



## AUTOMOBILE BUILDING AND EXHIBIT HALL PLAN NEW FREE FEATURES

Dallas, Texas — (Special) — Confronted with the fact that the attractions at the State Fair of Texas, October 8 to 23, are to be so many and varied, the exhibitors in the Automobile Building and in the Exhibit Hall, where the commercial displays are shown, have suddenly sprung into action and have organized to make their two buildings so attractive that each will get its share of the million people expected to attend the fair, regardless of the pulling power of the other shows, exhibits and entertainments.

The result of this will be a series of displays, entertainments and attractions in those two buildings which will make each one of them a fair in itself. The automobile men have planned several startling stunts devised to draw the crowds, while the commercial exhibitors claim to have up their sleeves a surprise attraction which will make their building the most popular on the grounds.

All this means more entertainment for the man who enters the gates. His only difficulty will be to find the time to see all that there is to be seen. There is no longer any doubt in the minds of anyone familiar with the situation that the 1927 State Fair is to be the greatest and the best ever held. There will be better agricultural exhibits, there will be the largest and most complete livestock show ever held in the Southwest, there will be shows and entertainments galore, and now even the exhibitors are coming to the front with plans to make a good show still better.

## FIVE FAST RUNNING HORSE RACES EVERY DAY EXCEPT SUNDAY



"When you come to the State Fair in October," says Otto Herold, director in charge of the Horse Department of that great show window of Texas, "if it is horse racing you like you will have your fill this year."

"There will be five fast-running races every day except Sundays. There will be whippet races every day and evening, and whippet or greyhound races are new to Texas. There will be one of the best horse shows ever produced here, with famous exhibitors from all over America. There will be polo games between fast teams from Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas cities.

Free "Ringside Seats" — "And if you don't feel like taking a seat in the grandstand, you can drive your car up to the rail around the new three-quarter mile track and watch the races while seated in your own auto. If you are in the grandstand, however, you will get a closer view of the whippet races and will see the Hippodrome show, on which we will spend many thousands of dollars for your entertainment.

"There will be 10 big-time acts, all of them new to Texas. And there will be day and night fireworks, a famous band with several fine singers, plenty of clowns and everything the director could think of to send you back home more than satisfied and with a feeling that the amusements at the State Fair were better than you had ever seen anywhere."

## STYLES IN CATTLE CHANGE LIKE WOMEN'S CLOTHES



Dallas, Tex. — (Special) — "Styles in cattle change, just as surely as do the styles in women's clothes — the not perhaps, so sudden," says Henry C. Barlow, superintendent of the Shorthorn Division of the cattle show at the State Fair of Texas.

"Can you remember the old-fashioned kind, that paraded the tanbark at the State Fair, 40 years ago? They were called 'Durhams' then—a long legged, long-necked, uneven-bodied animal. But he was a vast advance upon the old Longhorn, and he filled the bill for his time and age.

"What a difference today! You modern Shorthorn is a short-legged deep-bodied, even-fleshed beast, which matures in half the time of the old kind and this with no sacrifice of milking qualities—the ideal 'farmers' cow."

Shorthorns, Jerseys and all other preferred breeds of beef and dairy cattle will be shown at the State Fair October 8 to 23. It is claimed that the Jersey show alone will be the largest ever held in the United States. Famous breeders from all over the country will show the most famous animals, champions of all.

The swine show will out-top anything ever held at the State Fair, as the interest in hog raising is growing by leaps and bounds, it is said. Sheep and goats also will be better represented than ever. The sheep industry of Texas is expected soon to outrank that of any other state.

Harold West Ads Get Results

## WE DON'T KNOW THE MEANING OF A DROUGHT

We sometimes complain of dry weather in West Texas, and we do have a shortage of rainfall occasionally, but for real hardluck due to drought just read the following article from a recent issue of the Dearborn Independent.

"Prospects of a crop for the first time in nine years are promising in the Big Bend of eastern Washington, this year," said the Dry Farmer. "At the end of each season of drought, the farmers have been saying, 'Well, it's three times and out. We'll have a change now.' But they didn't. And at the end of seven years they looked for a break—as that number seems to possess certain lucky values. But last year, which was the eighth, was the worst of all."

"For scores of miles in all directions the farms have been abandoned, the fields are full of Russian thistle, the fences are down, and the huge barns and fine houses are going to rack and ruin. The huge combine harvesters that required the strength of thirty and forty horses with which to garner in the golden grain, stand specterlike in the barn lot. Nothing alive is seen for miles and miles, except here and there a stray coyote slinking after the coveys of Hungarian pheasants that feed on the weed seeds.

"It's a melancholy sight to travel through the orchard districts of the valleys where, in scores of places, the yellowing leaves of the fifteen-year-old apple trees are falling to the weed-tangled ground. On their withered branches are scores of apples no bigger than marbles, mute testimony of the trees' last effort to reproduce its kind.

"The pretty homes are deserted and the water courses dry. Fences are useless in their present location, costly woven wire fences that were put up to keep out the jack rabbits when the trees were young and tender; with what hopes the owners planted and nursed them day after day, year after year, watching their vigorous growth. And now, when they have come to full maturity, and when the big red-cheeked apples that they would otherwise have produced are selling at three dollars and more a box, the caretakers have to stand by helplessly and watch them slowly wither and die. On one side are great warehouses and packing sheds. Costly spraying and packing machinery lies rusting in a desert country, like the "Mexican mummies" of Death Valley in California.

"It is a black picture, but not nearly so black as the future of some of the owners who had to move away. Men whose white hair and aged muscles put them out of the race in winning another fortune, and who six or seven years ago could have easily sold their ten-acre orchard for twenty thousand dollars. Now it is worth nothing at all, considering the cost of grubbing out the dead trees.

"If only goes to prove that water is life, life itself. I have seen people fight as savagely over it as though they were protecting the lives of their offspring.

"Yes, water is life. Water is beauty. It is almost everything. It constitutes the attractiveness of so many of our landscape paintings, be it a lake, a river or only a brook. And each one of them finds birth in the fall of rain or snow. So, when water falls and streams fall, it is then that earth's children, civilized or savage, lift their voices in a universal plea by song, prayer or ceremony to the great Creator, that he loosen the sources and let fall the life-giving element, that through its magic the earth may again blossom and the people prosper and be happy!"

## EDUCATOR FROM STATE DEPT. TO BE HERE AUGUST 13TH

Announcement is made from Austin that J. L. Smith of the State Department of Education will be a visitor in Big Spring, Saturday, Aug. 13. Mr. Smith's mission will be to enlighten the citizenship on school administration laws and the new legislation affecting the schools, such as the rural high school act, the rural aid law and teachers institutes. Every school trustee, teacher and every citizen interested in our schools should hear this gospel of education from our State Department of Education.

**WHY SEW ON YOUR FINGERS?**  
I have several bargains in used sewing machines from \$10 to \$50. Will give terms on these machines. Why sew on your fingers? J. R. Creath.

Mrs. A. B. Maxfield returned last Monday from Colorado after a three weeks stay at the home of her daughter Mrs. Owen C. Powell where she helped welcome the arrival of a big fine boy named Owen Goodwin Powell.

## CHURCHES

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
W. C. HINDS, Pastor  
Residence 404 Scurry Street  
Phones: Res. 342; church 678  
Services Each Sunday  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Epworth League 8:30 p. m.  
Services are held in the Methodist Church at the corner of Scurry and West Fourth streets.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
Corner 18th and Main Streets  
Meeting each Sunday 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
C. Y. D. Meeting 7:30 p. m.  
Everyone is invited and welcome to be with us.  
G. B. WALTERS, Pastor  
Residence, Corner Main and 10th. Phone 682-J.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST TABERNACLE**  
J. D. BOREN, Minister  
Res. 211 West Fourth Street  
Phone 692  
Bible school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.  
Monday, 2:30 p. m., Ladies Bible Study.  
Wednesday, Mid-week Bible Study. A hearty welcome awaits you.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
D. H. HEARD, Pastor  
Res. 1411 Scurry Street  
Phones: Res. 493; Church 460  
Services each Sunday.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
J. C. Douglass, Supt.  
B. Y. P. U. 8:30 p. m. Sundays.  
Mid-week service 7:15 p. m.  
Women meet each Monday 3 p. m.

**E. THIRD ST. BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Corner East Third and Gollad Streets  
G. O. SUMMERS, Pastor  
Resident 1506 Scurry  
Telephone 708-J  
Services each Sunday  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Buell Cardwell, superintendent.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 8:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting each Wednesday night.  
A welcome awaits you.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Corner Main and Fifth Streets  
R. L. OWEN, Pastor  
Phone 269  
Preaching every Sunday.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11 o'clock.  
Evening worship 8:30 o'clock.  
Mid-week service 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.  
A glad hand Welcomes YOU.

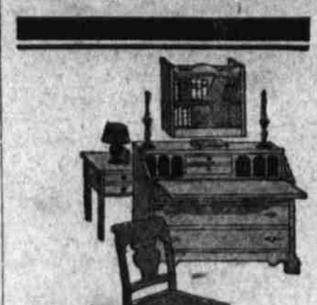
**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
St. Mary's Church  
501 Runnels Street  
FRANK H. STEDMAN, Rector  
Church School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Prayer 11 a. m.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Main Street on North Side  
REV. KISTNER, Pastor  
Mass every second and fourth Sunday at 10 a. m.  
Strangers especially invited.

Come in and let me save you money. Yours for more business, J. R. Creath.

"When you wear your trousers out be sure to wear them back again."

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. McCleskey left Monday night for a visit in Dallas. Their children, Misses Merle and Caroline, and Frank, are visiting with relatives and friends in Floydada.



**Yes! We Have "it" Cook's Armorcote The "Fool-Proof" Lacquer**

It is the only practical lacquer for brush application over any surface by amateur painter or skilled craftsman. It will not "lift" or "peel"—it is odorless, quick drying and durable. It works like an enamel—levels up perfectly—and gives a hard, porcelain finish that is like tile. Take your choice of twenty-one shades and clear—match any shade you want. Enough lacquer to refinish a large piece of furniture costs only a few cents. Cook's guarantees it to give good results on furniture, floors, woodwork, porch furniture.

**H. H. HARDIN Lumber**

## WEST TEXAS GINNERS TO MEET IN ABILENE AUGUST 5

Several of the gingers of Big Spring are planning to attend the meeting of West Texas Gingers Association which will be held in Abilene August 5. Some three hundred gingers are expected to be in attendance. A barbecue and other interesting features are being planned for entertainment of the guests while in Abilene.

Money cheerfully refunded on any dry hard smoking cigars..... Cunningham & Philips.

**YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD IS YOU**  
The newcomer in the neighborhood met one of the oldest residents of the neighborhood. Here's a report of the conversation:

Newcomer: "What kind of a community is this?"  
Oldest Resident: "What kind of a community did you come from?"  
Newcomer: "They were the worst lot of people imaginable."  
Oldest Resident: "That's what you'll find here—a bad neighbor always has had neighbors."—Tractor Farming.

Arthur Osborne left this morning for a several weeks visit with his parents and other relatives at Pomona and Los Angeles, Calif.

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Big Spring, Texas

Misses Polly Miles and Jean Hofer of Kaufman are visitors in our city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Hopkins.

Screw worm killers..... Cunningham & Philips.

Hugh Dubberly, Philip Musgrove and Arthur Osborne spent the past week end fishing at Istau Lake.

**KILL YOUR RATS AND MICE WITH RAT VIRUS...IT GIVES THEM A DISEASE AND IS NOT POISONOUS TO ANYTHING ELSE**  
.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Mrs. T. E. Baker left this morning for a several weeks visit with her parents and other relatives at Angeles and Pomona, Calif.

**SIGNS YOU CAN BELIEVE**  
If your breath is bad and your appetite, constipation and a general account feeling, it is a sign you are edy for all disorders in the liver, and bowels is Herbine. Herbine acts on the liver, strengthens digestion, fits the bowels and restores a flow of energy, vim and cheerfulness. 60c. Sold by CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

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## Spring and Summer Suits

that we are offering at a reduction in order to clear out.

Some of these are light weight summer suits and some will be good for wear all during the coming fall and winter.

## Hart, Schaffner and Marx

made most of them and that means the quality of material and workmanship are both just like they should be.

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# Prosperity To Abide Here

Howard County Due to Continued Sojourn of Prosperity and Progress

Howard County is boasting of a more prosperous future. All signs point to a bright future for our section and substantial growth in the reasons for our

on two national highways on a big advantage and a need of the tourists make it to stop in Big Spring or

the night at one of a number of hotels and military tourist camps which our city boasts.

Howard County. Just how the fields are going to be developed in the years of drilling and production. With approximately 75

oil wells, several good gas wells and conclusive evidence of big deposits from 20 to 25 miles

it is no longer an exceptional proposition. The natural gas is here and when the oil gets on a normal basis

and adjoining counties are to be the scene of a big development program.

character of improvements made by the big corporations and others is of a most substantial nature. They foresee a big

for our city and are basing improvements and enlargements on this expected expansion.

story, 150 room Crawford hotel is going to prove a wonderful asset to Big Spring. The own-

Crawford, is showing his confidence in the future of this city. He is convinced that they will

not mistake in making investments. Texas Electric Service Co. is

incorporation that is looking for future and spending millions on improvements and extensions which they realize must be

made to take care of the patrons when the building is completed in West Texas.

Texas & Pacific railway in the capacity of the railroad is creating a new industrial and raising all tracks are

an immense sum, but realize these improvements are made to take care of the

## AMENDMENT ELECTION AUG. 1

There must be much dynamic packed in the four amendments to be voted on Monday, August 1, or the opposition would not be so strong. We can afford to kill them, and if we do wrong, they can be submitted again in a modified form. In asking authority to set all salaries of governor, legislator and other officials and in asking that all tax value authority be centered at Austin the legislature is asking for too much, and these two amendments should be defeated ten to one. We are not thoroughly advised as to the value of the other amendments referring to judicial reform; and substituting a salary instead of the fee system for district attorneys and certain county officers, but they are in bad company and we might get confused and vote for the wrong amendments, and it is therefore best to wipe the slate clean. We do not think Texas will be injured if the amendments are defeated—we may get stung if all of these amendments are adopted.

You can do as you please, but we expect to vote against all four.

### MRS. W. T. MANN DEAD

Mrs. Olive L. Mann, 45, wife of W. T. Mann of Garden City, Texas, died at the West Texas Baptist Sanitarium at 9:22 o'clock Saturday night following a week's illness. The remains were brought to this city on the morning passenger train Sunday, and were taken to the home of Mrs. Ida Mann on Main street, where they were in state until the hour of the funeral. Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian Church in this city at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon with Rev. R. L. Owen, pastor, in charge. The remains were laid to rest in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Mrs. Mann had many friends in this city who sincerely mourn her death. She was a devout christian, and was a member of the Presbyterian Church for a number of years. She is survived by her husband W. T. Mann, a seven year old son, W. T. Mann Jr., four sisters Misses Alice and Maude Lindsey, Mrs. John Edwards of Anson and Mrs. Minnie Stewart of Dallas, and one brother J. H. Lindsey of South Texas, and other relatives.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones in this sad hour.

Spray your clothes with "Cenolin". Then you are really protected against moths. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

### SHARPEN UP

Are you plugging away with poor tools? Do you take proper time at the oil stone or saw? There are days wasted in hard and profitless toil that might be bright and profitable if the tools were touched up at the season. How can a man expect to get a good day's work out of his staff if he has a poor equipment or is following back number methods? If the iron be blunt and he does not whet the edge, then must he be put to more strength. Are you using a dull axe in your advertising? Are you using the back-saw in your business when you need a fine cross-cut or a rip? Are you using screwdrivers for chisels? Are you neglecting ordinary common-sense principles and giving yourself double work and brain fog by ding things in ways that are ten or twenty years behind the times? There are men doing "chores" around their establishments who might make up the difference between loss and gain on their balance sheets by sitting down and figuring where to cut out useless labor and expense. — Battery Man.

Tom Good reports around one and one half inches of rain on his ranch in the northeastern portion of Borden County last Saturday. He said it was certainly a grand rain and is going to do a world of good in that section.

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of  
"BETTER HOMES"  
Alterations and Repairs  
PHONE 50

## "TWELVE MILES OUT" A SENSATIONAL HIT

John Gilbert is a human storehouse of surprises for the film audiences of the world.

He has just unloaded another item in his bag of tricks—to give theaterdom one of the biggest surprises in many a moon, in "Twelve Miles Out" his latest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer vehicle which will be shown at the R. and R. Lyric theater Monday and Tuesday, August 1 and 2.

He mixes thrills and battles, sensations and romance, in a blend of hundred per cent screen entertainment that has his audience alternately gasping in amazement or enchanted by the sheer beauty of the romance that underlies the incessant excitement of the strange plot.

"Twelve Miles Out" is a tale of adventure on the high seas, based on the latest factor in American life—the war between the rum-runner and the revenue service. The thrilling race at sea, when the revenue men pursue a rum-runner's sloop in a desperate race; the vicious battle staged by Gilbert and Ernest Torrence on the smuggling boat; these are some of the high lights on the excitement side of the ledger.

Joan Crawford makes a charming heroine in a splendidly balanced piece of acting, and Torrence, as the villain, a strange mixture of sinister traits and whimsical humor, has a role that he rejoices in.

An American was prowling around a Scottish churchyard. His eyes caught an epitaph. "Lord, she was thin."

"Say, sexton, what d'ye make of that?" he asked.

"That's all right, sir; the sculptor went over near the edge of the stone and didn't leave room for the 'e'."

—Exchange.

Alarm clocks. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

### NOTICE

If the despondent boy who mailed his mother a Mother's Day letter at Big Spring, Texas, May 30, without addressing it, will call at the Herald office and pay for this notice, he will receive some valuable information.

Use Valspar varnish and then you are through for a long time. . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

### TO ATTEND DOKEY MEETING

A number of Big Spring folks are planning to attend the eighteenth biennial convention of the Imperial Palace, Dramatic Knights of Khorasan to be held at Fort Worth, Aug. 8 to 12. It is expected that 20,000 delegates will attend the meeting.

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, ORDERING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT THE CITY COMMISSION OF SAID CITY SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE BONDS OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, IN THE AMOUNT OF FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000.00) DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVING AND PAVING THE STREETS OF SAID CITY, AND TO LEVY A TAX SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE BONDS AT MATURITY AND THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST AS THE SAME BECOMES DUE. SAID ELECTION TO BE HELD UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 1, TITLE 22, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES

Why wait till fall to have your stove RELINED?

WE USE NOTHING BUT HEAVY GAUGE IRON SHOP PHONE 446

Tamsitt & McGinnis

OF 1925, AND ARTICLE 823, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF 1925, AND THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, APPOINTING A PRESIDING JUDGE, JUDGES AND CLERKS TO CONDUCT SAID ELECTION, ORDERING NOTICE OF SAID ELECTION, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING:

WHEREAS, The City Commission of the City of Big Spring, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said City for the purpose herein-after mentioned;

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS, that an election be held on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1927, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the City Commission of Big Spring, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of the City of Big Spring, Texas, in the sum of FORTY THOUSAND (\$40,000) DOLLARS for the purpose of improving and paving streets of the City of Big Spring, Texas, said bonds to mature serially at such times as may be fixed by the City Commission of said city, not to exceed forty years from their date, and to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the said bonds at maturity, and to pay the semi-annual interest as the same becomes due, as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, Article 823, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the City Hall in the City of Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, and Fox Stripling, Presiding Judge, and L. S. Patterson and J. W. Bonner, Judges, and Dan Painter and R. L. Cook, Clerks, are hereby appointed election officers and managers with full authority and power under the law as such.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, Article 823, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 and the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said city shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall draw a line through the phrase "Against the issuance of bonds," leaving the phrase "For the issuance of bonds," unscratched, and deposit the same with the presiding Judge of the said election as a vote in favor of the proposition.

All voters who desire to vote against the proposition to issue the bonds shall draw a line through the phrase "For the issuance of bonds," leaving the phrase "Against the issuance of bonds," unscratched, and deposit the same with the Presiding Judge of the said election as a vote against the proposition.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating General Elections. A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas, and attested by the City Secretary of said City under the seal of said City, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up on the

door of the City Hall in said City, and at three other public places within the City limits of Big Spring, for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city, and which notice shall be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the date of the first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to date of the election.

Due to the urgent need of improving and paving the streets of the City of Big Spring, an emergency is hereby declared, and the rule requiring an ordinance or resolution to be read at three meetings of the City Commission is declared suspended.

Passed and approved this the 5th day of July A. D. 1927.

R. D. MATTHEWS,  
Mayor, City of Big Spring, Texas  
Attest: 42-4  
Louise Middleton,  
City Secretary, City of Big Spring, Texas.

(Seal)

## SAVING MONEY

"How long you in jail fo', Mose?"  
"Two weeks."  
"What am de ch'ge?"  
"No ch'ge, everything am free."  
"Ah mean, what has you did?"  
"Done shot my wife."  
"You all killed yo' wife and only in jail fo two weeks?"  
"Dat's all—then I gits hung." — Ex.

## ONE IN TEN

Neglecting a little wound, cut or abrasion of the flesh may in nine cases out of ten cause no great suffering or inconvenience, but it is the one case in ten that causes blood poisoning, lockjaw or a chronic festering sore. The cheapest, safest and best course is to disinfect the wound with liquid Borozone and apply the Borozone Powder to complete the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

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Children's Rompers -- Bridge Sets -- Tie Racks  
Laundry Bags -- Pin Cushions -- Bed Spreads

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**INDEPENDENT OIL OPERATOR  
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We are in receipt of an appreciated letter from Frank M. Greene of the Greene Production Co. of Fort Worth, in which he highly compliments the Big Spring Herald. We appreciate this boost. The letter reads as follows:

Dear Sir:

I wish to extend to you my compliments on your weekly paper, The Herald. I have been a constant reader of your paper since I first entered your territory in the Clay field and I have found it chock full of good reliable news of interest.

If more outsiders would spend the price of a yearly subscription to your paper it would perhaps "put them right" on a great number of things going on in that territory, especially from the oil end of it.

Please accept my very kind regards and best wishes, both for yourself and your paper.

Yours very truly,  
Frank M. Greene.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES**

Bible school 10 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.  
Communion service 12 o'clock.  
Bro. W. C. Smith gave us two very fine sermons last Lord's day.  
Brother Little is holding a meeting at Coahoma which started Monday, July 25. Those who can should attend services at this meeting.  
Ladies Bible study every Monday afternoon at four o'clock.  
This is a fine class of women and good interest is shown in the work.  
Mid-week Bible study every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.  
Young people's class every Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Sisters Kyle and Buffington have charge of this class of little folks from 5 to 14 years of age. Every child in town of this age is cordially invited to come and study the Bible with these teachers.

**PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES**

The Presbyterian Auxiliary has dispensed with all meetings during the month of August except the regular business meeting to be held at the church on Monday, August 22 at 4:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Sheeler and daughters, Misses Frances and Louise, left Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth, Cleburne and Marshall.

Miss Katherine Meadors is in Hebron this week visiting her uncle, other relatives and friends.

R. M. McKenzie of the Frick-Reid Supply Co., has been transferred to their office at McCamey, Texas.

Bob Taylor who is with the Lincoln Tank Co. in this city is back on the job, returning to work Saturday.

Miss Louise Shive returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation trip spent with relatives and friends at Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reed and children returned last week from a vacation trip to Corpus Christi and points of interest in the Rio Grande Valley.

Dr. Ora E. Estes returned Wednesday night from Marlin, where she has been under treatment the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifford Hurt and daughters, Lillian Reed and Helen, returned Friday night from a four weeks vacation trip in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

You are welcome at the Rock Gate Camp. Modern improvements. Phone 51. L. E. Coleman. 40tf

Mrs. Frank Covert and daughter, Lillian Estill, Mrs. Fontaine Hair and daughter, Margarite, have been guests at the Carter Ranch in Glasscock County a few days this week.

Chas. Haller left Sunday night for Cisco where he is employed by the Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co. Charlie has been in charge of the Rockwell Bros. Lumber Co. in this city during the absence of the manager, R. Richardson.

Leslie White, manager of the Acorn store, returned Sunday night from New York and other eastern markets where he has been to select fall and winter goods for the Acorn store in this city. Mr. White went on a special train with other managers of Acorn stores in other Texas cities.

B. E. Williams of Cuero enroute for an auto trip to Alpine was a visitor here Monday. Mr. Williams was formerly employed in the post-office in this city and has many friends here. He was astonished at the remarkable growth and improvement of Big Spring in the past three years.

**DISCUSS VIADUCT  
ACROSS R R TRACK**  
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structing paving in the residential section. A ten inch base of crushed rock and a cold roll asphaltic topping would serve just as well, and cost considerably less. The paving will be from curb to curb, but the curbing will be extended so the paving will not have to be more than thirty or forty feet wide, thus making the cost less for property owners.

T. S. Currie made a brief talk in which he urged each and everyone to thoroughly study the amendments to be voted upon next Monday. He said the tax valuation amendment, especially needed to be killed, and others among the four amendments might be snowed under if we knew what was best for us.

S. R. Weaver stated that he would appoint the viaduct committee this afternoon so they could get busy on the work that has been assigned them.

Mrs. Horace Elland of Stanton was shopping in Big Spring last Friday.

**DRILLING OPERATIONS  
SHOW INCREASE**  
(Continued from page one)

much nearer Big Spring and our folks will be pleased to see this test started.

**At World Oil Co.'s Test**

The World Oil Co.'s test on the L. S. McDowell ranch, 21 miles south of Big Spring is now nearing an interesting stage.

The drill is nearing the 2500 foot mark, and oil was found in the first well on the McDowell ranch at 2560 feet. If a good well is secured a vast territory will be opened for development.

**Marland Oil Co.'s Quina No. 1**

Good progress is being made in drilling the Marland Oil Co.'s Quina No. 1 on the Quinn ranch about 2 miles southwest of Big Spring—and about 2 1-2 miles from the producing well on the J. B. Harding farm.

**Marland to Make Deep Test**

The Marland Oil Company, one of the largest operators in the Clay and Chalk oil pools is now making a

deep test in the Clay field. They have a number of wells producing from oil sand encountered between 1600 and 1900 feet.

**Texon Co. Starts Settles No. 2**

The Texon Oil Company started drilling on their second test well on the W. R. Settles ranch, about fourteen miles southeast of Big Spring. Ben Case has the contract to drill the well and a star rig is being used.

This test is about one half mile north of the Texon's Settles No. 1, which tapped a shallow oil sand and is producing around fifty barrels a day on the pump.

**L. C. Harrison at Work on New Test**

L. C. Harrison's second test well is now being drilled; the Riggs Contracting Co. was awarded the contract to drill this well. Location is on the northwest quarter of section 156, block 29, W. & N. W. survey.

This location is not a great distance southeast of a producing well owned by the F. H. E. Oil Co.

**Changing to Standard Tools**

When the formation in the Donnelly et al well on the W. S. Martin

ranch, 12 miles northwest of Big Spring, made little or no progress. It is decided to change to standard tools and this change is now being made. This test, which is especially important, goes down to a depth of around 2000 feet.

**EXPRESSION OF THANKS**

We wish to take this opportunity of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation of the many kind and thoughtful friends at the death of our wife, mother and relative. Their thoughtfulness will ever be remembered. We also thank you for beautiful floral offerings. Bless and keep you all.  
Will T. Mann and family

**\$25 REWARD**

For information leading to the conviction of thieves of Gulf Refining Company on Wednesday, July 27, 1927.  
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**Rugs**  
Throw rugs and art squares at amazingly low values.  
Throw Rugs \$2.49 to \$5.48  
Art Squares 6x9 ... \$24.95  
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**NEW MERCHANDISE—**

is and will be arriving all the time now that our buyer has returned from Eastern Markets. He states that our complete and new line of ladies ready-to-wear, millinery and shoes for fall are due here this week. SHOP EARLY!

**Stationery**  
Box paper for all kinds of correspondence  
19c - \$3.98

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23c, 45c, 49c

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4c, 9c, 15c

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\$2.95

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Black and White Face powder, cleaning cream, rouge and lip stick  
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Nice gift size packages  
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SEE H. B. ARNOLD for Aero-Motor Windmill—the wheel turns in a light breeze. 44-2t

FOR SALE—A good going plumbing shop. Complete stock. See L. E. Coleman. Phone 51. 43tf

FOR SALE—Two 5-room modern homes. Just completed. \$2,700 and \$2,850. Terms, \$400 cash payment, balance \$40 per month including interest. Phone 50. E. H. Josey. 44tf

FOR SALE—About 2 1-2 tons of 1926 maize for sale at \$15 per ton at my barn 2 1-2 miles east and 1 mile north of Knott. Austin Walker. 1p

FOR SALE—Four lots in Cole & Strayhorn addition. See Seth Pike. 45-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Butter-Kist popcorn machine in perfect mechanical condition. L. B. Stone, Box 177, Big Spring, Texas. 1t

FOR SALE—One southeast corner lot, 50x140 feet, 1500 block on Main street. Also a Ford four door sedan. F. O. Allen, 900 Gollard street. 45-tf

**FOR RENT**

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished south bedroom. Call at 600 Gregg street or phone 432. 43tf

FOR RENT—Furnished bedrooms. Call at 808 Gregg St., or phone 609-W. 41tf

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished apartments on South Scurry street. Phone 433. 1t

FOR RENT—Nice southeast apartment for light housekeeping. Call at 901 Jack street. 1t

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment for light housekeeping. Call at 503 Bell street, or phone 384. 1t

FOR RENT—August first, nice south apartment. Close in. Phone 30. J. F. Hair. 45-2pd

FOR RENT—South apartment in new apartment house. All built in features and electric stove. Private bath. See W. A. Reynolds at King Chevrolet Co. 45tf

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment, south side. Private entrance. Call at 503 Runnels street or phone 660-J. 1t

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—1-2 ton chain hoist. \$5.00 reward for same. Joe Cochran. Phone 89. Bankhead Meat Market.

LOST—A team of work mules, 15 hands high; branded U on jaw. One red mule, the other brown with mealy nose. About 7 years old. A liberal reward will be paid for return of same to Joe B. Neel. 1t

LOST—1 pair horn rimmed double lens glasses. Finder will please leave at Herald office and pay for this notice, or see Geo. E. Wilcox. 1tpd.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

FOR TRADE—Will trade \$2,500 worth of merchandise at wholesale price for town property of equal value. L. B. Stone, Box 177, Big Spring, Texas.

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STOCK TO PASTURE—Plenty of good grass and water. Phone 239. W. R. Creighton. 1tp

**CITY NEWS**

Children have a visit with relatives in Dallas, Texas.

Enjoyed the fine barbecue Mrs. Dana's place on night. Seventy-eight present and a great time was had. At nine were served which included goat, chicken, and coffee.

and family have as relatives from this week.

Mr. Will Ramsell of Mrs. Bontah Cleveland were visiting friends here Saturday.

was saddened Sunday news was received Mr. Mann had passed in Abilene on night. Mrs. Mann was 45 and leaves a husband, a sister and a brother.

death. Mrs. Mann has lived in Abilene several years member of the Cumberland Church. She was member of the Order of the Star. She was loved by all and will be missed by her family and a good influence.

was shipped to Big Spring for the funeral services were at three o'clock at the Church by Rev. R. L. the body was laid to rest in cemetery.

City people were Sunday to attend the Mrs. Will Mann.

has returned from where she has been visiting.

L. M. Pleasant did not here Sunday on holding a revival at one of the churches.

F. Peters and daughter, St. Louis, Mo., are the Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bettie.

Mrs. Buck Richardson returned from a vacation and other points in

Mrs. Eddie Price returned from Dallas, had been to receive their sedan recently purchased home in their hand-

There are 1200 varieties of soy beans grown in China.

Mrs. Albert Smith and son of Snyder are visiting her uncle Dock Meador and family in this city this week.

Hubert Rutherford made a business trip to Eastland the past week-end.

J. E. Stevens proprietor of the Llano Hotel at Midland was a business visitor in this city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Arnold returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Cisco.

Miss Clara R. Pool returned Sunday night from a several weeks vacation trip to California and the Hawaiian Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Read are expected to return home Sunday, July 31 from a several weeks visit with their daughters in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jones and daughter in law of Hot Springs, N. M. arrived Wednesday, called here by the serious illness of G. L. Brown. Mrs. Jones is a sister of Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Orr of Ajo, Ariz., arrived last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rix and children plan to leave the first of next week for New Braunfels for a vacation. Mrs. Rix will undergo treatment at the famous health resort for rheumatism.

Misses Naomi Sue Barton and Tommie Murphy of San Angelo arrived Thursday for a few days visit in this city with friends.

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J. W. Ward, P. M.

P. C. Cayton, commercial representative of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. here, made a business trip to Monahans Thursday.

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Miss Inez Davis after a several weeks visit in this city with her cousins, Misses Louise and Nell Davis and other relatives, returned to her home in El Paso this morning.

Miss Charline Davis who underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils last Tuesday is getting along nicely.

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Green Beans . . . . .	Market Price
Large Celery, per bunch . . . . .	30c
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Peas, per bunch . . . . .	10c
Carrots, per bunch . . . . .	10c
Mustard Greens, per bunch . . . . .	10c
Green Onions, per bunch . . . . .	10c
Cauliflower and Tops, bunch . . . . .	10c
Fresh Cherries, per pound . . . . .	35c
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Cantaloupes, Watermelons, Bananas, Oranges Apples and Lemons.	
Doc Oranges . . . . .	35c
These oranges are small, sweet and full of juice. The best buy	

We sell for Cash and Cash only. Our line of goods is of the highest quality and is sold at the lowest possible price. We stand behind every piece of merchandise that leaves our store — it must prove satisfactory or your money cheerfully refunded.

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Shelled Pecans, per pound	\$1.00
Grape Juice Quarts . . . . .	50c
Pints . . . . .	25c
4 Ounces . . . . .	10c
Large Ivory Flakes . . . . .	25c
Small Ivory Flakes, 2 for . . . . .	25c
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BIG SPRING, TEXAS

John Majors of Sweetwater visited friends in this city Wednesday.

Miss Drusha Torbett of Marlin is the guest of Miss Gertrude MacIntyre this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Brown were called here from their home in Las Vegas, N. M. by the serious illness of his father, G. L. Brown.

Mrs. Lottie Buckman and nieces, Misses Louise and Geraldine Bucman of Merkel are here for a visit with Mrs. J. B. Sloane.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished apartments on South Scurry street. Phone 433. 11

FOR RENT — Nice southeast apartment for light housekeeping. Call at 901 Jack street. 11

W. P. Soash of Lubbock is a business visitor in Big Spring this week.

Chas. Holmes is vacationing in California.

Miss Lila Castle of Knott is visiting her cousin Miss Una Dorothea Campbell in this city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mathis and little daughter Mary Doris of Abilene are visiting relatives and friends at Big Spring and Knott this week.

David Layfield who has been the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bettie left Wednesday for his home at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Bailey Gaunce returned Monday night from Ardmore, Okla., where she has been the past two weeks visiting her mother who is slowly recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident on July fourth. Her little son, Billie Joe, remained in Ardmore for a month's visit with his grandmother.

Bailey Gaunce returned Sunday night from Fort Worth where he had been to meet Mrs. Gaunce who was returning from Ardmore, Okla. Mr. Gaunce, field superintendent for the Green Production Co., is working on the Oxsheer well. Work on this well was resumed this week after a several days shut down. Mr. and Mrs. Gaunce have moved out to this lease.

Mrs. Anna Birdwell who was called here last week by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Esther Gambrell left Wednesday morning for her home in San Antonio. Mrs. Gambrell was the mother of one of our pioneer citizens the late John D. Birdwell and an aunt of Mrs. Lillian Green at whose home the funeral services were held last Friday. Mrs. Gambrell has been living in Los Angeles the past twenty five years with another niece, Mrs. F. L. Poyas, who is well known to many of us as Miss Addie Hyde, who taught school in this city for several years. Mrs. Poyas will leave in a few days for her home. Judge Gambrell of Lockhart, a son, was also present for the funeral of his mother.

**BOY STRUCK BY AUTO; SUFFERS BROKEN LEG**

The fifteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Hatley suffered a fractured leg Saturday afternoon when he was struck by an automobile, the accident happening on the west highway near the Big Spring tourist camp. Both bones in the boy's left leg were broken.

The name of the driver of the automobile that struck the boy is unknown. It is said that he stopped his car after he struck the boy, and saw that he was injured but then drove on.

The boy was rushed to town and given medical attention. He is said to be resting well.

Read the plan to put over the Cemetery Association and be one of those who are going to donate one dollar per month to the cause. Big Spring folks are generous and we know they are going to supply the Cemetery Association with the needed funds.

**COMING SOON**

**LOST AT FRONT**

**R and R LYRIC**

# Sunday School Lesson

REV. F. M. FLYWATER, D.D., Dean, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, (© 1927 Western Newspaper Union)

Lesson for July 31

DAVID AND JONATHAN

LESSON TEXT—I Samuel 18:1-4; 19:1-7.

GOLDEN TEXT—There is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother. PRIMARY TOPIC—Two Good Friends. JUNIOR TOPIC—David and Jonathan.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Choosing the Right Kind of Friends. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Obligations of Friendship.

The friendship of David and Jonathan has become immortalized in the world's thought. It was unique in that it occurred between two men of rival worldly interests. Jonathan was the crown prince, the heir to the throne. David was heir according to the divine choice and arrangement. Jonathan knew this and magnanimously waived his natural personal rights to the one he knew God had chosen.

1. Friendship Established Between David and Jonathan (I Sam. 18:1-4).  
1. Love at Sight (vv. 2).

Following the interview of Saul and David after the victory over Goliath, Jonathan's soul was knit with that of David. He loved him as his own soul. While there was mutual love, this pleasing trait stands out more prominently in Jonathan than in David because it meant great loss to him—the loss of the throne; while it meant immense gain to David, the acquisition of the throne to which he had no natural right.

2. Covenant established (vv. 3, 4). Following the love covenant between them, Jonathan stripped himself of his court robe and his equipment and gave them to David. This act was a virtual abdication of the throne to David.

II. Jonathan Defended David Against Saul's Frenzy (I Sam. 19:1-7). David went into the battle with Goliath out of zeal for God and true religion—not for personal glory, but it turned out as always that because he made God first, God honored him.

Upon David's return from victory over the Philistines, according to Oriental custom he was met by a triumphal chorus of women from all the cities of Israel chanting praises to him for his victory over their enemy. They ascribed more praise and honor to David than to Saul. These women seemed to sing as answering chants. The one sang, "Saul has slain his thousands," the other answered, "and David his ten thousands." To hear sung the praises of a shepherd boy surpassing his own was too much for Saul. It aroused murderous envy which had been slumbering in his heart and moved him twice to attempt to kill David. This wickedness was in his heart as a bitter feeling, but this occasion fanned it into a flame, making it a burning passion of evil.

In Saul's third attempt to kill David, Jonathan defended him before his father and evoked from him the oath that David should not be slain. He thus exposed himself to the anger of his infuriated father for David's sake.

III. Jonathan Revealed to David Saul's Murderous Intent (I Sam. 20:30-40).

The beginning of the new moon was celebrated by sacrifices and feasting at which all the members of the family were expected to be present (v. 5). David's excuse for being absent was that he might go home to attend the yearly sacrifice of the entire family. The annual feast was more important than the monthly feast. Matters were now so serious that Jonathan and David renewed the covenant between themselves. In this renewal the terms were broadened beyond the life of Jonathan (vv. 14, 15). Saul's anger was now so fierce that for Jonathan to be found in David's company was most dangerous, so he cleverly planned a sign by which he could make known to David Saul's attitude and purpose. We prove our friendship by warning those who are exposed to danger. David's heart responded by pledging fidelity to Jonathan's seed forever. This pledge was faithfully carried out by David (II Sam. 9:7, 8). Concerning real friendship observe:

1. It should be made while both parties are young, when the hearts are capable of being knit together.
2. Real friends are few. We should be careful in the formation of friendships. For though we should love everybody we can have but few friends. Friendship should be formed for the purpose of helping each other. There can be no real friendship except where merit is on both sides.
3. Real friendship can only be with God-fearing people. Both David and Jonathan recognized their obligation to the Lord.

### Satan on Watch

Prayer is the strategical point which Satan watches. If he can succeed in causing us to neglect prayer, he has won; for where communion between God and His people is broken, the true source of life and power is cut off.—Andrew Murray.

### The Man at the Top

The man at the top is usually some one who has been in the habit of going to the bottom of things.—The Inspector.

### PROPOSED RAILROAD TO GULF

Big Spring should raise a bonus of \$50,000 to \$100,000 and offer it as an inducement for a railroad to the Gulf. A move is now underway to build a line from San Angelo to the Gulf and we should get on the band wagon. With the oil development in our section we would have a real inducement to offer.

The Missouri Pacific Ry. will be interested in such a line and the Santa Fe will come alive when they see another line headed towards the Plains section, which they have all to themselves.

Here's a little item from the San Antonio Express which may be of interest:

"About \$2,800,000 in bonds will be sold to Eastern banking interests to finance the proposed San Angelo-Corpus Christi railroad. It was announced Wednesday by Albert Steves, chairman of the committee in charge of preliminary work. The bonds will bear six and one-half per cent interest and their sale has been assured.

"The road will be incorporated for \$200,000, and the charter will be applied for within the near future. Virtually all the \$22,500 preliminary amount needed is now available in cash, the committee announced Wednesday.

"Tentative plans for construction of the line call for new road totaling about 200 miles. This might be scaled down to 125 miles of new lines if favorable negotiations with existing lines are concluded, it was announced."

Frank Wynn was called to Fort Worth Friday night by the serious illness of his granddaughter, Clara Lee Jones, aged 7. Mrs. Wynn was in Fort Worth at the time the little girl became ill.

### RANCHMEN'S ROUND-UP TO BE HELD AT SONORA

The third annual Ranchmen's Round-up will be held at the Ranch Experiment Station at Sonora, Texas, August 9 and 10. A cordial welcome is extended all ranchmen, former ranchmen or other interested ones to attend this reunion.

### L. S. McDOWELL DONATED FAT CALF TO OLD SETTLERS

The Old Settlers are feasting today on some fine juicy barbecued beef and mutton. One of the beefs barbecued was a fatted calf donated to the committee by L. S. McDowell. The committee of which T. H. Johnson is chairman, made an appeal to all old settlers to make donations for the reunion which is being held at Parrish Park today and a hearty response was received. Mr. McDowell and Joe G. Carter donated beefs and Sam Childress donated a sheep for the barbecue and others gave generously of supplies and money.

### DR. ORA E. ESTES ILL

Dr. Ora E. Estes is expected to arrive home this week from Marlin, where she has been under the care of a specialist the past two weeks. Dr. Estes had gone on a vacation trip to Marlin and enroute there she became quite ill in Fort Worth.

Shaving utensils of all kinds... Cunningham & Phillips.

Rev. Thompson: "How do you do Mrs. Smith? I hear your husband is ill."

Mrs. Smith: "Yes, I'm sorry? to say he is."

Rev. Thompson: "Is he critical?" Mrs. Smith (with a sigh): "Critical? He's worse than critical; he's abusive."—Ex.

### TO PAVE HIGHWAY FROM AMARILLO TO ANGELO

A good roads meeting is to be held at Tahoka, August 11, for the purpose of developing interest in the paving of the entire stretch of Highway No. 9, between Amarillo and San Angelo.

Cities all along the route are being invited to the meeting by Col. H. H. Haines, general manager of the Amarillo Board of City Development, who is the principal instigator of the meeting, and the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce. Towns expected to have large delegations present are Amarillo, Canyon, Tulla, Plainview, Lubbock, Lamesa, O'Donnell, Big Spring, Sterling City, San Angelo and smaller intermediate towns.

Members of the State Highway Department, officials of the Glacier-to-Gulf Highway, State officials, and road building experts will likely be invited to the meeting.

At this meeting a movement will be started to pave the highway thru all of the counties between the two cities of Amarillo and San Angelo. Potter, Tom Green, and part of Howard are already paved. Bonds have recently been voted by Randall and Hale Counties, and movements for

paving are being inaugurated in Swisher and Lubbock Counties.

Highway No. 9 is designated as both a State and Federal highway, being known as Federal Highway No. 385. It is a part of the transcontinental Glacier-to-Gulf Highway leading from Corpus Christi to San Antonio, thence to San Angelo, Amarillo, Denver and finally to the Glacier National Park.

It is recognized as one of the most important north and south highways west of the Mississippi River. Especially during the summer season is the highway heavily traveled by tourists enroute to the mountain resorts of the West and Northwest and to the Gulf of Mexico resort cities of Texas. Much of the highway is already paved, and with the paving of the route through a few of the counties in western Texas this will become one of the very best highways in the United States.

A large crowd will be expected to attend the meeting at Tahoka, half way between Amarillo and San Angelo, and plans are under way by the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce to take care of large delegations from at least twelve or fifteen cities.

It Pays to Read Herald Want Ads.

DIFFERENT... "How did Jones... judge ruled that he... alimony?" "Chagrined." "And how did she... "She grinned."—Ex.

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# Keep your mileage record Prove these claims!

IT'S simple to check the extra miles which Summer Conoco Gasoline delivers. Just keep an accurate record of your speedometer readings every time you fill the tank. Then you'll know why it pays to deal only at the Conoco sign.

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- M. J. SANDERS Highway INGRAM & BRITTON
- Ackerly

H. G. LEES, Agent

# Mid-Summer Bargain



Those who have not yet enjoyed a vacation, but are planning a trip before cooler days arrive, will find many bargains in store for them here.

Perhaps milady will be needing something cool and summery. We still have many attractive frocks in sheer materials.

## At Reduced PRICES

### MEN'S SUITS---

If the man is looking for a new suit—it is here that he will find the newest modes in both light and dark shades—the best bargains that money can buy. Come in and see for yourself.



### PIECE GOODS

Voiles, gingham, organdies, wash crepes—a variety of patterns and colors. Come in today and select material for a new wardrobe. Every piece moderately priced.

## Children's Necessities

Wearing apparel for the boys and girls of school age is our specialty. We have oxfords and slippers for them—the best to be had—also hose to match. Dress up your children in an entire new outfit from our children's department.

BARGAINS ALL OVER THE STORE COME IN AND SEE THEM WE WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD

SHOES HATS CLOTHING The Grand Leader DEPARTMENT STORE READY TO WEAR DRY GOODS BIG SPRING

**MILLER AND LICK BUY BAUGH AND TEAGUE SHOP**

Miller and Lick have succeeded Baugh and Teague in the tailoring business, having bought out their shop in the Fox building on East Second street, just opposite the post office. The new proprietors took possession of the shop this week. They are experienced tailors, and not only do cleaning and pressing, but other lines of tailoring as well.

**SAY FOLKS!**

Look at Creath's before you buy furniture. Lots of bargains there in new and used furniture. I have a nice assortment of new bedsteads, springs, mattresses, iron and canvas cots, Durolin floor covering, guaranteed to satisfy. I have a good line of oil stoves, wood and coal cook stoves and ranges that have been used but are in good condition and if sold will guarantee satisfaction—and my guarantee sticks. I still make mattresses and guarantee that you will be satisfied. I need cash to pay my bills and finish paying for my new home and I will figure your bill close. J. R. Creath.

**HARDWARE CONVENTION TO BE POSTPONED UNTIL OCTOBER 18**

The West Texas Hardware Dealers Convention which was to have been held in Big Spring September 15 has been postponed until October 18. The new Crawford Hotel will be completed by this date and Big Spring can then adequately supply hotel accommodations for the many visitors from throughout West Texas who will attend this convention.

Lots of kitchen cabinets and dining room tables that have been used but are almost as good as new, for sale at a bargain at Creath's. Our prices will make you smile. J. R. Creath.

**REVEREND STEDMAN WILL BE IN FORT WORTH NEXT MONTH**

Rev. Frank H. Stedman, rector of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, will leave Sunday night for Fort Worth where he will be in charge of the St. Andrews Episcopal Church of that city during the month of August. There will be no services conducted by the rector at the local church until the first of September. Anyone needing Reverend Stedman, can phone the rectory or address a letter to him, care of Saint Andrews Church, Fort Worth, Texas.

Golf balls and sticks..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Chas. A. Goodwin, brother of Mrs. A. B. Maxfield and a brother in law of J. R. Creath, who was taken to Scott and White sanitarium at Temple for an operation for gall stones, is reported to be in a very serious condition.

**FOR SALE**

A good Edison phonograph almost as good as new; at half price. For cash at Creath's. Why wait and miss this deal? I need money and you need the phonograph. J. R. Creath.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lomax and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stallings and daughter Evelyn returned last Thursday from a visit to the Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest in New Mexico.

**Just Tottering, So Weak**

"I was in a bad state of health and was going through a critical time of my life," says Mrs. Ella Scarborough, R. F. D. 5, Dothan, Ala. "Several different things were recommended to me, but I did not get any real relief until I began to take Cardui.

"I was just as weak as could be. My legs were shaky, and often I would just totter around the house. I finally got so bad that I was in bed several weeks.

"It was then that I began to take Cardui. I kept it up for quite a while, and at last I regained my health. Cardui was certainly a friend to me in time of need.

"My health is splendid now, and I seldom have to use medicine, but I gladly say a word about Cardui whenever I find a friend going through the same suffering which I endured."

For sale by all druggists. 2-122

**TAKE CARDUI A PURELY VEGETABLE TONIC**

**Personal Mention**

Charlie Sholte arrived last week from Fort Worth for a visit with friends in this city.

Typhoid vaccine...Protects you for three years.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. Arda Gentry was here Sunday from Lubbock visiting relatives and friends.

A whole case full of imported perfumery.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bob Austin and Miss Vivian La Jeunesse are spending the week in Dallas.

Elizabeth Arder...The line of toilet articles that "knocks 'em cold"... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. John M. Green and daughter Ophelia, after a visit in this city with her daughter Mrs. Chas. Eberley returned to their home in Sweetwater last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Currie of Glasscock County attended the funeral of Mrs. Will Mann in this city Sunday.

Poison fly paper..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. H. B. Robb and children, Miss Mabel and H. B. Jr., arrived last Thursday for a visit in this city with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hatch, other relatives and friends.

Chicken and stock remedies of all kinds.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hair and children, Miss Mamie and M. B. Hair, left Wednesday for a several weeks visit in Mineral Wells. Mr. Hair will go on to his old home in Anderson, Texas. After a two weeks rest M. B. Hair will go to Old Mexico for a several weeks tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam A. Miller returned Monday from a several weeks stay at Mineral Wells, where Mr. Miller has been taking treatments for an attack of rheumatism. He returns to this city greatly benefited but it will be sometime before he is able to report to work.

Mrs. Zue Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Miss Mildred Maples, all of Athens, Texas, and J. A. McDonald of Los Angeles, Calif., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McDonald and family the latter part of last week. After a visit with friends and relatives in Lubbock, Mrs. Johnson and Miss Maples will return to Athens, and the others in the party will continue their trip to points of interest in Arizona and other western states.

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John Horn who has been quite ill the past six weeks is reported to be somewhat improved at this writing.

**DRINK WHERE IT'S COOL. . . . CUNNINGHAM AND PHILLIPS.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson have returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Rising Star.

Mrs. T. Brown, wife of a prominent ranchman near Houston, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Johnson in this city.

Mrs. Alice Johnson of Little Rock, Ark., is here to spend the remainder of the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Koberg and family.

Clara Lee Jones, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen M. Jones of Fort Worth has been quite ill this week. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wynn of this city are at her bedside in Fort Worth.

Herald Want Ads Get Results



**Big looks—husky, dependable.**

**Big comfort—extra air space smooths out the roads.**

**Big mileage—the two extra plies mean many extra miles.**

**You get everything, plus, in**

**Pennsylvania Balloons**  
6-PLY HEAVY DUTY

**Big in all things except price.**

Let us show you

**McNEW Overland Co.**

**Sul Ross**

**State Teachers College**

ALPINE, TEXAS  
(Elevation: 4600 feet)

FURNISHED COTTAGES: 2 bedrooms, living room, kitchenette, bathroom; neatly furnished and conveniently located—\$25.00 a month. Move to Alpine and give your children a college education.

GIRL'S DORMITORY UNDER FACULTY SUPERVISION: Room and board at \$30.00 a month.

**Investigate What Sul Ross Has to Offer**

An Ideal Climate, Winter and Summer, for Study and Recreation

Spend One Long Session at a State School Located in the "Alps of Texas"

Fall Term Opens September 21, '27

H. W. MORELOCK, President

**Profit-Sharing Week**

**Closes Saturday 9 P. M.**

Take Advantage of The Values We Have to Offer at This Time

French val edgings  
Regular 5c lace  
Priced for this sale, 2 yds. . . . **5c**

Baby pants made of pure gum-rubber  
Assorted sizes, pair . . . . . **21c**

14-ounce paneled ice tea tumblers  
Special at, 6 for . . . . . **49c**

1-4 inch double stretch elastic, black and white,  
Special, 2 yards for . . . . . **5c**

Box stationery  
24 sheets, 24 envelopes  
Assorted colors, per box . . . . . **19c**

Water pitchers of paneled glass  
64-ounce size, each . . . . . **39c**

Gray enameled pail  
9-quart  
Special --- each . . . . . **49c**

Handkerchiefs  
Men's or ladies  
plain or fancy, each . . . . . **4c**

Snow Bird  
Floor mop, each . . . . . **49c**  
Bottle of polish . . . . . FREE

Ladies Rayon  
Bloomers  
Very special, at pair . . . . . **79c**

Sanitary Napkins  
Box of 12  
During this sale only, box . . . . . **39c**

Bath towels  
20x40-inch  
Fast color borders, each . . . . . **25c**

Brooms  
4 sewed  
Good weight, each . . . . . **49c**

Turkish towels  
14x22 inch  
Until Saturday night, each . . . . . **9c**

Special Prices on All Straw Hats

1-4 Off On All Bathing Suits

Camping Supplies of All Kinds

SAVE YOUR CHINAWARE COUPONS

**REMEMBER**

These prices are good until 9:00 p. m. Saturday, July 30. Come and get your share.

**STONE'S VARIETY STORE**

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

We Are a Member of Ben Franklin League of Retail Stores

# ONLY 7 MORE

# COMMUNITY THRIFT DAYS

Albert M. Fisher Co.

### NOTE

Thrift Days is a new event to Big Spring which is proving very popular. The unusual items offered are those of special purchases obtained from manufacturers who are anxious to turn their summer stocks into cash even at a great loss.

## Have You Discovered The Unusual Savings?

Many have, and have saved many dollars on the things they need now. Thrift Days is a store-wide event, in which every department is participating—not only with the year's lowest prices, but with greatly

enlarged stocks. As fast as merchandise moves out other merchandise arrives to take its place, so Thrift Days maintains complete selection at unusual values.

### THRIFT PRICES Strictly Cash

Just a small investment will give you 100 per cent and better value. You can't afford to miss this event. The same quality, new styles at thrift prices.

### ALL CLOTHING AT THRIFT PRICES



**1-3 Off On Summer Suits**  
**\$14 Suits \$9.35**

Looking cool, being cool and keeping cool can be accomplished in one of these Tropical Worsted, Linens or Gaberdine Suits.

#### STUDENT'S SUITS

Size 32 to 36

One lot of student's suits in flannels and gaberdines. Good suits for school wear. Very specially priced.

**\$19.85**

#### Kuppenheimer and Rico Rochester

**\$37.50 Suits \$28.15**

Many are buying these fine suits for fall and winter wear. You too, can save. See them today.

Men's Athletic Underwear	69c
Good quality, full fashion back	
Florsheim Shoes	\$8.85
Just a few more days at	
Other Oxfords	\$5.65
For men	

### Ladies Slippers at Great Savings

\$10 and \$11 Slippers

**\$7.50**



One Lot

\$10 and \$11 Slippers



**\$5.00**

## FROCKS for Immediate Wear

One can't realize what values these really are until one has been in to see them. The several days this far has been like a surprise party in our dress section—women finding just the frocks they wanted less than one-half the price they expected to pay.



### Crepes : Chiffons : Georgettes Prints : Voiles : Wash Silks

Size 14 to 44 and also stouts

### for Sport, Street and Dress Wear

Values \$9.85 to \$14.75  
Choice materials in very clever designs. Many styles for all occasions.

**\$7.00**

Values to \$29.50  
Clever designs in prints and pastels. Frocks that are worth twice the price

**\$13.25**

#### VOILES AND LINENS

A group of very interesting values. These frocks are with or without sleeves in new designs and colors. Dresses one needs for summer afternoons.

**\$5.95**

Values to \$19.85  
For any summer occasion where smart fashion holds their court.

**\$9.25**

Values to \$39.50  
Cool, airy chiffon and georgette. Pastel shades and high tones for sport wear.

**\$17.45**

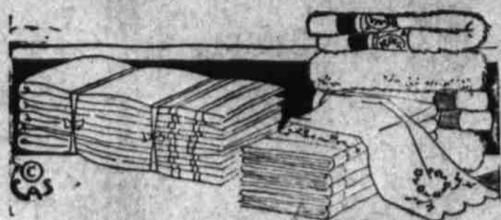
#### CHILDREN'S FROCKS

Size 4 to 14

Lovely little silk and printed frocks. Dainty designs that the little misses will want and mothers will like. —and up to \$4.45

**\$2.95**

### Big Ben Towel Specials



#### Face and Bath Towels

Face Towels, very special	12 1-2c
23x45 plain white bath towels	29c
23x45 A heavier Big Ben towel in pink and blue borders	59c
Bath rags with pink, blue and gold borders. A good value	5c
Bath mats in high colors	\$1.69
Plain white	95c

#### BED SPREADS

A plain serviceable spread 81x105 inches in rose and blue and lavender and green combinations \$1.95  
Large size rayon and cotton spreads. A host of color combinations. Very unusual values \$2.95 and \$4.95  
Other fine spreads up to \$10.95

### Piece Goods at Thrift Day Prices

\$2.95 printed Georgette Crepes, 40 in. wide in floral designs and dots. Pastel shades	\$1.95 yd.
\$2.95 printed Crepes. Novelty designs in high colors for sport wear. 40 in. wide	\$1.95 yd.
22c Gingham and Percales. Prints and solid colors 32 in. wide	22c yd.
39c two-ply Voiles in prints and dots. 40 inches wide, fine quality	15c yd.

### Thrift Days for Children



#### CHILDREN'S APRONS

Size 2 to 6

Very dainty little aprons some with and some without sleeves. All with smart little collars and darling pockets. Also Panty Dresses at

#### Children's Pajamas

Size 2 to 14

A cool cotton crepe in white and colored backgrounds with animal figures of contrasting colors

#### 1-4 Off On Children's Shoes

Size 0 to 2

Infants, first-steps and childrens shoes and slippers. Here is an opportunity to get childrens needs in quality shoes for the price generally asked for the lower quality

Worthwhile Savings for All the Family  
Gotham Hose and Stetson Hats Reserved

# Albert M. Fisher Co

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Save Now On Things for Immediate Use  
Every Purchase Must Be Satisfaction

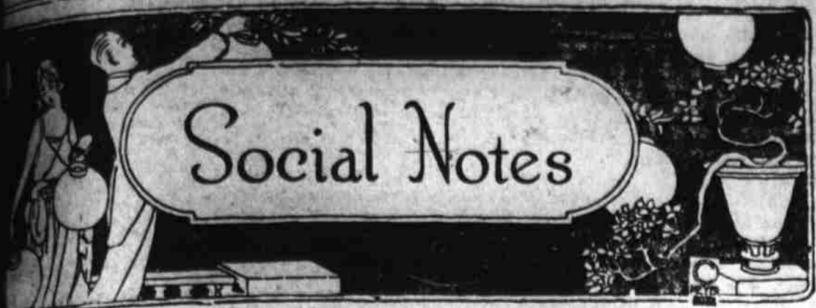
# The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, July 29, 1927

By T. E. Jordan

## Social Notes

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### BREAKFAST HONORING LUCILLE STEVENSON

Breakfast has been a gay one for the younger social set. It has been feted with many parties and formal gatherings given in honor of out of town visitors and guests of relatives in this city.

### PRETTY BRIDGE AFFAIR GIVEN IN WHITNEY HOME

A charming hospitality was given in the Whitney home on last Saturday morning with Misses Virginia Whitney, Lillian Shick and Mamie Hair hostesses, entertaining seven tables of players at bridge. The rooms of the home were made lovely with cut flowers and in this pretty setting the tables were arranged and daintily appointed for the card games.

### MISS ALICE SCHOLZ AND JOE HOPPER MARRY SUNDAY

The wedding ceremony which united in marriage Miss Alice Scholz and Joe Hopper of Toyah, Texas, was performed in the study of the First Christian Church at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, July 24 by Claude Wingo, minister. Immediately following the ceremony the happy couple left for Lamesa where they joined the Motorcade enroute for Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest in New Mexico. After this trip they will return to Toyah where they will make their home.

### MISS FRANCES McNEW ON HONOR ROLL AT T. O. U.

Again Miss Frances McNew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McNew, is receiving congratulations for her splendid success at school, and for the high honors of scholastic standing that have been hers since she has been a student at college. Following is a letter that she received from the President of the University this week.

### MRS. F. C. HOPKINS ENTERTAINS FOR GUESTS

Beautiful summer blossoms gave adornment to the rooms of the lovely Fred C. Hopkins' home on South Main street Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Hopkins most delightfully entertained at bridge, honoring her two guests, Misses Polly Miles and Jean Hoffer of Kaufman, Texas.

### BARBECUE TO BE HELD AT NEW WELLS MONDAY EVE.

In compliment to the new members of the Christian Church taken in during the McReynolds-Hall meeting a picnic will be given at the new wells south of the city Monday evening. The members of the Christian congregation are planning a delightful outing with a barbecue the outstanding feature of the entertainment. All members are urged to come out and make this a successful affair. Come and bring well filled baskets. The group will assemble at the church at 5:30 o'clock Monday afternoon and from there will drive to the picnic spot at the new wells.

### MIDSUMMER NIGHT DANCE AT B. P. O. E. HALL LAST NIGHT

A Midsummer Night Dance was given at the B. P. O. E. hall last night and those attending report a most enjoyable time. Music was furnished by the Virginians, under the direction of Mickey Rathbone, popular dance orchestra in West Texas.

### AT NEW WELLS

Misses Polly Miles and Jean Hoffer of Kaufman, with Lucille Stevenson of Paris, were entertained at a picnic on last Friday when Miss Nell Brown entertained in their lovely picnic spot at the new wells. A lovely picnic spot at the new wells was chosen and here the guests enjoyed a tempting repast of unusually delicious assorted sandwiches, salads, iced tea and straw-berries. After the picnic various kinds of out door sports were played.

### BRIDGE CLUB GUESTS

Members of the 1923 Bridge Club were entertained at a picnic on last Friday when Mrs. Hopkins entertained at the new wells. The picnic was a most enjoyable one and the members of the club were very successful in making it a most enjoyable one.

### ELMO MARTIN HOST AT PARTY

A very happy party was given at the home of Mrs. Lindsey Marchbanks last Friday evening between the hours of 7:30 to 10:30 when Mrs. Marchbanks entertained in honor of her nephew Elmo Martin. Games and dancing was enjoyed by the happy group throughout the evening.

### DE MOLAYS WILL ATTEND CHURCH IN BODY SUNDAY

The Big Spring Chapter of the Order of DeMolays will attend church services in a body Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour at the First Christian Church. All DeMolays are urged to attend this service. Be there and on time.

### MAYTAG COMPANY RECEIVES SHIPMENT OF MACHINES

The Maytag Company this week received half a carload of Maytag Washing machines from San Angelo according to Mr. Bomar the local representative of this company. Mr. Bomar further stated that if business continues as good as it has been the past month or so that the Maytag machines will be shipped into this city by the carload lots. The machines were brought to this city from San Angelo by truck so that they could be received here more promptly.

### FAMILY REUNION AT HOME OF MRS. M. WEISEN

The home of Mrs. M. Weisen was the scene of a happy gathering last Wednesday when immediate relatives assembled at her home for a family reunion. Quite a number of out of town relatives were here to celebrate the occasion and a big dinner served at the noon hour was a much enjoyed feature of the occasion.

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### WOOTEN BUILDING NEARING COMPLETION

The finishing up work is now in progress on the Wooten wholesale grocery building and it will not be long until same is ready for occupancy. In fact it is already being used, a carload of canned goods having been unloaded in this building this week.

### WAR DECLARED; FATS VS. LEANS

Fats Challenge Leans For Baseball Game. Proceeds to Go As Benefit to the Cemetery Association.

Jim Black, hefty captain of the Fats baseball team in the bloodless rivalry for the championship of Big Spring, has challenged E. E. Fahrenkamp, broomstick of the Leans for a fight to the finish, with no quarter asked or given.

### JUDGE AND MRS. J. B. LITTLER TO AGAIN MAKE HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Littler arrived Tuesday morning from Eastland to again make their home in Big Spring and a host of friends extend them a cordial welcome to the old home town.

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Remember to go to the polls on August 9 and cast your ballot. An election is being held to authorize the City Commission of Big Spring to issue bonds to the amount of \$40,000 for the purpose of improving and paving more streets in Big Spring.

The streets to be paved will be left up to petitioners decision. No streets are designated in the ordinance calling for the bond election for paving. This will be decided when petitions are handed in. Property owners on Scurry street have already handed in a petition asking that this street be paved.

### MORE SHOWERS VISIT COUNTY

Moisture measuring from a mere sprinkle to a regular gully washer was in evidence here Saturday, Sunday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

### JUDGE AND MRS. J. B. LITTLER TO AGAIN MAKE HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Littler arrived Tuesday morning from Eastland to again make their home in Big Spring and a host of friends extend them a cordial welcome to the old home town.

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### Large Oil Tank For New Hotel

Lincoln Tank Company of This City Sold 12,000 Gallon Tank to A. J. Crawford for Crawford Hotel

One of the largest and most up to date fuel oil tanks used by hotels or other large buildings in the state of Texas was sold to A. J. Crawford, this week, by the Lincoln Tank Manufacturing Company of Electra, Texas, with offices in this city. With a capacity of 12,000 gallons this tank is said to be as large as any yet sold to a hotel for a city of this size, and much larger than some in use in cities the size of Abilene, Austin and other places. The tank will be manufactured at the head offices of the company at Electra. An order has already been placed for same, and it will be shipped as soon as word is received from the construction crew at the hotel that they are ready for it.

### TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY IMPROVEMENTS

A large force of men is now at work at the site of the sub-station of the Texas Electric Service Co., east of Big Spring. Moving 16,000 yards of earth to make way for buildings, and foundations for the heavy machinery and equipment is the first big task. The Gifford-Hill Co., Inc., of Dallas, is doing this work.

The sub-station to be put in by the Electric Service Co. is said to be the second largest of its kind in Texas. Special transformers are being built for this plant. These will be capable of reducing the 132,000 volts of electricity to units of 60,000, 30,000 and 11,000 volts for distribution to other points in West Texas. The high line now under construction from Big Spring to Cisco will deliver the 132,000 volt current direct to the Big Spring sub-station. High lines to Sweetwater, Colorado, Stanton, Midland, Odessa, Coahoma, Clay oil field will permit this current to be sent from this point. Eventually high lines will be extended to Lamesa, Sterling City, Garden City, and on out to El Paso and in time we expect to see the lines extended on out to California.

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BY T. E. JORDAN

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Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice, Big Spring, Texas, under Act of Congress, May 8, 1897.

Big Spring, Friday, July 29, 1927

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

Sharkey may never become the champion heavyweight but it's a cinch he is the champion squawker. A man of his stripe will never become a popular champion, even tho he could lay them all in a row.

Mr. Ford has the courtesy of the nation tuned up to the proper pitch, so it is about time he was giving out some information as to the successor of "Lizzie." Mr. Ford is a regular Barnum in getting world's of advertising for a song.

Everything is in readiness for the Old Settlers Picnic at the J. T. Parish park just east of Big Spring—today—and a big time is going to be in order when the old timers get together.

When they come to you on the proposition of donating to a fund to secure an air port for Big Spring be as generous as possible for it is going to be worth much to our city as a whole if we can put this proposition over.

The appearance of some portions of our city could be improved nearly one hundred per cent if weeds and mesquite bushes were removed. The health of our city would also be improved if this clean-up work was carried out.

Business and professional men, as well as sportsmen, are purchasing airplanes for their individual use in perceptibly increasing quantities as they become aware of the fact that nearly any intelligent, careful person can learn to operate one with safety.

Tourist traffic is beginning to pick up quite a bit. The falling off of tourists during the early part of the summer is attributed to the flood conditions in the Mississippi Valley. From here on out the number of travelers should show a big increase.

According to the United States Treasury, the largest supply of monetary gold ever accumulated by any country in the history of the world, a total of \$4,598,782,795, was held in American vaults on April 1 of this year. This is about half of all the gold in the world.

A survey of tea and coffee imports shows that more than 73,000,000 persons in the United States are tea and coffee drinkers. Per capita consumption of coffee for 1926 was two cups a day or 14 pounds a year, while that of tea averaged one-half cup every 24 hours or three-fourths of a pounds for 12 months.

Commercial frauds cost manufacturers and wholesaler firms more than one thousand dollars a minute for each business day. These frauds consist of obtaining credit on false statements of assets, of concealing assets from creditors or referees in bankruptcy, and of other misrepresentations.

Don't hold up progress by refusing to sell your unimproved property to some one who is willing and ready to pay you a fair price and to improve the property. If we all hold tight and no improvements are possible we are just helping to boost some other city. Turn your property and make some other investments. Keep the ball rolling.

Sure it pays to treat folks white. When visitors to our city are seeking accommodations it will not hurt us to assist them in finding rooms or a residence—and they will not forget your kindness. Don't hold them up when you have a place to rent, for that is one of the surest ways to drive folks away from our city. Have a heart—treat them like you would like to be treated.

The cotton pickers and ginners received the real coin out of the cotton crop in our county last year while the cotton growers got what the little boy shot at. If cotton can't be harvested at a profit this year, leave what you and your force cannot pick in the field, and you will get more for the cotton you do pick. You can at least save the cost of picking the cotton. Don't be in too big a hurry to get the cotton gathered and you will save money.

Crops in Howard County have done remarkably well considering the small encouragement they have received from the weatherman. If bugs, worms and Jack Frost will keep hands off we may be able to report fairly good crops over a big portion of the county.

Some day we are going to see oil wells right in the front yard of Big Spring. Geologists say the old town is right over a sizable oil pool and several wells planned for the near future will bring the tests right near our city.

Remember what a scramble there was last year for another railroad to the Plains section from the East? Some of these days you will see this repeated, but the competing lines will come from the direction of the Gulf. Let oil development increase in the Plains and then you'll see things happen.

Twenty blocks of paving made a wonderful improvement in the appearance of Big Spring and an additional twenty to forty blocks would be worth much more. It costs money but such improvements bring money to our city. Show us a burg which makes no civic improvements and we will show you a dead town.

Can you imagine a fellow deliberately injuring his own interests? Yet there are a whole bunch of such folks right here in Big Spring who refuse to do a single thing to aid the growth and development of the home town. Wonder if it peevs them because our city keeps growing in spite of their lack of cooperation.

If you can't afford to build on that vacant property turn it at a profit to someone who can, and will, and invest your money elsewhere in Big Spring. You can't go wrong. The more there are who follow this policy the more rapidly will our city build up. Encourage the fellow who wants to build.

The weatherman has certainly checkerboarded our county with rains this year. Some portions have had generous rains and just when needed while there are spots in most every section of the county where the showers have not been sufficient to permit planting or cultivation.

If you by your actions show you have no respect for the laws of the land you are encouraging others to do likewise. If everyone should follow your lead we would have a land of anarchists and the lawless would take charge. Your influence may not be great but it is sufficient to injure someone if your influence is bad.

Supervised playgrounds and boys clubs are the best investment any city can make. Boys usually would rather do the right thing than the wrong thing, but they must do something. It pays to give him a chance to do the right thing, to work off steam in a gymnasium or playground. We would need fewer reform schools if we gave the boy a chance.

We don't seem to take to the idea of a local building and loan association, and yet it would aid in the up-building of our city and pay every stockholder good returns on his investment. We need to be educated to the value of this proposition to our community.

One of our citizens says he is thoroughly sold on additional paving because our first twenty blocks of paving was responsible for his making around sixty-six per cent on a piece of property which was not in demand until the paving program was carried out. The property was disposed of before he had to pay a single installment on the paving.

If you have a little money to invest you might erect a residence or two, for they are going to be in demand when things open up this fall. You will find it a good investment and you will also be helping your home town by building needed residences.

A successful agricultural program, poultry raising and dairying are just as essential as oil development and then some. We are going to be more dependent on agriculture than any industry to insure a permanent prosperity for our county and for the entire nation.

If Big Spring folks ever make the mistake other places have made—of charging all the traffic would bear for rooms and residences—they should not complain when the folks flock to other points. It pays to treat people right. Don't overcharge just because people need accommodations and seem willing to pay any price to secure them.

We should be able to keep money needed for harvesting our crops at home this year—or at least the major portion of it. We should not get in too big a hurry to harvest the cotton crop. All the crop harvesting money went out of the county last year—give home labor a chance to get a share of it this year.

**Dr. C. D. Baxley**  
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Big Spring, Texas

**DON'T WORRY**  
  
No matter what ails your watch we can repair it. **WILKE'S JEWELRY and OPTICAL SHOP.**

**ELBOW NEWS**  
We are having a good rain today. (Friday, July 22) and it is badly needed in spots. This will be a good boost to the crops and will insure good ones if we have one more rain.

G. W. Cunningham made a business trip to Big Spring Saturday. With one more oil rig in the north we will be closed in with derricks before long. Look out for when they punch the entire thing in the middle Elbow will pick up. Wonder who will hit the middle?

We have had our roads worked over, and this rain will settle them. Mr. Hollen has moved his grading camp 3 miles west of Elbow store at Mr. Coleman's.

Mrs. McKinnon of San Antonio is here visiting her children.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull visited their children in Big Spring Saturday.

Charline, the baby of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Grissom is improving rapidly since their return from New Mexico where the baby became ill.

J. P. Cauble is beginning to feel better since he started taking treatment from Dr. Brittle Cox. We hope he will continue to improve.

Miss Vera Cunningham from Lees visited Miss Goldie Fields Saturday.

Mrs. McKinnon and her children met at the Roscoe Dunnagan home Saturday where they enjoyed a family reunion.

I. B. Cauble has a good crop this year and everything looks bright for him; with one oil well on the north and one drilling on the west, just about one mile from his place.

J. H. Brink pumper at Settles No. 1 well still makes his daily visit to the Harding No. 1. Reporter.

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**E. S. OUTRANKS ENGLAND IN GRADE CROSSING TOLL**

Seven times as many American motorists are killed in grade crossing accidents each year as are killed in Great Britain, according to a bulletin issued by Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club. The American casualty list is five times that of France, he said.

"True, we have more automobiles, more miles of highway, and more grade crossings, but the figures are based on the number of accidents compared to the number of registered cars," Hayes said.

"On this basis one motorist out of every 3,000 in the United States lost his life in a grade crossing smash; in France it was one out of every 45,000 and in Great Britain one out of every 65,000.

Of the 222,756 grade crossings in the United States used by only 27,161 have protection, 205,593 unguarded, according to Sweetwater Reporter.

Diamonds over 100 carats select from, at Wilke's Jewelry Optical Shop—the diamond capital of West Texas.

**MOTHERS**  
Watch for symptoms of worms in children. These parasites are the destroyers of child life. If you reason to think your child has worms, give the little one a two of White's Cream Vermifuge. It cannot exist where this strong, successful remedy is used. It kills the worms and restores the health to baby cheeks. Free literature.  
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A Nationally Advertised Mile-Getter. The Tires That Give Service  
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A guaranteed 29x4.40 Cooper—Only \$10.95  
All sizes up to 40x8 at proportionate prices  
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**EDITOR'S VACATION**  
 Phoebe K. Warner

...with a household of ... and no help, the con- ... about the slightest ... summer vacation. Like ... his work is never ... while his latest issue is ... the country editor ... the trail of news for his ...

...at a certain hour on a ... that best of all publica- ... in the mail bag. And ... of all publications" ... The Home Paper is the ... and the most wholesome ... on the market. It ... room for trash. It ... for scandal. It is ... and the most looked ... in the whole country. ... never see our name in ... other paper. And no ... often we deny it or lie ... of us like to see our ... paper a few times be- ... notice goes to press. ... editor knows all this ... wouldn't disappoint us for ... He knows we are looking ... week's births, deaths, wed- ... visitors, accidents and ... especially those we already ... And most particularly ... which we or our family ... part.

...of the editors I have ... their publication so ser- ... they actually feel like ... would miss something if ... chosen under the sun they ... to fall to get that paper ... one week. And that's a ... to feel and a good habit to ...

...a suggestion to the ... from one who knows ... nothing about running a ... weekly newspaper. And ... advice from the inexperi- ... not so bad since it is inno- ... the little troublesome de- ... get in the way of the real ...

...tearing children. Those ... had the least or no experi- ... have the most beautiful ... They've never had any- ... in the way of their theories ... actually believe them.

...our suggestion: The coun- ... needs and deserves a vaca- ... as any other business ... man. In fact he ac- ... this vacation to himself ... patrons, even if he has ... paper go for one week.

...so many of your pat- ... say a good word to you ... paper is because you ... them a chance to miss it. ... an idea what your pa- ... them until they want ... something and it's not there. ... need a rest from the ... dirt and the con- ... noise and worry of that ... and your helpers need a ... you. And an editor needs ... away from his home ... county and folks and hear ... are doing. You might ... prouder of your own ... and county and people. ... we all get so tired of our ... has another that we grow ... the best qualities in the ... and fall to inspire the ... Then it's time to get ... draw a few comparisons. ... Here's Your Chance

...next, July 25 to 30, is the ... Farmers Short Course at ... College. There are over ... weekly papers in Texas. ... about 400 daily papers in ... Every one of them has an ... of you, both daily and ... are supposed to give ... to agriculture. As edi- ... represent the greatest agri- ... in this nation. When ... the ball game on you have ... right there on "the ... Farmers Short Course is ... game and the biggest ... content of the whole ... is the greatest State-wide ... meeting of the entire ... one of the most practical ... features of the whole ... one of the best broadcast- ... for new ideas in the ... and constructive knowl- ... at the Farmers ... in one week than in ... school in the State in the ... of time. It is the only ... where men, women, ... may all enroll for one ... university and universal ... is the only school where ... systematically rep-

...more than one thousand ... How many of you ... a week at your own A. & ... the Farmers Short ... the whole State in ... many of you ever at- ... judging or better kitch-

...I would speak for the city ... I would pay any country

**DONATIONS RECEIVED FOR CEMETERY ASSOCIATION**

An SOS to friends of the Cemetery Association calling for financial aid was answered this week by a few loyal friends of the association, a list of the donors being printed below. The committee in charge of raising funds for the association, namely: J. F. Wolcott, Dr. E. O. Ellington and C. W. Cunningham wish to thank those who have contributed to this worthy cause and wish to urge others to help. The Cemetery Association has to have money or else it cannot go on. It is absolutely necessary that the sexton's salary be paid and there are no funds in the treasury to pay it. This is an emergency and the money must be raised at once or else the things that have kept up the cemetery that have made it neat in appearance will be left undone and the grounds will go to ruin.

Those who have loved ones buried in the cemetery should lend a helping hand and want to see the good work kept in operation. The money raised will be used for the upkeep of the entire cemetery.

You are urged to donate. Send in your name and the amount you will contribute each month to the Herald or to one of the committeemen. A list of the contributors will appear in each issue of the paper. Following is a list of those contributing to this fund this week:

Jed A. Rix, Lubbock	.....\$12.00
Coe-Parks Lumber Co.	..... 12.00
A. P. McDonald	..... 12.00
Burton-Lingo	..... 12.00
W. G. Hayden	..... 12.00
J. B. Harding	..... 12.00
T. S. Currie	..... 12.00
T. E. Jordan	..... 12.00
Rix Furniture Co.	..... 6.00
Robert Evans Jr.	..... 6.00
Big Spring Hardware Co.	..... 6.00
A. G. Hall	..... 5.00
J. B. Pickle	..... 5.00
Dr. Wofford B. Hardy	..... 5.00

Who will be the next to make a donation?

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Pike returned Sunday from an eight days outing on the north and south Llano and San Saba rivers. They report a most delightful trip and had plenty of fisherman's luck.

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editor to shut his shop, lock the door and take next week off and give himself a vacation at the Texas A. & M. You would get enough inspiration to make a better paper for the next 51 weeks. Your patrons could well afford to go without their paper next week in order that you might go unhampered to that great school and become thoroughly imbued with the spirit of a new agricultural day. Your agricultural patrons need and deserve the inspiration and knowledge you would bring back home to them.

Of course you are all economically independent and don't have to economize. But in case you are not a spendthrift, you couldn't have a better vacation on so little cold cash.

**Star Parasite Remover**  
 Give in water or Feed with chickens and turkeys of intestinal worms, disease parasites, blood-sucking Lice, Mites, Flies, Blue Bugs; Improves stock health, reduces disease, increases egg production. Eggs hatch better with stronger young chicks or money back.

**MORE EGGS**  
 Sold by J. D. BILES DRUG STORE  
 Big Spring, Texas

**PUBLIC RECORDS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Acuff leased to the Marland Oil Co. the S 1-2 of section 23, block 34, tsp. 1N, containing 320 acres.

G. T. Hall leased to Marland Oil Co. E 1-2 section 17, block 27, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, containing 320 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward leased to Marland Oil Co. SE 1-4 section 17, block 33, tsp. 1N, containing 160 acres.

Lee Forrest leased to Marland Oil Co. N 1/80 acres of SE 1-4 section 22, block 33, tsp. 1N.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Frazier leased to Roxana Petroleum Corp. all of NW 1-4 section 3, block 33, tsp. 1S, containing 160 acres.

Mrs. Alice McCutchan et al leased to C. R. Cox W 1-2 of section 44, block 31, tsp. 1N.

Baylor Leatherwood leased to the Roxana Petroleum Corp. SW 1-4 section 24, block 33, tsp. 1N, containing 160 acres.

J. W. Wright et al leased to Mrs. Emma Wright 121 acres out of SW corner of section 41, block 33, tsp. 1S.

Mrs. Eva Smith leased to Reuben Turner and John Greek S 1-4 section 45, block 33, tsp. 1S, and N 1-4 section 4 in block 33, tsp. 2S.

G. T. Hall assigned to Roxana Pet. Corp. lease on S 200 acres of S 1-2 of NW 1-4 section 43, block 31, tsp. 1N.

G. T. Hall assigned to Roxana Pet. Corp. lease on N 1-2 section 46, block 32, tsp. 1N, containing 320 A.

G. T. Hall assigned to Roxana Pet. Corp. lease on E 1-2 section 8, block 33, tsp. 1S.

G. T. Hall assigned to Roxana Pet. Corp. lease on SE 1-4 section 9, block 32, tsp. 1S.

Lockhart & Co. assigned to Robt. R. Penn lease on W 1-2 of NE 1-4 section 12, block 34, tsp. 1S, containing 80 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Leatherwood leased to Marland Oil Co. N 1-2 section 24, block 33, tsp. 1N, containing 320 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Garlington leased to Marland Oil Co. all of N 1-2 sections 20 and 23, block 25, H. & T. C. survey, containing 640 acres.

John P. Neece assigned to Frank

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Folsom and J. B. Daniel lease on 48 acres in W 1-2 section 36, block 33, tsp. 1S.

W. P. Menzies and T. N. Sloan assigned to Harry Hines lease on all SW 1-4 section 5, block 33, tsp. 1S.

Harry Hines assigned to J. T. Harrell lease on SW 1-4 section 5, block 33, tsp. 1S, containing 160 acres.

Wm. B. Currie sold to Jessie J. Morgan south 50 feet in east side of block 22 in College Heights addition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis sold to J. D. Biles and S. R. Weaver 93.8 acres out of NE 1-4 section 44, block 30, tsp. 1N.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Grisham sold to J. M. McGettis lots 10, 11 and 12 in block 20 in Jones Valley addition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Inkman and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woodall sold to R. C. Reed the N 1-2 of section 43, block 33, tsp. 1S.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Morris sold to C. G. Griffin S 50 feet of lot 2 in block 87 in Big Spring.

Frances Goldman sold to Norma Ashley McKenzie lot No. 11, block 3 in Jones Valley addition.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McRea and daughter, Dorothy, are planning to leave about August 1, to make their future home in San Angelo.

People come for a hundred miles around to have us fit glasses. There's a reason... A Better Fit for Less Money. Wilke's Jewelry & Optical Shop.

Mrs. J. L. Milner left Monday night for Dallas where she will select her line of fall and winter millinery for the Catherine Hat Shoppe. Mrs. Milner will leave Dallas Friday for a visit with her parents in California.

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 MRS. DORA ROBERTS  
 L. F. NALL

**WHY WE NEED AN AIRPORT**

The traffic manager of the National Air Transport, Inc., at El Paso this week to make a survey to determine whether the patronage would warrant his company interesting itself in a service between El Paso and Fort Worth. He stated he did not know how many stops would be made between the two points but thought there would be two. These would be at Abilene and Sweetwater or Big Spring.

The schedule of the air mail would be as follows: Leave El Paso at noon each day and arrive at Fort Worth at 7 p. m.

The mail would be picked up in Fort Worth at 7:30 p. m. arriving in Chicago at 7:30 o'clock the following morning and reaching New York at 6 the following evening. Final selection of the route will be up to the government.

It has been estimated that there are 20,000,000 radio listeners in this country.

According to the latest estimate, every third person in the United States works for a living.

During the past 100 years the population of the world has increased from less than 1,000,000,000 to about 1,700,000,000.

The demand for ostrich feathers has declined to the point where they are being used for dusters.

The last fight of the century will be a mere sideshow compared to the one scheduled for Sept. 20, when Jack Dempsey will attempt to wrest the world's championship from Gene Tunney. It's going to be some scrap and it's going to be some crowd that will clamor for a chance to see the bout.

There's a chance for Big Spring to win first place in West Texas, but we've got to get up and hustle if we accomplish anything. Landing a north and south railroad, paving our highways, securing natural gas to give us a cheap fuel are a few things we should be fighting for. Nothing is going to be forced on us; we must go after the things we need.

The announcement that the Fat and Lean baseball teams are to meet in deadly combat in the near future has set all tongues wagging. It means a Roman holiday for Big Spring. The citizenship will turn out en masse to witness the carnage and incidentally aid the Cemetery Association. Get your money up on your favorite.

There may be some justification for landless farmers who just as lief become wage earners trying to find work in cities, but the farmer who owns his own farm and loves farm life, we believe, should stick to his job. The farmer can always find a good living at home, while there is danger that many persons now drifting to the cities will find themselves without either jobs or rations next winter.—The Progressive Farmer.

We would move forward faster if the homefolks were working together in a more harmonious manner. Every new industry or proposition we put over helps every citizen in the community. If we had our best interests at heart we would be working as a unit.

About fifty million folks had the satisfaction of saying, "I told you so" Friday morning, while an equal number learned the taste of crow—as a result of Jack Dempsey knocking Jack Sharkey goofy in the seventh round of a world champion elimination boxing match.

When the new Crawford Hotel is completed many more oil men and business men will be enabled to make their headquarters in Big Spring. It was lucky for us that the slump in the oil game came when we were less prepared than at any time in our history, to take care of those who wished to visit our town.

Old Howard County should make an A-1 feed crop this fall; and with plenty of feed as a standby, the cow, sow and hen can be counted on to help a fellow make living expenses. As long as a man can make cotton a money crop just so long can he hope to get ahead of the old credit game.

The Lone Star Gas Co. was denied a franchise by the board of city development of San Angelo. Another company had agreed to pipe gas to Angelo immediately and won a franchise. The Lone Star Gas Co. plans to extend their gas lines to Big Spring at a future date. Here's hoping they get busy before some other company beats them to it.

Claud Edmundson reports that the rains Saturday and Sunday came in sight of his place but failed to visit his ranch southeast of Big Spring.

Mrs. Chas. Eberley who was ill the past week was able to be down at her place of business Monday morning.

T. B. Hoover returned the latter part of last week from Lubbock, where he has been night clerk at a hotel. He also attends the Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Biles left Wednesday night for a month's vacation trip to points of interest in California.

**E. F. ROBBINS**

Will buy leases and royalties in northern Glasscock and southern Howard counties if priced right.

Office:

West Texas National Bank Bldg. 30-1f. Big Spring, Texas

Phones: Office 774; Res. 724

**Dr. L. E. Parmley**  
SURGEON and PHYSICIAN

Office: City Drug Store

**ORGANIZATION OF LOCAL BARBER UNION PERFECTED**

Local barbers have organized a union to be known as Big Spring Local No. 921, and the following were elected officers:

President, R. E. Hancock.  
Vice President, T. R. Gathright.  
Sec. Treasurer, Lois C. Madison.  
Recorder, W. J. Bonner.  
Guide, J. B. Winslow.

The organization was started in June and to date thirty eight members have joined the union. Some are from Midland, Odessa and Stanton. The constitution and by-laws was approved at the regular meeting Tuesday night.

Meetings will be held every fourth Tuesday night in each month, and all members are urged to attend the meeting.

A gradual improvement in all lines of business is now reported and prosperous times are forecast for fall. In addition to being assured fairly good crops in our county, the increase in oil development is going to put more money in circulation.

A water line is being extended from the Texas Electric Service Co. plant in this city to the site east of town where the big sub-station is being established. The work of leveling the ground for the buildings and machinery at the sub-station site is now in progress.

Mack Stallings who underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix Tuesday is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. I. McDowell plans to leave today for Kerrville where she will attend the Women's Conference at the Presbyterian encampment.

**FIGHTING ANTHRAX IN NOLAN**

An epidemic of anthrax along the line of Nolan and Taylor Counties is now being fought. Approximately ten farms in Nolan County have been quarantined and over fifty head of stock have died. This particular section has long been subject to outbreak of this disease. There is little danger of the disease spreading as a strict quarantine is maintained. One man has the dreaded anthrax; he contracted same while skinning a cow which had died from the disease.

**NOTICE IN PROBATE**

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of 20 days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To all persons interested in the estate of T. G. Fletcher, deceased, B. Nelson, administrator, with will annexed, of said estate filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 1st day of June, 1927, for order authorizing sale by him of property of said estate, Lots Nos. 11 and 12 in Block No. 22, in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 1st day of August 1927, at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Big Spring, Texas, this 7th day of July A. D. 1927.

(Seal) J. I. Prichard, Clerk,  
County Court, Howard County, Texas. 42-3t



**Stealing Time**  
is Tiresome and Thankless Work

Like the man who complained of growing tired of eating hogs head continually. "That's tasty stuff," remarked a friend. "Maybe but I'd rather eat farther back in the hog," was his retort. You won't complain if you use our LINCOLN PAINTS. Their weather proof qualities make them a means of permanent protection.

**Coe-Parks Lumber Co.**  
Good Lumber — Friendly Service  
501 East Second Street

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**So Roomy . . .  
So Comfortable . . .  
So Easy to Drive . . .**  
*wherever you go*

Here is a low-priced automobile that motorists are enthusiastically driving on the longest tours—day after day, over all types of roads, in perfect comfort!

Come to our salesroom and see for yourself the ample room in each model for a capacity load of passengers. Test the deep, restful seats—pitched at the proper angle to encourage relaxation. Note the large, easily-regulated plate glass windows and the patented Fisher VV windshield.

Then take the wheel of your favorite model and go for a drive. Try every point in the speed range for smoothness of operation. Note the balanced feel of the wheel in your hands—the surety with which the car hugs the road.

Enjoy the cradled riding ease, provided by the semi-elliptic chrome vanadium steel springs—88% as long as the wheelbase!

Place your order now—and have your Chevrolet during the finest part of the touring season! We have a car ready for you. Come in today—and drive it!

—at these low prices

The Touring or Roadster	\$525	1/2-Ton Truck (Chassis Only)	\$395
The Coupe	\$625	1-Ton Truck (Chassis Only)	\$495
The 4-Door Sedan	\$695	All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan	
The Sport Cabriolet	\$715	Check Chevrolet Delivered Prices	
The Landau	\$745	They include the lowest handling and financing charges available.	
The Imperial Landau	\$780		



**KING CHEVROLET COMPANY**

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

THE WORLD'S LARGEST BUILDER OF GEAR-SHIFT TRUCKS

**RICH  
M-I-L-K**

We can furnish you with pure milk and cream because we have a herd of Jersey milk cows, led by a registered Jersey male—that have successfully passed the tubercular test given by the government.

Our milk is handled under sanitary conditions—highest quality and service.

TWO DELIVERIES DAILY

**Jack Willcox**

PHONE 319



## WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

By  
West Texas Chamber Commerce

**Brady** — The City Council of Brady has provided a market square adjacent to the business section which is to be used by farmers and other producers to market their products in this city. The market place is to be free to all who grow or manufacture the products which they sell, but is closed to others. An ordinance has been passed prohibiting the peddling or marketing of products on the streets of the city. The market plaza is to be provided with sanitary facilities and will have a competent caretaker to enforce the rules of the city ordinance.

**Spearman** — The new ice plant of the Inland Utilities Company has been placed in operation here. The plant has capacity of ten tons of clear pure ice every twenty four hours.

**Crosbyton** — Franchise has been let to the West Texas Gas Company of Amarillo to supply this city with natural gas.

**Winters** — S. W. Cooper, former secretary of the Crosbyton Chamber of Commerce has taken over the duties as secretary of the Winters C. of C.

**Cisco** — A mammoth crowd estimated at more than thirty thousand people attended the opening ceremonies of the Lake Cisco bathing beach, said to be the largest in the world. Visitors also inspected the new bridge built over Williamson Dam, and the new State Fish Hatchery just completed here.

**Lefers** — A large swimming, fishing and boating resort has been opened here on the M. B. Davis ranch.

**Tulla** — Eleven business men of Tulla have purchased a ten acre block of land for the site of the new Ewisher County hospital.

**San Saba** — The new fertilizer factory of the American Fertilizer and Chemical Works has been placed in operation here. The plant grinds fertilizer from raw material obtained at the company's mine here. A big barbecue was given to celebrate the opening.

**Megargel** — A new \$40,000 high school building is under construction here. Other development in this city includes organizing of a volunteer fire department; putting over a \$150,000 road bond, and the organization of a new chamber of commerce.

**Van Horn** — The county commissioners of Hudspeth County have begun court action in an effort to force sale of 600 sections of University land located in that county.

**Hermleigh** — A city water system is to be established here and the city council has already begun preliminary work on the system.

**Sweetwater** — The gypsum industry of Texas is assuming large proportions. Figures just announced show that in 1926 the output was 418,324 tons valued at \$4,059,367. Practically all of the Texas gypsum mills are located in West Texas. The gypsum is manufactured into neat plaster, stucco and wall board. Some plants manufacture tile and building blocks.

**San Angelo** — Claude Wild, former president of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce and for the last year assistant manager of the Amarillo Board of City Development has taken the post of manager of San Angelo Board of City Development. Millard Cope has been appointed publicity manager of that organization.

**Matador** — A campaign to eradicate coyotes in this section has begun here. O. L. Coleman of the U. S. Department of Agriculture is in charge of the work.

**Comanche** — Ninety dollars per acre was realized by J. B. Alcorn from his Comanche County grape farm. The vines producing these grapes are but sixteen months old.

### \$25.00 REWARD

Carpenters Union, local No. 1634 will pay \$25.00 reward for evidence sufficient of convicting any party stealing tools from any of its members. Notify C. E. Shive, Financial Secretary, Local No. 1634. 414

### MERCHANT ATTENDING ASSOCIATION MEETING AT DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Austin are in Dallas this week attending a meeting of the Federated Merchants. The Austin & Jones Dry Goods Store is a member of this federation which is composed of about 300 merchants who do cooperative buying. This enables each merchant to buy quality merchandise and sell it as a great saving to every customer and better prices can be offered on all merchandise.

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### LOOK OUT FOR "WALLINGFORD"

"J. Rufus Wallingford" is abroad in the land. Letters received from several sections of the Southwest take note of his presence. His specialty is to sell stock in some factory promotion scheme, and it does not make any difference to him what kind of a factory it is. He may specialize in creameries in one place, and a soap factory in another, and it is all the same to him if he succeeds in getting your money.

"J. Rufus Wallingford" is generally a man of pleasing address and appearance. He is a smooth talker and a most progressive individual. If you have any desire to become rich, and most of us have, and you have no control over your imagination, he can almost make you see gold dollars growing on trees. He is generally accompanied by another man who poses as a capitalist and a successful business man not given much to talking.

The industrial development in the South and its many opportunities for legitimate enterprise has attracted many irresponsible promoters to this part of the country. It is well before becoming enthusiastic about any of the schemes advanced, to make some close investigations. These investigations should include the proposed enterprise and its possibilities, and the promoters themselves. Do not rely altogether upon their own references. Look them up and find out where they operated last.

The man who has a legitimate proposition will have no trouble in answering all your questions. He is generally armed with credentials that will bear the closest scrutiny and investigation. There are many of them, and here and there is a "J. Rufus Wallingford." Look out for him. Farm and Ranch.

### WARNING AGAINST TYPHOID

Another warning is sent by Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer, to towns in the state to clean-up and get in good sanitary shape to prevent outbreaks of typhoid fever. "Word has reached the state department of health that week," Dr. Anderson stated, "to the effect that a large number of typhoid cases are in existence in a Texas town, and reports have also been received showing that there are a number of scattered cases throughout the state. This makes it imperative that all towns get in good sanitary shape, or typhoid outbreaks may be expected."

"Typhoid fever is a filth disease and is transmitted by such agencies as flies, food, fingers, and contaminated water and milk. Warnings have been sent by me from time to time during the last several months to municipalities to use methods of typhoid prevention, and a large number of towns responded with intensive clean-up campaigns, and check-ups on water and milk supplies, but there are still a number of towns where nothing has been done. City officials, chambers of commerce or other business clubs should see that their respective towns are in good sanitary condition."

### CARMACK'S POULTRY HOUSE

will buy all of your poultry and hides  
Pays highest cash prices.  
30-1f. PHONE 78

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sullivan and children left Sunday night for a visit with relatives and friends in Tennessee.

You don't have to put a plaster on the back of your neck to draw the smoke through our cigars. . . . . Cunningham & Phillips.

MEMBER  
TEXAS QUALIFIED  
DRUGGISTS' LEAGUE

Legally  
Registered  
Pharmacist

### Filling a Prescription Requires Skill

Prescriptions cannot be mixed like you would mix concrete. Portions must be weighed on delicate scales—the mixing must be just so, and the final result checked with the physician's written instructions.

**J. D. BILES**

Member Qualified Druggists' League

Read the League's messages in Farm and Ranch and Hollad's Magazine

### GETTING ALL A WAY TO PICNIC

If you desire to aid in making the Old Settlers Picnic today (Friday) a pleasurable occasion—make it a point to canvas your neighborhood and see that all those who have lived in Howard County for twenty years or more have a way of reaching the picnic grounds.

If you have an automobile it would be a fine thing for you to take some old folks, who have no auto, to the picnic and see that they have a way to get home. Such a deed would indeed be worth while and very much appreciated.

If you know of any who have no way of reaching the picnic see or phone any member of the general arrangement committee and an effort will be made to secure transportation.

Dave Saunders: "Good morning, Geordie, and how's the world treating you?"  
Geordie Paterson: "Verra seldom."  
—Ex.

### BATHING SUITS AT A REDUCTION...CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS

### FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW!

"The exchange machinery which makes it possible to deal in cotton not yet grown is a Godsend to thousands of farmers in the cotton belt." According to this quotation that grand old hymn, "Old Hundred," should be revised and the cotton exchange substituted for the name of the Diety! True, the meter would be spoiled, to squeeze four syllables in where only one grew before, but it would not be any lamer in the feet than most of the arguments that are used to bolster up the waning glamour of the commodity exchanges.

The quotation is from a series of articles now running in certain dailies purporting to explain the operations of the "major markets of America"—the stock and cotton exchanges in particular. In reality it has all the earmarks of deliberate propaganda put out by the fraternity which preys on the commerce of the country through those exchanges.

Here is another choice bit: "The dusky worker in the cotton fields of the South (the cotton grower is always "dusky" to the metropolitan writer), singing as he plows, cultivates and picks his crop, may not realize it, but the cotton exchanges, with their abstruse phraseology, are just as important to him as they are to the great textile manufacturers of New England and the Southland."

As a matter of fact, were it not for the gambling which the exchange makes possible, neither grower nor

manufacturer would need the benefits of "hedging" to "stabilize" the market, as the writer himself shows a little further on. Hear his administration:

"While this practice of hedging may appear to the outsider like a form of gambling, economists class it as trade insurance, and hold that it is an important factor in stabilizing the cotton industry. The practice really was built up, they say, to counteract fluctuations in cotton caused by the manipulations carried on by speculators."

Inferentially, we have a stabilized cotton market; the "dusky" cotton grower is dependent for existence on the philanthropic exchange; and the manufacturer would be "blown up" if there were no exchange through which to buy his cotton! The rhetoricians here have a new and luminous example of consummate sophistry.

And again, here's a sweet morsel: "The great bulk of the cotton crop is made by tenant farmers. The average tenant farmer seldom gets very far ahead financially. So, when the season starts, he goes to the general store and obtains credit against his crop."

Where, may we ask, is the analogy between the farmer borrowing against his crop, which he has the means to produce—land, teams, implements, and his own strength—and the selling of futures by a gambler who has no cotton nor means of producing cotton?

Right on this point is where many people become befuddled. Crop credit at the store or local bank is no kin to, nor in any degree dependent on the operations of the exchanges. If the banker has in his hands crop mortgages from actual

### NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County: Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To all persons interested in James O. McCauley, a Minor, Mrs. Maggie McCauley has filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 5th day of July 1927, for Letters of Guardianship which said application will be heard by said Court on the 1st day of August 1927, at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, at which time all persons interested in said Minor are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at Big Spring, Texas, this 5th day of July, 1927. (S)  
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk.  
County Court, Howard County, Texas

### JOHNSON'S AUTO TOP SHOP

Auto Tops Made and Repaired.  
Furniture Upholstering,  
Seats, Covers, Etc.  
PHONE 486

Shop located at 113 W. First St. in W. G. Hayden Co. Garage. Big Spring, Texas. 21-1f.

### DRS. ELLINGTON & HARDY DENTISTS

OFFICE PHONE 281

Main Street

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Only druggists who are members of the Qualified Druggists' League are authorized to use this Emblem

## We Have The Best



groceries and meats that money can buy. High grade canned goods and a complete line of staple and fancy groceries always in stock. We can also fill your orders for fresh fruits and vegetables in season. Give us a trial.

## "WHAT A ROAST!"

So says your husband, your children, your even your guests. They are good. Try them and you too will be glad to smack your lips!

All of our meats, tender and juicy, are from high-grade fattened cattle.

We give Green Saving Stamps with every cash purchase. Ask for them.

## Pool-Reed Co.

GROCERY AND MARKET  
Phone 145

## Courteous Service

FOR 37 YEARS

STATEMENT JUNE 30, 1927

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 777,483.31
U. S. and Other Bonds	101,500.00
Banking House, Furn. and Fixtures	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	6,883.80
Redemption Fund	2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00
CASH	211,733.99
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	\$1,124,601.10

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	130,039.49
Circulation	50,000.00
DEPOSITS	894,561.61
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	\$1,124,601.10

RESOURCES MORE THAN \$1,000,000.00

PROGRESSIVE SAFE LIBERAL  
The First National Bank  
OF BIG SPRING, TEXAS



**OFFICIALS OF REBECCA LODGE VISIT STANTON LODGE**

Officers of the Big Spring Rebecca Lodge motored to Stanton Monday evening to conduct the installation ceremonies for the newly elected officers of the Stanton lodge.

A fine meeting was in order and a real feast was enjoyed by the members and visitors at the close of the meeting.

The following Big Spring folks made up the party: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Crenshaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moore, Mrs. Hogg Coats, Mrs. C. A. Ballard, Mrs. Jess Andrews, Mrs. J. A. Kinard, Mrs. Mitchell Read, Mrs. Lucile Cauble, Miss Mildred Ballard.

Razor blades and shaving utensils. Cunningham & Phillips.

**REV. R. L. OWEN WILL LEAVE MONDAY FOR VACATION**

Rev. R. L. Owen and family plan to leave Monday for a vacation trip to San Angelo, Brownwood, San Antonio and Austin, and will be absent from this city about one month. During this time Reverend Owen will teach a course in Stewardship at the Presbyterian encampment at Kerrville, and will also hold a meeting in Troop and Smith counties.

**SAYS GRAPES DO WELL HERE**

T. F. Nabors has been telling us that the sandy land of Howard County was ideal for grape culture and to prove that he knew what he was talking about he brought the Herald force some nice grapes Tuesday. They were the Concord variety and as fine in appearance and flavor as you would find in any man's country. He expects to greatly increase his vineyard. He also treated us to some of the most luscious Golden plums you ever flopped your lips over.

Mr. Nabors states the rain in his section last Saturday was just as fine as could be and the outlook for good crops could not be better.

**HOLDING MEETING AT COAHOMA**

Dr. W. R. Hall, D. D., of the Manhattan Church of El Paso, has been in Coahoma this week holding a meeting for the Presbyterians and Methodists at the Presbyterian Church in that city. Good interest and splendid attendance has marked the meeting and some forceful and inspiring sermons have been delivered by Dr. Hall.

**NOTES FROM SALEM**

Rev. E. E. Mason filled his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday at Salem church. The Evangelist Rev. Ashford of Abilene has been secured to conduct the revival meeting which begins the fourth Sunday in August. Our pastor has requested every Christian to plan now to attend this meeting in much prayer and service and extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend. He urges all to attend every service.

Brother Thigpen our county missionary filled Reverend Mason's pulpit Sunday night. We were indeed glad to have him with us. We hope it will not be long until he comes again.

Mrs. Joe Hull of Abilene arrived Sunday to be the guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Rainey.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Big Spring visited with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dearing and family Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Fryar and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk and children and Mrs. Jessie Monteith of Midland were also visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson of Brownsville have been visiting their son, Roy Wilson. He stated crops were looking fine.

S. L. Hull made a flying trip to Knott Sunday afternoon to convey Brother Mason to his home.

Miss Bertha Miller went home with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Thomas to spend a week.

Roger Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rogers.

Rev. E. E. Mason, Earl Hull and family and Allen Rogers took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Newson Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Allen Rogers left last Wednesday night to spend a few weeks with homefolks at Waxahachie and Ennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Valley Mills who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson have returned to their home. Reporter.

**You attention is called to the fine showing of the State National Bank as per statement in this issue of the Herald.**

**DOUBLED CAPACITY OF RAILROAD YARDS**

Nearly one thousand cars can now be handled in the local yards of the Texas & Pacific railway. The ten tracks in the main yards can accommodate about 525 cars, and there are a dozen additional spurs and loading tracks which can take care of the balance. These special spurs and tracks are known by special designation and have the capacity designated: Long Tom 50 cars; high line 50 cars; Marland Industrial track 50 cars; ice track 48 cars; compress 35 cars; Burton-Lingo 30 cars; team track 25; Wooten 20; stock pens 16; rip track and two spurs 14; house track 10; general spur 10. Several new side tracks are to be built to new industrial plants.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded. That you summon, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Howard if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in a newspaper published in the nearest County to said Howard County, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, C. J. Crouse whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Howard at the Court House thereof, in Big Spring Howard County Texas on the First Monday in September 1927, the same being the fifth day of September then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the 7th day of July A. D. 1927, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 1102 wherein J. D. Cunningham is plaintiff and C. J. Crouse is defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

Trespass to try title to two acres of land, part of section 5, Block 32, 1 South, and in the alternative to foreclose a vendors lien on said two acres of land, the said land being situated in Howard County, Texas, and notice is hereby given to defendant to produce on the trial, deed, made by vendor reserving title, or secondary evidence will be introduced to prove its contents, and asking for its cancellation.

Herein fall not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Big Spring this, the 8th day of July A. D. 1927. (Seal) J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk, District Court, Howard County, Texas. 43-4t

Herald Classified Ads Get Results

**FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER**

Charles Chesnut, an experienced funeral director and licensed embalmer, has accepted a position with the Eberley Undertaking Company in this city. Mr. Chesnut is from Abilene, formerly with the Dan Laughter Undertaking Company.

Lee Black of the circulation department of the Dallas News was a business visitor in Big Spring Wednesday.

Pound stationery...with envelopes to match...Cunningham & Phillips

**NO SUCH LUCK**  
The fool and his money are parted full soon,  
Could the fool and his auto be Oh, what a boon!—Ex.

**BETTER WATCH REPAIR SERVICE**  
We are now running four repair benches and give you prompt and top-notch service. The entire shop electrically equipped. All this means a "Better Job for Less Money" Wilke's Jewelry and Optical Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Carter and daughters, Adine and Agnes, left Tuesday morning for a three weeks' stay at Christoval, where Mr. Carter will take the famous mineral baths, in hope that they will improve his health.

**LET US DO YOUR HAULING**  
We are prepared to do all kinds of hauling at reasonable prices. We will also furnish you the best gravel to be obtained. See us or phone 7. Maxwell & Locklar. 30-4t

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Barton of Garden City were in Big Spring Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. W. T. Mann.

**THE TONSOR**

Where you get satisfaction: bobbing a specialty; six barbers who know how; pleasant place to trade.

Located in heart of Big Spring—basement State National Bank Building.

**BEAUTY SHOP IN CONNECTION**  
J. L. McWhirter, Prop.

**PRESBYTERIAN NOTICE**

All members of the congregation and friends are urged to attend Church services Sunday as this is the last service to be held at our church before the pastor takes his vacation. Regular services in the morning and evening. This is an appeal for all to be present.

Mrs. J. Dix and little daughter of San Antonio are the guests of Mrs. Eb Hatch and other friends in this city.

**ENGAGEMENT RINGS FOR MEN**  
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Misses Twila Lomax and Arah Phillips returned last Thursday from Alpine where they have been attending summer school at Sul Ross State Teachers College.

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