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ANY NEW TESTS NOW IN PROGRESS

More Than a Dozen New Wells Are to be Started Chalk and Clay Fields and Adjoining Territory Now or in the Very Near Future

The Magnolia, Marland, Brisco-Merrick going with wells which had been and many new companies new tests in the field, the Howard County oil is in an especially favorable position. Most of the oil men are of opinion that the present operations to prevent production and the necessary price of crude will soon and a safe and sane development inaugurated. In the Howard County, and increasing number of wells being forced on adjoining fields is going to keep operations quite active until the slump oil game has passed.

We give a few of the new wells started or getting lined up for operations:

Godley Oil Co. Active

Godley Oil Co. has a force of men in the Clay field, getting ready to start development. This company is now erecting derricks getting ready to start drilling. Location of one of their wells is Main street of Ross City.

Spudded on Oxsheer Ranch

A well of Green, et al, on the ranch in Glascock County, thirty miles southwest of Big Spring was spudded in last week. The driller has been moved to the field temporarily to assist in a well for Mr. Green and his associates, near their other properties.

Oil Co. Begins Operations

Pure Oil Company is moving or more families here from Mexico to begin development in their holdings in the Chalk field.

Well North of Coahoma

It is reported that the Marland interests are to complete a well started by A. H. Bowers on the ranch. The work to begin as water line is completed. This well will be known as the Marland Jones No. 1.

Test Well on Section Six

On the new test well, one quarter mile northwest of Oxon Oil Co.'s Settles No. 1 is started next month. This test well is being drilled on acreage donated to V. Smith by Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Settles, B. Reagan and Fox.

Owen and Sloan to Drill

Owen and Sloan, the pioneer drillers and the Mitchell and Howard oil fields are getting things ready to start drilling on the Roberts ranch. Their holdings are midway between the Clay Settles oil pools.

Test Well on Guttar Ranch

The first test well on the Guttar ranch has been spudded in but so far has been rather slow. The test is located about 5 miles west of Big Spring.

Oil Showing at 675 Feet

It is stated that an oil showing was evidenced in the test well on section 156, block 29, at a depth of 675 feet. This well is being drilled by C. Harrison and others. The well is between the Fred Hyer and W. R. Settles oil wells.

Well on W. S. Martin Ranch

Donnalley et al test on W. S. Martin ranch, about twelve miles west of Big Spring is now drilled in a very hard formation below 600 foot mark.

At J. B. Harding Test Well

The drill is now pounding away below 2600 feet in the Marland et al test well on the J. B. Harding farm five miles south of Big Spring. Formations of lime and sand are being encountered.

The formations are very hard and sometimes it is not possible to make more than two foot in twenty-four hours.

Transcontinental to Drill Another

The Transcontinental has made a location on section 109, block 29, W. & N. W. survey and expect to start drilling operations shortly. It will be remembered that this company drilled a deep test on section 100, but failed to hit pay.

Tidal Oil Co. Begins Operations

The Tidal Oil Co. has let the contract for a test well on their holdings in section 114. They are drilling an offset to a Marland well, one that is rated as a good producer. Drilling is to be started at once.

Gulf Co. to Drill More Wells

It is stated that the Gulf Oil Co. plans to drill two more wells near their No. 1 producer in the Chalk oil field. The Gulf well shows to have found more gas than most any other well in the field.

F. H. E. Oil Co. Drilling Well

The F. H. E. Oil Co. of Wichita Falls has a force rigging up to make a test for oil on their holdings on the Dora Roberts ranch between the Fred Hyer and W. R. Settles producing wells.

World Oil Company Now Busy

Three trucks and trailers owned by the World Oil Co. are now busy hauling machinery and material to the L. S. McDowell ranch, 20 miles south of Big Spring where they have contracted to drill five test wells.

The location for their first test is approximately one mile southeast of the old General Oil Co. No. 4 well.

Magnolia Finds New Oil Sand

The Magnolia Oil Co. in drilling offset to the California's Foster No. 3, south of Iatan recently encountered an oil sand at 2756 feet. After swabbing fifteen barrels of oil, drilling was resumed in an effort to reach the stratum at 2885 feet in which the oil has been found in other wells in that section.

The Magnolia plans to drill several more wells in that immediate vicinity.

The California Company is to drill more wells in the Iatan territory and are now building a permanent camp west of their well No. 3.

The Marland's Brice No. 1

According to latest report on the Marland's Brice No. 1, just over the line in Martin County, concrete had been poured in an effort to cut off salt water so drilling could be resumed. This well is now more than 3500 feet in depth.

Another Iatan Test Being Watched

The Morrison well located on section 46, block 29, 18, south of the T. & P. railroad and about three miles east of the California Oil Co.'s wells near Old Iatan is now at an interesting depth and scouts have their eye on this test. The well is now around 2800 feet deep.

At Texon's W. R. Settles Well

All storage at the Texon Oil Co.'s well on the W. R. Settles ranch, southeast of Big Spring is just about filled and it will be necessary to soon suspend pumping until pipe line connection can be made.

Well Spudded In on Edwards' Ranch

Robert R. Penn of Dallas, this week spudded in a test well on the W. P. Edwards ranch about 20 miles southwest of Big Spring.

Geologists pronounce this test in a most promising territory.

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Roland Schwarzenbach who has been on the sick list is reported to be getting along nicely.

Gas for This City; Cold Storage Plant

And Other Important Propositions Discussed at Regular Directors Meeting of C. of C. Monday

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directorate was held Monday night at which time a number of important propositions came up for consideration.

President S. R. Weaver in opening announced that hereafter he expected to call meetings to order promptly on time and close on time, regardless of whether or not all business had been transacted. He urged the members to be on hand at the time of meeting and to cooperate in making the meetings snappy.

Among a number of interesting propositions discussed was the securing of natural gas for our city. Secretary Watson stated he had been trying to interest some parties in the proposition of piping gas from the Chalk field to Big Spring for commercial purposes but aside from some correspondence with out of town corporations he had no definite answer as to the feasibility of the proposition. He also stated that a gentleman of Hico, Texas, had been here to consider the proposition of installing a large cold storage plant. The visitor was most favorably impressed and looked over available sites. He promised to return in the near future, and as he has the capital to back him, it is thought the cold storage plant will be erected.

Report as to work on the road to the oil field was satisfactory. While slow progress is being made in removing the big boulders, dragging is going forward and the road is in fairly good shape. It is hoped to have it in first class shape in the near future.

The telephone situation remains about the same, with very little hope of much improvement in our city.

The district manager, Mr. Moore of Abilene, advised Secretary Watson that he had recommended to the head office of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. that telephone service be extended from Big Spring to the oil fields.

Secretary Watson announced that 1500 pounds of fine peanuts for planting had been secured by the C. of C. and would be distributed among our farmers in the next few days.

A request from the Baseball Park Association that the C. of C. make a donation for the new ball park was refused on account of lack of sufficient funds just at this time.

The question of financing the Big Spring Band came up for discussion and while all present were of the opinion that we must keep the band going, several believed it should be continued as heretofore, separate and apart from the C. of C. The following were appointed a committee to raise money to keep the band in operation: T. S. Currie, J. B. Pickle and T. E. Jordan.

The proposition of planning a delegation to attend the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Wichita Falls in May was discussed at length and it was decided that the C. of C. would send Secretary Watson but no advertising for the meeting would be prepared. If local citizens desired to get up a delegation it would be well.

Following is the report of the receipts and disbursements for the past year, as made by Secretary Watson.

Annual balance sheet from April 1, 1926 to April 1, 1927:	
April 1, '26 balance.....	\$ 471.14
April 1, '26 Deposited from memberships, banquets, roses.....
April 1, '26 Exhibits, poison, dairy cattle, band.....	\$25,127.92
Office supplies, typewriter, stamps, stationery, desk, etc.....	\$ 948.23
Salaries of manager, secretary, janitor.....	\$ 4,562.33
Extra office help before May 1, '27 and during holidays and membership drive.....	\$ 43.50
Ret. checks from membership.....	\$ 171.00
Phone and teleg.....	\$ 276.29
Electric service.....	\$ 17.50
Rent.....	\$ 525.00
Entertainment, annual banquets, sheriffs barbecue, band boys, etc.....	\$ 511.23
Expense, trip to Austin by Judge Morrison, motorway.....
	\$26,423.67
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CITY COMMISSION MET TUESDAY

The regular meeting of the City Commission was held Tuesday but only routine matters came up for consideration.

No Slow-up in Building for Big Spring

Work Continues on New Buildings and Improvements and There Will Be No Let-up Now

In one way it was in Big Spring's favor for the cut in the price of crude oil to come at this time for our city was not in a position to offer accommodations and conveniences for the many who were flocking here on account of the big oil development. Lack of hotel facilities; an insufficient number of homes, apartments and furnished rooms; no vacant business buildings; shortage of desirable industrial sites, all combined to give our city a blackeye and folks were compelled to go to other towns to secure a place to live or make headquarters.

The slow-up in oil development therefore is a boon for Big Spring since it enables us to catch our breath and proceed with the improvements which we now realize are justified and must be provided.

If, as many of the oil men predict, the slow-up in development is to continue for five or six months, Big Spring will be in shape to say, "Let's Go" when the big drive is again set in motion. By that time two new one-hundred room hotels will be completed, seven or eight additional business buildings and from fifty to one hundred new homes will be available.

A large industrial district with trackage is being established by the railroad company, and the local railroad yards are being doubled in capacity. A \$30,000 improvement in connection with the waterworks system to take care of the city's growth and increase the water supply will be carried forward and completed before resumption of the big activities in the oil field bring another rush of folks here.

All doubts as to our future growth have been banished and folks are safe in carrying out substantial improvements. Not one oil pool, but several have been found within a radius of twenty miles of Big Spring and wildcat wells now drilling may locate additional pools. The wells have disclosed oil sands at varying depths from 1250 to 3750 feet; in some of the shallow wells the oil sand measuring thirty feet in thickness. The production is same that the wells so far brought in are going to be producing oil for many years. It is agreed among oil men that there is from ten to twelve years work ahead in developing the oil pools disclosed by present drillings. The oil development here is not to be the sensational character usually carried out in sections where big gushers are found, but will be more substantial and lasting. While it is expected that Big Spring will grow, and grow steadily, there will be no boom unless a real gusher oil field is discovered.

There should be no curtailment of contemplated improvements as now is the time to carry same out so we will be in a position to afford accommodations when the oil development work is resumed on a larger scale than before.

dues, trip to Gall, Post, Sherman, Weatherford, etc. \$ 167.70

Dairy cows; bulls \$ 4,267.17

Roses \$ 130.00

Calcium arsenate... \$11,036.21

Roadwork..... \$ 715.50

Misc. Ex., drayage, feed for cattle, etc..... \$ 70.88

Carp. work on office, building tables, and lumber..... \$ 107.65

Freight & express... \$ 118.27

Adv., band to Amarillo, exhibits to Dallas, Abilene..... \$ 1,246.33

Paid First National Note..... \$ 360.10

Jan. 1, '27 transferred balance from F. Nat. to W. T. National..... \$ 148.23

Bills payable to W. T. Nat. \$ 400.00

Bal. due on bulls..... \$ 600.00

To balance..... \$ 524.61

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LOSES TWO FINGERS

Hill Long of Garden City was unfortunate in having two fingers on his right hand badly mashed last Thursday while at work on a windmill, crushing them so that it was necessary to have them amputated at the first joint. Mr. Long got his hand caught in the rollers of the windmill while at work, causing this accident.

He came to Big Spring to have his hand treated and dressed.

BUILDING A VIADUCT

It is only a question of time until a viaduct must be erected across the railroad tracks at Gregg street and it will be best for the city and the railroad company to do this job at the earliest possible date.

With more tracks to be constructed across the state highway at this point it is going to be a death trap and no mistake.

CONTRACT LET FOR "CRAWFORD" HOTEL

The Contract for a Five-story, Fire-proof Hotel of 100 Rooms Was Awarded Tuesday, April 12. To Cost \$160,875 Without Furnishings

Nothing could do more toward the advancement of Big Spring than the securing of a modern hotel, so in the awarding of the contract for a one-hundred room hotel here Tuesday Big Spring took a big step forward.

A. J. Crawford of Carlsbad, N. M. is to be the owner of the new hotel which is to be erected at the corner of West Third and Gregg streets on a tract of land 100x140 feet, donated to Mr. Crawford by the citizens of Big Spring.

The contract price for the hotel was \$160,875.00 without furnishings. Ramey Bros, contractors of El Paso were awarded the general contract for \$123,324.00. The contract for wiring also went to Ramey Bros., their bid being \$4,756.38; Cullyford Plumbing and Heating Co. of Denver and Amarillo was awarded the contract for plumbing at a price of \$18,958.00. W. F. Lucas of El Paso was awarded the contract for the heating plant at a price of \$13,837.

The contract calls for construction work to be started within ten days and for the completion of the building by September 15. A penalty of \$100 per day is to be charged for every day the job is incomplete past September 15, while a bonus of \$100 per day is to be paid for every day that is cut from the building time.

The building proper is to be 70x140 feet, five stories high and fire-

proof throughout. In addition to the one hundred guest rooms there will be a spacious lobby, dining hall and space for a few offices, including C. of C. office, beauty parlor, barber shop, coffee shop, etc.

Located on the Bankhead highway and within a block of the heart of the city it is ideally located and will be visible from every highway entering our city for a distance of a mile or more.

Big Spring has certainly been at a disadvantage because it has not been able to furnish accommodations for the many people who have been coming to our city since the oil development in this territory has taken on such large proportions. No city has needed a modern hotel more than has Big Spring and hence the reason why one and all are so eager to see the actual construction work started on the new Crawford Hotel.

The "Crawford" is to be the name of this handsome structure, named in honor of the owner and the citizenship of Big Spring is only too happy to accord appreciation to Mr. Crawford for giving our city this needed hotel. It will be as fine a hotel as is to be found anywhere in West Texas and our city will profit greatly as a result of its establishment.

The securing of such a hotel will enable us to put forth greater efforts to secure other worthwhile enterprises for Big Spring.

BANKHEAD HIGHWAY TO BE PROPERLY MAINTAINED

The Bankhead highway is to be given attention when the State Highway Board starts its constructive program. A plan entailing the expenditure of thousands of dollars will be undertaken by the State Highway Commission is now under consideration. They will first take up the proposition of completing the unpaved gaps that now exist on practically every important roadway in the state. Totalling hundreds of miles, according to rough estimates, these gaps hinder traffic on many otherwise good highways, and work will be rushed to complete the gaps.

The Bankhead, or State highway No. 1, is cited, as one of the highways which needs a number of gaps completed and will come in for early attention.

This plan is likewise in accordance with the policies of the Federal Bureau of Roads at Washington, D. C., which recently refused to grant additional aid to Texas until a satisfactory plan of maintenance is agreed on for those projects that already have received money from the government.

The entire state will benefit as a result of these important highways being completed and placed in first class condition.

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NEW MACHINERY INSTALLED

Lang & Co, have recently installed quite a bit of new machinery in their big machine shops at Ross City and are now prepared to handle any and all jobs that any big machine shop may be called upon to do.

Herald want ads gets results.

P. T. A.'s to Meet Here Next Spring

Big Spring Chosen as Meeting Place for All Parent Teacher Associations in the Sixth District

Big Spring was unanimously chosen the meeting place for the Parent Teacher Association convention for the Sixth District for 1928, the closing day of the convention held at Del Rio last week, and other places voted Big Spring the logical meeting place for the next spring meeting. Delegates from all of the Parent Teacher associations in the Sixth District attend these conventions which are usually held in April.

Mrs. Arda Gentry, delegate from the P. T. A. of the schools of Big Spring returned Saturday from Del Rio where she attended the 1927 convention. Mrs. Gentry gave the report from the five P. T. organizations in our city and also extended the invitation to the members to come to Big Spring for the 1928 meeting. Other organizations in Big Spring sent invitations by wire: Chamber of Commerce, City Federation and other womens clubs.

The 1928 convention is to be a large one and of great importance. The election of officers will be held at this meeting and many important issues will come up for discussion. It is hoped to make it bigger and the best that has ever been held in the history of the Associations.

The P. T. A. of our city schools are to be congratulated on the splendid reports they sent into the convention and on securing the 1928 meeting.

A GOOD FIRE RECORD

It is dollars and cents to every property owner to assist in eliminating fire hazards so Big Spring can have a good fire record. When our city has a number of costly fires it is up to the State Fire Insurance Commission to grant the insurance company permission to increase insurance rates in our city.

It is up to the citizenship to prevent trash and rubbish to accumulate on or about his premises until it becomes a fire hazard. It is your duty to watch your premises closely in order to prevent fires of a destructive nature.

We have a splendid volunteer fire department in case of need, but it is much better and easier to prevent fires than it is to put them out, not to mention the heavy loss a fire always entails.

Herald want ads gets results.

Edwin A. Kelley left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Missouri.

Nervous hot flashes

"SOME time ago when in a very nervous, run-down condition," says Mrs. Martha F. Marlow, of Broken Bow, Okla., "I tried numerous remedies to try at least to keep going, but I could not. I was weak and tired—just no good at all. My back ached and I had hot flashes until I was so very nervous I smothered."

"I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry, and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."

"Some friend suggested that I take Cardui, and it certainly was a good suggestion, for after taking one bottle I could tell I was stronger and better. I didn't quit. I kept it up all through the change and did fine. I felt like a different person after I began taking Cardui."

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REV. F. B. FITZGERALD, D.D., Dean, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, (60, 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for April 17

PETER'S GREAT CONFESSION

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 16: 13-24.
GOLDEN TEXT—Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Pleases Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Confessing Our Faith in Jesus.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Confessing Christ Openly.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—What think ye of Christ?

The disciples had been with the Lord for several years. They had heard His wonderful words and witnessed His mighty works. Various opinions were extant about Him. Since Jesus was soon to go to the cross it was necessary for the disciples to have a definite and true conception of Him. In order to help them into the right conception, He provoked this confession from Peter as the spokesman of the group of disciples.

1. Peter's Confession (vv. 13-16).
I. How provoked.
Two questions of Christ put to the disciples called forth this great confession.

(1) Whom do men say I, the Son of Man, am (v. 13).
1. He first inquired for the opinion of the people concerning Him. As a wise teacher, He knew that this would help crystallize the view of the disciples. The people recognized Jesus as a teacher or a prophet, with more than human authority and power. Today, as then, there is a diversity of opinion among the people as to Jesus Christ. The multitudes today recognize Jesus as a unique personality and as having been a great teacher, but that which offends them is His deity.

(2) "Whom say ye that I am?" (v. 15).
This question involved the personal opinion of the disciples concerning Him. To be able to tell what others think of Jesus is not enough. There must be definite, correct and personal belief in Him. Personal belief is worth infinitely more than the knowledge of what others think, for upon personal belief hinges character and destiny.
2. What Peter's confession involved (v. 16).

Two vital things, the Messiahship and deity of Jesus. That which Jesus called forth from Peter is the burning question of today. "What think ye of Christ?" is the question that must be answered by everyone.

3. Christ's commendation of Peter (v. 17).
He pronounced him blessed. Truly he was blessed, for he both possessed and confessed Christ.

4. The New Body, the Church, Announced by Christ (vv. 18-20).
Christ declared His intention of bringing into existence a new body, to the members of which He will give eternal life and into whose hands He would entrust the keys of the Kingdom. Peter was to have a distinguished place in this body. Christ declared that Peter should be the foundation stone in His church. Christ is the chief corner stone upon which the church is built. Christ's person and Messiahship were confessed by Peter and on this rock (truth confessed) is laid the foundation of the apostles and prophets (Eph. 2:20). All believers are living stones of this house (1 Pet. 2:5). The keys entrusted to Peter were used on the day of Pentecost and again in the case of Cornelius.

5. The Cross the Way to the Throne (vv. 21-23).
From that time Jesus began to show unto the disciples how that He must go unto Jerusalem and suffer many things, be killed and raised again the third day. This indeed startled the disciples. They did not yet realize that redemption was to be accomplished through the passion of the cross. So unwelcome was this announcement that Peter cried: "This shall not be unto thee." Peter later saw through this darkness to the glory of the hilltops. A new hope then filled his heart (1 Pet. 1:3, 4). Many are yet stumbling over the doctrine of salvation and redemption through the suffering of the cross. Salvation by blood is hated by the devil.

6. The Cost of Discipleship (v. 24).
To follow Christ means to suffer. It means to turn one's back upon the world.
1. There must be denial of self. There is a wide difference between self-denial and the denial of self.
2. Take up His cross.
This cross is the suffering and shame which lie in the path of loyalty to God.
3. Follow Christ.
This means to have the mind of Christ; to be like Christ. Christ will come in glory to reward all such.

The Power of God

Many a battle has been won by the arrival of reinforcements. When a man is fighting a battle against his evil tendencies, the coming of the power of God into his soul often means victory. The human reinforced by the divine assures us of heavenly Hierad of Gospel Liberty

Nature

Nature has a power to show what is inside of a man that resides in God on the outside.—Echols

YES, KEEP A STIFF UPPER LIP, BOY

Keep a stiff upper lip, smile in the face of difficulties, don't wear smoked glasses, quit your growling and grunting, straighten up, rear back and walk up Main Street like you were worth a million. And ever keep this in mind: a man is gauged by the clothes he wears, the company that he keeps, his general deportment. "When you go anywhere, step briskly, don't poke along with your hands behind you, keep busy though you ain't got a cent nor a job, and for the love of God or men, don't grouch nor knock. The human brain is a hammer, hit and hit hard, and keep everlastingly at it. That old hardy race of folks, the Norsemen, had many gods, and every mother's son of them held a drawn hammer ready to strike, and woe-betide the race that got up in front of them.—Yes, they hold a very brilliant place in the history book of the nations. Don't sit down and whine and wait for a job, as all the best jobs are taken, and, say, boy, if you can't take that human hammer of yours and whale thunder out of chaos and create something—a job—it's doubtful if you can hold the other fellow's job. The most pitiful thing to us in the world is men twenty-five, forty and fifty years old, walking around hunting for a job, the job hunter, few people have time to give him an audience, as he carries with him the essence of failure. Why, doggone, if we were out of a job, blast it we didn't get us a peanut parcher, or popcorn roaster, press into service a vacant spot on Main street and start a manufacturing institution. And we would make of it the liveliest spot in town. Oh yes, we would get us up a scientific lecture on the peanut, tell of the many valuable elements of food in this little insignificant pea. Why, boy, did you know that the peanut has fifty-two valuable food products, wonderful, wonderful, this unfathomable problem of creation. Why yes, we would talk peanut, dream peanuts, and it would be our business to get the whole town in the habit of eating peanuts. Why yes, boy, go out and make you a job, and then above everything else, create a demand for your products, that is the inception of every great manufacturing institution, that big cotton mill started with a pair of cotton cards, a spinning wheel and a loom, and now he is boss on the job, and five and ten thousand men and women and boys and girls look to him for food and raiment. Making a job, why that doggoned fool, Henry Ford—they said that he was crazy, and he was, yes; had wheels in his head and just the laughing stock of the street loafers and big business men, too, as to that, my! my! look at the Tin Lizzies, and today, fifty thousand men are taking orders from this crazy fellow.—The first-billionaire on earth to arrive. Rose from pauperism to affluence in a quarter of a century. Quit your grumbling, boy, spit on your hands to say to hell with the other fellow's job. Make one, be the boss on the job and give orders to the drones. Oh yes, capitalize the other fellows muscle and brains and make him work for you. And now, say, boy, in conclusion, though you may be a socialist and down on capitalism, but if you have strong muscles, a clear and active mind, plenty of guts, and courage and stickability, you have the greatest capital stock on earth, and today, there are hundreds of millions of idle money laying in vaults and seeking investment, investment in brains and industry, and it does not matter whether you have a cent or not, just so you are clean, can shoot straight, possessed of economic gumption and business acumen—PROVEN. Don't be a job hunter, boy, it's a bad sign when a fellow hasn't anything to do.—Albany News.

BUS SCHEDULES

WEST SERVICE:
Arrive at— Leave at—
11:15 a. m. 7:00 a. m.
5:15 p. m. 1:00 p. m.

EAST SERVICE:
Arrive at— Leave at—
12:30 p. m. 9:30 a. m.
4:00 p. m. 1:00 p. m.
8:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m.

NORTH SERVICE:
Arrive at— Leave at—
1:00 p. m. 9:30 a. m.
7:15 p. m. 5:00 p. m.
11:00 p. m.

SOUTH SERVICE:
Arrive at— Leave at—
10:00 a. m. 8:00 a. m.
5:00 p. m. 1:15 p. m.

CHALK FIELD:
Arrive at— Leave at—
7:30 a. m. 6:00 a. m.
12:15 p. m. 11:15 a. m.
6:15 p. m. 5:15 p. m.
12:15 a. m. 11:00 p. m.

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

The Dress Parade on Easter Morn



is almost due now, and you have only two more days in which to get ready for the gala day in the calendar of dress—the time when all nature seems happy and carefree—the outstanding day of the year.

WE ARE OFFERING THIS WEEK A NEW SHIPMENT OF UNDER TOGS IN MUNSINGWEAR RAYON

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- Vests in turquoise and peach.
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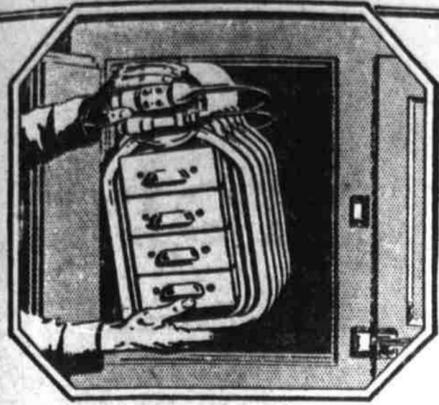
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PLANNING THE SMALL HOME

"Inexpensive but attractive and convenient small homes should be accessible to all families." Such is the statement made by Dr. James Ford, Executive Director of Better Homes in America in the pamphlet, "The Plan Book of Small Homes," prepared by the Architects' Small House Service Bureau for Better Homes in America, Washington, D. C. Dr. Ford continues: "We have asked the Architects' Small House Service Bureau to compile the pamphlet because that Bureau is a disinterested limited dividend corporation of competent specialists directed by the American Institute of Architects and endorsed by the U. S. Department of Commerce."

The purpose of this bureau is public service. It operates on practically a non-profit making basis, to give the small home builder a square deal, and to improve the architecture of a class of dwelling which seldom has the architect's service.

The Plan Book contains photographs and plans of 24 houses from three to six rooms in size. Plans are included and described of the three-room English cottage as well as the six-room Dutch Colonial house. Both one and two-story houses of wood, stucco, or frame and stucco, or stucco on hollow tile as well as houses of brick veneer are included. The pamphlet includes a Cape Cod bungalow, of three rooms, a five-room house of Italian style, a Pennsylvania Colonial four-room house, a five and six-room Dutch colonial, a bungalow popular on the Pacific Coast, a picturesque Spanish type house, houses of English design and others interesting and original in architectural design and planning.

As both design and planning of small inexpensive houses have been woefully neglected, the Architects' Small House Service Bureau of 1200 Second Ave., South, Minneapolis, has been created to fill the need of the house builder of modest income who otherwise might not have the advantage of an architect's service. The Bureau provides many of the privileges of architectural service at a price within the reach of all, and the plans represent the cooperative study of many architects.

"Many things influence the selection of a plan for your home," says Maurice I. Flagg, Director of Service for the Architects' Small House Service Bureau in the Plan Book of Small Homes. Here are some:

"First, the location of your property, its size and value.

"Second, the number of people in your family, the climatic conditions of your locality, the available materials at hand with which to build.

"Third, the limits of your purse.

"In selecting a plan for your home don't be influenced too much by style. Even though Spanish Mission, Dutch Colonial, or English cottage are in vogue, it is no indication one of these may yield the only home suitable for your needs. When you study home plans, remember that simplicity, compactness, serviceability, are the essentials of a well-planned home. To save money you want a maximum of conveniences and comforts within minimum space.

"Such things as room arrangements, location of stairs, doorways, windows, steps and labor saving devices are far more important in planning your home than accessories, or frills and fancies."

Some important points discussed by Mr. Flagg include the reason for the growing tendency to erect small homes. He says: "Homes are growing smaller, not only because of present day building costs, but for the further and no less important reason, that they are easier to maintain and keep up. Compactness is the present day rule. This does not mean your home needs to be dull or dreary. It does mean, however, that planning of a smaller home, to eliminate waste and provide all the conveniences most people demand, is not a job for an amateur planner.

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RULES FOR ESSAY CONTEST

Concerned over the increase that took place in 1926 compared with 1925 in the number of highway grade crossing accidents and believing that more care should be exercised by all those crossing railroad tracks, the American Railway Association last week announced plans for a nation-wide essay contest among school and college students with three cash prizes of \$250 each, to be awarded the authors of essays containing an outstanding, readily available suggestion for preventing such accidents.

One prize of \$250 will be awarded by the American Railway Association for the best essay by a grammar student, a similar prize for the best essay by a high school student and a like amount for the best essay by a college student.

Under the rules prescribed by the American Railway Association, the subject of the essay is to be "Cross Crossings Cautiously," and each essay is to be limited to 250 words.

The essays must be terse, logical and constructive and must stress the need for greater care in approaching and passing over railroad crossings.

The essays are to be sent to J. C. Caviston, Secretary of the Safety Section of the American Railway Association, at 30 Vesey street, New York City, by not later than June 1. Three persons of national reputation to be selected later will act as judges.

Under the plan, class teachers in both grammar and high schools will select the best essays from their classes and transmit them to their

principal who will then select the best one from that school and send it to the Superintendent of Schools for the county or an equivalent officer. The County Superintendent will then select the best essay written by a grammar student and the best one written by a high school student in his county and will transmit them to the American Railway Association. Colleges may follow the same procedure, except that each college or university, through its proper officer, may select one essay and transmit direct to the American Railway Association.

In 1926 there were 5,921 highway grade crossing accidents in which 2,492 persons were killed and 6,991 injured. In 1925 there were 5,479 accidents in which 2,206 persons were killed and 6,555 injured. Owing to the increase that is constantly taking place in the number of automobiles in use, the hazard from such accidents is annually becoming greater. Only through the cooperation of the public and the railroads can a reduction in such accidents be brought about, in view of the fact the complete elimination of highway grade crossings is impossible, not only because of the time that would be involved, but also because of the prohibitive cost which ultimately falls on the public.

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Given under my hand and seal of office this 23rd day of March A. D. 1927.

H. R. DEENPORT,
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Lesson for April 17

PETER'S GREAT CONFESSION

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 16: 13-24.
GOLDEN TEXT—Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Pleases Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Confessing Our Faith in Jesus.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Confessing Christ Openly.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—What think ye of Christ?

The disciples had been with the Lord for several years. They had heard His wonderful words and witnessed His mighty works. Various opinions were extant about Him. Since Jesus was soon to go to the cross it was necessary for the disciples to have a definite and true conception of Him. In order to help them into the right conception, He provoked this confession from Peter as the spokesman of the group of disciples.

1. Peter's Confession (vv. 13-16).

1. How provoked.
Two questions of Christ put to the disciples called forth this great confession.

(1) Whom do men say I, the Son of Man, am (v. 13).

1. He first inquired for the opinion of the people concerning Him. As a wise teacher He knew that this would help crystallize the view of the disciples. The people recognized Jesus as a teacher or a prophet, with more than human authority and power. Today, as then, there is a diversity of opinion among the people as to Jesus Christ. The multitudes today recognize Jesus as an unique personality and as having been a great teacher, but that which offends them is His deity.

(2) "Whom say ye that I am?" (v. 15).

This question involved the personal opinion of the disciples concerning Him. To be able to tell what others think of Jesus is not enough. There must be definite, correct and personal belief in Him. Personal belief is worth infinitely more than the knowledge of what others think, for upon personal belief hinges character and destiny.

2. What Peter's confession involved (v. 16).

Two vital things, the Messiahship and deity of Jesus. That which Jesus called forth from Peter is the burning question of today. "What think ye of Christ?" is the question that must be answered by everyone.

3. Christ's commendation of Peter (v. 17).

He pronounced him blessed. Truly he was blessed, for he both possessed and confessed Christ.

4. The New Body, the Church, Announced by Christ (vv. 18-20).

Christ declared His intention of bringing into existence a new body, to the members of which He will give eternal life and into whose hands He would entrust the keys of the Kingdom. Peter was to have a distinguished place in this body. Christ declared that Peter should be the foundation stone in His church. Christ is the chief corner stone upon which the church is built. Christ's person and Messiahship were confessed by Peter and on this rock (truth confessed) is laid the foundation of the apostles and prophets (Eph. 2:20). All believers are living stones of this house (1 Pet. 2:5). The keys entrusted to Peter were used on the day of Pentecost and again in the case of Cornelius.

5. The Cross the Way to the Throne (vv. 21-23).

From that time Jesus began to show unto the disciples how that He must go unto Jerusalem and suffer many things, be killed and raised again the third day. This indeed startled the disciples. They did not yet realize that redemption was to be accomplished through the passion of the cross. So unwelcome was this announcement that Peter cried: "This shall not be unto thee." Peter later saw through this darkness to the glory of the hilltops. A new hope then filled his heart (1 Pet. 1:3, 4). Many are yet stumbling over the doctrine of salvation and redemption through the suffering of the cross. Salvation by blood is hated by the devil.

6. The Cost of Discipleship (v. 24).

To follow Christ means to suffer. It means to turn one's back upon the world.

1. There must be denial of self. There is a wide difference between self-denial and the denial of self.

2. Take up His cross.

This cross is the suffering and shame which lie in the path of loyalty to God.

3. Follow Christ.

This means to have the mind of Christ; to be like Christ. Christ will come in glory to reward all such.

The Power of God

Many a battle has been won by the arrival of reinforcements. When a man is fighting a battle against his evil tendencies, the coming of the power of God into his soul often means victory. The human reinforced by the divine assures us of heavenly—Herald of Gospel Liberty

Nature

Nature has a power to show what is inside of a man that reveals in fact on the outside—Echoes

YES, KEEP A STIFF UPPER LIP, BOY

Keep a stiff upper lip, smile in the face of difficulties, don't wear smoked glasses, quit your growling and grunting, straighten up, rear back and walk up Main Street like you were worth a million. And ever keep this in mind: a man is gauged by the clothes he wears, the company that he keeps, his general deportment. When you go anywhere, step briskly, don't poke along with your hands behind you, keep busy though you ain't got a cent nor a job, and for the love of God or men, don't grouch nor knock. The human brain is a hammer, hit and hit hard, and keep everlastingly at it. That old hardy race of folks, the Norsemen, had many gods, and every mother's son of them held a drawn hammer ready to strike, and woe-betide the race that got up in front of them.—Yes, they hold a very brilliant place in the history book of the nations. Don't sit down and whine and wait for a job, as all the best jobs are taken, and, say, boy, if you can't take that human hammer of yours and whale thunder out of chaos and create something—a job—it's doubtful if you can hold the other fellow's job. The most pitiful thing to us in the world is men twenty-five, forty and fifty years old walking around hunting for a job, the job hunter, few people have time to give him an audience, as he carries with him the essence of failure. Why, doggone, if we were out of a job, blast if we didn't get us a peanut parcher, or popcorn roaster, press into service a vacant spot on Main street and start a manufacturing institution. And we would make of it the liveliest spot in town. Oh yes, we would get us up a scientific lecture on the peanut, tell of the many valuable elements of food in this little insignificant pea. Why, boy, did you know that the peanut has fifty-two valuable food products, wonderful, wonderful, this unfathomable problem of creation. Why yes, we would talk peanut, dream peanuts, and it would be our business to get the whole town in the habit of eating peanuts. Why yes, boy, go out and make you a job, and then above everything else, create a demand for your products, that is the inception of every great manufacturing institution, that big cotton mill started with a pair of cotton cards, a spinning wheel and a loom, and now he is boss on the job, and five and ten thousand men and women and boys and girls look to him for food and raiment. Making a job, why that doggoned fool, Henry Ford—they said that he was crazy, and he was, yes; had wheels in his head and just the laughing stock of the street loafers and big business men, too, as to that, my! my! look at the Tin Lizzies, and today, fifty thousand men are taking orders from this crazy fellow.—The first billionaire on earth to arrive. Rose from pauperism to affluence in a quarter of a century. Quit your grumbling, boy, spit on your hands to say to hell with the other fellow's job. Make one, be the boss on the job and give orders to the drones. Oh yes, capitalize the other fellows muscle and brains and make him work for you. And now, say, boy, in conclusion, though you may be a socialist and down on capitalism, but if you have strong muscles, a clear and active mind, plenty of guts, and courage and stickability, you have the greatest capital stock on earth, and today, there are hundreds of millions of idle money laying in vaults and seeking investment, investment in brains and industry, and it does not matter whether you have a cent or not, just so you are clean, can shoot straight, possessed of economic gumption and business acumen—PROVEN. Don't be a job hunter, boy, it's a bad sign when a fellow hasn't anything to do.—Albany News.

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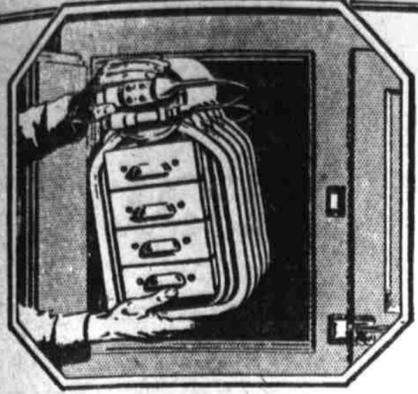
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Our foot powder makes walking a
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Mrs. Kenneth C. Stratton of
Columbus, Texas, arrived Sunday
night for a visit in this city with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bradley,
other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ralph Kirby who spent the
week-end in this city with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox,
returned to her home in Dallas Sunday
evening.

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PLANNING THE SMALL HOME

"Inexpensive but attractive and convenient small homes should be accessible to all families." Such is the statement made by Dr. James Ford, Executive Director of Better Homes in America in the pamphlet, "The Plan Book of Small Homes," prepared by the Architects' Small House Service Bureau for Better Homes in America, Washington, D. C. Dr. Ford continues: "We have asked the Architects' Small House Service Bureau to compile the pamphlet because that Bureau is a disinterested limited dividend corporation of competent specialists directed by the American Institute of Architects and endorsed by the U. S. Department of Commerce."

The purpose of this bureau is public service. It operates on practically a non-profit making basis, to give the small home builder a square deal, and to improve the architecture of a class of dwelling which seldom has the architect's service.

The Plan Book contains photographs and plans of 24 houses from three to six rooms in size. Plans are included and described of the three-room English cottage as well as the six-room Dutch Colonial house. Both one and two-story houses of wood, stucco, or frame and stucco, or stucco on hollow tile as well as houses of brick veneer are included. The pamphlet includes a Cape Cod bungalow of three rooms, a five-room house of Italian style, a Pennsylvania Colonial four-room house, a five and six-room Dutch colonial, a bungalow popular on the Pacific Coast, a picturesque Spanish type house, houses of English design and others interesting and original in architectural design and planning.

As both design and planning of small inexpensive houses have been woefully neglected, the Architects' Small House Service Bureau of 1200 Second Ave., South, Minneapolis, has been created to fill the need of the house builder of modest income who otherwise might not have the advantage of an architect's service. The Bureau provides many of the privileges of architectural service at a price within the reach of all, and the plans represent the cooperative study of many architects.

"Many things influence the selection of a plan for your home," says Maurice I. Flagg, Director of Service for the Architects' Small House Service Bureau in the Plan Book of Small Homes. Here are some:

"First, the location of your property, its size and value.

"Second, the number of people in your family, the climatic conditions of your locality, the available materials at hand with which to build.

"Third, the limits of your purse.

"In selecting a plan for your home don't be influenced too much by style. Even though Spanish Mission, Dutch Colonial, or English cottage are in vogue, it is no indication one of these may yield the only home suitable for your needs. When you study home plans, remember that simplicity, compactness, serviceability, are the essentials of a well-planned home. To save money you want a maximum of conveniences and comforts within minimum space.

"Such things as room arrangements, location of stairs, doorways, windows, steps and labor saving devices are far more important in planning your home than accessories, or frills and fancies."

Some important points discussed by Mr. Flagg include the reason for the growing tendency to erect small homes. He says: "Homes are growing smaller, not only because of present day building costs, but for the further and no less important reason, that they are easier to maintain and keep up. Compactness is the present day rule. This does not mean your home needs to be dull or dreary. It does mean, however, that planning of a smaller home, to eliminate waste and provide all the conveniences most people demand, is not a job for an amateur planner.

CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES

Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTICE

There will be Good Friday devotions today (Friday), April 15 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. There will be no ringing of bells.
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BURBANK TOMATO PLANTS

True Burbank Tomato Plants for sale at—
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RULES FOR ESSAY CONTEST

Concerned over the increase that took place in 1926 compared with 1925 in the number of highway grade crossing accidents and believing that more care should be exercised by all those crossing railroad tracks, the American Railway Association last week announced plans for a nation-wide essay contest among school and college students with three cash prizes of \$250 each, to be awarded the authors of essays containing an outstanding, readily available suggestion for preventing such accidents.

One prize of \$250 will be awarded by the American Railway Association for the best essay by a grammar student, a similar prize for the best essay by a high school student and a like amount for the best essay by a college student.

Under the rules prescribed by the American Railway Association, the subject of the essay is to be "Cross Crossings Cautiously," and each essay is to be limited to 250 words.

The essays must be terse, logical and constructive and must stress the need for greater care in approaching and passing over railroad crossings.

The essays are to be sent to J. C. Caviston, Secretary of the Safety Section of the American Railway Association, at 30 Vesey street, New York City, by not later than June 1.

Three persons of national reputation to be selected later will act as judges. Under the plan, class teachers in both grammar and high schools will select the best essays from their classes and transmit them to their

principal who will then select the best one from that school and send it to the Superintendent of Schools for the county or an equivalent officer. The County Superintendent will then select the best essay written by a grammar student and the best one written by a high school student in his county and will transmit them to the American Railway Association. Colleges may follow the same procedure, except that each college or university, through its proper officer, may select one essay and transmit direct to the American Railway Association.

In 1926 there were 5,921 highway grade crossing accidents in which 2,492 persons were killed and 6,991 injured. In 1925 there were 5,479 accidents in which 2,206 persons were killed and 6,555 injured. Owing to the increase that is constantly taking place in the number of automobiles in use, the hazard from such accidents is annually becoming greater. Only through the cooperation of the public and the railroads can a reduction in such accidents be brought about, in view of the fact the complete elimination of highway grade crossings is impossible, not only because of the time that would be involved, but also because of the prohibitive cost which ultimately falls on the public.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of April, A. D. 1927, said date being the date of the meeting of a Regular Term of the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, the said Court will receive offers and bids for the proper designation of the East boundary line of said Howard County, Texas said line also being the west boundary line of Mitchell County, Texas. The full requirements as to said line may be ascertained by calling on the County Judge of either Howard or Mitchell County.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 23rd day of March A. D. 1927.

H. R. DEBENPORT,
County Judge, Howard Co., Texas.

WANTED—Exclusive listings on city property. Call phone No. 449 or see Cool and Dillard, Room 11, West Texas Bank Bldg. 25-1f

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DOUBLE HEADER AT BALL PARK SATURDAY AFTERNOON

A double header will be played at the Big Spring ball park Saturday afternoon between the Big Spring Hi baseball team and the San Angelo Hi team. Both games promised to be fast and good ones and will draw a big crowd of rooters who love this game.

Glenn Wilkins will be on the mound and ready to knock the batters off the box as they come up to play. The high school team is showing some good stuff this season and they assure you your money's worth if you come out to Saturday's games.

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

Several different kinds cheese, Pool-Reed Co.

ANOTHER RAIN VISITS COUNTY

Another dashing rain, with a heavy hail accompaniment to the south and southeast of Big Spring, made its appearance Monday evening. About one half inch of rain fell in Big Spring within a very short time. North of Big Spring the rainfall was very light. A strip through the southern part of the county reported plenty of hail along with the rain. This fell from Lees eastward through the Settles and Stewart pastures. The rain extended far eastward.

A storm to the southeast Tuesday night resulted in a heavy loss of life Tuesday night. At Rock Springs in Edwards County many lives were reported lost. This storm extended up through Sterling County where hail stones were said to have been in drifts four feet high.

The rain Monday seemed to follow about the same general course that our last week's rain laid out.

BUILDING PERMITS GRANTED

A. M. Fisher et al, permission to remodel upper story of brick building on lower Main street to convert same into hotel. Estimated cost \$3000.

C. E. Talbot a fireproof business building on East Third street, for bakery. Estimated cost \$1100.

Miss Spencer Leatherwood, a duplex apartment at corner of Johnson and E. Fifth streets. Estimated cost \$2000.

Mrs. G. A. Brown a duplex at corner of Bell and W. Fifth streets. Estimated cost \$2700.

E. H. Josey two five-room bungalows in Cole and Strayhorn addition. Estimated cost \$2400 each.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland reroofing residence and garage in west part of city. James Simmons garage, at cost of \$250.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE BLDG.

A large steel structure is being erected at the plant of the Texas Electric Service Co. in this city to house the new 500 Diesel engines installed and to be installed. Steel frames with sheet steel siding and roof are being used in the construction of this mammoth building.

The construction crew of one hundred and twenty-five men employed to construct the high line from Big Spring to Midland, after completing three miles of the line westward from this city had to suspend operations due to failure of material to reach this city.

As soon as the material arrives the construction crew will resume building operations.

U. S. IMMIGRATION AGENT GOES TO FABENS, TEXAS

It is with regret we learn that we are to lose Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jones as citizens of Big Spring about May 1. They expect to make their home at Fabens, Texas, where Mr. Jones will continue in the services of the U. S. Immigration Department. The Big Spring station which Mr. Jones has filled so efficiently the past fifteen years has been abolished by Uncle Sam.

THE JUNIOR BAND PLAYED AT COAHOMA LAST WEEK

The members of the Big Spring Junior Band gave an open air concert at Coahoma last Friday evening in response to an invitation from the Coahoma citizens. The several marches, popular pieces, etc., made up a most enjoyable program and they are receiving praise for the splendid music rendered. Band director G. A. Hartman accompanied the band boys to Coahoma.

ROCK SPRINGS DEMOLISHED

Rock Springs, a little town in southwest Texas, was demolished, 62 people were killed and 150 were injured when a tornado swept thru that section shortly after dark Tuesday night, April 12.

Less than ten buildings in this town of 900 population were left standing.

CITY ELECTION TUESDAY

The City Election held Tuesday to determine whether or not the General Paving Laws of Texas should be adopted by the City of Big Spring resulted in a favorable decision.

Only fifty votes were cast; forty-three favoring the adoption of the general paving law and seven opposing same.

MRS. TOM LABEFF UNDERGOES OPERATION AT SWEETWATER

Mrs. Tom LaBeff underwent a surgical operation at Sweetwater last Sunday morning and is reported to be getting along nicely. Her mother, Mrs. R. J. Stripling, went to Sweetwater Sunday morning to be with her daughter during the operation.

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

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Monday and Tuesday
April 18th and 19th



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Lies, treachery, slander, and deceit, caught this handsome youth in the meshes of scandal. No other actor on the screen could fit this role better than Ramon Navarro. Torn between conflicting loves, he gives a portrayal never to be forgotten.

Handsome, valiant and the ideal lover of the screen, supported by beautiful Alice Terry.

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A Fox News and A Good Comedy

Continuous show 3 to 10:30 p. m. Admission 10c and 35c

KEEPING AN EYE ON CROOKS

Sheriff Frank House and deputies are not asleep on the job and are going to see to it that no conditions such as maintained at Berger are going to take place in the oil field towns of Howard County. Their labors can be lightened if all law-abiding citizens will cooperate and help in upholding the law in this community.

COUNTY JAIL BEING REMODELED

The work of remodeling the County jail was started Wednesday and it will be some time before the work is completed as new steel cages are to be installed.

It was necessary to transfer three prisoners, held on forgery charges, to the jail at Sterling City. Two cells in the lower part of the jail can be used to hold prisoners arrested on misdemeanor charges.

Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith went to Colorado last Friday where they entered a tennis tournament, with Colorado and Sweetwater representatives.

Fresh hostess cakes daily. Pool-Reed Co.

BALL GAME AT STANTON FRIDAY, APRIL 8, A WALK-OVER

The ball game at Stanton last Friday afternoon between the Big Spring and Stanton High school baseball teams was a walk-over for our nine, the score being 19 to 1.

Our boys were in extra good shape having played in practice games with the T. & P. team most every afternoon during past week and when Glenn Wilkins, took the mound it almost proved fatal to the Stanton nine. The game was not even interesting but it goes down as another victory for the high school boys who are making good this season.

They play Midland at Midland this afternoon and play a double header with San Angelo at the city ball park Saturday afternoon.

MANY UNEMPLOYED MEN ARE AT McCAMEY

According to report there are nearly one thousand oil field workers out of employment at McCamey, Texas, on account of the slow-up in drilling operations in that section.

There is expectation that employment for 500 or more of these men will be found when the Hubble Oil Co. begins work on its pipe line to the Gulf.

Cash or trade for eggs and chickens—bring them here. White House

Fruits and vegetables, Pool-Reed Co.

BUYS PAPER AT SONORA

Editor M. A. Wilson, former editor of the Big Lake News is now editor of the Devil's River News published at Sonora, Texas. The Big Lake News and Big Lake Wildcat have consolidated under the editorship of John Hibdon. Mr. Wilson moved his plant to Sonora, and bought out this newspaper. He is a good newspaper man and edits an interesting and up to date newspaper.

SINCLAIR CHIEF SEES TEXAS AS GREAT OIL REGION

C. E. Crawley of New York, first vice president of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation is a believer in Texas and in West Texas in particular, as an oil producing region. He says that it is difficult to hazard a guess as to what production would reach under conditions which favored heavy and intensive development.

A CORRECTION

In the write-up of the wedding of Andrew Merrick and Miss Lucille Terrell in our last issue we stated that Mr. Merrick was the son of Sam Merrick. We were in error as the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merrick. We are glad to make this correction at this time.

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TOURIST SEASON STARTS

While tourists are to be noted on the two national highways crossing at Big Spring at every season of the year, their number is increasing at a rapid rate since spring has made its appearance. We could persuade most of them to spend a day or so in our city if we went to the trouble to provide a few more entertainment features.

Where are the guys who thought we were not going to have any summer in 1927?

Pound stationery... Large sizes... Cunningham & Phillips.

SANTA FE MAY COME

The Santa Fe Ry. officials are not likely to overlook a good bet and we will not be surprised to hear of their making some extensions in West Texas ere long.

Other lines are spoiling their playhouse in the Plains section so it will be up to them to look to new fields to conquer.

Samuel Greer was in from his ranch in Glasscock County transacting business Tuesday.

Miss Andree Walker left Saturday night for a visit with relatives and friends in Dallas.

THE JOY OF YOUR WORK

It is perfectly natural for a man to get tired of whatever business he may be engaged in. If you have felt that way it is not a sign that you are slipping. Probably every other business man you know has had the same feelings at times.

You have heard men say that their sons should never, with their consent, follow them in the same line of business. You have seen the picture of the two mules at the partition fence in the pasture, each one stretching his neck to eat grass in the other lot. Each one had figured it out that the grass in the other mule's pasture was better than his grass. The grass was just as good on either side and the mules might have enjoyed it with a whole lot less trouble.

You have seen some man in another line of business go by in his high-priced touring car with a chauffeur on the front seat. You have envied him. But you didn't know that perhaps he is worrying himself so that he can't sleep at night because he owes a mortgage of a million dollars on his railroad that he cannot redeem.

The successful shoe repair man with his busy little business turning over small profits, his family happy with simple wants fulfilled, is happier by far than this seemingly happy man.

Study the points about your business. You'll find your stock going up.

THE HERALD NOT SELFISH

J. M. Fryar states the Herald is not as selfish as most newspapers, since they want to claim everything especially as to oil wells being right next door to their town. He states the local paper has been giving the distance to the Donnelly oil well on the W. S. Martin ranch as sixteen miles from Big Spring, when as a matter of fact it is only twelve miles by section lines.

Dr. Wilke says: "Trained sight develops a trained mind. Untrained eyes are the companions of an untrained mind. Optometry educates and trains eyes." Geo. L. Wilke, Optometrist.

Razors and blades... We have a full line... Cunningham & Phillips.

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

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

By the
W. T. Chamber of Commerce

Spur — An additional 12,000 egg capacity incubator is to be installed here in the near future. Custom hatching has grown to large proportions in this section, with Dickens and Kent County farmers stocking their farms with chickens furnished by the Spur Poultry ranch. The ranch was recently sold to C. O. Davis of Rule.

Hereford — An additional position has been installed here at the central office of the Southwestern Telephone Co. for the purpose of handling the rural and toll lines. Hereford now has five positions on the board which will be ample to take care of increased business.

Sweetwater — Another important industry has been added to Sweetwater's list with the announcement that A. A. Koch, for the past year manager of the San Angelo Foundry and Machine Co., has purchased land here and will begin immediately erection of a foundry and steel company. The new industry is to be known as the Star Foundry, Steel and Machine company.

Balmorhea — The name of Madera Valley has superseded the title "Toyah Valley" following a unanimous vote of the local chamber of commerce. The change was made due to confusion of the valley with the town of Toyah and Toyahville.

Anson — Graveling on all intersections and grading of streets preparatory to putting gravel on is under way here. The city is paying for the street work.

Kress — Contract has been let here for three brick business houses, and work will start at once on these.

Wichita Falls — The choral contest sponsored annually in connection with the big yearly convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been expanded this year to include four classes of organization. Choral clubs, college and high school glee clubs and choirs are eligible to compete this year. One hundred dollars as first prize and fifty dollars as second award are to be given in each class of the contest.

Childress — The fourth West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention of the year will be held in this city May 5, when representatives from the Green Belt and Lower Panhandle district gather here. More than thirty towns are expected to send delegates.

Stanton — Work has begun on a 10-cottage tourist camp on the west edge of Stanton on the Bankhead highway. The cabins are drive-in type and are equipped with heater, running water and conveniences for cooking and other comforts.

Mertargel — A successful clean-up campaign has been completed here under sponsorship of the Current Literature Club of Mertargel. Substantial prizes were offered for the largest piles of trash, the cleanest premises, and such.

Coleman — Leon Shield, oil man and banker of this city has offered \$100 in gold as prize money in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce "Home Town" speaking contest to be held at Wichita Falls during the ninth annual convention of the organization May 16 and 17. Winner of first prize in the contest is to be awarded \$100 in gold, the Thomas Etheridge Jr. silver loving cup, and scholarships to Texas Tech and to the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon. Fifty dollars will be given members of second place; twenty-five dollars will go to third winner, and fifteen and ten dollars will go to winners of fourth and fifth places respectively. The contest is open to high school boys and girls in member towns of the West Texas organization.

POTASH TO COME YET

The development of potash in West Texas may prove of greater worth than oil, that is if potash is found in commercial quantities.

Potash showings have been found in many portions of West Texas, including Howard County, but so far no effort was made to ascertain the thickness of the formation in which the potash salts existed.

The U. S. government is now making tests to ascertain if the potash in West Texas exists in commercial quantity.

Sore Gums — Pyorrhea

Foul breath, loose teeth or sore gums are disgusting to behold, all will agree. Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy is highly recommended by most good dentists and won't fall you. Druggists return money if it fails. ALL BIG SPRING DRUGGISTS. — advertisement.

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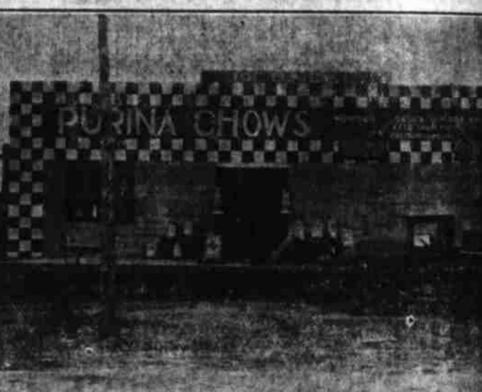
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from Other Texas Fields

Other Counties doubling its production weeks ago, when the averaged 16,803 barrels, is far in the lead over West Texas county, with daily production of 24,010 barrels. Production has increased rapidly, two weeks ago 21,005 barrels, and last week 25,000 barrels. The nearest point of production is county, whose daily total is steadily at 25,000 or better. Production is owned by the Big Lake Oil Co., with 20,000 barrels a day. The Texon Oil and Land Co. has about 8,000 barrels daily. Four weeks ago total was 20,000 barrels.

County has been advanced with the completion of Production Company's wells, which, although boosted that county's from 359 to 2,050 barrels. County shows a slight decrease, and during the production has dropped daily. Four weeks ago total was 20,000 barrels.

Production in Barrels:

This Week	Last Week
34,010	27,625
18,813	19,354
2,050	389
1,950	2,029
1,175	928
1,121	1,270
21	22

San Angelo Standard

14 New Wells locations were made during the general curtailing operations which recent drastic cuts made oil. Reagan County locations, those having been made by the Rockwell Bros. Co. as well as scores of homes all over town.

has made locations for its No. 2, No. 3, No. 4 and No. 5 Hendricks in Section 34, block B-5, public school lands, on which section Gulf recently completed its No. 1, the second producer in Winkler and by far the largest.

Four new locations were made in Upton County. The Roxana Petroleum Corporation has made locations for its No. 24, No. 25 and No. 26 Bowen in section 6, G. C. & S. F. Railway survey in the southeast extension of the Burleson producing area. Snowden & McSweeney made their first Upton County location in section 4, William Teer survey, where they have a lease in the same section with the Dixie Oil Company, Amerada Petroleum Corporation and Roxana Petroleum Corporation.

Both of the remaining locations were made in the shallow production district of southeastern Howard County, where the Mid-West Exploration Company is to drill its No. 1 Clay in section 139, and the Tidal Oil Company has located its No. 1 Chalk in section 114. Both leases are in section 29, W. & N. W. railway survey. San Angelo Standard.

In Baird Shallow Field

Drilling in the Baird Shallow Field is going on regardless of the low price of oil.

Valley Oil Company, Ace Hickman No. 10 struck the pay Wednesday evening at 606 feet, and are now setting the casing, and will bring the well in the last of this week.

Starr & Company: Mrs. J. Y. Gilliland No. 1, is drilling at 120 feet. No. 1 is located three miles northwest of the Baird Shallow field. Hugh Tatum No. 3 is drilling at 920 feet. This is to be a 1200 foot test, and is located 1 mile south of proven field.

Humble Oil & Refining Company: Ace Hickman No. 2, drilling at 200 feet. No. 2 is an offset on the west to the McCammy No. 3, on the Beasler ranch.

Kliner Bros.: Rod Kelton No. 3, drilling at 225 feet, one mile north of proven field. Shaw & Others: Joe Higin No. 1, drilling at 625 feet in the new addition in the Admiral neighborhood.

New Locations

Shaw and others: Davis Farm 1. Shaw and others, Smart Farm No. 1. These locations are in the Admiral addition.

J. C. Cammey: Arthur Beasley No. 4. Kid West: Arthur Beasley No. 5. Baird Star.

Humble Plans Pipe Line to W. T. San Antonio, April 8.—Announcement that the Humble Pipe Line Co. will build a 400-mile pipe line from the Crane-Upton County field at Mc-

Camey to the Gulf Coast at Ingleside, north of Corpus Christi, means that the line will pass somewhere within forty or fifty miles of San Antonio and within thirty-five miles of the Somerset field. The line is to have a capacity of 40,000 barrels a day and will be one of the longest in the State.

Humble already has extensive land holdings at Ingleside and is building its own wharf on the Ship Channel. It is understood to be its intention to develop there an important concentrating point for crude oil. A refinery is to be built ultimately there, where water shipping facilities and water rates will be available.

Measuring in a straight line from the northwest, the line would pass close to Del Rio and down through Zavala, Frio and diagonally across McMullen and the lower part of Live Oak County and follow the Nueces River to Ingleside.

Humble recently sold \$25,000,000 in bonds with which to build the 400-mile line and that is its estimated cost. It will start preliminary work at both ends by April 20.

Shackelford County

Reading the Albany News and the daily papers, it does not appear that this shut-down has effected the drilling campaign in this county. Of course the big companies are taking a lay off, but the small driller, wild-catter, etc., are just going ahead and punching holes in the county just the same as if there was no shut-down. Yes, the game is too exciting for the average oil gambler to take a lay off, he well knows that somewhere in this county there are untouched oil pools, and he is trying to beat the other fellow to it. This oil game is a great game, beats a crap game or a poker game—one game that the average man will bet his last red cent on. Just think of it, one of them will go out in wild-catter territory and stick a drill down in unproven acreage, and will spend from one thousand to as high as fifty thousand dollars in giving it a try out and if he gets a duster you never hear him complain—just skids the rig and sticks down another hole, and about nine out of ten of them go broke. But nevertheless, he's game, and bets the last dollar on a gusher. Albany News.

Andrews Wildcat Logs Top of Sale Carter-Zwiefel No. 1 Cowden in the center of Section 18, Block A-52, western Andrews County, topped the big salt at 1,375 feet, according to reports from the field.

Surface elevation is carried at 3,156 feet, which would make the top of the salt 1,781 feet—normal for that district. Since the Winkler discovery well, nearly a county's width to the south-

west, however, logged the top of the salt low, both top and bottom are being taken into consideration on these tests, and a short ration of salt is accorded more significance than the top.

New Oil Test in Sterling

Materials have been ordered for a deep test for oil to be drilled by George B. Orr of Holdenville, Okla., on the Read ranch in northwestern Sterling County. The location is in the center of the north line of section 15, block 30, eight miles south of the Chalk shallow field in Howard County.

The block of between 5,000 and 6,000 acres which Mr. Orr has obtained extends to within four miles of the Chalk field. His test will go to 3000 feet unless production is struck at a higher level. San Angelo Standard.

Church-Fields Pool Coming Back

Simms and Atlantic No. 2, after continual swabbing since it went dry a week ago, has come back with a 120-barrel-an-hour flow. Its total depth is 2953 feet, top of pay 2389.

Humble has reached top of pay at 2835 feet in its No. 5 University in Section 38, block 30, and has 2000 feet of oil in the hole, connecting up.

Simms-Atlantic 1C with a 350-barrel initial flow and Humble's No. 3, with 800, are other important Church and Fields completions for the week. Fort Worth Press.

Well to Be Drilled in Gaines County

This morning (Thursday, April 7) A. J. Walker of Wilson, Okla., was in conference with the Depot Agent, Mr. Young concerning the shipment of oil well machinery to put a test well over in Gaines County. They had already gotten prices from Seagraves and were trying to route the cheapest way. So we may expect well machinery for this new well soon. Lamesa Reporter.

Fisher Wildcat Has Hole of Water

Hucony Oil and Gas Company's Langford No. 1, in Fisher County, at latest reports has a hole full of water after drilling into sand from 2926 to 3045 feet.

Drilling at the Fisher wildcat is going ahead in gray, sandy lime. Fort Worth Press.

DON'T WORRY



No matter what ails your watch we can repair it. WILKE'S JEWELRY and OPTICAL SHOP.

START ANTI-MOSQUITO CAMPAIGN NOW

There is no reason for the appearance of mosquitoes in Big Spring and we should take the necessary steps now to prevent their appearance here in the summer time.

If we see to it that stagnant water is not permitted to accumulate around the premises, in ditches and draws in and adjacent to our city the mosquito nuisance can be wiped out "pronto."

Plenty of crude oil is available to spread along ditches to destroy the breeding places of Mrs. Mosquito and we are a bunch of boobs if we permit these pests to make life miserable for our people.

One musically inclined mosquito can certainly disturb the night's rest of most any mortal and we, for one, prefer to take the necessary steps to prevent mosquitoes from putting on their chautauqua in our city.

They eliminated the mosquito nuisance in Panama and we can do the same in Big Spring if we have any gumption.

Let us start an anti-mosquito campaign now and make Big Spring a better place to live in and a decidedly better place to sleep in, the coming summer.

AN EXHILARATING EFFECT

A bottle of Herbine on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two doses is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 50c. Sold by CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS

Special attention given to exclusive listing on city property. Phone 449 or see us, Cook and Dillard, Room 11, West Texas National Bank Building. 28-4f

J. V. Wiggins left Tuesday night for his home in Roswell, N. M. after spending a month in this city transacting business.

CHIROPRACTIC
Natural Normal
Remedy For
Health Troubles

Isn't it simply absurd, when you stop to think about it, that so many people are striving for success and yet they are doing absolutely nothing to strengthen their bodies and develop the health which they must have to win success.

Your Chiropractor

Your Chiropractor is interested in your health. It is her duty to get you well and keep you well, which she is capable of doing by correcting the cause of your physical weaknesses.

CONSULTATION ALWAYS FREE

Consult me when you are sick. Remember the Chiropractic pathway to health and efficiency is open to you. Phone 40 for appointment.

ORA E. ESTES

Graduate Texas Chiropractic College
Chiropractor

Office: Wetsel Hotel, Big Spring, Tex.

Phone 40 Res. Phone 533

Tailor-Made Clothes Show Their Worth!

There's a certain satisfaction in looking your best. And when you wear made to order clothing, you are sure of perfect-fitting garments, perfectly tailored to your individual measurements. Our prices are really low—quality considered.

Come in and let us take your measurements for a Spring Suit.

We do all kinds of cleaning, pressing and dyeing—trust us with your clothes, old and new—we return them in perfect condition.

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Permanently relieved by using

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Guaranteed by YOUR LOCAL DRUGGISTS

28-4f-pd.

J. B. Sneed said he was not among the fortunate since the rainfall at his place Monday was most too small to be mentioned.

J. P. Anderson said the rain man had just about run out of water before he reached his section of the county Monday afternoon.

Kodak films and kodaks. Cunningham & Phillips.

NO MORE CARNIVALS FOR SAN ANGELO

The San Angelo City Commission by ordinance has prohibited the exhibition of carnival shows in that city. A penalty of \$100 fine for each day's violation is provided. The fact that "carnival shows" are degrading and injurious to the health and morals of the citizens was responsible for this action.

For safety and service do your banking business with The State National Bank.

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

Going to Build?

START NOW!

Are you going to build this spring, why not take advantage of the experience and of an organization that has been active in the construction industry for years?

Some of the most monumental structures in this city were erected at a great saving by the Rockwell Bros. Co. as well as scores of homes all over town.

Save a considerable saving in your building expenditure, whether you construct a bungalow or office building, and in addition you will avail yourself of an organization whose personnel knows the construction business from start to finish.

Rockwell Bros. & Company

PHONE 57 — BIG SPRING

Albert M. Fisher Co.

1927 Straw Hats Are Ready



Tousend-Grace Straws
\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

Easter Cravats

\$1. \$1.50 to \$3.00

Here's the place to find your Easter tie. The right tie is necessary to set off your entire outfit. From Chaney and Phoenix in all the new patterns and colors.



Interwoven Sox

35c, 50c, 75c and \$1

Whether you are going to step out in black or tan oxfords on Easter morning, we have the right colored hose to go with them. Pure thread silk and lisle sox with interwoven toe and heel.

No Use to Worry About Your Shoes

It won't take us but a minute to fit you up in one of the new Florsheims, New oxfords made for men who want shoes above the ordinary. In black or tan with solid leather or with rubber heels.

FLORSHEIM SHOES

Finest Styles

\$10



ODDS AND ENDS

The rent houses of Alec Mitchell, Lancaster street have been painted and the dressing up has improved the appearance of these places greatly.

Mrs. A. Taylor on Wednesday moved into her residence at 508 Runnels street, formerly occupied by James Currie. Mrs. Taylor sold her residence on Scurry street to the Christian Church for a parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Foster and family moved into their new home in the Cole and Strayhorn addition Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Currie have moved into their new home in Fairview Heights.

The roof on the Harry Lester home in Fairview Heights has been given a fresh coating of red paint.

The four new residences in Fairview Heights, being erected by Darnell Brothers of Abilene are nearing completion. The roofs of these houses have been brilliantly painted red, green and yellow.

The display windows of the J. & W. Fisher store were remodelled this week. The entrance into the windows were arched and new panelings were put in. C. E. Shive completed this work.

Occupants of a Ford touring car narrowly escaped injury last Friday night when they ran into a concrete culvert on the Bankhead highway west of Big Spring. They escaped with a few cuts and bruises.

Many of our folks are putting into action the slogan: "Clean up! Paint up!" Many houses in all parts of town are being given fresh coatings of paint and otherwise improved. The clean up will be started next week. All weeds will be cut, trash and rubbish burned and the beauty of the trees and flowers growing in the yards will get to be seen. Just one hour's work with the rake and hoe show wonderful results.

Better get out your last year's fly swatter or else buy a new one. Mr. Fly and his family will soon be in vading your premises and you should let him know that he is not welcome by giving him a merry chase with the swatter until you get his goat.

The King Chevrolet Company received a shipment of closed Chevrolet cars this week.

The fragrance of locust trees in bloom penetrates the air in town every evening and the perfume of wild flowers in the country. It is pleasant to take a ride in the cool evening after the sun goes down.

BETTER SERVICE NEEDED AT POST OFFICE HERE

The citizens should join Postmaster J. W. Ward in petitioning the Post Office department for more help in the local office. Take the general delivery department for instance and note the inconvenience folks have to put up with. Then again it is an imposition on the postoffice employe to be compelled to handle so many different tasks. In addition to performing the duties of general delivery clerk—and these are plenty since so many new people have moved in—this employe has a dozen other duties.

Then too, our postoffice is so small that no more boxes are to be had, thus forcing an additional number to use the general delivery service. Then there is the receiving, weighing and stamping of all outgoing parcel post packages; the delivery of parcel post packages not handled by carriers or packages too large for the mail boxes; the sale of stamps, the collection of box rent, the answering of questions as to arrival of mail, the outgoing mail and other details.

You can find a long que of folks impatiently waiting at the general delivery window most any day and on Saturday—you can guess the rest.

WHY SUFFER

You can rid yourself of Rheumatism at once. Rheumalax reaches and removes the cause of rheumatism, doesn't just stop pain for few hours, but brings permanent relief by cleansing the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels of the poisons which are the direct cause of rheumatism. Guaranteed by

J. L. Collins, Coahoma
Cunningham-Phillips, Big Spring

SWIMMING POOL REOPENED

Mr. Couch announces that the swimming pool on the old Theo Jones dairy farm has been reopened for the season.

The pool has been thoroughly cleaned and was refilled with fresh water this week. Hereafter the pool is to be thoroughly cleaned every two weeks.

J. P. Anderson in Tuesday from his ranch in the northern part of the county reports just a sprinkle out his way Wednesday.

If you have city property to sell, see Cook and Dillard, Room 11 West Texas National Bank Bldg. 25-27

The Easter Parade



Now that Easter is only a few days off one's thoughts naturally turn to the completion of one's ensemble. On the day of Spring days, Easter Sunday, when millions turn out for the fashionable Easter Parade, it is necessary that even the smallest details be considered.

We invite you to review our splendid stocks when filling your last minute needs. We are anxious to serve you. Our part is that of fitting you out for that gala occasion.

Easter Frocks



of Springtime Chic

\$5.75 \$9.85
and \$14.75 to \$42.50

Here particularly, is an attractive announcement for those who have their Easter frock yet to select, or for those who are interested in another frock for after Easter wear. The chic details of these many frocks can only be expressed by your seeing them. The modest prices are surprising.

Smart Footwear

The "Mentoi"

\$10

In the new shade water lily kid with colored kid trimming. A slipper that expresses Easter. As illustrated at right.



The "Lotus"

\$10.50

A charming new one-eye tie in peach-wood calf with opellent trim and tabs. Smart Cuban heel as illustrated left.



Easter Slippers for Children

PHONE
400

Albert M. Fisher Co. DEL

Special Combination Package



COTY

FACE POWDER
and EXTRACT

89c

This special offer is in quantity. We suggest shopping. Coty's powder, white and brunette L'Orean perfume.

FOR EASTER



GOTHAM Gold Stripe Face

\$1.95

Sheer and serviceable all-silk 389 Gotham stripe hose. No runs that shall pass the Gold Stripe EASTER SHADES

Fr. Nude Moonlight Shadow Sandust Grain

Children's Sox

IN NEW EASTER SHADES

25c to 98c

The new Gordon sock children's Easter costume here in the shades of beige, sky, peach and shades in silk or lisle.

Soap grease. Pool-Reed Co.

Pure lard. Pool-Reed Co.

Herald want ads gets results.

Field seed; also garden seed and plants. The White House.

W. W. Crenshaw who was seriously ill the latter part of last week was able to be at his place of business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. LaBeff and children returned Saturday from Fryte where they had been to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charles B. Alexander and baby Mary Olney Alexander of Pine-land, Texas, will arrive Saturday for a two weeks visit with their aunt, Mrs. L. S. McDowell.

L. E. Crenshaw returned Tuesday evening from San Angelo where he had driven an auto to enable Bernard Fisher to catch a train for Houston. The trip to San Angelo was made in two hours and twenty minutes.

You are an old settler if you have lived in Howard County twenty years. Now, are you interested in making the Old Settlers Picnic in July a success. If you are attend the meeting at the courthouse Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Switchmen in the local yards who are compelled to act as flagmen while doing their work near railroad crossings say a fellow will soon turn gray haired on the job. They say it is next to impossible to persuade auto drivers to stop and look before crossing the tracks; and in some instances they will actually drive their autos into a moving train.

W. O. Kent, circulation representative for the Abilene Morning News was a business visitor in Big Spring Tuesday and Wednesday. W. O. is a former editor, and one of the best known newspaper men in West Texas, and he met many old time friends while here.

The automobile makes it easy to commit suicide—for that's just about what you are doing when you turn her loose on the highway. About 411 took this course the past four weeks according to statistics of Uncle Sam. Better go slower and spend a few days on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnson and baby daughter arrived Wednesday from Colorado to make their home in this city, where Mr. Johnson is employed by the Berry Lumber Co. They will make their home in the new apartment house recently completed for A. G. Hall on South Scurry street.

Sam Eason and Sam Ely had a perfectly nice fishing party spoiled Tuesday night when the clouds began cutting up. They were at Istan and doing nicely, but when the clouds down south began turning flips and doing other strange stunts they decided it best to pull up the trotline and beat it for home; and they did.

The State National Bank has largest amount of deposits also largest number of customers of any bank in Howard County.

NOTES FROM SALEM

We received a fine rain last Wednesday night making moisture enough to plant and the farmers are taking advantage of this opportunity planting feeds of all kind.

Mrs. Lester Wise and children of Big Spring were visiting her brother Oscar Musgrove and family last Friday.

John Robinson and family of Lamena were pleasant all day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson Sunday.

S. D. Buchanan who has been ill, is reported some better.

George Huey of Fort Worth is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson and other relatives.

A. J. Wilson and George Hancy and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fryar motored to Moore Sunday to visit J. W. Fryar and family.

Mrs. Burley Davidson was shopping in Big Spring Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hull and Earl Hull and their families spent Saturday afternoon in Midland visiting their daughter and sister Mrs. Lillian Thompson. They returned home Sunday morning in time for Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox spent Saturday night with Allen Rogers and family.

Brother E. E. Mason will preach at Salem Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Everybody is invited to come out and hear him. We will have Sunday school at ten o'clock

Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dearing spent Sunday with Mr. Tomm and family at Coahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Canada went to Colorado Friday to place several hundred eggs in a hatchery there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rogers were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and family.

Mrs. Edens of Big Spring is visiting with her children Mrs. Ed Martin and Albert Edens this week.

Mrs. Lula Martin of Big Spring is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson this week.

Jack Gorman and Billy Londos are training daily for their finish wrestling match Monday night at Miller's skating rink and the public is invited to witness them in their work out with local boys. Gorman works out at 2 p. m. while Londos and his assistants start their daily grind at 4 p. m. A number of local boys are also taking advantage of the free instructions given by Matchmaker Faust on the many art of self-defense.

Joe Flock left Tuesday evening for Fort Worth to attend the opening game of the Texas League between Dallas and Fort Worth. Joe went down to root for The Cats. He will return Friday morning.

Kodak films and Kodaks..... Cunningham & Phillips

GOOD WILL

The business men are mighty nice folks them don't know it. They would get out of business a little more with the folks they have customers.

Setting in the back waiting for customers may be all right, but follow you mix and the street or at his freer to visit your Big Spring to make occasional visit to the nearby towns, help you even if you ed in business.

Cotton bagging should be used around town. If the cotton insist on this an additional bale of cotton will be jute trust, however entrenched and it will and serve for the themselves by bagging being given jute.

LET US DO YOUR We are prepared of hauling at reasonable will also furnish 10-11.

The Big Spring Herald

Big Spring, Texas, Friday, April 15, 1927

By T. E. Jordan



Social Notes

EASTER SEASON OPENS GAY SPRINGTIME AFFAIRS

The robes of wintertime will be cast aside on Easter morning and the world will take on a new attire, brilliant in color and gay in mood. There has been a lull in affairs the past six weeks, many having observed the Lenten season absenting themselves from social functions but with Easter returns the gladness and gaiety of entertaining and many delightful affairs are being planned by hostesses for the coming weeks.

This week end will be a busy one, especially for the little folks who revel in hunting brilliantly colored Easter eggs. Most every Sunday school will entertain the little folks with a hunt and other Easter parties are being planned for their merriment. The hills neighboring our city provide ideal hiding places for the eggs, where bunny rabbit scouts are being planned for their merriment. The hills neighboring our city provide ideal hiding places for the eggs, where bunny rabbit scouts are being planned for their merriment. The hills neighboring our city provide ideal hiding places for the eggs, where bunny rabbit scouts are being planned for their merriment.

Junior-Senior Banquet

Premier among the social gaudies of this week end is the Junior-Senior Banquet which is being held in the basement of the First Methodist Church this evening (Friday), April 15 at 8 o'clock. Members of the Junior class and the Parent-Teacher Association of the Big Spring High school are sponsoring this delightful affair entertaining about one hundred guests with a four course dinner.

Theo Ferguson president of the Junior class will be toastmaster on this occasion. The Senior class colors pink and silver, will be elaborately featured in the appointments of the banquet and decoration of the entertaining rooms.

Apron-Overall Frolic

Another outstanding affair on the social calendar for Friday evening is the Apron and Overall Frolic which is to be given at the Elks Hall this evening, (Friday) April 15. Invitations have been issued to the members and about fifty guests and much interest centers around this happy affair. Dancing will begin at nine o'clock and music will be furnished by The Virginians. Aprons and overalls will be donned by the guests and everyone is urged to comply with the request to dress accordingly.

Fort Worth team will come to Big Spring Sunday, April 23, for our team. Big Spring team will go to Sunday, April 30 to give the team a game.

WILLIAM FISHER ILL. Mrs. Fisher left for Houston summoned by the serious illness of their son, William Fisher. It appears that Mrs. Fisher were returning to Big Spring from Fort Worth where they had spent the week and had decided to stop at the home of Mr. Fisher could consult with relatives to an attack of illness. He suffered a heart attack on arrival at Houston and reports received up to date were that Uncle William was slightly improved.

EASTER THEME FEATURED AT PRETTY ROOK PARTY

Mrs. John Baggett was hostess to a group of friends on Wednesday afternoon, most delightfully entertaining five tables of players at Rook. Pretty symbols of Easter time were used in the party details, with Easter lilies, rabbits, and eggs adorning the tallies, score pads and decorations for the party. This theme was also attractively featured on the refreshment plate.

In the interesting Rook games of the afternoon high score honor went to Mrs. T. E. Baker. Party favors of silver and gold baskets, holding tiny Easter eggs, were given each guest.

An unusually attractive and delectable luncheon in two courses was served at the close of play to: Mesdames T. E. Baker, Sam Baker, F. M. Pursor, Chas. Davis, Wm. Connor, Robbins, Mattie Gallimore, J. J. Hair, Douglass, Lloyd, Williamson, Piner, Higgs, Hinman, Baggett, Shive, Pike, T. Reed, Hatcher and Miss Nell Hatch.

Misses Minnie and Irene Fahrnkamp and Louis Fahrnkamp of El Paso arrived Wednesday evening for a few days visit in this city with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Naisy Martin and Carson Black arrived this week from California for a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

FIFTY COULES HUNT FOR BURIED DE MOLAY TREASURE

Experiencing the thrill of finding a treasure buried in some secluded spot and living the life of Captain Kidd that bold and courageous pirate provided one of the merriest evenings that has ever been enjoyed by the younger set on last Friday evening when the members of the DeMolay Chapter entertained their young lady friends with a treasure hunt.

The home of Albert Bettie on Nolan street was the gathering place for this crew of fortune seekers and from eight until ten o'clock an informal party was enjoyed. At ten o'clock the couples in cars, started in search of the treasure. Clues written on pieces of paper had been distributed at distant points and in groups of four the crowd scattered to see who would find the treasure. Each group had ten clues and approximately fifteen miles were covered in gathering the clues. Misses Imogene Price, Dona Belle Allen, Larson Lloyd and Carlos Black were successful in finding their ten clues first and in getting the treasure. Beautiful vanities were presented the two young ladies and DeMolay pins were given the boys.

Following the hunt the group returned to the Bettie home, where delicious brick ice cream and angel food squares were served by Mrs. Bettie.

Those enjoying this treasure hunt were: Mary Dallas Collins, Nelle Davis, Christine Little, Lillian Shiek, Miss Boren of Colorado, Dona Belle Allen, Dorothy Silvia, Katherine Bettie, Billie Faucett, Julia Bess Nowell, Winona Taylor, Imogene Price, Gladys Lloyd, Rachel Woods, Virginia Whitney, Maywood Rix, Louise Jordan, Hazel Sellers, Lucille True, Maurine Leatherwood, Eula Mae Sanders, Mable Hair, Elizabeth Northington, Irma Lee Gary, Frantz Gordon, Lola Belle Stewart, and Arlo Forrest, Byron Neel, Phillip, Musgrove, Pert Prichard, Harold Harwood, Jack Hodges, Paul Rix, Charles Frost, Randall Pickle, Frank Jones, Charles Read, Hugh Potter, Carlos Black, Sidney House, Maurice Stallings, Frank Mims, Lewis Rix, Bill Turpin, Pete Sellers, Larson Lloyd, Lloyd Wasson, Albert Bettie, Arthur Osborn, Frank Segell, Dick Collins, and Theo Ferguson.

RAINBOW GIRLS HOLD INITIATION FOR CANDIDATES

Initiation of five new candidates into the Order of Rainbow Girls was held at the Masonic Hall Friday evening after the regular business meeting of the order. The five candidates taken into the order were: Misses Illene Barnett, Adele Thomas, Zillah Mae Ford, Valerie Sligh and Margaret Bettie. Miss Louise Hayes, another candidate, was ill and unable to attend the initiation, and she will be taken in at the next regular meeting.

A social hour will be planned for the next meeting. A midnight lunch had been planned for this meeting but because so many of the Rainbow Girls were guests of the DeMolays on the treasure hunt Friday evening these plans were dispensed with until the next meeting.

EPISCOPAL SUNDAY SCHOOL EGG ROLLING SUNDAY AT 3

The Episcopal Sunday school will have its annual Easter Egg Rolling at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shine Phillips on South Scurry street at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. All children of the Sunday school are invited to be present.

Those who do not have means of transportation are requested to meet at the Rectory at fifteen minutes to 3 o'clock and cars will be there ready to take them to the hunt. Everyone come.

Mrs. W. E. Carvike and Mrs. Robt. Middleton will leave Saturday night for a week's visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth, Dallas and Gainesville.

SLUMBER PARTY FOLLOWED BY SUNRISE BREAKFAST

Mrs. Florence McNew was hostess to a group of young folks last Saturday night entertaining most delightfully with a slumber party followed by a sunrise breakfast Sunday morning.

Saturday evening dates for the young ladies were invited to the Schwarzenbach home three miles north of Big Spring, where they enjoyed games and were served delicious ice cream and cake. At midnight the gentlemen returned to town and the young ladies remained for a slumber party. The following morning they arose early and drove to the city water works, where a tempting breakfast consisting of ham and eggs, toast, oranges, and hot coffee were prepared and enjoyed.

Those enjoying Mrs. McNew's hospitality were: Misses Ruth Miller, Loula Cardwell, Hazel Line, Nola Couch, Janice Pickle, Bernice Johnson, Lillian Gray, and Jack Holt J. L. Sanders of Colorado. "Red" Hill, Carlisle Robinson and Pete Sellers.

'SOCIAL HYGIENE IN THE HOME' DISCUSSED AT P. T. A. MEETING

"Social Hygiene in the Home" was the subject discussed by W. L. Jones, a representative of the Purity League Federation, at the last regular meeting of the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association last Thursday afternoon. The talk was both instructional and interesting to the members and visitors present at this meeting.

Following the program, the election of officers was held. The president has not been elected and this office is still in the hands of the nominating committee. The election resulted as follows: first vice president, Mrs. L. S. Patterson; second vice president, Mrs. Johnson; third vice president, Mrs. Will Gartin; recording secretary, Mrs. C. A. Ballard; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Chas. Yarnell; treasurer, Mrs. Jess Andrews.

A set of reference books to be used for school and home reading was also purchased by members of the P. T. A. during the business hour.

FLOWER GARDEN CLUB NOTES

The approaching Easter season finds our town looking fresh and green with growing things. Larkspur and snap dragons are in bloom, violets peep forth, quite a few roses are blooming and many yards are gay with tulips, verbenas and phlox.

The new trees as well as their older sisters all wear lacy green garments, while many lawns are covered with soft velvet carpets of blue grass.

New houses help a bit, but beautiful yards are the things you notice most. The Garden Club does not need a roster, you can spot the members all over town by their attractive grounds. And any number of the members are already planning for the Flower Show in May. Give your ferns and pot plants attention, and get everything ready for the big spring flower show. Let us make it a riot of color.

Plan now!

GIRLS MANDOLIN CLUB COMING

Arrangements have been completed to have the Girls Mandolin Club of the Pythians Orphan Home at Weatherford to visit Big Spring, Thursday, May 19. Composed of twenty young ladies, this organization has a statewide reputation, and is given a royal welcome everywhere they give a program.

Big Spring is fortunate to secure this splendid musical organization and all who hear them are assured a rare treat.

Clarence Scholz of Toyah is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Paul Daily is here from San Antonio visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Theo Scholz and other relatives and friends.

SUSANA WESLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED

An Easter theme was featured in the party given last Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the First Methodist Church when the members of the Susana Wesley Sunday school class were entertained by Mrs. Jake Bishop, Mrs. Harry Lester, and Mrs. Russell Harris, hostesses.

The various games and contests enjoyed during the social hour featured this theme and following them an Easter egg hunt was held in the church basement.

Mrs. H. Williamson was fortunate in securing the mystery package on this occasion, it containing a lovely bottle of toilet water.

Delicious refreshments were an enjoyed feature of this entertainment.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. ENJOYS TACKY PARTY

"Some in rags, some in tags and some in tattered gowns." That's how the members of the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. came to the party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglass on Runnels street last Friday evening, when they were entertained with a tacky party.

Miss Mildred Patterson chairman of the entertainment committee and her assistants planned a most joyful evening of amusement for the large crowd of boys and girls who were present. Various kinds of games and contests were played in which merriment reigned supreme, and the tacky costumes added jollity and fun to the occasion.

Following the games, delicious refreshments were served.

JUNIOR H. P. T. A. OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED TUES.

The election of officers will be the business at the next regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of Junior High which will be held at the Junior HI building Tuesday afternoon, April 19 at four o'clock.

All members and patrons of the school are urged to attend this meeting. It is necessary that a large attendance be present and that a good corp of officers be elected for the P. T. A. for next year.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

R. A. Weinkauff and Miss Cozie DuLong, March 30.

Clemente Claute and Zumesinda Elaniz, March 30.

G. E. Fleming of Duran, N. M. and Miss Elizabeth Stanger, Big Spring, April 4.

Victor Garcia and Ynez Yanez, April 7.

Gilberto M. Aleman and Gumesinda Garcia, April 7.

Geo. D. Couchman of Brownfield and Miss Jewell Chesney of Colorado, April 9.

Jack Darden and Lena Coffman, April 12.

BALL CLUB NEEDS FUNDS

So far anything but a generous response has been made to the appeal for funds to complete the new baseball park and meet a few bills that are necessary to get our team started off right.

The management is going right ahead with the plan to complete roof over the grandstand, build boxes, etc. believing that there are sufficient big hearted fans here who will "kick in" and assist in paying off the indebtedness.

If we are to have a "jam up" good baseball team we must do our part to at least prove that we appreciate what the members of the ball team are doing to give Big Spring a real team. So let us fix the park up in good shape and raise a small balance to pay off some incidental expenses. If each and every one of us will donate a small sum it will be an easy matter to wind up the baseball park improvement.

If you want the Big Spring team to be a winner give the home team your loyal support. Show you appreciate them by helping to put over the ball park improvement.

Be out next Sunday to see the home team play the Texon baseball team.

CONTRACTORS HERE TUESDAY

Everett J. Bratt, representing Trost and Trost architects of El Paso and drafter of plans for Big Spring's new 100-room hotel, supervised the letting of the contract here Tuesday.

Thirty-two contractors were here to submit bids on this proposition.

Thomas Jefferson Honored by Club

Members of Wednesday Luncheon Club Pay Tribute to Author of Declaration Independence

The meeting of the Wednesday Luncheon Club this week was pronounced one of the most interesting that has ever been held and the attendance was much larger than usual; more than forty-six being present.

While the crowd was gathering the Junior Band rendered a number of popular selections and some patriotic ones including the Star-Spangled Banner and these proved a real treat. Then too, an especially appetizing feast had been prepared by the ladies of the Methodist Church.

J. B. Pehle acted as master of ceremonies and was responsible for the success of this meeting.

C. T. Watson in a brief talk told of the letting of the contract for the new fireproof hotel of which we are all going to be proud and paid a number of fine compliments to Mr. Crawford the promoter and builder of the new hotel. He has done a wonderful thing for Big Spring, and in appreciation of his enterprise and "grit" the members stood at attention. This tribute came so unexpectedly that Mr. Crawford choked up when he attempted to express his appreciation for this unsolicited expression of goodwill and cooperation. He finally did manage to let the crowd know that he did indeed appreciate same.

The main purpose of the meeting was to do honor to the memory of Thomas Jefferson, one of America's greatest heroes and wonderfully interesting talks were made by E. A. Kelley, Clyde E. Thomas, James T. Brooks, B. Reagan and other and every phase of his greatness and worth to the world was touched on by the various speakers.

Mr. Kelley discussed Thomas Jefferson from the standpoint of "The Reformer" and pointed out the great reforms he advocated and what a wonderful impress he had made not only on the United States but the entire world.

Clyde Thomas discussed his religious views and complimented him for his broadmindedness and tolerance. He said that while Jefferson might not have been a Christian from a bigot's viewpoint, he was a firm believer in the great teachings of Christ. He denied that he was an atheist or infidel. He was a firm believer in religious freedom and ever on the side of right.

James T. Brooks discussed Jefferson as the author of the Declaration of Independence and what his work meant to the world. His firmness in standing up for human rights is known to all and his unswerving effort for freedom and liberty mark him as one of America's greatest sons.

Mr. Reagan discussed Thomas Jefferson and his influence on education. He pointed out that he was one of the best educated men of his time and was a firm believer in promoting educational advantages to one and all. One of his greatest achievements according to Jefferson's own thinking was his establishment of the college which later became the University of Virginia. And on his tombstone is the inscription that he was the author of the Declaration of Independence and the Father of the University of Virginia.

The announcement that Uncle William Fisher was ill at Houston brought sadness to this gathering, and a motion prevailed that E. A. Kelley be delegated to prepare a message of sympathy to members of the family and extend a hope for the speedy recovery of one of the club's most loyal and beloved members.

Mr. Kelley was also requested to extend thanks to the members of the Junior Band for the splendid music rendered at this session.

The Ford truck of the Big Spring Transfer Co. was damaged Wednesday afternoon when it struck the delivery car of the Gooch Cash Grocery Co. at the foot of Main street. The delivery car was coming from the depot and had just entered Main street when the collision occurred with the truck moving west on First street.

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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.

We hope that part of the population of Borger, Texas, which has been told by the Texas Rangers to make tracks will not pick on Big Spring or nearby points as a refuge. Any place would be far better off without this class of folks.

Some of our folks have already gone thru several near booms without any apparent profit, and the same greed or selfishness which cost them much in the past is very likely to cause them to misjudge the size or length of the anticipated development.

Big Spring has almost as good a climate as California but the Californians are better salesmen. California reaps more profit off her climate than she does off her orange groves and gold mines. You don't have to tell California that it pays to advertise.

If there is one thing that is vitally needed here it is a central market for disposing of farm products. We rant about the value of diversification but it is hard to convince a fellow it pays after he has worn out a pair of shoes in an effort to sell a pound of better or a dozen eggs.

If our folks who are looking forward to making great riches out of oil were as eager to do a good turn for a fellow mortal they would be far wiser. Great riches never brought real joy to any man whereas there is satisfaction for a worthy deed—and we believe a reward on the other shore.

The work of leveling up the floor and otherwise improving the big frame building at the foot of Scurry street is now underway. A fourteen foot section is to be cut off the north end of the building to make room for the Texas & Pacific railway to build another switch track to the freight depot.

The extensive oil development now in progress in Howard County has certainly "pepped up" the populace. The increase from oil leases and royalties is going to enable many a land owner to "get by" the disaster the slump in the price of cotton last fall brought about.

We are strong for the New York statute which decrees that "criminal, upon the fourth conviction of a felony charge, is automatically sentenced to serve a life term in prison; nor is he ever in line for a pardon. This law is certainly driving the habitual criminals out of New York State. Texas needs such a law."

An oil exchange is certainly needed in Big Spring just now. Shortage of hotel facilities makes it difficult for oil men seeking oil leases and royalties to maintain a general meeting place or headquarters. An oil exchange would facilitate the securing of oil leases and thus benefit the land owner and lease buyer.

It appears that the Texas and Pacific railroad is destined to become an oil field line. From near Weatherford to El Paso oil development is underway and oil fields have been tapped in fifteen counties along this route or adjacent thereto. This means the old T. & P. is due to enjoy a continued era of prosperity.

Of course it is a lot easier and much more pleasant to jog around in the dunes than it is to take care of poultry, milk cows and other little money makers on the farm. Watch the fellow who has poultry and milk come to bring in the "kale" and you will note he is able to pay cash for the things he is compelled to purchase.

Of course some men won't profit by experience and consequently there will be more cotton planted than the world needs and a low price will result. If every planter in the South would turn out half their cotton land this year they would absolutely make more clear money than if they go forward and with their plans to plant another big crop.

Too many critics and too few to help put over sensible, constructive measures are a detriment to any community.

Bill Booster when asked what kind of an automobile he had, said it must be a "Pessimist," because it was always "knocking."

We need more guys like Will Rogers to aid us to do some thinking. We are easy marks for every kind of humbug under the sun.

There are some corporations afflicted by men who are dead from the neck up. They still adhere to the old fallacy, the public be damned.

As the baseball season has opened the men folks will have at least one more interesting topic of conversation for the next six months. It's great to be a fan.

Quite a few geologists are of the opinion that an oil field is going to be found much closer to Big Spring than folks imagine. In fact some seem to think the main part of the city is located above a mighty favorable structure.

China is going to be handled mightily carefully by the other nations until the present nightmare is terminated. A mob of 40,000,000 is a mighty dangerous proposition, and that's just about the status of the Chinese at this time.

It is hard for the old timers to picture Big Spring with a population of from 10,000 to 25,000, yet this is a possibility within the next few years if the oil development takes on the proportions the oil men seem to be convinced that it will.

A grain elevator should be established here and a market for milo maize and other grain sorghums established. A better price for these products would naturally result, and we all profit when the growers get a living price for their products.

If building regulations were such as to force property owners to erect business buildings such as the J. M. Radford Grocery Co. has erected in Big Spring, fire losses would be small indeed. This structure is as near fire-proof as a building can be made.

We are going to be compelled to go round and round with the weeds from here on out if we do not want them to take charge. Big Spring would look one hundred per cent better if we had the gumption to make it, and maintain it, as "Weedless Town."

Folks who are trying to beautify their yards are complainning of depredations due to livestock running at large or marauding chickens. Better pen livestock and poultry if you reside in the city limits and thereby save yourself and your neighbor some trouble.

It is difficult to understand why a person with a skinfull of bootleg whiskey wants everyone to see him. The present day "hootch hound" is a queer animal in many ways, but his desire to let the general public see how silly and disgusting he really is, gets our goat.

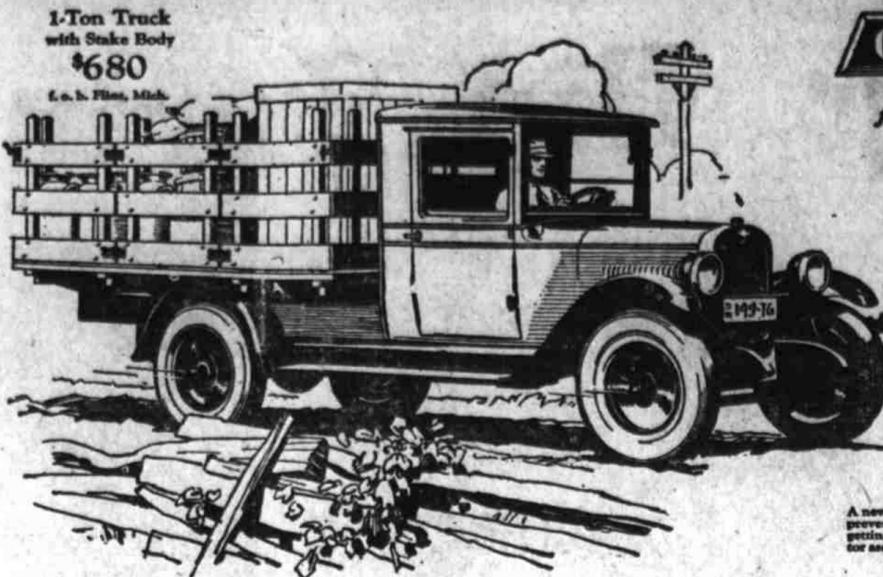
The Chamber of Commerce needs and will appreciate your good will and support. We can make this a bigger and better Big Spring if we all pull together. None of us are the winners if you hold back. We all win if the town continues to grow and prosper. Lend a hand.

It is well to remember that the other fellow is sometimes right. We ought to be able to reason with another without getting "all steamed up" and branding him as a fool. Life is mainly a game of give and take, and the reasonable man is most likely to be oftentimes correct.

The Texas Rangers had to be called in to help stamp out lawlessness in Borger, the new Panhandle oil town. Let us cooperate with the local officers to the end that this never becomes necessary for any community in Howard County, where several oil fields are in the making.

A big pay roll, oil development, etc., are mighty fine things for a city but the most substantial is the pay roll from diversified farming. Industrial centers and oil boom towns have their off seasons. We cannot afford to overlook the value of poultry raising, dairying, etc., on every farm in our county.

Many folks are going to wake up to find that the unexpected boom has passed. When you can sell your property for what it is worth better let it go. The fellow who is afraid someone else may make a profit on property he formerly owned is usually found holding the bag after the boom has gone the way of all booms.



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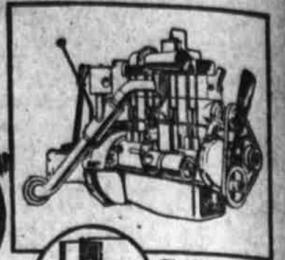
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PAVE ALLEYS IN THE BUSINESS SECTION

One of the best moves to encourage a clean-up in the business section would be to pave the alleys and space in the rear of the buildings. It seems impossible to persuade business men to look after their own interests in this clean-up for trash and rubbish, a most dangerous fire hazard, is permitted to grow to mountain size unless the Fire Marshal keeps prodding them. Here's hoping the live business men in one of the blocks "come alive" and show the others how to clean-up the rear of their stores, and keep same clean and free of fire hazards.

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NINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Base ball gloves....Cunningham
& Phillips.

Exclusive listings solicited on city
property. Cook and Dillard. 28-11

B. F. Logan of Coahoma was a
business visitor in Big Spring Mon-
day.

Combs..A full line of pocket
combs of kinds.....Cunningham
& Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCoy of
Dexter, New Mexico, visited rela-
tives and friends in this city the
past week.

OIL CROP OF TEXAS 351 MILLION
Texas ranks third as a producer of
petroleum and the value of same is
\$351,000,000. This is an immense
amount of wealth coming to our
state; and this is just a starter.

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

Mrs. G. L. Brown and daughter,
Miss Nell, left Sunday night for a
visit in Fort Worth.

Our lines of toilet articles attracts
people from larger places.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

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Now is the time to kill rats..Cun-
ningham & Phillips for poison.

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

Mrs. A. B. Edwards and children
Miss Clifford and Billy and Ralph
Wolf of Abilene visited friends in
this city the past week end.

Keep your teeth clean..We have
better dental creams and the best
lines of brushes.....Cunningham
& Phillips.

We need a cotton seed oil mill in
Big Spring but unless local capital
is forthcoming for this proposition
we stand little chance to secure
same.

Don't let the bugs eat your flow-
ers and trees up...We have all
kinds of bug poison and its cheap..
Cunningham & Phillips.

Our cream station is still in oper-
ation. Bring us all the cream you
can. We will pay highest market
prices for it. East Side Grocery and
Market.

Mrs. H. W. Leeper after a visit
in this city with her daughter, Mrs.
M. H. Bennett and other relatives
and friends, left Tuesday for her
home in Fort Worth.

Miss Opal Pitman who is attending
Simmons University at Abilene vis-
ited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
Pitman, other relatives and friends
in the city the past week end.

Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that
"Perfect Purification of the System
is Nature's Foundation of Perfect
Health." Why not rid yourself of
chronic ailments that are undermin-
ing your vitality? Purify your en-
tire system by taking a thorough
course of Calotabs--once or twice a
week for several weeks--and see how
Nature rewards you with health.
Calotabs are the greatest of all
system purifiers. Get a family pack-
age containing full directions. Only
one at any time. (Adv.)

Kasch's Plumbing and Electric
Shop--moved to 107 Gregg--Phone
167--advertisement.

Kill your red ants now.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

You Notice the Difference Instantly

We simply quote owners when we say that Dodge Brothers new five-bearing crankshaft, together with other improvements announced at the same time, has literally revolutionized the performance of Dodge Brothers Motor Car.

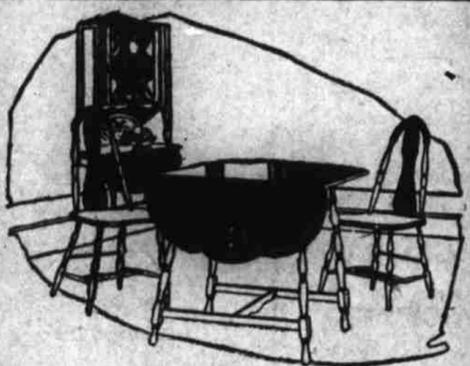
In zest, flexibility and smoothness of power delivery, you will go far up the price scale to find its equal. And the best test of that is personal experience—which we will be glad to provide at your convenience.

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

W. CRENSHAW
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

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MOTOR CARS

PAINTS *Lowe Brothers* VARNISHES



Par-O-Keet Lacquer
A New Development in Decorating
Dries Within an Hour

YOUR furniture, woodwork, glass, metal, toys and similar surfaces can easily be made bright and new with Par-O-Keet—a lacquer in striking colors. Goes on with a brush and in less than an hour after application the finished surface can be used.

Par-O-Keet wears as well as varnish or enamel. Even hot dishes may be set upon it without injury.

Anyone can use Par-O-Keet.

Ask for color card

FRYSON-LINGO COMPANY
Big Spring, Texas

Notice!

ANTON cotton seed --- for sale at
WILLIAMS GIN.
\$1.00 PER BUSHEL

PROTRACTED MEETING BEING HELD AT E. THIRD CHURCH



William C. Ashford

The protracted meeting at the East Third Street Baptist Church continues to grow in numbers in attendance and a deepening in spiritual power. Evangelist William C. Ashford of Abilene, Texas, is doing the preaching, also he directs the singing. He sings, whistles, plays the hand-saw and the xylophone. There have been twenty additions to the church with a large number of rededications. Evangelist Ashford speaks on the streets each afternoon at four o'clock; at one of the schools at nine o'clock a. m. and at the E. Third Street Baptist Church ten a. m. and seven-thirty p. m. He speaks on the "Judgment of the Great White Throne" Friday night. You are cordially invited to attend the services. There will be a prayer meeting at the church Sunday morning at six o'clock. You will receive a great blessing by making a special effort to attend an early morning prayer service. Because of the great interest manifested in the meeting the services will likely continue through April 24. Come, get in the spirit of an old time protracted meeting, sing the old songs and worship God with honest and sincere hearts.

G. O. Summers, Pastor.

EXCERPTS FROM ADDRESS OF POPE PIUS ELEVENTH

Pope Pius XI in addressing the preachers of the Lenten sermons in Rome during Lent, recommended to them the following subjects:

1.—In speaking for Italy with its Mussolini he urges the speakers to explain the true idea of authority and society. They were to explain the function of authority and society and to inculcate respect for the human personality of the individual.

"Men are not for the church, but the church is for men."

2.—On dress. He deplors the lack of dignity manifested in regard to human and christian dress. "Happy are you," he told them, "if you succeed in making people realize what a shame it is that the sense of modesty has sunk so deep among christian people that uncivilized and non-christian people can be model for them."

3.—Prayer for Mexico and China where the interests of the church, missions and the herald of the Divine King are in jeopardy.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTICE FOR EASTER SUNDAY, 17

Text for the sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock—"If a Man Dies Shall He Live Again?"

Special music by the best choir in West Texas.

Regular services Sunday evening at 7:45.

A glad hand is welcomed to all.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rector Frank H. Stedman
Good Friday—7:45 p. m.—Service and Sermon.

Easter Day—7:45 Service and Sermon.

You are welcome.

Public sentiment is everything. With public sentiment nothing can fail, without it nothing can succeed. If the citizenship of Howard, and especially of the citizens of the various communities, are in favor of law enforcement there is not a chance for bootleggers, gamblers and hijackers to run riot. No sane citizen desires to see crooks take charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reagan of Cisco spent the past week end in this city the guest of his brother B. Reagan and family. Mrs. Reagan is a past president of the Sixth District of Women's Federated Clubs and met many of her club workers while in this city.

Mrs. S. H. Parsons, after a six weeks visit in this city with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan left Friday morning for her home in Omaha, Nebraska.

Herald want ads gets results.

CHAPTER TWENTY-SEVEN

Mexican Mission Building Fund
Mrs. Ruth Olson 25c, Mrs. B. Reagan \$3.75, Mrs. Cassie Thomas \$1, Paula Bustomente \$1, Rita Fierro \$1, Mercedes Everett \$1, Froil Lopez 50c, Clemente Cantu \$1.50, Natividad Balenzuela \$1, Hart Phillips \$10.

Total this report.....\$ 20.50
Total last report.....\$1,347.75
Total to date.....\$1,368.25

As this is written, Wednesday, April 13, the building is about half finished. Practically nothing has been done on it for several days, except for the firstcoat of paint applied Tuesday by A. L. Maciel.

Beginning Thursday two paid laborers will be steadily at work and if further promises of donated labor can be fulfilled the house ought to be nearly finished by the next report.

So far, the following men have donated work on the building, directed by Mr. E. H. Josey, though this list does not include those who worked on the foundation in January:

E. H. Josey, R. L. Wilson, H. J. Winchester, J. P. Cross, Shelby Hall, Thebert Price, J. R. Mason, John Sasin, Martine Resa, L. L. Pond, John Kauffman, Bill Boadle, Clarence Shive, J. E. Smith, J. H. Hardin, R. H. Reeves, C. B. Anderson, E. B. Cobel, N. E. Watkins, Irving Clayton, J. R. Rogers, Bascom Reagan, C. O. Murphy, Charlie Robinson, J. C. Robinson, L. H. Thomas, G. N. Grout, Hart Phillips, J. Fred Cocks, W. R. Welch, J. F. Walker, Willard Neel, J. B. Hays, D. P. Day, R. H. Turk and two other men whose names were not recorded but whose help was appreciated just the same.

Too much gratitude and appreciation could hardly be extended to Mr. Josey for his responsibility, faithfulness. Mr. Shive and Mr. Hardin also deserve special thanks for time put in, Mr. Cocks and four of his men gave half a day of regular time and several of our farmers gave from one to three days. Mr. N. E. Watkins falling on the day of the bad sand storm and breaking the bone in his right thigh.

Regret for this deplorable fall can only be equaled by gratitude for his rapid recovery in the hospital.

That Heaven may bless and reward each of these good willing hearted men as only Heaven can, is my daily prayer.

Who else can give or pay for some labor?

Mrs. S. H. Morrison,
Mission Treasurer.

REV. J. C. TRICE DIES

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hinds were called to Snyder last Thursday by the death of Rev. J. T. Trice an uncle of Reverend Hinds. Reverend Trice was stricken with paralysis last Sunday afternoon and his condition was considered grave because of his age. Funeral services were held in Snyder Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. M. H. Henderson, a long time friend of Reverend Trice.

Deceased was well known in Big Spring where he served on the Methodist circuit during the year of 1913 and 1914. Many hearts are grieved at his death.

WORTH THE MONEY

Why repudiate the north side longer. Come in and let us show you some real bargains on the north side only a short time now until the Chamber of Commerce will have their Jersey cows and bulls all sold and then they will take up the viaduct question. I have it from reliable source that the viaduct is an assured fact and will be set opposite the mayor's name as one of his great events.

Look for the—

D. F. Painter Realty Co.
Office No. 6, Ward basement.

MRS. KIRBY MILLER BUYS OUT PARTNER'S INTEREST

Mrs. Kirby Miller is now sole owner of the Vogue Beauty Shop having bought out the interest of her partner Mrs. L. E. Snell last week. Mrs. Miller has secured an expert operator from Fort Worth who specializes in permanent waving, facials and other beauty treatments and who will assist in taking care of the trade at this popular shop.

The Vogue is located in the upstairs of the West Texas National Bank building.

ANOTHER BAKERY TO BE ESTABLISHED IN CITY

C. A. Talbot is erecting a business building on the Bankhead highway in the east part of town. This building adjoins the Coca Cola Bottling Works on the east.

We are informed that this building is being erected for the Powell Bakery. Chas. Powell who is to be in charge of the baking is a baker of many years experience and will make this one of the best bakeries in West Texas.



---for
Easter

Light colors predominate the Easter mode, and we are offering to our customers suits in the newest materials and styles, in a variety of light shades.

We will be pleased to give you a fitting now, so that on Easter morn you will appear at best.

-- FOOTWEAR --

The new shades of blonde, rose blush, stone gray, and light tans are appealingly smart tones for footwear this season.



We offer for your selection attractive styles in all of these shades.

A. P. McDonald & Co.
Gent's Furnishings and Footwear

NALL & LAMAR

Lard Swift's Jewel \$1.15
8-pounds ..

6 10 Apples gallon size 65c

Coffee 3-lb Mozan \$1.60
with cup and saucer

Catsup Van Camp's 20c
Pint size

Oats New Kellogg's small 25c
15c - . . . Two for

Syrup STAR Cane 85c
per gallon

We pay highest market prices for
POULTRY, BUTTER and EGGS
Phone 236 We Deliver

REASON ENOUGH

When we sell a man a used car we are naturally hoping that some day he will come back and buy a new car. Honesty aside, that alone seems reason enough for selling him a GOOD Used Car at a fair price.

W. W. CRENSHAW
Big Spring, Texas

A USED CAR IS ONLY AS DEPENDABLE AS THE DEALER WHO SELLS IT

A good position is what counts. We'll secure it for you. Write for Special Offer and Catalog M today. Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas, 11-pd.

Easter is coming. We have that Easter Ham. Pool-Reed Co.

Big demand for office help positions every week. Write for of salaries and Catalog M today. Draughon's College, Abilene, Texas, 11-pd.

Anything in cured is new. Pool-Reed Co.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE
 If you are in the Big houses with eight rooms and can keep roomers see John Curtis. 28tf

My cotton seed are grown from seed culled. They are re-cleaned and \$1.00 per bushel. Sam 28tf

First class red top for sale. Apply at the place 1-3 miles south of Big Spring. A Richardson, Big Spring, Texas. 23-4f

Good seven room house in two lots. Easy phone 598 or see Clyde 24-4f

Lot No. 6 Block 39, Strayhorn addition. Lot No. 2 Bower addition. Mrs. W. Bogan Dunn, 1636 Grand Place, Fort Worth. 27-4f-pd

160 acre farm, 7 east of town, 80 acres in also a 5-room residence street in the 8th block. Sell. See T. E. Satter-84 Rannels, or phone 489.

Eggs for setting, pure white leghorn, Ferris 10 for setting of 15. See Geo. or phone 285. 27-4f

Get the "Aristocrat" Bar-then Rocks layers, weigh-ers dark strain. \$2.50 Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. G. C. Rt., or see L. Herald office.

Good seven room house in two lots. Easy phone 598 or see Clyde 23-4f

Lot 11, block 3, in Strayhorn addition. Write Big Spring, Texas, or phone 29-2tpd

Pure bred Ancona hen setting of 15 eggs. Lemmons, Garden City, 29-2tpd

MUST BE SOLD—I have city of Big Spring three standard pianos; one player and an upright. Brand new, never been used. All old standard makes, like a very low price on than rehap. For in-11-11-11 S. C. Chiles, Waco, 1944. 293pd

About 225 two year 120 yearlings. The kind will like. \$60 per head \$100, and \$45 per head. 100, choice of the lot. ranch 45 miles south of Samuel Greer. 302pd

Five room cottage with conveniences. Locat-100 block on Johnson St. is offered at a reasonable good terms. Cook & 1t-

Corona typewriter in case. Practically new. Write or see For-11-11-11 Vincent, Texas. 302pd

NEED FOR SALE—We pure Mebane cotton seed \$1 per bushel. Cleaned in 3 lb. sacks. They are Little's breeding. Big-11-11-11 Ware Co. 30-4f-pd

East front lot, south of. See John R. Chaney 30-4f-pd

Five room bungalow Heights. Terms. Phone John R. Chaney, 304p

My home place, 4-11-11-11 lots to place, 1 new good fences, large good barn, 1 block Ward school. See Mrs. 1pd or phone 553.

Pure Mebane cotton

seed \$1 per bushel, genuine improved half and half cotton seed \$1.25 per bushel, at the C. W. Cunningham place 2 miles south of Elbow school-house. 306pd

FOR SALE—Good mule, five years old. Price \$125. See T. F. Nabors. 302tpd.

FOR SALE—Lot 11, block 3, in College Heights addition. Write Box 578, Big Spring, Texas, or phone 90-J. 30-2tpd

FOR SALE—A block and a half of land on East Third street, Bank-head highway just outside the city limits. For terms apply W. J. Carrell, 207 Young street. 30-4tpd

FOR SALE—A Lloyd reed go-cart or sulky for sale. In excellent condition. Phone 585. 1tpu

FOR SALE—Pure Thrash cotton seed. Very best. See T. F. Nabors. 30-2tpd.

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Half section land, 150 acres in cultivation. 13 miles northeast Big Spring. See Reeves at Joe B. Neel store house. 1tpd

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call at 961 Lancaster St. 1tpd

FOR RENT—Nice bed room to two gentlemen. Phone 553 or see Mrs. Will Martin, Cole and Strayhorn addition.

WANTED
WANTED—Employment as night watchman. Thoroughly experienced elderly man. Can furnish reference from Merchants Police at San Antonio as well as Sheriff of Bexar County and others. See me at 205 West First St. E. B. Green. 1tpd

NURSING—Anyone who desires a good practical nurse telephone 729. Will furnish references. 1tpd

HELP WANTED—Ladies: Make money sewing aprons. Materials, patterns, instructions furnished. Experience unnecessary. Write (en-11-11-11 close stamp) to Maidwell Apron Co., Schenectady, N. Y. 1tp

AGENTS WANTED—Agents wanted for Legal Reserve Insurance. Have good contracts for hustlers. For appointment call 162. Ben Bur-11-11-11 man. 292pd

WANTED—To hear from the owner of land for sale. D. M. Leight, Alsada, Montana. 28-4f

WANTED—Sid Davis of Big Spring is in the market for fat calves. See him before you sell. 25-4f

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—A pair of reptile skin tan colored gloves, lost Saturday night at Church of Christ, or on Main St. A reward will be paid for return of same to Herald office. 1tc

LOST—Leather hand pocket book left on the running board of Mr. Phillips' car, parked in front of the Methodist Church. Contained \$10 in money, two checks, a letter and other things. A liberal reward will be paid for return of same to Herald office. 1tp

STRAYED—From the C. F. Morris place last Sunday a bay mare, about 14 1-2 hands high, branded TV on left hip and U on left shoulder. \$5.00 reward will be paid for return of same to M. L. Digby. 1p

LOST—Three Jersey cows two years old, and two yearlings one branded O on left side, another cow branded R on left side. All Jersey stock. A liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of same. Write or see L. G. Suber, Box 3, Lamesa Rt., Big Spring Texas. 30-2tpd

MISCELLANEOUS
HEMSTITCHING—If it's Hem-stitching you want done, see Lois Curtis at W. R. Purser & Sons. All work guaranteed. Phone 421. 46tf

BIG SPRING TO HAVE AN ELECTRIC DINING ROOM
 A new eating house will be opened in Big Spring Easter Sunday to be known as the Electric Dining Room and it will be in the basement of the Clyde Fox building. This is the seventh electric dining room in the state and is one of a chain of six operated by the same concern. V. E. Spiers will be manager of the Big Spring Electric Dining Room. Only electric equipment will be used in the preparation of the meals; electric stoves, toasters, waffle irons, griddles, coffee urn, etc. There will be no smoke nor undesirable cafe odors in the dining room and big suction fans will always be in operation to take away the heated air and refresh it. The dining room will have a 50-foot glass front and well lighted. The interior will be finished in blue and white with all of the tables and chairs painted in the same colors. The dining room will be opened Saturday at noon for inspection and Sunday noon for service. A special Easter Sunday dinner is being planned for the opening and will be served between the hours of 11 to 1:30 o'clock. You are invited to come and inspect this new dining room. Other cities where electric dining rooms are in operation are: Amarillo, San Angelo, Houston, Galveston and Texarkana.

A HAIR OF THE DOG
 "A HAIR OF THE DOG that bit you" is in many parts of the country something more than a handy metaphor signifying that that which caused the evil will work the cure. If one will take the trouble to investigate he will be surprised how widespread is still the belief that the evil effects of a dog bite may be cured by applying to the wound "a hair of the dog." And this superstition exists not only in this country but in many others, being as widespread in locality as it is ancient in origin. It has its genesis in the old, old belief in sympathetic magic—the close connection which the ancients conceived to exist between a person and anything closely related to him or constructed in a resemblance of him and still more closely, naturally, between a man and any part of him which might become severed from his person—such as the hair or nails especially, living and growing parts of his bodily structure. Thus the hair came to be regarded, even when cut off, as still, in reality a fragment of its former wearer and, logically what a man's hair was to a man a dog's hair was to a dog. Now the spital of a man, or of any other animal belongs peculiarly to, in one sense is a part of, the man or other animal which secretes it. Therefore, if bitten by a dog apply to the wound a hair of the said dog and the spital of the dog, with all its properties for evil, will be attracted, naturally, to its homogenous part, the hair, and not injure the alien body into which it has been injected. That's the way the ancients reasoned it out. Modern man does not reason it out at all, but will practices his sympathetic magic with a hair of the dog that bit him. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

 The young lady across the way says she hasn't any respect for a woman who dyes her hair and it seems so unnecessary, too, with so many good henna preparations on the market to preserve its natural color.

Try a sack of Bewley's Best flour no better for cakes and pies. Your money back if you do not like it. The White House.

No hard times for office help. More cells than we can fill. Write for list of positions and Catalog M today. Draughton's College, Abilene, Texas. 1tp

R. E. Baird Jr., County Clerk of Winkler County was a business visitor in Big Spring Wednesday.

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Special Six
Special Sedan
\$1485
f. o. b. factory

A More Distinctive Style in Motor Cars—Achieved by Nash

For those who hope to find their cars at the very peak of style and luxury, Nash has created this charming Special Sedan on the Special Six Chassis.

Its graceful profile suggests the custom-car design of Parisian boulevards. Here is the low-swung French-profile effect so desirable today.

Every interior detail is luxurious. The upholstery is tailored in exquisite Mohair Velvet. Window mouldings, door panels and instrument board are in walnut finish. And there is a walnut steering wheel.

And the way this car performs is every bit as enjoyable as its sparkling style.

It has the Nash 7-bearing motor—as do all Nash models—for superlative smoothness at every speed.

It has the Nash tubular-trussed frame, for extra strength and steadiness, to guard the body from destructive strains.

And it has power! Nash models, all of them, have extra power for exhilarating acceleration, on the hills, and in the traffic.

Compare this car to others sold at the same price—\$1485 f. o. b. factory—and you cannot fail to decide you would rather have the Nash.

WALTER VASTYNE, Nash Agent

Certified Nash Cars

PHONE 715 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HEAR INTERESTING ASSEMBLY SPEAKER
 From time to time the principal of the Big Spring High school, T. F. Huggins, invites prominent men to address the high school students at their morning assemblies and to bring them a message the subject of which the speaker may choose. The past week the students have been treated to two interesting talks by prominent men one an educator, the other a minister of the Gospel. On last Thursday morning Dr. Chandler, president of Daniel Baker College at Brownwood, addressed the assembly talking mostly in the interest of this college. The advantages and assets of a college education were also brought out in the talk which was interesting and of value to the high school students. On Wednesday morning Reverend Ashford of Abilene, formerly of Simmons University appeared on the program at the high school assembly. Reverend Ashford is gifted in playing the hand saw and he rendered several selections on this instrument and also made a short talk to the students. He is conducting a revival meeting at the East Third street Baptist Church in this city.

FERGUSON AND SMITH GO TO COLORADO TO PLAY TENNIS
 Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith went to Colorado last Friday to enter the Tennis tournament between Big Spring, Colorado and Sweetwater. In the games Ferguson and Smith defeated the Sweetwater players with a score of 6-0; 6-2. Then they played the Colorado team and were defeated. Colorado came to Big Spring for a return match and the Big Spring players defeated them, so Smith and Ferguson are still the champions. These match games are for practice and do not determine the winners for track meet in Abilene next week. It is already decided that Ferguson and Smith will represent Howard County in tennis at the district track meet, but the tournaments are-for practice games with the neighboring towns. Big Spring was interested in defeating the Sweetwater tennis champions this year because they were district champions last year, and too they have already defeated Abilene champions this year. Ferguson and Smith have an excellent chance at being district champions at the track meet this year.

Close Cash Prices

Saturday, April 16th

No. 3 Consul Muscat grapes, 30c sellers	20c
Van Camp or Armour's tomato soup, 10c, 3 for	25c
One full gallon sour pickles, sells for \$1.00 for	85c
One gallon catsup, regular \$1, for	85c
A 20c can pure fig preserves for	15c
A 15c Armour's Oats for	10c
20c, best grades Tamales	15c
Chili and beans, regular 20c, for	15c

THE WHITE HOUSE

(successor to P. & F. Co.)

"The Best Place to Buy or Sell"

COAHOMA CITIZEN ENDS LIFE
 J. D. Goodwin a highly esteemed citizen of the Coahoma community committed suicide at his home on the J. W. Shive farm, about six miles northeast of Coahoma Monday morning, April 11. A double barreled shotgun was used, the charge of shot striking him in the head. He walked out on the porch at his home early Monday morning to commit the deed. While no reason for his rash act is known it is believed due to worry over financial matters. Mr. Gorman was aged 66 years, 6 months and 7 days and had been a resident of Howard County but a short time, moving here from Leleland where he had invested quite a sum in land. He was respected and esteemed by all who knew him and many hearts are saddened by his death. He is survived by his wife, two

sons and two daughters. Funeral services were conducted at the Coahoma Baptist Church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and the remains were laid to rest in the Coahoma cemetery. The Masonic lodge conducted services at the graveside. Deepest sympathy is extended the bereaved ones at this sad hour.

Eat what you want without fear of
INDIGESTION

Biliousness, constipation, sour stomach, heart burn, gases, cramps, colic, etc.

**WOOD'S MYSO
STOMACH AND LIVER
REMEDY**

A real tonic and system cleanser.
\$1.25 per bottle
Sold on money back guarantee by
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Read Herald want ads.

TAKE IT FROM ME!

Novelized from the Motion Picture based on the Stage Play by WILL B. JOHNSTONE and WILL R. ANDERSON

Published in Special Arrangement with UNIVERSAL PICTURES CORPORATION

CHAPTER XII TAKE IT FROM ME

ON the Monday morning that Crabb had seen the sign in the right of the main door of the store reading: "This store closed for one month for alterations," he had been full of glee; that is, as full of glee as Cyrus ever became. His capacity for glee was very limited. Either it had never existed or it had never been developed, and Miss Abbott was with him, as usual. Pointing to the sign and rubbing his skinny hands together, he cackled:

"That's the sign I have been waiting for. It will cost that young Jackanapes less to keep the store closed than to run it at the tremendous loss he must have had. Wish I knew the exact figures. McLennon, Simms & Sockett told me of the ridiculous orders that he has placed—corkscrews, carloads of them; cocktail shakers, I never had one in the place since prohibition; horse blankets, they'll rot on his hands; a whole steamer load of Paris dresses; they change their minds so often over there that a cablegram makes a Paris dress old-fashioned before it can be shown in the store. We always set the fashion for this town ourselves and it is the only safe way. I suppose I can make handkerchiefs out of them, when I get the store, if there is enough material." And Cyrus was much pleased at his little joke and the prospect itself. Miss Abbott had never seen him in such confident and entertaining mood. Just then she caught sight of the sign in the other side of the main door. It read:

From basement to roof, the entire store had been done over. Every fantastic idea that cost money had been worked into the decorations. All the big white pillars had been gilded, and it was rumored about the store crowds that they had all been painted in ten-carat gold paint. Huge floral arches were erected over the aisles, and the ceilings had all been gaily painted. Gay bunting, streamers, tapestries and costly looking paintings were everywhere. A famous interior decorator had been given carte blanche to carry out the designs that had been selected as the result of a nation-wide call for unique ideas, and he had been given plenty of money to use as he saw fit. The store had already received a tremendous amount of publicity from the description of the designs and the lavish manner in which they had been carried out. For days the best photographers in the city had been photographing their heads off. Full pages of rotogravure had appeared not only in the city papers, but throughout the whole United States.

From the prima donna who had almost broken Tom early in his spending career, he had obtained one idea which he had used effectively, as well as the use of an entire chorus, otherwise stranded in the middle of the summer. This idea had to do with lights. By the use of spots and flood lights Tom was able to change the entire tone and atmosphere of the main floor. Hundreds of revolving disk used in the lenses gave the effect of moving patterns on the floor, on the beflagged ceiling and on the walls. The flowers in the latticed archways

anything in the world to see that this store is a big success. One of the best things you ever did was to send the sales people away for a vacation. They can't do enough for you now, and won't we all be proud if you succeed?" Grace and Tom were holding hands as she said this. In spite of the fact that Tom's engagement to Gwen was still recognized as binding, it was forgotten in moments like this.

"And if I don't succeed," said Tom, looking at the enthusiastic, confident girl with an expression in his serious face she had never seen there before, "if the thing blows up and people don't do as we plan for them to do—what then? Would it make a big difference to you whether I was a failure or a success?" And Tom was never more in earnest than when he asked that question.

"You could never be a failure—to me," came back in sweetly confident tones and from a head so bowed over that he had to lift the chin to look into the face. Had it not been for an interruption, it is certain that Tom would have forgotten all about his engagement to Miss Gwendolyn Forsythe.

And now the people were coming into the store in gaily dressed parties. Everywhere were wondering exclamations of delight at the surprises of this marvelous store. The sales people were dressed as though it were a fancy dress ball or a masquerade. Even the floorwalkers were in fancy dress. Percy was strutting about in doublet and hose, and trying desperately to keep from tripping over a property sword. But no one took any notice of him, and for once he had no flower to present to Grace. And still he was as happy as a dumfaced floor-walker can look. In fact, the only one in the store who did not look happy and as though he were enjoying himself was Crabb. He had come in with every expectation of being deeply grieved. He was. He had every outward appearance of a near relative reviewing the remains. But inwardly he was a raging tempest. He was looking for Tom.

Grace was standing in the centre aisle, directing people and acting as hostess, and a charming hostess she looked, every inch of her. The most beautiful of all the dresses which had come from Paris, Tom had insisted that she wear. The store people who had only seen her in the simple things she wore to business, marveled at the exquisite loveliness of the girl in the latest creation of Faganni. So did the customers. Many were the admiring looks she received from the men and from the women as they came into the store. And they looked at the face, rather than the gown, too.

In spite of the fact that there were huge signs directing people to the Fashion Show, it was Grace's duty, and a necessary one, to see that they kept moving on in that direction. Presently she saw Crabb enter the store and gaze around as though his eyes hurt him. He even went so far as to wring his hands, all unconscious of the fact that he was making a spectacle of himself before one who knew well his deep interest in the welfare of the store. Crabb stood right in front of Grace and did not know her. He was following the crowd into the Fashion Show, groaning at every step.

"The men's style show, Mr. Crabb, is over that way. Right through that archway." Recalled to himself, Crabb looked at Grace and actually smiled because this beautiful creature had spoken to him. Then suddenly it dawned on him that this was the stenographer that he had discharged.

"Humph," he grunted. "You here still? You won't be long. Where's your young Eggett?"

"At your service, sir." It was Tom. He had seen Crabb enter and had been amused both at his expression and because he had not recognized Grace. Now he was particularly bland and good natured toward the man whose discomfiture he so much enjoyed. "We can talk here. I have no business secrets from Miss Gordon, and she has kept none of the secrets of this business from me."

The significance of this remark was not lost on Crabb. He glowered at Grace as though he would like to utterly annihilate her.

"Then you can understand my interest in the affairs of this store," he declared, in an obvious effort to keep his temper.

"I'm sorry I can't see your interest. If you ever had one, it certainly is gone by this time." Grace was busy telling people where to go. She was out of earshot. Tom could not forbear to bait Crabb.

"You mean the store will be gone? Great heavens, are you crazy? Say, how did you raise the money for all this tomfoolery?" He was rapidly getting excited.

"Oh, very easy," replied Tom airily. "I mortgaged the whole shebang."

"How much?" asked Crabb.

"Three millions."

"All that," gasped Crabb. "And what have you done with it?"

"That's all I could get and I have spent every nickel of it already."

Then the pent-up volcano inside of Crabb really exploded. Calling Tom everything he could think of in the line of impropriety, he finally tottered off to the door with a threat. "I'll put a stop to this criminal waste of money. I'll get out as in-junction."



"If the thing blows up—would it make a difference to you," asked Tom, "whether I was a failure or a success?"

WILL REOPEN NEXT MONTH WITH \$2,500,000.00 PARIS FASHION SHOW

In alarm, she pointed it out to Crabb. At first Cyrus could not believe his eyes. He took out his handkerchief and wiped the horn-rimmed glasses. The sign was big enough. It was plain enough. It was definite enough. Cyrus had no choice but to believe.

"Two and a half million dollars!" He said it under his breath, almost with reverence. Alarm had also crept into his countenance and his voice. "Is it possible, Ella, that the decimal point is wrong in that sign? Why this is terrible. It will ruin the company. The man's a lunatic. Two and a half millions of dollars. Why he hasn't got it. The company hasn't got it. It's ruin, bankruptcy, disgrace."

Poor Crabb all but tore his hair. His suffering was terrible to behold. Miss Abbott, the only spectator, was almost as perturbed as Crabb. Together they hammered on the door. Then they ran around like two frightened rabbits to the employes entrance. But the place was absolutely deserted and securely locked. Crabb, who had come especially to gloat over how well the new sign, "CRABB & CO." would look, was now almost on the point of countermanding the order.

The formal opening of the redecorated and rejuvenated Eggett & Co. store had been heralded by full-page advertisements in all the papers for two weeks. To Tom's surprise he found that he could spend money faster on advertising than he could on almost anything else in his attempt to be extravagant with "Crabb's Inheritance," as the boys had begun to call the business—when Grace was not around. To Grace this seemed a criminal waste of money, but Tom had discovered in himself a remarkable faculty of making Grace believe that you had to spend money to get money. Where he had heard the phrase he did not know, but it was certainly the motto of the new store.

changed color before the wondering eyes of the crowds, and by using huge sprays of perfume, delicate appeal was made to still another sense.

If Tom thought that he had had crowds at his bargain sales the first days of his management, he soon concluded that they were not a patch on the crowds which came to see this marvel of a store. And whereas the first crowds were bargain hunters, these were the most fashionably dressed, socially prominent and well-to-do in the city. Over night, Eggett's had jumped from a conservative lowest-in-the-city-priced store to the most enterprising, up-to-the-minute and expensive store in the country—and Tom had seen to it this time that there were no bargain prices. Of course, from his own standpoint and following out the theory on which all this spending of money had been based, which was to leave nothing at all for Crabb when the three months was up, Tom did not care if he did not sell a thing. But he had to use some diplomacy. He could not let Grace know he was wrecking the store. So the prices were high. But Tom told Grace that he was catering now to people who had money and who wanted to spend it. "The more you ask the more you will get, and all we have to do is to make them think it is the fashionable thing to spend it at Eggett's," said Tom, and Grace again had believed him. So persuasive was he in regard to Grace that she was really coming to admire his business judgment and sagacity.

"You know, Tom," said Grace, as they were giving the store a final once-over on the day of the opening, "I never thought you would be a business man. I decided that the first time I saw you trying to dictate a letter. But some way you have developed amazingly. Many of your plans and theories are too deep for me, but you have so much faith in them that I cannot help believing that they will succeed. And how I hope that they will. Everyone in the store is strong for you. They would do

(To Be Continued)

N. W. McMinn was here Tuesday from his home in the Green Valley community.

Money refunded when you get a dry cigar out of our case. Cunningham & Philips.

Drink one malted milk at one of our fountains. . . . Then you are a regular customer. . . . Cunningham & Philips.

Exclusive listings solicited on city property. Cook and Dillard. 23-41

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STATEMENT MARCH 23, 1927

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$632,633.29
U. S. and Other Bonds	84,600.00
Banking House, Furn. and Fixtures	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	2,397.45
Redemption Fund	2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00
CASH	241,799.18
TOTAL	\$988,329.92
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	121,666.46
Circulation	50,000.00
DEPOSITS	766,663.46
TOTAL	\$988,329.92

RESOURCES MORE THAN \$900,000.00

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MRS. DORA ROBERTS
L. F. NALL

Robert L. Meek is at home this week from an extended business trip to West Texas where he stopped in Roscoe, Big Spring and Midland. Oil development in the country around Midland and Big Spring has brought prosperity to towns there says Mr. Meek, and all are in a great building program at this time. Stephenville Tribune.

Mrs. B. B. Fox and Mrs. Eddie Price returned the latter part of last week from Childress where they had been to visit relatives and friends. Mrs. J. E. Wright of Little Rock, Ark., accompanied them home for a visit. Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Wright are sisters.

H. A. Lattimore transferred representative for the Fort Worth Telegram daily and business visitor in Big Spring Saturday. Mr. Lattimore has been in business with his local city, W. B. Allen and

Miss Alberta Mayfield after a few days visit in this city with relatives and friends left Thursday afternoon for her home in Abilene. Miss Mayfield will return to Dallas on Monday, April 18, where she will resume her position. She has been in Abilene the past two months with her mother who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Robb returned Saturday from Dallas where Mr. Robb had been under treatment the past four weeks. His many friends in this city will be pleased that he is greatly improved in health.

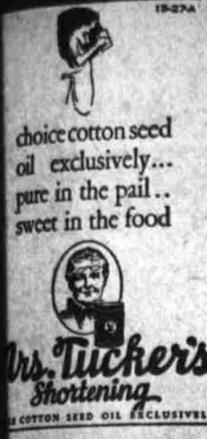
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilcox left Monday morning for a few weeks visit with relatives and friends in Ozona, Temple and other points.

Mrs. Pete Johnson returned Saturday from Nashville, Tenn., where she had been visiting Mrs. Wofford Hardy.

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ADVERTISING
Fundamentals of good advertising change:
not consist in trick hand-
not over-dress the merchand-
that merely attracting does not mean convincing
adopt the commonplace, not the indefinite,
not resort to flowery de-

only talking to the customer the way that you want him to come into and asked you some questions your merchandise, convince, compelling state-
the things you have to
as simple as possible, in great elegance in
was here Tuesday
of fields and re-
the rain Monday evening
the station.

THE LAW CATCHES UP

The exodus of undesirable from Borger is reported in full swing, and it appears that the hectic days of that latest "wild" town are about over. The law—a little late, to be sure—has arrived in the convincing person of 10 Texas Rangers. On roads leading out of Borger in all directions, it is reported, one observes slow-moving clouds of dust. In the centers are footsore pedestrians plodding along in the hope of "catching a ride" out of the dangerous vicinity of the hard-boiled Rangers. The automobile contingent of Borger's undesirable population already has flitted to more salubrious climes. No doubt the hegebra enacts many times over and in part the story of Bret Harte's "Outcast of Poker Flat," with, of course, a modern setting.

The old Borger was, of course an anachronism. It belonged, if we are to believe reports of the happenings there, in the days of the wild frontier. The nucleus of earnest and solid citizens, increased as it was by the earnest and sober newcomers who flocked to the town drawn by the magnet of oil, was submerged under the "flotsam which the wave of riches flung upon the once peaceful community." The machinery of the law was, of course, inadequate to the task thrust upon it. But because this is 1927 and not 1840, lawbreakers could not long maintain the supremacy thus acquired. The law has caught up at Borger, and the fast growing town will settle down into peaceful pursuit of the gains which are to be legitimately acquired in a new oil field.

The Borger episode has been repeated several times in the very recent past. In each case it was a new oil field which produced the phenomenon. At points and on occasions Texas will grow so fast that ordinary processes can not keep pace with it.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

FOR HOME AND STABLE

The extraordinary Borozone treatment for flesh wounds, cuts, sores, galls, burns and scalds is just as effective in the stable as in the home. Horse flesh heals with remarkable speed under its powerful influence. The treatment is the same for animals as for humans. First wash out infectious germs with liquid Borozone, and the Borozone Powder completes the healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by **CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS**

ANOTHER PROOF THAT COURTESY PAYS

A good deal has been said lately about "courtesy and what it means, the value of a real smile in making a sale. Sometimes we hear so much that we begin to think it just talk. But that a smile backed by a pleasing personality goes a long way was shown again by a letter received from a customer, part of which is printed here.

"There is nothing in the world that costs so little and pays such tremendous dividends as courtesy. . . ."

"Her first words, spoken with a smile, clinched the sale right there. She did help us, helped us wonderfully. She knew her business—and above everything else, she was courteous and kind. We went out of the store fully satisfied with our purchase."

Does the woman who has "the smile that won't come off" realize the value of that smile? Every time we find that it's the face with the genuine smile that lasts the longest. And the basis of that real smile is real courtesy to and interest in the customer.

It is only natural that we think more of—and are attracted more readily to—the courteous salesperson, the "saleswoman who smiles with her eyes."—Pythian Banner-Knight.

KEEP IMPROVING WATER SYSTEM

The improvements now being made to the water works system are of a permanent nature and there should be no slackening up as to this program. Big Spring is due to make a big growth; it is possible for our city to double in population within the next few years and the fact that we have a water supply to take care of the situation will be a big factor in promoting this growth. Big Spring is certainly fortunate in having pure water and plenty of it. Most every enterprise or factory seeking a location inquires as to the water supply "right off the bat," and in this case our city can make a one hundred per cent favorable showing.

AT WORK ON COLE HOTEL

Frames are now being erected within the Cole Hotel building for the construction of concrete beams. These concrete beams and steel beams will join all walls, and form a foundation for the concrete floors which will be constructed through-

WHO WILL WIN THE PRIZE?

Who will win? That is a question of paramount importance to many persons of Big Spring and Howard County. Of course every one is anxious to know who will win the \$50 in cash prizes offered by The Herald for the best essays written on "Why the Advertiser on the Contest Page Should be Patronized." Remember every advertiser must be mentioned in every essay. Contest closes Tuesday, April 19—all essays must be in by that date.

The winning essays will be published later in the Herald. The valuable prizes make it an attractive proposition. They are as follows: First, \$20; second, \$10; third \$5; fourth, \$3; and six prizes of \$2 each, so there is a good chance to get inside the money.

Please remember the following firms must be mentioned in all essays: McNew Overland Co., Big Spring Wrecking Co., Couch Greenhouse & Floral Co., Vogue Beauty Shoppe, J. R. Creath Furniture, Allen Grocery Co., Busy Bee Cafe, Eaker-Richardson Garage, Campbell Cleaners and Dyers, L. E. Coleman Electric and Plumbing Co., Ideal Filling Station, Big Spring Hardware Co.

TEXAS HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN AUSTIN, APRIL 25

The Texas Highway Association will hold its annual meeting at the Driskill Hotel at Austin on April 25 and 26. Bills affecting the State Highway Department which are to be introduced at the special session of the Legislature will be discussed and a bill embodying the changes thought necessary to enable the Highway Commission to operate more efficiently and economically may be drafted and presented at the special session by a specially appointed committee of the Association.

The Association will also adopt some plan for obtaining more definite and satisfactory results in closing the gaps in the cardinal highway system.

All county judges and commissioners and representatives from chambers of commerce and civic organizations throughout the State have been invited to attend and take part in framing a plan for completing the highway system.

TYPHOID PREVENTION CAMPAIGN STARTS

In line with the special typhoid prevention campaign set for the month of April by the state board of health, Dr. J. C. Anderson, state health officer, has written county and city health officers asking their cooperation in getting the message of typhoid prevention to their local people.

"Vaccination against typhoid," Dr. Anderson stated, "is the best preventive against this disease known to medical science. The value of this prophylactic vaccine was fully demonstrated during the World War, as out of the 4,000,000 American soldiers given this vaccine, only 2,000 were reported as victims of typhoid. This is quite a contrast to the French army, which during the first two years of the war, before it was possible to use this prophylactic measure, had 200,000 typhoid victims."

THE CAUSE OF CRIME

Three thousand prominent citizens of New York State have expressed their beliefs as to the five educators, social workers, teachers, engineers, clergymen, authors, newspapermen, doctors, judges, lawyers and business men whose views are recorded, are as follows, in the order of importance of causes:

1. Bad companionship.
2. Declining respect for authority.
3. Lack of home supervision due to the death of, separation or desertion of either parent from the family.
4. Delays in justice, to which are assigned as contributory causes leniency to criminals, and newspaper publicity given to crime news.
5. Money madness caused by commercialization of all life activities.

Three of these five causes are due to the negligence of parents, ranking first, second and third. It is a formidable indictment of family life.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

BURBANK TOMATO PLANTS

True Burbank Tomato Plants for sale at—
The Couch Greenhouse and Floral Company,
1206 Gregg Street Phone 329

Mrs. T. E. Helton of Parsons, Kansas, after a few days visit in this city with her sister, Mrs. M. H. Bennett and other relatives and friends, left Tuesday for her home.

R. E. Baird Jr. County Clerk of Winkler County was a business visitor in Big Spring Wednesday.

The State National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

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

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$483,472.92	Capital.....\$ 50,000.00
Commercial Paper..... 140,285.19	Surplus Earned..... 50,000.00
Overdrafts..... NONE	Undivided Profits..... 36,753.12
U. S. Bonds..... 50,000.00	Circulation..... 49,300.00
5 per cent Redemption Fund..... 2,500.00	Borrowed Money..... NONE
Banking House and Fixtures..... 25,900.00	DEPOSITS..... 782,426.38
Federal Reserve Bank Stock..... 3,000.00	
Cotton Acceptances..... 6,928.86	
CASH..... 256,392.53	
	\$968,479.50

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations When You Need Them. We Are Prepared At All Times To Grant Our Customers Accommodations.

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For Safety and Service Do Your Banking Business With Us

We Pay 4 Per Cent Interest on Time Deposits

WHAT A DIFFERENCE?

That the new improvements the Texas & Pacific railway are making around the depot are worth all they are costing and more was demonstrated during the recent rainstorms.

Quite a considerable amount of water fell in a very short time but the concrete driveways, concrete platform and walks around the depot and the splendid drainage system kept the folks high and dry. It was such an improvement over the old order that a fellow just couldn't help but notice the difference. Folks who heretofore were wont to cuss the T. & P. officials for forcing them to wade the mud holes in order to get to and from the passenger trains will now have a better feeling toward the company.

TO PLAN OLD SETTLERS MEET.

T. H. Johnson, chairman of the arrangement committee for Howard County's Old Settlers Association, has called a meeting for 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, April 16 to complete plans for making this year's reunion the biggest and best ever.

Plans for the reunion in July will be discussed, committees appointed and other matters attended to. If you are interested in the Old Settlers Reunion and desire to assist in making it a success make your plans to attend the meeting next Saturday afternoon.

Tell your friends and neighbors to drop in at this meeting and make any suggestions they believe would help make the reunion a real success.

STORES OPEN LATE ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Many business houses in Big Spring are remaining open later on Saturday nights in order to accommodate the oil field workers.

Heretofore the agreement was to close at 8 p. m. on Saturday night, but it looks as though 9 p. m. is going to be the closing hour in the future. From 7 or 8 o'clock a. m. to 9 p. m. is quite a few hours for the clerks to put in but if the firms find it pays to remain open this extra hour they should be willing to pay their clerks a bonus for working overtime.

Anything for the picnic or lunch.

HAVE YOU SEEN DERRICK CITY

The New Oil Town, Located about 20-miles West of Odessa in Coston Pool

AND ON THE T. & P. RY. AND THE PAGO HIGHWAY
Lots priced \$75 to \$200 only, with right kind of terms. Here is your chance to get in on ground floor. They are going fast.

See Agent, Room 24, Wyoming Hotel
COUPLE OF DAYS ONLY

HEADQUARTERS—
Richardson Realty Co., Owner-Developer
ODESSA, TEXAS

Reduced Prices!

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

New Inside Frost MAZDA Lamps

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

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

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**THE EASTER BONNET REGISTERS
COMPOSE OF BLACK AND WHITE**



THAT the Easter bonnet will be largely a matter of black-and-white, so as to enter into the scheme of the mode, is a foregone conclusion. The new hats give every evidence that milliners are making it a point to feature stunning black-and-white head-wear.

The collection of smart spring millinery in this group presents a varied and fascinating black-and-white program. A notable form of trimming this season is all-over applique. This idea is handsomely demonstrated in the first hat which shows white satin scroll-like motifs on a cunning black felt shape.

Black velvet, in graceful leaves and figures, is applied all over a white bangkok for the next hat which bears the message of wider brims. It is said that black on white will be featured throughout millinery for summer. One charming effect promised is thin black lace stretched over a foundation of white straw.

Paris sends over many hats with "a touch" of black velvet. Note the

**OMBRE FUR SHAWL COLLARS
TRIM COATS OF DISTINCTION**



SIMPLICITY is the basis of distinction for the better spring wrap. It is, however, a simplicity arrived at through exceedingly complex seamings, tuckings and other deft and subtle fabric manipulation, which do not destroy the straightline silhouette.

Not only do the more exclusive coat modes accent refinement of style treatment, but the materials themselves are exquisitely choice, such as cashmere, repps, wool crepes, kasha cloth and quality-king twills.

Subtle coloring is a third element which enters into the creation of the patrician coat for spring. Bisque, light tones of beige, fawn shades and some soft lovely grays, also some few pastel tones express the trend.

charming model at the top, to the right in the picture, for the crown of which velvet is the chosen medium. Black embroidery on white crepe for the wide headbands plays a decorative part in keeping with the black-and-white vogue.

Superbly tailored is the model in the lower left corner. This creation is of black pedaline braid and white kid stitched in black and ornamented with ivory pins.

Yes, larger brims are coming in and the hat of black milan, black moire silk, piped and faced with white shown in the group is a forerunner of the vogue which is "on the way."

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.
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symphony, which is pleasing, indeed. Ombre fur is the supreme choice of the moment. There is much enthusiasm for twin beaver just now. This fur is as flexible as cloth and it blends in with the fabric of the coat either to a beige or gray, alternating with stripes of white. Note the shawl-collar on the coat in the picture, which is made of the new and attractive twin beaver. A shawl-collar as a spring item is an innovation made possible and feasible by the infinitely light weight of the new furs.

In some instances the new saphyr-weight furs bind the coat edges all around to about two inches depth. Prevailing "spring furs" include shaved lamb, ombre lapin, squirrel, twin beaver, penyskin and calfskin. These are ingeniously worked into the very making of the coat in the way of insets, and for collars, including shawl, military and also long tuxedo coats, also for jackets.

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SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Howard
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Pluries Execution issued out of the Honorable 91st District Court of Eastland County, of the 31st day of March, 1927, by the District Clerk of said Court for the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-One & 76-100 Dollars (\$3,261.76) and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. L. Chapman as Banking Commissioner of Texas, in a certain cause in said Court No. 11-075 and styled J. L. Chapman, Banking Commissioner of Texas, vs. H. G. Lucas placed in my hands for service, I, Frank House as Sheriff of Howard County, Texas, did on the 4th day of April 1927, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Howard County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All being in Twp. 1 North, Texas & Pacific Railway Company, Surveys, to-wit:
Section 7, in Block 29;
Section 19, in Block 29;
Section 18, in Block 29;
Section 24, in Block 30; containing 3290 acres, more or less, and levied upon the property of H. G. Lucas and that on the first Tuesday in May 1927, the same being the 3rd day of said month at the Court House door of Howard County, in Big Spring, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell all of the right, title and interest of H. G. Lucas, in and to the above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. G. Lucas.
And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English Language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Big Spring Herald, a newspaper published in Howard County.
Witness my hand this 4th day of April 1927.
Frank House,
Sheriff Howard County, Texas.
By J. O. Tamsitt, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE
STATE OF TEXAS
County of Howard,
By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Howard County, on the 8th day of March, 1927, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Henry DeVries versus Walter Bishop, Don Means, Carl Bradford, and M. G. Cooper, No. 1049 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the First Tuesday in May 1927 A. D., it being the 3rd day of

described property, to-wit:
East One Half of Section No. 17, in Block No. 27, Cert. No. 27-1649, H. & T. C. Ry. Company, in Howard County, Texas, comprising 320 acres of land, same located about 25 miles N. E. from Big Spring, in said Howard County.
Levied on as the property of said defendant to satisfy a Judgment amounting to \$2477.70 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent on \$2252.45 and 6 per cent on \$225.24 thereof from 2/8/1927 in favor of said plaintiff, and cost of suit.
Given under my hand, this 7th day of April 1927.
29-3t. Frank House, Sheriff.

NO BORGER CONDITIONS FOR ECTOR COUNTY
Sheriff Reeder Webb of Ector County and County Attorney D. Vance Swan, headed a raiding party which cleaned up Crane City last Saturday night.

Fifteen thousand bottles of beer and over 100 gallons of whiskey were seized and owners destroyed a like amount before the officers could seize it.
Many newcomers from Borger were given until Sunday night to leave the county, Sheriff Webb and County Attorney Swan have shown that they do not propose to permit the lawless to take charge of the oil towns in Ector County. These officers are to be commended and the citizenship should see to it that they are given their loyal cooperation so they can be protected against conditions similar to those that help sway at Borger until the Rangers were sent in.

LAW-ABIDING FOLKS IN GLASSCOCK COUNTY
The regular spring term of district court convened at Garden City last Monday morning but only a few cases were on the docket. The grand jury, impanelled Monday, after a brief session and no bills to be returned was dismissed for the term.

DAILY PAPERS
Get your daily and Sunday papers from the Lyric confectionary, Fort Worth Press, El Paso Post, Tulsa Tribune, Wichita Falls Times, Houston Post, and The Oklahoman—Sunday only!

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COOKERY COLUMN

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Spanish Salad
1-2 cup lima beans, 1 pimento, 2 or 3 slices onion shredded, 1 potato, 1 hard boiled egg, 2 pickles, 2 olives, 1 cup bread cubes browned in 1 tablespoon of Mrs. Tucker's Shortening. Mix all together. Chill and add a dressing made of:
3 tablespoons salad oil, 1 tablespoon vinegar, 1-2 teaspoon paprika, salt and pepper.

Neapolitan Vegetable Salad
1 (1-2 cup chpped cabbage, (1-2 cup chopped celery, 2 (1-2 cup chopped carrot, (1-2 cup chopped red pepper or pimiento, 3 (1-2 cup chopped beet 4 (2 cucumbers, (2 white onions, 2 tablespoons gelatin, 1-2 cup cold water, 1-2 cup vinegar, 2 cups boiling water, 1-2 cup sugar, mayonnaise.

All the vegetables should be put through a food chopper. Soak gelatin in cold water. Pour over it the boiling water add vinegar and sugar—stir until dissolved. Divide gelatin into four equal portions—Add 1-2 cup mayonnaise to the carrots—mix with one portion of gelatin. To each other portion of gelatin add same color of vegetable. Pour beet mixture into bottom of mold and chill—add white mixture; then the carrot mixture, then the green mixture last. Let stand until firm. Turn out and slice across the layers. Arrange on lettuce leaf with mayonnaise on side of mold.

Stuffed Beet Salad
No. 1:
6 large cooked beets, 1 cup finely chopped celery, 1-4 cup peas, 1 cup mayonnaise, 1 head lettuce.

Cut tops off beets, scoop out the centers making hole as large as possible. Mix chopped celery and peas with mayonnaise dressing. Fill beets with the mixture. Arrange on lettuce leaves. Top with mayonnaise

No. 2:
1 cup chopped string beans or carrots, 2 tablespoons chopped onions.
Mix with mayonnaise and fill the beets—arrange on lettuce and top with mayonnaise.

Mexican Potato Salad
4 boiled potatoes, 2 eggs boiled hard, 3 onions, 3 pimientos, mayonnaise.
When potatoes are cold cut into cubes, also onions, eggs and pimientos. Then mix with mayonnaise and let set 30 minutes before serving on lettuce leaf.

GARDEN CITY LEAGUE ENTERTAINED WITH WEINIE ROAST

Under the leadership of Mrs. Hill Long the Juniors of the Epworth League of Garden City, Texas, had a gay time at the ranch home of Charney Hightower from five until seven o'clock last Friday afternoon when they were entertained with a weinie roast.

This happy affair was given at the conclusion of a contest in which the Blues won from the Reds, the former being the honor guests on this occasion. The Reds under their captain, J. A. McCorguodale, entertained the Blues and their captain, John Christie Ratliff, at the close of the six weeks contest.

After many games were played in the shade of the trees at this pretty place the preparation of a picnic supper progressed.

A light shower of rain fell, which caused us to seek shelter on the porch of Mrs. Hightower's home, where all forty four of us grouped until the rain stopped. We returned to the picnic spot where we roasted weinies and ate our supper.

Everyone reported a most delightful time to Mr. and Mrs. Hightower, and expressed a desire to come back again. Reported.

EASTERN STAR WILL HOLD REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY

All members of the Order of Eastern Star are requested to attend the next regular business meeting of the order, which will be held at the Masonic Hall Tuesday evening, April 19 at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

How about a better clothes brush. Cunningham & Phillips.

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Weddell and Mrs. T. S. Curran Saturday.
part of Big Spring, ac- boy baby daughter, arrived this week for a mother, Mrs. J. E. Sadson Boyd of Greenville Tribune.
Miss Tommie Preston of Midland visited friends in Big Spring Saturday.
Kasch's Plumbing and Electric Shop—moved to 107 Gregg—Phone 167—advertisement.
Mrs. Rex Reagan and baby daughter of Levelland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Wasson in this city.
Buren Edwards won first place in the rural declamation contest, for boys, held during track meet on April 1. We gave his name as Burrow Edwards when it should have been Buren.

ODESSA TO HAVE TELEPHONE TOLL LINES TO CRANE FIELDS

Mr. Alderman, manager of the local telephone system is in town this week and gives out the information that there will be one hundred and twenty miles of toll line built out of Odessa to points west and south. Giving a line to Crane, to Monahans and the Winkler County oil area. A new switch board is in transit for Odessa and all equipment for this place will be new and standard. The contract was let this week for the reconstruction of the building on the corner of Lee avenue and Second street into which the telephone exchange office will be moved as soon as the equipment arrives. Excellent service is assured the people of Odessa when the system is completed. Ector County News (Odessa).

CARMACK'S POULTRY HOUSE

will buy all of your poultry and hides
Pays highest cash prices.
30-11. PHONE 73
When you have cream to sell, bring it to the East Side Grocery and Market. We pay the highest market prices.

J. C. HALE OF COAHOMA CELEBRATES 81st BIRTHDAY

J. C. Hale of Coahoma was a business visitor in Big Spring last Friday and was a pleasant caller at The Herald office. Mr. Hale stated that he would celebrate his 81st birthday anniversary on Sunday, April 10—and from all appearances he would be taken for a much younger man. He is still active and spry for a man of so many years. Mr. Hale is a long time subscriber of the Herald.

IS ABLE TO REPORT TO WORK

Less Thomas who was critically ill last week from a heart attack brought on by ptomaine poisoning was able to report for work in the Clay oil field Monday morning. Mr. Thomas became ill last Friday night a week ago, and his condition seemed grave for awhile. He was able to go to Colorado last Tuesday night, where he remained with homefolks until Sunday night.

Mrs. Virginia Hale of Midland is the guest of Miss Anita Musgrove this week.
Bologna, minced ham. Pool-Reed Co.

Star Parasite Remover

Given in water or Feed side chickens and turkeys of intestinal worms, disease parasites, blood-sucking Lice, Mites, Fleas, Ring Bugs; improve their health, reduce disease, increase egg production. Eggs hatch better with stronger young chicks or money back.
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HEAR ATTICUS WEBB SPEAK AT METHODIST CHURCH, 24

A service will be held at the First Methodist Church on Sunday evening, April 24, at which time Atticus Webb, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Texas, will be the speaker. Mr. Webb is interested in the fight of making our nation a sober one, and he most cordially invites every citizen in and around Howard County to come out and hear his messages. It will be of interest to all. Come out and hear him speak.

Mr. and Mrs. George McEntire were in from their ranch in Sterling County Friday.
BASE BALL GLOVES..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

HALLAS WINS, LAST MONDAY

Dangerous Dan McGrew won the first fall in sixteen minutes and forty seconds with a series of fifteen or twenty flying mares applied to Bill Hallas, the Big Spring favorite, in rapid succession in one of the fastest and most furious matches ever witnessed in Big Spring last Monday evening at Miller's Skating Rink, before a large crowd of men and women.

Hallas, after his short rest came back with the determination to finish McGrew in short order and both men used every hold known to the mat game in such a short space of time. McGrew bit Hallas on the leg in order to break a head scissors hold and Hallas came up with blood in his eye. Catching McGrew with his famous aeroplane swing and slamming him on the mat in four seconds, ending the second fall with a double wrist lock.

McGrew appeared to be somewhat dizzy after entering the ring for the third and last fall, and Hallas did not fail to take advantage of his weakness, tearing into him, scratching, biting and slamming him all over the mat, ending the match with a flying headlock, throwing McGrew completely over his shoulders with all his strength in twelve minutes and 12 seconds.

The two preliminaries between local boys were very exciting and furnished the fans with lots of thrills. Everett Drake won the decision over Lee Blaylock in fifteen minutes. Kid Blackie of Big Spring had to use all of his strength in pinning Oil Field Blackie of Chalk field shoulders down for the three seconds. Leo Forrest of the Moore settlement was the third man in the ring and his work was entirely satisfactory and his decisions won the approval of the crowd.

Matchmaker Faust accepted the challenge of Jack Gorman of San Angelo and will use the Flying Dutchman against Billy Londos of Paducah, Ky., the sensational Greek wrestler in a finish match next Monday evening at 8:30 in Clyde Miller's skating rink arena. He has secured the services of several local boys to stage a number of preliminaries and assures the fans and fanettes plenty of thrills and excitement.

Monday night will be ladies night—all ladies accompanied with a male escort will be admitted free.

SOUTHERN ICE AND UTILITIES CO TO HAVE ODESSA PLANT

What was considered a very wise deal on the part of both contracting parties, was put over this week when the Southern Ice & Utilities Company bought out the G. G. Gilliland Ice Plant that had been started near the T. & P. track. The Southern Ice Co. will go ahead with this building and turn the structure for which, only the foundation had been laid, on the corner of Fourth Street and Lincoln Avenue, into some other kind of a business house or residence. The ice plant now under construction is of hollow tile and is being rushed to completion. Ector County News (Odessa).

PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES

The three Circles of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet at the home of the circle chairmen at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon in regular meeting. The following will be hostesses: Dorcas Circle—Mrs. Lewis, King's Daughters—Mrs. T. S. Currie, Whatsoevers—Mrs. Rutherford. All the ladies are urged to be present.

EVERY NEW OIL WELL A JONAH

Just at this time no oil company is anxious to bring in an oil well, and if one comes in it will be by accident. With the price of crude oil still on the downgrade it is folly to add any more producing wells, and no big oil company is going to do so on purpose. A few months and a change should take place as to the oil situation.

LINCOLN TANK CO. LOCATES

The Lincoln Tank Co. manufacturers of tanks for oil fields has opened a yard in Big Spring and will keep a big supply of all size tanks.

They have secured a site for their yards south of the city, just south of the A. G. Throop home.

LAKEVIEW MAKING HIT

Lakeview, Big Spring's new addition, and located on the heights just west of this city is going good. The owners of this attractive addition say it is no trouble to sell lots once they get a person to visit this new addition. Better drive out and look Lakeview over.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atkins of Cisco were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Reagan and family.

Herald want ads not results

LADIES ADMITTED FREE AT WRESTLING MATCH MONDAY

Promoter Clyde Miller and Matchmaker Sam Faust have a real treat for the ladies of Big Spring Monday night, April 11 when all ladies accompanied with one general admission ticket will be admitted free to witness one of the most exciting wrestling matches ever presented in the southwest.

"Gentleman" Jack Gorman of San Angelo, the former light weight champion of the world, now one of the leading contenders for the welterweight crown held by Maity Matsuda.

Gorman is a gentleman on and off the mat at all times and is a favorite with the ladies wherever he demonstrates the many art of self defense or the development of super strength. He has more friends in West Texas than any other wrestler and can easily be termed the pride of West Texas, and whenever he wrestles in San Angelo, Plainview, Amarillo, El Paso, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls he forces the promoters to hang out the standing room only sign, and his opponent Billy Londos is one of the cleverest and fastest wrestlers on the mat. Billy comes from the land where wrestlers are born, not made—Greece. He is one of the leading welter weights in the world and has a host of followers when it comes to science and cleverness.

Local fans are assured a great surprise in Londos whose home is in Paducah, Ky. Next to impossible to secure a head lock on this Greek and just as difficult to pin him to the mat with any other kind of hold. He is as slippery as an eel and evades the holds of an opponent in a way that appears little short of miraculous. Londos arrived Wednesday and has been training daily at Miller's skating rink and can be seen every afternoon working out with the local boys at 2 p. m.

Bill Hallas has secured several matches on the Pacific coast and a chance to meet the peerless Jap, Maity Matsuda for the welter weight crown in El Paso and will be absent from Big Spring for a few weeks. However he is claiming this his home town and upon his return he will be ready to meet any welter weight on any terms.

A GOOD WATER SUPPLY IS A REAL ASSET

Whenever you read in the papers that this city or that city is contemplating a big bond issue to secure additional water supply Big Spring folks cannot help but pat themselves on the back. Here we have the best and purest water in Texas and plenty of it. The water supply of Big Spring has its source in the Trinity sand formation, conceded to furnish an inexhaustible supply.

Sweetwater, we understand, is to call a bond issue for \$656,000 to increase her water supply. It seems only a few years since they spent several hundred thousand dollars which was considered quite a sum. But at that time it was supposed that Sweetwater's water problem would be solved for many years to come.

Even Abilene may have to go after a greater water supply.

GEOGRAPHICAL EXPLORATION UNDER WAY IN OUR COUNTY

After making geographical exploration in a number of counties adjacent to Howard County a number of crews with magnetometers are now invading our county from the northwest.

With these instruments they seek to locate favorable subsurface structure thru variation of magnetic influence.

The use of the magnetometer, seismograph and the torsional balance in systems of geophysical exploration are not designated to find oil. They are designed to locate subsurface structural conditions which are favorable to the accumulation of oil and which may produce oil provided the rocks which carry oil are to be found in that locality.

HOW ABOUT COTTON THIS YEAR

It does not look reasonable to believe that cotton growers, after their punishment last year, will go right ahead and be guilty of the same mistake this year—that is, plant too much cotton. In the first place they must know it is going to cost them high to harvest the crop if they employ labor; they do not know whether cotton will sell above ten cents per pound—and it won't if every fellow plants as much cotton as he did last year—unless the boll weevils and the clements destroy about half the crop. The man who can harvest his cotton crop without employing cotton pickers is about the only fellow who can afford to gamble on cotton.

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Easter Morn



You will want to be among the most fashionable in the parade of springtime. On this glad day, the gayest of frocks worn, announcing that spring is really truly here. Milady dons herself in beautiful garments for this big showing.

We are offering as an Easter Special a new shipment of Ladies' Dresses of beautiful soft materials in an array of pastel shades at

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SATURDAY ONLY

Come in early and buy your frock.

-- Millinery Bargains! --

We have just received a full line of spring and summer millinery that we are offering to customers at a bargain. Every hat worth \$5.00 or more.

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Every suit in this department is a bargain to the man or boy who is in need of an Easter suit. Snappy fabrics, up-to-date and a style to suit every individual. Dress up at our store!

We give Gold Bond Saving Stamps with all cash purchases. Ask for them and redeem them for some valuable articles at our store.



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INTERESTING WEDDING

Just before the Mexican church service last Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felipe Fierro, Rev. G. O. Summers, pastor of the East Third St. Baptist Church, performed the ceremony which united in marriage Miss Guadalupe Alanis of Hillsboro, Texas, and Mr. Clemente Cantu of Dallas.

These are fine Baptist young people who speak good English and who hope to make their home in Big Spring. Following the wedding they took part in the meeting and finished with a gracious donation to the Mission church building.

The Fierro home, always clean and neat, and where the mission meetings are held each Sunday evening, was decorated with flowers and pot plants for the wedding and filled to capacity with members of the little church.

Where are the guys who thought we were not going to have any summer in 1927?

\$210 IN PREMIUMS

Why not enter the "Howard County More Maize on Five Acre Contest." It costs you nothing to enter and you stand a chance to win part of the \$210. The U. S. Experiment Station will furnish sufficient seed to plant the five acres.

The Big Spring Chamber of Commerce is offering the \$210 in premiums and every farmer is eligible to enter the contest.

Call at the C. of C. office and sign an entry blank. There is no cost. You merely agree to measure the five acre tract, plant pure seed, rouse the five acres and get a correct weight or conservative estimate of the production.

Mrs. M. L. Edwards, Mrs. Tenson and son Russell left Thursday morning for a visit with relatives and friends in Electra.

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

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM FOR EASTER SUNDAY

Subject: The Challenge of Easter and Resurrection from the Death of Sin.

Leader—Elizabeth Crain. Prayer—Rev. W. C. Hinds. Vocal Solo—Mr. Williamson. Song—No. 250.

Leader's Talk—The Challenge of Easter.

Why Easter Is a Celebrated Day—Patri Belle Reeves.

The Death of Moral Integrity and What Easter Has to Do With It—Philip Blusser.

Offering. Announcements. Benediction.

Akin Simpson was in Tuesday from his home in the northern portion of the county and reports a nice shower but his way Tuesday evening. He states this makes several showers recently so that conditions are in fairly good shape for planting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Communion service. Ladies Bible study. afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mid-week Bible study. Thursday evening at 7:30. Everyone is invited to services.

The preachers meeting next Monday evening will come to a close Sunday night. We extend to each and every one these services. A number never attended a previous church Sunday service. Come and hear the word preached.

WILL PREACH

J. D. Boren, minister of Christ, will give the day appointment of church Sunday services. A cordial welcome to everyone to come.