sweet or when the state of temperature in your interior department demands a palliative, this confectionery is the proper place to visit. It commands the best trade of the city just because it carries the very best goods—and is no use saying that people do not appreciate quality. Only for another building it would be on Third Street. What is the name and what chocolates do they sell?

'Tis not painted wood nor polished stone, but hearts and furniture that make the home. You should realize that you have to live with your furniture just the same as you have to live with your husband. This sketch refers to a store that is known as "The home of quality and low prices." They carry everything the heart could desire in home furnishings and will sell it as reasonable as anyone this side of Grand Rapids. They look after every detail of house furnishings—rugs, linoleums, range and all. All you have to do is to get the girl. Home of the Sellers Kitchen cabinet. What is the name? What is the price of the Sellers Special Cabinet?

The cash system eliminates costly bookkeeping and gets rid of all bad debts. Small profits and a quick turnover "brings home the bacon" for this modern grocery and market. With this advantage they are in a position to sell goods at a much lower price than the old style grocery. All you have to do is to compare prices and you will find these conditions prevail. This store handles nothing but quality goods. Economical buyers are making this their shopping center when it comes to groceries, meats and produce. The configuration on the inside is very different. What is the name. How long has it been established in the city?

Here we give note to a popular eating establishment. It is a good place to get your breakfast and it is just as good for your dinner and supper. Their meals and short orders never fail to please the most fastidious. It is a well established cafe, well known for its good service which is prompt and satisfactory from every standpoint. You will enjoy the benefit of their long experience as caterers. Once you try this Cafe you are sure to become a member of the "Comeback Club." Electric waffles and good coffee every morning. Chicken dinner every Sunday. Has a long counter and plenty of tables—marble topped. Right on the Highway. What is the name?

Do you own the land you think you own? This is a question of weight with all land owners. And here we introduce a company of title experts who have for years been compiling the records of real estate in this county and is thoroughly familiar with the records. They issue abstracts on short notice. They put up an abstract of the records and are trustworthy and reliable. Their long experience and careful methods insure accuracy. They will save you errors and prevent litigation in times to come. Over a mil-

lion dollars loans now rest on the reliability of this company. The name advertises the city. We will ask you readers to give the name and also the location.

endured him to the people of Big Spring and vicinity. It is, indeed, comforting in these sad times, to have the services of such an institution. With modern equipment he is able to attend to every detail of funeral service. Carries a complete line of undertaking supplies. Day and night service. Tel. 200. What is the name? Where located?

18 When you are thinking of buying that new automobile think of that grand old car that has the horse power and is sold at a moderate price. Think of the hills and the pulling power of its motor. Think of the crowded street with its maze of traffic—and then of the motor's flexibility. Think of the times you will want a couple of extra passengers—and then of the car's seating capacity. Think of the car that offers power, size and quality and you will think of Studebaker. They think of the company that sells them in this city. What is the name. How long has the Studebaker Institution been manufacturing vehicles?

19 Whatever you may need in the way of building materials or paints can be supplied by this lumber store. Whether you plan to build a mansion or a garage, a gigantic barn or a small poultry house, this yard will furnish you a free plan service. And the quality of the service corresponds with the high quality of the materials. They have all kinds of materials and there is no better place in the state to buy it. They buy the best, therefore sell the best. They carry everything in the way of building material—from a canvas tack to a house complete. What is the name and what celebrated line of paints do they sell?

20 When you are wondering who keeps it, what is the name of the store that comes to mind so readily? This store carries a big line of dry goods and furnishings, chinaware, hardware, notions, stationery, holiday goods the year around, candy, fancy goods and novelties in endless variety. There is no other place in town where you can get so much for a little thin dime. It is one of the places you should go occasionally just to look whether you wish to buy or not. Name begins with the very first letter of the alphabet. What is the name? What line do they feature?

21 Texas people are buying a lot of automobiles and this agency proposes to sell their share of them. These people know the automobile business and have chosen the cars with the names that stand back of them—Willys-Knight and Overland. The Overland has a record of a trip from San Francisco to New York, a distance of 4,402 miles on only 126 1-2 gallons of gasoline. In the larger car the Willys-Knight is surpassed by none for power, comfort and class. We will ask you readers of The Herald to give the name of the garage that sells these cars and also to state the new price of the Overland touring car f. o. b. factory.

22 We will ask you readers to give the name of the store where you are always sure of getting "just what the doctor ordered." It is a drug store where prescriptions are put up by a master hand that takes pride in the efficiency that comes from proper schooling and long experience. Sells sundries, stationery, toilet goods and sporting goods. Has a fine fountain and is a model of cleanliness throughout. They are likewise just as keen on jewelry. Carry an excellent line of jewelry, diamonds, watches, clocks, silverware and novelties. You will find expert service in the watch repair and jewelry department. What is the name? What line of nationally known remedies and sundries do they sell?

23 Where is the "house of a thousand bargains" in this city? It is the one place where you can bunch all those little notions, along with other goods and buy them at a price that will save more money in your purse and save you more steps than if you had gone the rounds. The stock is so varied at this store that one likes to go occasionally just to look whether they wish to buy or not. They have household articles, novelties, notions and toys of every description. The manager seems to have gone the limit this year in stocking up to meet the demands of the trade. The red front next to the corner. What is the name and when established?

24 Speaking of better homes let us call your attention to the planners in this line. It is a lumber yard that has encouraged home building since the early days. And building since the early days, town by the way home building is town building. The name of this yard has always stood for the best in lumber and building materials. The man who wants to build and calls at this yard will receive every courtesy and assistance possible. Whether your bill be large or small this concern is always glad to figure with you. They are acquainted with the lumber market from many angles and are therefore in a position to give real service. These people carry a line of builders hardware, windmills, with complete stock of pipe and pipe fittings. What is the name and when established?

For information regarding the special price on Portage tires see ad on another page in this issue of The Herald by the Auto Supply Co.

AS USUAL WE WILL HAVE THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF IMPORTED TOILET GOODS THIS SUMMER. Look in the leading papers and then come here and ask for it. Cunningham & Phillips.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—800 bushels of Mebane cottonseed for sale, \$1.25 per bushel. Write or see Vernon Campbell, Big Spring, Texas, Sterling City route. 33-2td

### OIL MAPS

Ownership maps of oil field in Mitchell and Howard counties. These maps show the oil wells. Address W. E. CARRIKE, Big Spring, Texas.

### FARM

480 acres, 4 1-2 miles west of Knott. Sandy loam, catclaw land, 75 acres in cultivation, small house, good well stock water, fenced and cross fenced. Will sell in quarter sections. A bargain. Terms to suit purchaser. Address B. F. WILLS, Van Horn, Texas 6tf

### FOR SALE

I have 20 head of good mules, are broken, for sale. Harness to go with them. See Joe B. Neel. 24tn

### FOR SALE

Land located three miles south of the City of Big Spring, Texas. One hundred and sixty acres, part of the southeast half of survey No. thirteen, will sell in forty acre blocks. One hundred acres in the southwest part of survey number eighteen. About ninety acres of survey No. thirteen joining the water wells of the city with a good well drilled on same. Fine place for a home and small irrigation plant. Write for prices and terms. C. L. ALDERMAN, 313 North Walton Street, Dallas, Texas. 304t

### FOR SALE

A five room house, with bath, hall and front and back porch. Also has garage. Located at 709 Scurry St. Apply to Mrs. Jno. Clarke, 206 Scurry St., or phone 443. 33-3f

### WORTH THE MONEY

This extra nice 5-room house, east front on corner and two 50-foot lots, good location, \$3200 will buy it. \$500 cash, good terms on balance. Two nice level east front lots in east part of town. Take both lots for \$150. Cash or terms. Can sell you close in residences for small cash payment and balance like rent. Bargains don't last long. Quick action will pay—buy your home now. D. F. PAINTER Realty and Insurance 33-12

### FOR SALE

Fordson tractor, just overhauled, runs like new. Also 3 disc plows. Will take team good work mules and some cash. Might let buyer have 100 acres of land which I have rented if he will buy plow tools and pay a little for crop. Also have 1925 Overland car for sale or trade for truck or team. See S. A. Ashley, 201 Goliad St. 323p

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms for rent. Lights, water, and a good garage. Call at 401 Bell St. or phone 55. 33tf

HOUSE FOR RENT—909 East 4th St., to couple without children. See Mrs. W. H. Mood at Mrs. C. L. Cairns, 400 Benton St. 1tp

FOR RENT—A modern five-room residence at 709 Scurry St. Phone 443 or see Mrs. Jno. Clarke. 1t

### ROOMS

3 bedrooms for rent, at 409 Gregg street, Phone 313. 21tf

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished apartments. Phone 325 or 321. 28-1f

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms to rent, with garage. Phone 258. 28-1f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call at 901 Jack Street. 22tf

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 215 or call at 511 W. Fourth St. 24-1f

FOR RENT—Two-room furnished apartment for light housekeeping. Call at 200 Nolan St., and see Mrs. Delbridge upstairs, or phone 140. 24-1f

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bath and garage. Apply at 802 Jack St. 31tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished south rooms for rent. Use of water, lights and telephone. If interested phone 577. 31tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments. Apply at 800 Johnson street or phone 375 or 321. 29 tf

### WANTED

WANTED—An agent to represent the Lillynit line of lingerie and underwear in Howard county. Pleasant and profitable work amongst your friends and neighbors. Apply to S. Sackett, district manager, box 525, Sweetwater, Texas.

CATTLE WANTED—I will buy anything in the cattle line that will sell. Will buy from 1 to 1000 head. Write word at the West Texas National Bank or see me. DEE PRICE, Phone 633, Big Spring, Texas. 52-1f

CLEAN RAGS—I desire to purchase clean rags—will pay 10 cents per pound. W. W. Crenshaw. 21tf

I have grass to pasture 175 head of cattle. PHILIP THOMPSON, Sterling City, Texas. 10-1f

WANTED—To buy two young calves. Call 9005 F-24. 1tpd

WANTED—Get pay every day. Distribute 150 daily products to established users. Extracts, soaps, food products, etc. World's largest company will back you with surprising plan. Write the J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. M-3, 62-70 West Iowa street, Memphis, Tenn. 30-4tp

### MISCELLANEOUS

THE BANKHEAD Market sells good meat and will hereafter make deliveries every morning. Phone your order before 10 a. m. Phone No. 489. 311f

NOTICE—I am making trips to the Nueces valley winter garden district of Dimmit county, where they grow all kinds of vegetables and fruits, including citrus fruit—oranges, grapes, lemons, figs and many others. If you care to go, see me. I am with one of the largest land companies in San Antonio. They have the land on the best of terms. S. A. Ashley, 201 Goliad street, Big Spring, Texas. 30 4tp

EVERLASTING MONUMENTS—Marble or granite. See Mrs. Elizabeth Bean, 305 W. 6th St., Big Spring, Texas. 1tpd

### LOST

REWARD—A pin stripe, black coat was lost somewhere in Big Spring last Sunday, with letters and lease contract in pockets. Finder return to Herald office. 1t-

### STAR PARASITE REMOVER

Grows to flourish in your drinking water and food will kill them off all blood sucking ticks, mites, fleas, lice, chiggers, and all parasitic worms and parasites. It is also a wonderful poultry tonic. Blood purifier, health builder, and egg producer. It cures loss of appetite, constipation, indigestion, and other health building ingredients. Known remedy for preventing disease. Tremendous in cheaper than cure. Keep your flock free of mites and unsanitary worms and their eggs in good condition through the winter and you will get good hatching and strong chicks in the spring. A remedy for the winter and spring. Write for free literature. Give a 2-cent stamp or one cent if you prefer.

For sale by BILES DRUG STORE

### BIG SPRING CITY PAVING

Sealed proposals addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Big Spring, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Clerk up to 9 o'clock a. m. on the 22nd day of May, 1926, for furnishing all material, labor and machinery for construction of certain street improvements in the city of Big Spring, Texas. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable without recourse to the Hon. H. R. Debenport, Judge of Howard County, as a guarantee that they will enter into a contract within ten days from notice of award to him. Proposals shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, marked "Bids for paving and other improvements in the city of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas." Instructions to bidders: Proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file with the County Clerk, Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. Bids are requested for construction of approximately 3,500 square yards of the following types of pavements: 2 1-2-inch fiber brick on 5-inch concrete base, 2-inch Uvalde rock asphalt on 5-inch concrete base, 2-inch Warrenite bitulithic asphalt on 5-inch base, 2-inch asphaltic concrete pavement on 5-inch concrete base, 6-inch Portland cement concrete pavement. Approximately 1,300 lineal feet combined curb and gutter. Separate bids will be considered for the construction of combined curb and gutter. This work represents one-third of the pavement around the Court House Block, Big Spring, Texas. The county's part will be paid in cash. H. R. DEBENPORT, County Judge. 33-3t.

### SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to an order issued by the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, at its regular term on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1926, notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1926, in each and every voting precinct of Howard County, Texas, and at the regular places of holding elections therein, for the purpose of determining whether or not there shall be annually levied, assessed and collected throughout the whole of Howard county, each year, a road tax of fifteen cents on One Hundred Dollars worth of all property within said Howard county, Texas, under the Provisions of the Amendment of 1889 to the Constitution of the State of Texas, adopted in 1890, and the Judges heretofore appointed by said court to hold elections during the years 1925 and 1926 are hereby appointed to hold such election. Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th day of April, A. D. 1926. H. R. DEBENPORT, Judge of the County Court of Howard County, Texas. 30-4t.

Little chickens... (Feathered kind) ...Don't sprinkle louse powder on them... Come in and we will tell you about it. Cunningham & Phillips.

A. C. Larmon after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Larmon, left Thursday of last week for his home at Los Angeles, Calif.

Alarm clocks... Its easier to leave the bed if you are mad at an alarm clock. Cunningham & Phillips.

Even if you don't think you're a world beater, go out and do a little horn-tootin' occasionally.

Herald want ads get results.

# FIRE SALE!

CHEAPER, AND STILL CHEAPER PRICES

Lots of everything in Groceries and Hardware from enormous stock of S. A. Hathcock, recently damaged by fire. Now is your opportunity to buy guaranteed merchandise at prices UNDER Wholesale COST

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- No. 2 Tomatoes, handpacked..... 6c
- Carnation Milk, small..... 4c
- No. 2 Blackberries, regular 20c, our price, 2 for..... 25c
- No. 2 Food King Hominy, per can..... 5c
- Gallon Red Velva Syrup..... 49c
- 1-4 lb. Schillings Tea..... 19c
- 9-inch Cotton Chopping Hoes..... 79c
- Axe Handles..... 40c
- Fruit Jars, quarts, only..... 69c doz.
- Heavy Hames, per pair..... \$1.19
- 5 gallon earthenware jugs..... \$1.25
- 2 gallon earthenware crocks..... 35c

Posthole diggers, wire stretchers and lots of aluminum, chinaware and earthenware.

**A Money Back Guarantee on Every Item**

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## MOTHERS DAY MAY 9

SEE OUR LINE OF CARDS AND TOKENS FOR THIS--  
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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

## LOTS OF LOTS! LOTS OF LOTS!

Go where everybody is going, out on the South Heights. Buy while you can get choice lots; build when convenient; cash or terms.

A fine business location on East Third Street; priced to sell. 2 1-2 lots on Jack street, level corner; priced \$500, \$50 cash, balance \$15 per month.

A few houses to trade in on farms and plenty of raw land on which I can take houses as part pay.

PHONE 449

**Rube S. Martin**

We have sold twenty five hundred pounds of seed corn this spring and have more left yet besides other seed. P. & F. CO.

## The Awful Clown

By CLARISSA MACKIE

(Copyright.)

"MARRY Tom Wasson?" repeated Mrs. Vane in a scandalized voice, "my dear Caroline, why, the man is a boor."

Caroline blushed hotly. "Mother! Tom is a gentleman born and bred. You know as well as I do, my dear, that he is not the drawing-room type."

"I don't want to marry a drawing-room type—I want a real manly husband—besides we never expect to have a drawing-room."

"Probably not," said the older woman serenely. "A flat I suppose."

"What I want, mother, is a small house in the country with a room that we can call a 'parlor,' yet live in it all the time."

"Tom is far from poor, mother—you know we are not rich ourselves."

"Rich—my child, we are facing ruin!" declared Mrs. Vane.

Caroline paled. "Really?" she faltered.

"Really and truly," asserted her mother; "you know your Uncle Frederick advised me to sell those City Water bonds and buy something he was handling—well, I did it!"

"And—lost?" asked Caroline.

"Every cent. Unless you can arrange to love where money is, the place will have to be sold!" finished Mrs. Vane.

Caroline stood there pale and rigid. She knew what her mother meant by her last remark. Unless Caroline married Oscar Mumford, they would be ruined—the home lost. Ever since Mr. Vane's death a year ago, his widow had made one foolish investment after another. Fred Vane, her brother, was her chosen advisor.

Oscar Mumford! Dark, plump, olive-skinned, a rich widower with grown children.

"Of course, you mean Oscar Mumford," said Caroline at last.

"It would save everything," said her mother.

"And you do not approve of Tom—he has some money."

"It would make me nervous to have him around."

"It is because he is such a big man, mother. Out of doors he seems the most active, graceful of them all. Being clumsy seems such a little thing—beside love."

Mrs. Vane hesitated. She really liked Tom Wasson, had always liked him, but lately she had lost so much money, and had been so obsessed by worry that her judgment was warped.

"Here comes Tom now—I will tell him," said Caroline dearly.

"I hope he won't sit in the remaining Sheraton chair—your great aunt Marcia would be discouraged if she could see what has happened to the chairs she left me," sighed Mrs. Vane.

"Well, Mrs. Vane, how do you do?" boomed Tom's big voice as he shook hands with her.

"Not very well, Tom," was the answer, and it was the truth. She was heart sick.

"Is Caroline at home?" he asked as he sat down—in the remaining Sheraton chair.

"Oh!" screamed Mrs. Vane. "For!" growled Tom.

Caroline stood in the door, breathlessly watching her lover plucking himself out of the remains of the treasured chair.

"There, you've broken all of them; I hope you're satisfied," sobbed Mrs. Vane, suddenly breaking down.

"Confound it all, I am sorry, Mrs. Vane—I know you think I am an awful clown. Say something, Caroline!" he turned to the girl who was looking down at the chair. She advanced a daintily shod foot and turned over the stuffed seat that had separated from the legs.

"What is that?" she demanded pointing to a piece of blue paper that protruded from the lining of the chair.

Mrs. Vane dried her eyes, and looked interested. Aunt Marcia had been given to wrapping her possessions in bright blue tissue paper and her heirs had found all sorts of valuables secreted in odd places about her old house.

"Tom, my dear," she said pathetically, "please bring the seat here. Caroline, child, don't look so woe-begone. I have been thinking it over and I have come to the conclusion that you might as well marry Tom and we will all be poor together."

"Poor? Who is poor? I'm not with twenty thousand a year! Why, I'll be richer still, when I marry Caroline and have a real mother of my own—never had one—mother's been dead so long," he finished bashfully.

"Dear boy," whispered Mrs. Vane, kissing him. Caroline was smiling now. With her hand in Tom's she watched her mother snipping away at the seat lining.

"More hidden treasure?" asked Tom.

Mrs. Vane pulled out blue tissue paper, and then a little box. Inside the box was a brooch containing hair from the long defunct head of Aunt Marcia's first husband.

Tom wanted to laugh, and the effort to check it brought the tears to his eyes.

"Well, mother, shall I buy the house from you, or can I finance things to tide you over until things are better?"

"Please, Tom, buy it—and let me have the seat wing for myself," said Mrs. Vane, with a son and daughter on either side of her. "I never had a real son before."

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### CITY FEDERATION NOTES

The regular May meeting of the City Federation was held in the Rest Room last Tuesday, Mrs. Freeman, president, presiding. Interesting reports were made by several of the standing committees. The Civic committee reported that complaints had been made concerning certain very objectionable conditions in the city. A committee was instructed to see the proper authorities and after an investigation, steps may be taken to remedy the condition.

The Carnival committee, composed of Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Gary and Mrs. Cunningham, are working on the June Carnival, and hope to have the best and biggest yet. The Federation was most happy to have three delegates from the South Ward P. T. A. present and feels that in them and in the body they represent a number of splendid workers have been gained.

Mrs. J. I. McDowell, delegate to the 6th District convention made her report. She said that it was one of the most largely attended meetings ever held in the district, and that Cicco entertained beautifully and lavishly, that the program was a most interesting one. She went into some detail as to reports which contained suggestions that might be useful in the local work. Some of these will be considered and may bear fruit later. She told of Big Spring's invitation for the next district convention being put over as best she, with Mrs. Stedman's assistance could do, that the seven telegrams from the Mayor, the C. of C., the Pastor's Association, the City Federation, the Hyperion club, the Delphian Chapter, and the 20th Century Mothers club, were all read and were the best messages of their kind ever sent. But in spite of all these things, Ozona won the next meeting by a small majority. It won on the plea of being a small town which needed the aid of the club women, and the fact that the district had favored the towns on the T. & P. for most of its conventions. But the invitation, the telegrams, etc, put Big Spring more forcibly on the map, than before, as was proven by the many pleasing comments made later concerning our city and its invitation. The president of the district had made a personal visit to Big Spring to arrange for an exhibit of some of Mr. Caylor's pictures. Those were a very popular and unusual convention feature and came in for much favorable comment.

The Federation gave a rising vote of appreciation to its president, Mrs. L. L. Freeman for the successful Better Homes Week just completed.

This is a national movement, and is first time it has ever been observed in Big Spring. The City Federation was glad to work with its president, Mrs. Freeman, who had been appointed chairman by Sec. Hoover, who is the head of the movement. Mrs. Freeman's splendid plans and strenuous efforts resulted in a most creditable week's program. The Pastors of the town preached on better homes or called attention to the work from the pulpits on Sunday. The merchants had very fine window displays of household goods. Some modern new apartments were open for inspection. Electrical appliances and other demonstrations were in order at some of the establishments. The exhibits at Junior High were excellent and increased our just pride in our schools, as did also the Domestic Science department with its beautiful work bearing on Better Homes.

The closing and crowning feature was the May Day celebration on the courthouse lawn on Saturday, which was known as Child Welfare day. It was a charming scene and one worthy an artist's brush, the beautiful girls in picturesque costumes and colorful setting, and the tiny tots and the gay May poles, all were most attractive. The band added much to the entertainment. A large crowd gathered to witness this May day Pete which would have been a credit to any city. A week's program composed of so many beautiful features can hardly be described individually. But perhaps special mention might be made of the window in the hardware department of the J. & W. Fisher store where a green lawn and a miniature lake were displayed, also implements for keeping the lawn and a poster reading Better Laws for Better Homes. Then the Wheel Dance by the Mexican pupils from North Ward was very attractive and relates to the work of Americanization for which the Federation of clubs has a special committee. To Miss Jens Jordan chairman of the fete much credit is due. The City Federation would express its gratitude to the ministers for their interest, to the merchants who so willingly decorated their windows and displayed posters, to those who put on demonstrations, to those whose homes were open for inspection, to the Junior High and the Domestic Science department and to all who helped in any way to make the week a successful Better Homes Week. Appreciation is also expressed to the teachers who so heartily cooperated and worked for the beautiful May day exercises, Mrs. Eb Hatch and the Rainbow girls included, and the Band, to the Boy

Scouts who assisted in keeping on the grounds. It is pleasant to observe this again next make it an occasion long remembered.

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### Lost—A Yellow Mongrel

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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"CONFOUND you, quit sniffing at my heels!" The young man turned crossly on the shaggy nondescript creature which had followed him for several blocks.

Dixon Blaine had troubles of his own—or thought he had—and didn't feel like wasting his time on dogs but he had a soft heart and there was something about the animal which reminded him of that pampered creature belonging to the girl of his dreams and by her so petted and made so much of as to arouse envy in his breast.

So he picked up the dog and walked on, becoming once more absorbed in the all-important question—how was he going to make the acquaintance of Betty Lou?

Oh, yes, he had discovered her name by careful circuitous inquiry, but he had been quite unable to unearth anywhere that boon to young men in his condition—an eligible mutual acquaintance. Living in the same block, he and Betty Lou shared the same salesman, paper boy and grocer.

Still possessed of the dog, he turned in at his sister's house and, not finding that lady in, proceeded to rummage the toolbox for the refuge. Then he wandered out to the veranda and found the evening paper.

Ordinarily he read the sporting page first and ultimately wound up with the editorials but tonight he was halted in the middle of the advertisements by an insert in the Lost and Found column.

"Lost—A yellow mongrel, answers to the name of Rags. Finder please return to Miss Betty Lou Collins, 57 Cox avenue."

"Gosh!" exclaimed Dixon, thoughtfully. "Gosh!" Then, "Rags!" he fairly shouted and the animal quivered and lifted one inquiring eyelid.

"The gods are with me!" chuckled Dixon. "Come on, you blonde beast." He snatched up the dog and hurried out of the gate. Presently, a bit breathless, he was ringing the Collins' doorbell.

"Oh!" Betty Lou in person had opened the door. Betty Lou, piquantly pretty and considerably frustrated.

"I—I saw your advertisement in the paper, Miss Collins, and having just found the dog, I thought—you see, I tried the name on him and he responded and—"

"Yes, indeed," said Betty Lou, "I understand. Thank you so much." She hesitated, then came swiftly out to the couch hammock, reached out her arms for the dog, and nodded towards a rocker. "Tell me all about it," she begged.

What could the young man do but sit down and plunge into detail? Something told him that the more he talked the more he could gaze at Betty Lou. And for a man who had for months been longing to meet her, this was too good an opportunity to be lightly passed up.

All might have been well had not a middle-aged man turned in at the gate. Considering that it was Betty Lou's father come home to supper, he could not have been expected to remain away, but for a moment events took an embarrassing turn.

Dixon had risen at once. "I had the privilege of finding your daughter's dog," he explained pleasantly.

"Oh, yes," said the gentleman. "A great nuisance, too. Chewed my slippers and—why—"

Dixon, following his glance, saw, to his surprise, that Betty Lou, very red of face, seemed to be attempting to conceal the dog behind her and the couch hammock back.

"That isn't our dog," declared her father testily. "Don't you know your own dog, Betty?"

At that moment a voice issued from the kitchen where presumably Betty Lou's mother was getting supper, unaware of significant happenings on her veranda. "Oh, Betty Lou! That old tramp dog of yours is back again in the yard!"

Silence reigned for several minutes. Then, as Betty Lou's father, with rather an odd expression upon his face, passed indoors, Betty Lou held out the object under discussion. "Perhaps he isn't ours," she said in a meek little voice. "There is a resemblance, and you said he answered to his name!"

"I'm afraid," said Dixon slowly, "that it's all my fault. You see, I know it wasn't your dog, but—" he floundered and then continued, pleadingly: "I have wanted to know you for so long and didn't know anyone to introduce us and—well, I sort of used the dog as a mutual acquaintance. Besides," he added brightly, "if you didn't know your own dog, you could hardly expect me to, now could you?"

But it was many moons before Dixon understood just why, at this point, Betty Lou flung back her pretty head and laughed and laughed. And when she finally told him, her pretty head was resting in the hollow of his shoulder and both her hands were held in his.

"You old darling," she told him then, "the minute I laid eyes on him I knew that many of you wasn't my darling Rags, but for months I had wanted to know you—the only good-looking man on the block—oh, yes, you are, Dickie, absolutely—and so, well, I was every bit as bad as you. I think, I went on seriously, 'that where two persons are really meant by fate for each other, it's quite all right to—to—"

—to manufacture a mutual acquaintance out of a mangy mongrel. Exactly," said Dixon. "So do I!"

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### DISTRICT DEBATE REPRESENTATIVES LEAVE FOR AUSTIN

Wayne Cook and Rueben Williams winners in the Interscholastic District debate, in Abilene, on 16, left this city Tuesday evening for Austin, where on Thursday evening they will represent this district in the State contest in debate, and compete for the state championship.

These two debaters won much merited praise at the district meet in Abilene, and they go to Austin fully confident that they will be recognized by the judges in the final contest. Both young men have promising attributes of becoming great orators, their ability having been manifested on previous occasions. Wayne Cook won second place at the district meeting of West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Midland, early this spring for making one of the best talks on "My Home Town" and Rueben has taken an active part in the literary club of the high school, and was selected to take the leading part in the Senior class play, "Professor Pepp."

Both debaters were awarded gold medals for having won the debate at the district meet, these medals being awarded them at a called assembly meeting Monday morning.

Herald want ads get results.

### SUITS FOR BAND BOYS

There is no getting around the fact that the members of the Big Spring Booster Band should be provided with uniforms. In addition to being able to dispense fine music, a band is supposed to present a natty appearance on all occasions and a neatly uniformed band certainly attracts favorable notice.

Just what plan can be adopted to secure the uniforms is the question. If the band is to go to the meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, June 21 to 23, they certainly should have uniforms.

It has been ascertained that serviceable and attractive uniforms can be secured for from \$21 to \$23. It has been suggested that the business houses of our city donate the suits for the boys who are giving their time, as well as furnishing their own instruments in order that Big Spring may be able to boast of a fine band. If you were doing as much you would expect that the men of the town to show a little appreciation, such as providing uniforms for the band boys.

A few business men have stated they would each donate one suit. If you are willing to do so, let the Band committee know at once.

Read the display ads in The Herald

### BRIGHT CHILDREN

By Wesley Peacock, Ph. D.

Recently I gave a standardized mental test to a boy of twelve years and one month, and discovered that his mental age was fourteen years and three months. His intelligence quotient, or degree of brightness, was 117, which means that he is about twenty per cent brighter than one of his age is expected to be. Normal is about 100 points.

I had already guessed that he was a very bright boy, but it was only a guess, for no teacher can accurately judge the brightness of a pupil without standardized measures. In the same way a doctor would not depend on a hasty estimate of heart pulsations and body temperature, but would use a standardized thermometer in case of fever.

This boy had come from the low seventh grade. His mother blamed the teacher for neglect, blamed the boy for cutting up in school but blamed him more for not studying his lessons at home. His teacher thought him dull and too mischievous for anything.

This pupil is a type found in every school. Formerly he was neglected in favor of the duller boy who cried aloud for help, attention, and sympathy, but who sometimes received credit for brightness in

daily recitations because of his readiness to pop his fingers and look pleasant.

What did I do with him? Promoted him at once to the low eighth grade, where he is still the youngest of his class, and where he will soon demonstrate that he is the brightest. The youngest are always the brightest, just as the oldest in a class are the dullest.

In addition, this pupil is required to read and report in writing on one book a week. Now he is reading the Last of the Mohicans. He has read several of Cooper's works. The brightest children not only read well and fast, but with understanding of the text, for they acquire a good vocabulary, and therefore are fond of reading, especially books of adventure.

The boy's mother says that he now likes his school, likes to study, and never asks for help at home. The brightest do not require much help in studying, because they understand the printed explanations, and they can follow the rules. The dullest do not like to read story books, but they like for others to read them aloud to them. They have a limited vocabulary, and they are not self-reliant. They would rather use their hands than their minds.



**each morn' at SIX**

Each morn' at six a buzzing clock Awakened Edgar Katz. He yawned and rubbed his eyes a bit Then tumbled off the sofa.

But now he sleeps till half-past six— The reason, he will say, is that he saves a half-hour since He bought his Chevrolet!

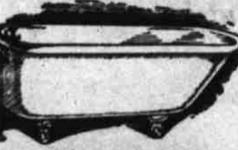
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Office at Joe B. Neel's Barn. We have Trucks and Teams and will haul your goods anywhere  
PHONE 61

A gentleman in Fort Worth last week voluntarily donated \$5,000 to the Community Chest for the aid of poor and forgotten children. He asked that his name be not known. Unselfishness such as this is worthy of comment. While we may not be able to give a like amount, our dollar or our ten dollars if given to aid the needy and if given in the right spirit, is just as appreciated and should afford us the same satisfaction as does this larger gift from one who is able to give in larger amount.

Miss Lelonne Rogers spent the week end in Stanton with homefolks

**PRODUCE YOUR 1926 PORK AT HOME**

Of course, it is now too late to breed the hogs needed, if it has not already been done, but for such as have not the pigs on hand, we believe it will pay them to but the shoats and make provisions for growing all the feed necessary to fatten them this fall and winter.

Perhaps the two best crops for making pork this fall are corn and soybeans, or if soybeans do not appeal to anyone, he may still produce corn or sorghum grains, which with the addition of a little tankage or fish meal, will make pork cheaper than it can probably be bought. Where corn and soybeans are planted together and gathered by the hogs—hogged down—cheap pork is almost always made by good hogs.

But whether the home supplies of pork will be made economically depends almost entirely on whether suitable crops are grown on which to plant and plant these crops. Whether it is done or not depends on the will of the man and no other condition. Tail Butler, in The Progressive Farmer.

**Nerves All Unstrung?**

**Big Spring Folks Should Find the Cause and Correct It.**

Are you all worn out? Feel tired, nervous, half-sick? Do you have a constant backache; sharp twinges of pain, too, with dizzy spells and annoying urinary disorders? Then there's cause for worry and more cause to give your weakened kidneys prompt help. Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

Big Spring folks recommend Doan's for just such troubles.

Mrs. A. B. Winslow, Big Spring, says: "I had pains in the small of my back, just over my kidneys. I couldn't rest at night, because no matter how I lay, there was a steady pain that felt like a red hot iron across my kidneys. I was subject to nervous headaches and the least noise startled me. My kidneys didn't act regularly at all. After using Doan's Pills I was entirely cured."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mrs. Winslow had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—advertisement.

**LLANO BANK FRAUD JURY IS SELECTED**

Kansas City, May 3.—A jury was obtained in federal district court here Monday to try Levi C. Smith and Granville M. Smith, both of Kansas City, and M. M. Moss of Llano, Texas, charged with conspiracy and misappropriation of funds of the Commonwealth Bank of this city. The case then was adjourned until tomorrow to permit the district attorney to confer with the witnesses from out of town.

The defendants waived formal arraignment when the case was called and entered pleas of not guilty.

The indictment, returned Sept. 18, 1924, contains 22 counts on alleged irregularities of Oct. 21, 1921. It is charged that notes from the Union Loan Company of Llano were purchased when the defendants knew the note makers and indorsers were insolvent.

Twenty-one of the counts are based on the purchase of 21 notes and the twenty-second count charges conspiracy in each of the 21 instances.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

**ISN'T IT THE TRUTH?**

Mighty few succeed the first time they try.

Sense without education is better than education without sense.

To many a man home is just a parking place for his working clothes.

An ideal husband is one whose wife always is better dressed than he is.

The fellow who is always waiting for the last laugh sometimes get the laugh.

Most women can stand the pinch of tight shoes better than the pinch of poverty.

A village is a place where a life-long deadbeat can still find somebody to charge it.—Prairie.

There is need for a little more cooperation among our citizenship if we want our town to keep moving forward. It would benefit most every property owner if Big Spring was made a larger and more prosperous city, yet there are quite a few property owners who will not lift a hand to help push the town forward.

J. P. Anderson is almost certain to make a good wheat crop this year. He has five hundred acres of wheat, just starting to boot and with a good season to keep this crop coming along it seems that he is going to get an extra good yield.

Your Dentist...The longer you put him off the longer he will hammer your jaw when you do go.... Cunningham & Phillips.

**TEXAS INDUSTRIAL REVIEW**

Dallas — Contract awarded for erection of new synagogue for congregation Agudas Achim.

Big Sandy — L. R. Ray replacing gin burned year ago, with new one costing \$20,000.

Haskell — Haskell National bank lets contract for general remodeling and enlargement of its banking house.

Beaumont — New gusher in Spindletop field, making 6,000 barrels per day.

Tyler — Total building permits issued during March totaled \$42,424 Colfax — Jackson Berry building new gin plant.

Mexia — Spring Lake Golf Club to construct public golf course.

Laredo — Seven carloads Bermuda onions shipped from here, on recent day.

Port Arthur — New railway and highway bridge to be constructed across Intracoastal canal line, will cost \$275,000.

Fort Worth — Regular air mail service between Chicago, Dallas and this city, will begin May 12.

Cotulla — New LaSalle county dam project will cost \$7,000,000 and irrigate 104,000 acres.

Big Spring — \$10,000 fund raised for Chamber of Commerce activities San Antonio — Lumbermen's Association of Texas held convention here recently.

Texarkana — T. Bell, A. R. Guthridge and Ellis Williams purchase plant of Farm Labor Union News, and announce publication of paper to be called "Interstate Journal."

Dallas — Contract awarded for erection of ten 5-room cottages at Cockrell Hill, for Fundamental Bible Institute of Dallas.

Fabens — 50-foot span will be added to present bridge to Island.

Fabens — Over 24,000 Bermuda onion plants set out by local farmers.

Dallas — Six brick stores under construction, corner Binkley Avenue and Hughes Drive.

Dallas — Official fire prevention council organized.

Mexia — Sunday school addition being built to Bonham Street Methodist church.

Sierra Blanca — Texas & Pacific railroad building new stock yards.

Panhandle City — Panhandle and Santa Fe railway company makes application to extend line 30 miles, to oil and gas fields in Carson and Hutchinson counties.

Victoria — Forty-six lighting standards being installed.

Dallas — \$12,898.30 contract let, for erection of 4-room school building at Letot.

Dallas — Dallas Railway Company spending \$1,450,000 on improvements to local plant.

Sweetwater — Contracts totaling \$270,000 awarded for State highway projects in Nolan county.

Dalhart — Test well to be drilled on Coats ranch.

Miles — \$42,117.16 contract let for hard-surfacing city streets.

Taft — Contract let for construction of \$57,000 school building.

Dallas — \$15,500 appropriated for constructing storm sewer on Orange street, between Caruth and Illing streets.

Fort Worth — 30-acre site for proposed Government fish hatchery below Lake Worth spillway inspected.

Palestine — Bids to be opened May 18, for construction of new bridge over Neches river, connecting Palestine-Rusk roads.

Fort Worth — Erection of skyscraper church office building planned by First Methodist church.

Fort Worth — George C. Clark school to be improved at cost of \$40,000.

Big Spring — Rural Mail Route No. 1 extended from 27.4 miles to 58.1 miles, May 1.

Cleveland — Cleveland Broom Factory in operation.

Wylie — \$30,000 contract let for sewer installation.

Beaumont — Work to start immediately on construction of two new Cross stills at Magnolia refinery. Estimated cost \$5,000,000.

Texarkana — \$300,000 bond issue to be voted on May 15, for erection of public school buildings.

El Paso — Ground broken for new \$125,000 synagogue of Congregation B'Nai Zion.

Jefferson — Marion county farmers pledge 110 acres to cucumbers

Galveston — Improvement of channel here at cost of \$621,000 recommended. Project would involve maintenance expense of \$200,000 annually.

Hereford — 40 blocks paving to be laid here.

Fort Worth — Marland No. 1 Burnett "A" produced 5,700 barrels oil in 96 hours' steady flow.

Beeville — Berclair road being topped.

Dallas — Parkland Hospital to be improved.

Port Arthur — Storm sewers being installed in Lake Shore Drive.

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CASH	178,467.05
	\$934,325.42

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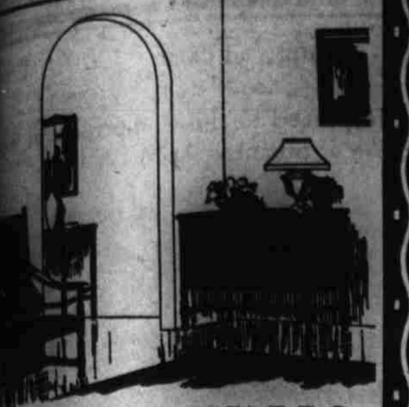
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**EDITOR'S FATHER CELEBRATES ONE HUNDRETH BIRTHDAY**

Judge J. N. Kellis celebrated his one hundredth birthday at his home in Sterling City Thursday and his baby son, who is also editor of the Index, and no baby chicken in age, attempted to be with his parents on this occasion, but as Cheyvs were not made to float in water, he was forced to turn back at Ackery after having spent Monday night in the middle of the road. It is seldom that a man has an invitation to attend his father's hundredth birthday and it was a sore disappointment that we could not be present.

—O'Donnell Index.

**THE FOURTH OF JULY DOES NOT COMPARE WITH MOTHERS DAY WHEN IT COMES TO THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO GIVE THEIR MOTHERS JOHNSTONS CANDY.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS.**

Yuell Robb returned Monday morning from a business trip to Dallas.

**ELECTRIC POWER REPLACES STEAM AND OIL ENGINES**

Elgin, Texas.—The two large brick manufacturing plants at Elgin have contracted with the Texas Power and Light Company for more than 700 horse power in electric motors to drive the brick machinery which heretofore have been operated by oil and steam engines. It has been announced.

The Elgin Butler brick plant is installing 400 horse power in electric motors, while the Elgin Standard Brick Company has contracted for 300 horsepower in electric motors.

The high-tension transmission system of the Texas Power and Light Company, which recently has been extended to Elgin, is encouraging to the brick manufacturing concerns, which have been long established here, and is inviting to other classes of manufacturing in this vicinity.

A cotton mill is now being considered for Elgin.

**FARMERS WILLING TO CO-OPERATE, SAYS POWER HEAD**

John W. Carpenter Says Electric Power Promises to Help Develop the Farm

Galveston, Texas.—John W. Carpenter, vice-president and general manager of the Texas Power and Light Company, in presenting the report of the rural lines committee to the annual convention of the Southwestern Public Service Corporation, in annual convention here Wednesday, declared that electric power promised to be a great factor in the development of the farm and rural life and to help "make two blades of grass grow where one grew before."

Mr. Carpenter declared in presenting the report that the farmers of Texas were more than anxious to co-operate with the power and light companies in this important work. "I have never dealt with more fair folks than the farmers. They will co-operate in anything that is good for their industry."

**Recommendations Made**

The report recommended to the next administration of the association that a working organization be set up to carry forth the work of this committee on a more vigorous basis and to do this it was suggested that a full time man, thoroughly versed with the needs and requirements of the farmer as regards power on the farm, be employed. It was also suggested that a State committee of four farmers, four representatives from electric power companies and four representatives from the State colleges be organized for the purpose of carrying out such a program.

The following names were suggested by Mr. Carpenter, as chairman of the outgoing committee, as the personnel of the suggested committee: Farmers—W. D. Farris, Ennis, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation; a farmer to be appointed each by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the East Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Rio Grande Horticulture Society. Power Representatives—J. W. Carpenter, Dallas; J. C. Kennedy, San Antonio; J. G. Holtzclaw, Beaumont, and E. H. Kifer, San Antonio. College—F. C. Bolton, dean of engineering school and professor of electrical engineering, Texas A. & M. College; W. J. Miller, dean of school of agriculture, Texas Technological College; D. S. Coates, professor of agricultural engineering, Texas A. & M., and B. Youngblood, head of A. & M. experimental station.

**Survey to Be Made**

The committee recommended that the voltages on rural lines be either 11,000 or 13,000 volts. "The committee feels that it would be impossible at this time to outline a full program of investigation," the report continued, "but we recommend that survey be made of just what is being done by power companies over the United States in rural electrification. It is the idea of his committee that this survey would be similar to the one just completed by Kansas and published by their State Agricultural College. This report will set forth the present status of rural electrification in Texas and show places where experimental lines can be established to the best advantage.

This procedure would serve as a basis for working out a more comprehensive program. It is also recommended that the investigational work be carried on by the Texas A. & M. College, with the Texas Technological College co-operating."

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**AERIAL SHOULD BE CONDUCTOR**

A home wireless aerial should be made a natural conductor during an electrical storm, according to the advice of the British Broadcasting Company.

Many wireless enthusiasts were anxious as the result of a report of an amateur's wireless set destroyed by fire owing to the aerial being struck by lightning. The question arose whether it was safe to have a wireless set, especially in the summer months when thunderstorms are prevalent.

The B. B. C. stated that every set should be fitted with an aerial lightning switch outside of the house never inside.

The amateur whose set was destroyed had an aerial switch, but it was fixed inside the window, near the lead-in. When the lightning struck the aerial and a heavy discharge oscillated in the aerial circuit, the aerial switch was not strong enough to withstand it, despite the fact that it was earthed, and it appeared likely that a spark jumped from the aerial terminal to the terminal connecting the set. Such a spark, it was explained, is liable to set fire to neighboring woodwork.

Advice to amateurs who wish to be safeguarded against the possibility of their sets catching fire is to erect a single pole double throw switch outside the window, where the lead-in comes thru. It should be fixed against the brickwork and the amateur should make sure that a strong and heavy gauge wire is used for the earth wire. By shorting the aerial to earth, a good path is made for any current in the aerial to flow thru the switch and to earth.

In this way the aerial is converted into a lightning conductor and there is no danger of the set being destroyed. Amateurs are emphatically warned against a freak switch inside the house, that a change over switch such as is used on a receiving set is useless, and that the ordinary electric light tumbler switch is not always effective. Amateurs who have no switch are advised to make such, when having finished using the set, to disconnect the aerial terminal and earth terminal, and join the two together.

The popular idea nowadays of the terrible hardships of American pioneers is that they had to start their automobiles with cranks.—Louisville Times.

**MOTHERS DAY...REMEMBER WE HAVE JOHNSTONS CANDY.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS**

**THE ELECTION OF DISTRICT JUDGES AT LARGE**

Among the various suggestions in the Farm and Ranch Program for reform of our courts, court procedure and the practice of law certainly demand a nonpartisan judiciary and the election of district judges at large. No one can question the importance of a nonpartisan judiciary. The demand for the election of district judges at large is equally important as a measure of securing a judiciary uninfluenced by politics and political friends. Under the present system judges are elected at a time when there is political excitement and political prejudice in the minds of many voters. A judge is dependent upon his standing among the political leaders, mostly lawyers, in his own district. Thus he is handicapped in the administration of justice, no matter how conscientious he may be. If district judges were elected at large and assigned by the Supreme Court to districts needing their services, the number of judges needed would be greatly reduced and no judge would have his decision influenced by its probable political effect. Under such circumstances every judge would feel independent of the lawyers practicing in his court and would be able to maintain order and exercise his best judgment without fear of what may happen to him next election day.

Keeping court open in every county in the State does not mean a district judge in every county. It does mean that the judge will have no specified term in any county and can hold court at any time in any county where his presence is most needed.

The more you study the Farm and Ranch program the better you will like it. The program contains nothing radical or impossible, but has been carefully thought out and approved by experienced men. If adopted it will speed up justice and cut the cost of the judiciary system of the State more than 50 per cent.

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