

BONDS BE AUTHORIZED BY BIG MAJORITY, IS BELIEF

"A tabulation of reports received from every voting precinct of the county indicate that the \$325,000 road bonds will be authorized Saturday by an overwhelming majority," was the declaration of leaders directing the campaign to vote the bonds when asked for an expression as to their views on the outcome. "We expect to hold the same vote received in the last election and have added new recruits in every precinct of the county."

The vote in favor of the bonds will roll up a larger percentage in the Colorado precinct that in the last election, according to claims of enthusiasts of the issue here. Substantial majorities are expected to be given the bonds in more than half the rural precincts and in some of these the vote for good roads will assume the proportions of an almost solid support. The county as a whole is expected to register a favorable vote of not less than three to one. Some of the more enthusiastically inclined are making the prediction that a landslide is inevitable and that the majority will reach a much higher ratio than three to one.

Leaders in the drive to authorize the bond issue and thus bring into this county an asset sorely needed, are elated in the fact that for the most part the large tax payers of the county remain active in their support of the campaign and are using their best influences to roll up a decisive victory for good roads Saturday. Among the most active of these men are to be noted Dr. P. C. Coleman, C. M. Adams, F. M. Burns, Judge C. H. Earnest, M. Carter, R. P. Price, Judge R. H. Looney, J. R. Jordan, J. H. Greene, J. M. Thomas, and scores of others owning large property interests who are anxious to vote the bond and tax in order that this county receive the proffered state and federal aid. The same rule will apply in a large way to large property owners throughout the county.

In discussing this phase of the campaign Thursday afternoon, a citizen who heretofore had been "on the fence" declared himself in favor of the bonds and returned to his community to work for passage of the same in the election. "If the men who are to pay the heavy tax are unselfish enough to invite this tax upon themselves for the purpose of doing their part in rendering a public service to the county as a whole, I cannot see wherein the small property owner like myself should oppose the bonds," he concluded.

It is not so much the need of making expensive improvements to the Bankhead Highway at this time, that is prompting the citizens of the county to wage this campaign. Rather, they are prompted by the desire to meet the conditions for receiving State and Federal aid while it may be had and by this means build across the county a permanent road to last for all time to come and at a cost of only thirty-three and one-third per cent to the county. If outside capital proposes to pay two-thirds of the cost of constructing this road, and then maintain it in good condition, is it not good business to accept the money?

FARM BUREAU TO STAGE BARBECUE NEAR COLORADO

The Mitchell County Farm Bureau will give an old fashioned barbecue at a site yet to be selected near Colorado some time during the month of July, W. W. Porter, secretary, stated Tuesday. Porter stated that Aario Saphrio, national organization expert, was expected to be among the speakers to attend the event.

WORK PROGRESSING ON COTTON OIL BUILDINGS

Construction work on the three unit plant of the Colorado Oil-Cotton Company at Colorado is progressing satisfactorily. Jas. Guitay, manager, stated Tuesday. The new plant, which will be among the best cotton oil mills in this section of the State, is to be completed and ready for operations by the opening of the next season this fall.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM CONCLUDED LAST WEEK

The leading events for Colorado last week were the commencement exercises of her public school. On Thursday evening the program was by the class completing the grammar school.

The decorations were old rose and gray, the class colors. The music was directed by Miss Nettie Martin one of the teachers. The opening chorus was, "We Hope You Brought Your Smiles Along." The salutatory address, Welcome, was given by Virginia Stoneroad. Piano duets were given by Margaret Cook and Rosalie Leslie and Vera Gaskins and Sarah Cook. Jimmie Beal read the class will. Gus Chesney gave an address on the class colors. Margaret Cook, one on the class flower, the Rose.

Rosalie Leslie gave the valedictory address. After Vacation Glee, sang by the class, Mr. King presented the diplomas and medals. Nell Harper Greene received the \$10.00 given for spelling by Mrs. Earl Morrison, Virginia Stoneroad the medal given by the U. D. C. chapter for the best essay on the life of Jefferson Davis. The 1921 club gave a five dollar gold piece to the best fifth grade pupil writing the best essay on Americanization. This was received by Lula Franklin.

On Friday evening the Senior class of twelve girls and six boys had charge of the program.

Mrs. J. H. Guitay directed the music on this occasion. The decorations were the class colors, green and white.

The house was filled on both evenings for Colorado is justly proud of her schools. "The program consisted of choruses by the class, the welcome address by Willis Jones, a paper by Miss Johnnie Chesney, who received the girls scholarship and the valedictory by Robert Whipkey.

A medal given by the Standard Club to the pupil in the high school making the highest average was presented to Samuel Womack, and a five dollar gold piece given by the Hesperian club to the member of the senior class making the best grade was presented to Robert Whipkey by the president of the club.

At the close of the program Supt. King gave a report showing the progress of the school in the past seven years that was gratifying to all.

Dr. C. L. Root made an appropriate address to the class on "Stickability" and presented diplomas to the following: Agatha Plaster Dorn, Sallie Miller, Ima Dot Moeser, Laundry Smith, Dale Hall, Mary Broadus, Ida Bell Bean, Mary Lee Crowder, Mattie Dorn, Clarice King, Johnnie Chesney, Jessie Stell, Willis Jones, J. W. Shepperd, Jr., James Joyce, Morgan Gist, Vivian Franklin and Robert Whipkey.

The girls looked very pretty in dresses of the rainbow hues. The boys wore dark suits.

We were unable to get the Honor pupils of the primary and grammar grades but the high school students making first and second honors are: Eighth grade, a division, Raymond Gary, first; Audrey Rankhorn, second; b division, Gladys Womack, first and Elizabeth Terrell, second Ninth Samuel Womack, first; Laura Louise Pearson, second. Tenth, Raymond Jones, first; Jewell Collier, second. Eleventh, Robert Whipkey, first and Willis Jones, second.

Sixty-four certificates were awarded for perfect attendance. Owing to the epidemic of measles this was much less than any previous year.

DR. COLEMAN RE-ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT C. OF C.

Dr. P. C. Coleman of Colorado was re-elected vice president of the West Texas chamber of commerce at the convention in Brownwood last week. This made the third year he has been retained on this place and leaders of the organization throughout West Texas consider the Colorado man among the best on the official roster.

Grady Newman came in this morning from the Brownwood convention. Yes, Grady is all right, even though he came in three days late.

BOND OPPONENTS FIGHTING HARD.

As the eve of the campaign for resubmission of the proposed \$325,000 road bonds draws, the opposition line-up is concentrating its efforts with more determination than ever in the attempt to defeat the issue. The belief, however, that the bonds will be authorized in the election Saturday continues to be strongly felt by those who are sponsoring the campaign.

The Record regrets that during the past few days personalities have been injected into the campaign by certain citizens sponsoring the opposition. In the attempt to cloud the true issue and bring about defeat of the bonds, the charge is made that the men and women who are using their influence in this campaign are prompted by selfish motives. Not stopping at this, a contributor to the Record today, advances the further charge that the citizens of Mitchell County who should support the bond issue are, in a sense, to be classified as hi-jackers. To quote the contributor: "Regardless of whether the hold-up is pulled off by a highway robber or a highway tax . . . the results of being held up by either would be the same."

Another contributor who gave his views on the campaign for publication in The Record last week, makes the direct charge that speakers at a rally at Spade a few weeks ago misrepresented the true nature of the whole program in order to deceive the public and thus, through sinister motives, carry the bonds.

It is to be regretted that such unwarranted charges should be injected into the campaign. It would have been much better, whether the bonds are lost or not, to have steered clear of adoption of methods of that type, because the rank and file of men and women of this county, as the fiber entering into the very life of our citizenship, do not invite nor accept such propaganda. The Record has attempted to steer clear of permitting this to be regretted phase of the campaign to develop, but, in view of the fact that the opposition has thrown down the gauntlet, it becomes proper that we speak out in defense of the integrity and honor of the citizens involved.

The charge that the men and women of Mitchell County who are sponsoring the campaign to vote bonds are to be considered in the same roll as the highwayman is, within itself to be refuted, and needs no comment by The Record. The citizenship of Mitchell County will refuse to accept that declaration.

The charge that speakers at Spade misrepresented the issue in the attempt to deceive the voters is also of such unwarranted origin and of such character as to need no refutation here. The people of Mitchell County who know the lives of the men and women who are agitating the voting of the bond will refuse to accept that declaration seriously, whether they be for or against the bonds. Among the leaders favoring the bonds are the very best men and women of this county. We could enumerate scores of them by name, but this is not necessary. As a reference to the type of men, however, in several of the different communities at whom this attack is directed are Dr. P. C. Coleman, S. E. Brown, E. M. Baldwin, R. F. Hargrove, J. W. Bird, G. W. Womack, E. B. Gregson, and it will be found that men and women of this same type the county over are just as active in their work to carry the bond issue as those named. And, for the most part, the men who are catalogued as large tax payers are among the most enthusiastic supporters.

As to the charge that lateral roads of the County are being held up as a bogus criterion in the hope of carrying the bonds, there should be no occasion for reply here. Those favoring the bonds have no statement to make other than reiterate what has been said in the past. The fact remains that unless the Bankhead Highway is permanently improved, thus releasing Mitchell County from the expense of ultimately improving Iatan Flats, the rural roads will continue to suffer in the future as they have in the past, unless a bond issue be authorized. In the absence of a bond issue, the only source left open for the Commissioners' Court to finance improvements which must be made there, would be through issuance of deficiency warrants against the road and bridge levy of 30 cents. If this fund is left free for lateral road work, the approximate \$19,000 to \$20,000 derived annually from this tax will, as county officials have time and again declared, go exclusively to retiring outstanding warrants and construction and maintenance of lateral roads.

As to the "smear" of concrete on the highway across the county, the main reason prompting the citizenship of Mitchell County to support the bonds is to become eligible for receiving State and Federal aid of \$650,000, two-thirds of the cost of the highway improvement. It is a fact which cannot be refuted successfully by the bond opponents that unless this state amends its constitution to conform to the national highway laws before 1925, federal aid will be removed. This being true, it is certainly practical to vote the bonds and accept aid while it may be had.

As to the funds being paid by Mitchell County property owners every year for maintenance of the State Highway Commission, the figures given are correct. The commission, acting under authority of the State of Texas, is assessing and collecting this tax from every county in the State and the funds are placed into a general fund from which appropriations for highway construction and maintenance are made. Mitchell County has a certain amount of money to its credit in this fund, but can never obtain use of it until we meet the conditions—furnish our part of the expense for improving the only designated highway in the county, and a bond issue is the only means we have at our command for raising this money. Unless the citizenship of Mitchell County qualify for receiving this state and federal aid, the amount conditionally allotted to us will be allotted and paid to those counties which do meet the conditions.

To be sure the highway commission is maintaining the highway. It promised several months ago to do this very thing and is merely fulfilling an obligation to the people. But as to making improvements on the road, such will never be done until that time when the people directly affected themselves take the initiative. State highway officials have made themselves plain on this question a number of times.

And, in case the bonds are voted and the highway built, it will mean that Mitchell county will have its public road problem solved for all time to come. The state and federal government will maintain the highway in the same condition in which we deliver it to them and the monies derived annually from the road and bridge fund levy will be free to go into other roads over the county.

LEGION AUXILIARY DIST. CONVENTION MEETS HERE

Scores of delegates to the first annual convention, American Legion Auxiliary, for the Sixth district, department of Texas, had arrived in Colorado Wednesday night and early Thursday morning for the opening ceremonies of the convention, which were held Thursday at the Legion Memorial building. This is the second important district convention to be convened in this building since its completion a few weeks ago. The Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs held its annual convention there a few weeks ago and the delegates and visitors, more than one hundred strong, were profuse in their praise of the memorial and the hospitality accorded them by the city of Colorado.

The convention was called to order at 10 o'clock and a busy session is anticipated. Among the prominent visiting speakers scheduled to address the assembly is the State president, Several Colorado speakers are on the program. Throughout the day and evening sessions, the program is to be interspersed with special entertainment numbers. The Colorado Choral Club, The Little Theatre and M. S. Goldman, director of the Colorado Booster Band, are included on the program which began at 8 o'clock Thursday evening.

One of the social features of the convention was an outing and luncheon in the country Friday afternoon, at which all visiting delegates and auxiliary officials were to be guests. The trip was made in automobiles, leaving the convention headquarters at six o'clock. The program throughout the convention was under personal direction of ladies comprising membership in the local American Legion Auxiliary. They have devoted much time to preparation of every phase of the event and visitors may reasonably expect to be entertained in keeping with the usual Colorado spirit.

DIRECTORS FAIR ASSN. TO HOLD MEETING TUESDAY

An executive session of the Mitchell County Fair Association has been called by President F. E. McKenzie to meet Tuesday afternoon at 7:30 at the Colorado Chamber of Commerce. Mr. McKenzie stated Thursday that the meeting was one of much importance and he urged that every member of the official board be present.

TEXT BOOK COMMISSION ATTACKED BY W. E. POPE

W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi, candidate for governor, addressed voters of Colorado at the Best Theatre Wednesday afternoon. The candidate was delayed in reaching Colorado Wednesday morning on account of automobile trouble after leaving Sweetwater and failed to speak at the district court room at 10 o'clock as scheduled. The speaker was introduced by Dr. P. C. Coleman.

Pope charged that the State government was being operated at a huge unnecessary expense largely because of the practice of each succeeding administration to create commissions and new departments at Austin. He declared that in case he was elected governor many of these useless offices would be closed.

The speaker denounced the action of the text book commission for having contracted with agents of the American Book Company for approximately \$2,000,000 worth of text books, which, he claimed, were not needed by the schools of Texas.

Reduction of taxation through economy in all departments of the state legislative, executive and judicial departments was advocated.

Pope left Colorado at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for Snyder, where he was scheduled to deliver an address at 3:30. He spoke at Post Wednesday night.

Mr. Berry of Cisco, father of our lumberman, Berry, came in Thursday on a visit to his son, and on business. The elder Berry commented very favorably on the appearance of Colorado.

LOCATION FIVE NEW TESTS MADE BY CALIFORNIA CO.

The largest development extension made within one week during the year is announced by the California Company this week. A total of five new locations has been made on their extensive holdings in the Westbrook area and tests at each of these will be drilled without delay. The new locations are designated as follows:

Morrison Nos. 8, 9 and 10, in Section 28, Block 28; Morrison No. 11, in Section 21, Block 28, and Abrams No. 6, in Section 41, Block 28. The latter test is to be drilled 660 feet west from Abrahams No. 4. Rig is being erected at Morrison No. 8 and materials for other jobs are to be on the ground as soon as contractor can move them from supply yard at Westbrook.

The Sloan Oil Company is adding two new producers to the completed line-up this week, which will increase production 400 barrels daily. These new wells are Smartt Nos. 3 and 4, each of which were given a nitro shot of 300 quarts last week. Smartt Three is going on the pump today and Four is being cleaned out and swabbing 200 barrels. Smartt No. 5 is drilling at 2820 feet and is expected to be in the sand next week. Casing has been set in this well at 2810 feet.

The California Company has completed rig at their Miller No. 4, in Section 21, Block 28, and is completing stringing tools to spud. Their Miller No. 3, in the same survey, is drilling at 300 feet.

Morrison No. 1-A of the California Company, is drilling at 4,600 feet. Butler No. 1 is showing for production at 3,275 feet.

At Abrams No. 1 the crew is cementing 8 5/8-inch casing at 2,800 feet. At Abrams No. 2 the crew is bridging hole to re-set casing. At LeSure No. 1 the casing is being pulled preparatory for setting pump.

M. E. Eddleman is stringing tools at Gist No. 1, on the A. C. Gist survey three and one-half miles North of Colorado. Fuel tank is in place and water tank is under construction.

Production being taken by pipe line in the field will now aggregate 2,000 barrels daily, according to estimates made by oil men at Colorado.

Mrs. Joe Key of El Paso is visiting relatives and friends here, en route to Houston to visit her daughter, Mrs. Howard.

LONE WOLF BRIDGE TO BE REBUILT BY COUNTY

Two solid cars of bridge materials were received this week by the county, the most of which will be used in rebuilding Lone Wolf Creek bridge on the Buford road north of L. O. O. P. cemetery. This bridge was damaged by flood waters several months ago and recently became in an almost impassible condition.

F. F. DuBose, county engineer, is preparing plans and specifications for rebuilding the structure and when these are completed the Commissioners' Court will advertise for construction bids. This bridge is on one of the most important public roads in the county and according to plans recently worked out by the court, will be given considerable work from the Bankhead Highway north to the county line.

In the shipment of bridge materials lumber for replacing the floor on the South Colorado river bridge, which has been worn out by the heavy traffic to which it is subjected. The city and county are co-operating in making repairs to the bridge and the specifications call for a float bridge on one side of the structure. Citizens of South Colorado have demanded that a foot bridge be added to this bridge for some time. Because of the danger to which school children especially are subjected in crossing the bridge with heavy vehicle traffic, the demand for the foot bridge was a just one.

J. H. Greene is in Dallas this week attending the annual convention of the State Undertakers Association.

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS
 This record is made from the Government Gauge, now in charge of, and accurately kept by E. Keating. He can give you any other information.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
1903	1.08	0.01	1.48	2.81	2.95	1.97	1.77	0.97	1.06	1.24	0.81	0.39	12.66
1904	0.61	1.03	2.71	2.78	2.40	2.20	1.87	2.71	1.90	1.74	0.81	0.39	22.52
1905	2.9	7.8	1.48	3.10	4.01	2.12	1.15	1.88	2.95	2.77	2.33	0.61	31.32
1906	3.1	2.94	3.4	2.11	2.82	3.42	2.10	1.7	6.65	1.83	1.44	0.44	23.76
1907	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1908	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1909	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1910	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1911	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1912	0.61	0.8	2.8	3.73	1.91	3.0	3.71	1.23	1.34	0.8	1.71	0.11	22.52
1913	2.17	4.0	2.97	1.78	1.36	2.77	2.89	1.16	2.69	4.57	2.78	0.39	33.83
1914	0.81	1.5	4.0	3.83	3.73	4.70	2.75	0.83	2.0	3.75	1.83	0.39	31.86
1915	1.17	2.1	2.1	5.05	2.24	2.41	2.55	2.86	4.58	2.63	0.43	0.39	32.34
1916	0.99	0.8	3.4	2.22	1.72	1.4	3.8	2.9	0.9	3.0	0.1	0.39	7.54
1917	1.11	0.7	1.13	1.52	0.7	1.4	1.96	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.39	10.27
1918	1.13	4.7	1.1	5.0	2.28	3.45	4.74	2.4	2.0	2.95	0.1	1.90	30.28
1919	1.19	2.4	4.48	2.48	2.19	6.81	7.04	1.65	3.74	5.28	0.39	0.39	36.28
1920	2.11	4.0	1.6	7.04	6.96	2.7	7.67	3.81	2.04	2.04	0.7	0.39	32.91
1921	1.20	3.9	1.48	3.2	3.7	4.94	5.5	1.95	2.27	1.1	0.39	0.39	32.81
1922	0.75	3.35	1.79	3.78	3.64	3.13	1.8	1.70	2.15	5.32	1.02	1.02	28.61
1923	0.99	1.0	0.99	0.41	0.38								4.81

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STOREHOUSE TITHING PLAN.

The following article in part was prepared for the Watchman-Examiner under date of March 6, and we reprint it here for the reason that it contains wonderfully practical suggestions for church financing:

The Baptist Church under discussion is located in the little Louisiana town of Mansfield. Among its 3,000 people there is little wealth to be found, and seemingly the last place for a great church. But regardless of conditions, this town boasts of perhaps the world's greatest country church. This property comprises an adequate auditorium, spacious Sunday school quarters, fine gymnasium with a large swimming pool and well equipped dining room with kitchen. The entire plant is valued at \$100,000.

This church has about 800 members, and pays its pastor a salary of \$6,000 and parsonage, and furnishes him with an automobile. The church also employs an assistant pastor and a church secretary. Last year this country church (without one rich man or woman among them) raised for God's work more than \$40,000. It was done without tearful pleading, without agonizing appeals, without drives and campaigns and special collections.

This wonderful result was accomplished by their adopting the "storehouse tithing plan." And it is their only method for raising money. Seventy-five per cent of the members follow this plan. These people not only give a tithe, but they bring their tithe, their whole tithe, to the church and the church distributes it. The man who makes \$1,000 a year gives to the Lord \$100 a year, brings \$2 each Sunday in his envelope. If a man is fortunate enough to make \$5,000 a year he gives \$500, bringing \$10 each Sunday in his envelope. This plan is presented to all new members, and most of them adopt it. Those who do not adopt it are not asked for pledges of any kind, nor is money ever solicited from them. They can give in the plates on Sunday if they desire. In time most of them see the wonderful beauty of this plan and fall in with it. The interesting thing is that this 75 per cent of tithers are hilariously happy over their giving. If in addition to his tithe a man wants to make a thank offering he can do so through the regular Sunday offerings, when the tithers are gathered. The church, by vote, on the recommendation of a large committee, decides on the percentages to go to different objects. For missions, they follow in general the percentages suggested by the Southern Baptist Convention.

FISHING

Charlie Farris tells the first fish story of the season this week.

The story goes that some fisherman down near Sterling City, caught a whopper that weighed forty odd pounds. Of course it may be all bunk, but all the same the report has so whetted our fishing ambition that we will never be content until we make a try for some of the brothers of this aforesaid fish—say an elder brother weighing fifty odd pounds or more. Anyway it seems that some other guy gets all the luck and notriety.

In our interview this week with Farris who is authority he said: "A fisherman must be of contemplative frame of mind, for it is a long time between bites. These interregnums emanate patience, reserve and calm reflection—for no one can catch fish in excitement, in anger or malice.

"The fisherman is by nature possessed of faith, hope and even optimism or he would not fish, for we are always going to have better luck in a few minutes or tomorrow.

"Now is the time the sportsman gazes anxiously at the calendar and the sky. Now is the time when the true disciple of the open sky lovingly fingers his rod and tackle. Already the rivers and brooks are calling and the bosom of pools are circled where trout have jumped. For lucky fisherman bass are darting in mottled shadowed waters.

"For fishing, it must be remembered, is not all idle waiting. There comes a moment when a man calls on all his reserves. His line runs. His rod is bending. This is the full weight of the first rush. The fish is boring for the bottom to get away. The time to act is now. He must keep cool, no matter how large or how dissenting a proposition he is up against. The point is to win in a fair fight—to land the fish. Every nerve, every fibre of his being works towards this. But if he does not win? Well, he is a good loser.

"He is by nature possessed of faith, hope and even optimism, or he would not fish."

BROWNWOOD, May 12.—This city is in the midst of unprecedented hurry and bustle today, preparing for the opening of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention tomorrow morning with between 25,000 and 30,000 visitors expected. Only the finishing touches to preparations were required today.

Advance guards of several delegations have already arrived and established headquarters. Convention politics this year is expected to be unusually interesting, the race for the presidency of the West Texas organization being unusually heated. Several towns are prospective candidates for next year's convention, and each has representatives here to begin the work.

Clear weather today throughout this section will enable thousands of motorists to come, and Brownwood

LIONESSES BE GUESTS AT BANQUET MAY 27TH

The banquet Tuesday evening of next week to be given by the Lions club, at which Colorado Lionesses are to be special guests, will be the best ladies night banquet ever observed by the club, is the claim of A. B. Blanks, chairman of committees arranging for the event.

Blanks stated Monday that attendance was expected to be large and that an entertaining program of unusual merit will be rendered. Several out of town guests are expected to attend, among whom are Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene; Hon. R. D. Green of Abilene, district governor of Lions clubs, and Hon. R. M. Chitwood of Sweetwater, all of whom are to deliver addresses.

The banquet will be given by a team from the club which met defeat at the hands of another team recently in an interesting contest directed by Mr. Blanks and E. H. Winn as captains. All members of the club are expected to register with the committee not later than Saturday, designating the number of guests to be in their party.

DIED
 On May 14th Morris Delaney died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Delaney, and was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery on May 16th. Funeral services were held at the house, conducted by Rev. A. D. Leach. While Morris had never had good health yet death was not expected till about a month ago from which time he gradually grew worse until death released him from his suffering. Morris Delaney was born Jan. 20th, 1898, being 26 years old at the time of his death. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. DeLaney are extended sympathy in this sad hour.

IN MEMORIAM
 Of Brother C. W. Beard, who departed this life April 1, 1924. Whereas it has seemed good in the mind of our Heavenly Father to permit our Brother Beard to be called from earth to his eternal resting place, where sorrow comes never more and toil ceases to be labor.

Bro. Beard was a good man and we deeply mourn his going from us and feel that he will be greatly missed. He was a man who suffered much in his last days but exemplified those noble virtues of his order in a beautiful manner.

Be it resolved by the O. E. S. in token of our devotion, loyalty, and friendship for our departed brother and as an expression of sympathy to his loved ones, we pledge our trust friendship.

Resolved that a copy of the resolutions be spread on the minutes of the order, a copy be furnished the family, and a copy be published in the newspaper.

Signed:
 M. C. BISHOP,
 Mrs. F. E. MCKENZIE,
 Mrs. M. E. LINDLEY,

Card of Thanks.
 We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors who sympathized with us and ministered to us in the sickness and death of our son, Morris. May God bless each and every one of you. Mr. and Mrs. Green Delaney.

Epworth League Program.
 Preaching the Gospel in Mission Land.
 Leader—Tommy Smith.
 Scripture—Acts 13:38-43—Mary Lawlis.
 A Japanese Student—Leader.
 A Religious Mother—Esther Lawlis.
 A Man from India—Millard Smith Solo—Exa King.
 A Korean Woman—Rubelle Smart
 A Mexican Man—Nelda Garrett,
 An Old Chinese Man—Marguerite Stoneham.

We extend a cordial invitation to all the young people to be with us in our program Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock, sharp.

NEW SHOE SHOP

We have bought the Ed Jackson Shoe Shop and will appreciate your trade. Also have a complete line of Watkins Products for sale at our shop.

Westfall & McClain

For every purpose for which a liniment is usually applied the modern remedy, Liquid Borozone, will do the work more quickly, more thoroughly and more pleasantly. Price 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all leading druggists.

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Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler,
 Study Course.
 The members of the Methodist Missionary Society met with Mrs. McCleary Monday for the regular study course. There was good attendance. The bible lesson was the last chapter of Acts. The lesson was the Child and America's future.

Plans were made for an institute to be held later in the summer. The meetings during the summer will be held at the church.

The best of Post Oak wood in blocks, also hard and soft coal, delivered quick. Ice. O. Lambeth.

Rains Fall in Delta County.
 Cooper, Texas.—The farmers are elated here over the rain which fell here recently. It was needed very much.

Jail Bootleggers Says Stone.
 Washington.—Jail sentences for bootleggers are urged in a new order sent out by Attorney General Stone. He has issued instruction to all Federal District Attorneys to do their best to have jail sentences—not nominal fines—imposed. There has been much complaint that bootleggers here were let off with fines which were easily covered by their large profits. "Do everything possible to bring prohibition cases to an early trial. Urge the court to give more severe sentences to violators of liquor laws."

TO ADVERTISERS:
 There will be 5 issues of the Record in May. Look out for your bills.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Roper and the baby from Fairy in Hamilton County, are here on a visit to Mrs. Roper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pickens. These people are proud of their daughter and son-in-law and greatly enjoy their visit here.

Satisfactory Mash for Feeding Little Chicks

A satisfactory mash mixture for feeding young chicks, as worked out at the Ohio experiment station, consists of two parts by weight of ground corn, three parts bran and one part fine meat scrap.

After the chicks were placed under a brooder stove equal parts by weight of the mash and boiled infertile eggs, which have been run through an ordinary food grinder, were given three times daily. This mixture was fed on paper.

Chicks are given access to a trough of dry bran after the fifth day. Cracked corn was also fed in the morning and an hour before dark. After the chicks were four weeks old, feeding of this mash three times daily was discontinued, but kept constantly available in hoppers and small troughs. Grain was also fed twice daily; once in the morning and once in the evening.

Young chicks are kept around a brooder stove in an inclosure made with a strip of roofing, 12 inches high, covering a radius of about 18 inches larger than the canopy of the brooder stove. This was enlarged each day, but removed after the fifth day of brooding.

Comfortable Dairy Cows Will Produce More Milk

The dairy cow cannot do her best when cold. When she becomes so cold that she humps up, her milk flow is certain to be reduced for several milkings. She is affected more by low temperatures than are beef cattle. The latter have fat which acts as a blanket to keep the vital organs in normal condition. The dairy cow produces fat but it goes into the milk pail and consequently does not aid in keeping her comfortable in extremely cold weather. The cows should have exercise, but don't leave them out till they begin to hump up. When they do this it should be the signal for the stable boy to get a hump on and open the stable doors.

SPADE RANCH SHIP'S FIFTY CARS STEERS TO PLAINS
 O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, reports shipment of fifty cars of one and two year old steers from the ranch south of Colorado to one of the Ellwood pastures on the Plains.

The New M^cCALL PATTERN "it's printed"

SATURDAY, May 24, 2 p. m.
ALL THE JUDGES FOR THE DOLL DRESS MAKING CONTEST HAVE BEEN SELECTED.
 All girls interested in the contest, must have their work completed, and in our Doll Show Window not later than one-thirty P. M. Saturday.

We advertised we would give FREE ONE Walking, Talking and Sleeping Doll to the girl from six to fourteen years old, that made the nicest doll dress. We always give you more than we promise, since starting our contest we have decided to go one better. We are going to give you TWO big fine Dolls. The one with the best work will receive Doll No. 1, and the second best will get Doll No. 2, a real nice doll, but inclined to be a little lazy, or slow to learn how to walk.

Three best judges in Texas—Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Colorado; Mrs. Van Boston of Westbrook, and Mrs. Hary Cranfill of Loraine. Remember the hour—TWO P. M., SATURDAY, MAY 24TH.

We extend an invitation to everybody in Mitchell County to be here and enjoy one hour of real pleasure with the contestants for the dolls.
Rest room for the ladies. Lots of good cold ice water free to all, at all times at our store.

We Show The New Things First.

GARBER DRY GOODS CO.

JIMMY WALKER'S PAXE

“THAT MAN MAYFIELD” SAYS

WHY NOT?

The American Fliers are on their flight around the world---WHY NOT?

The soldiers bonus bill passed over the President's veto---WHY NOT?

Gov. Neff refused the presidency of the University of Texas---“WHY NOT?”

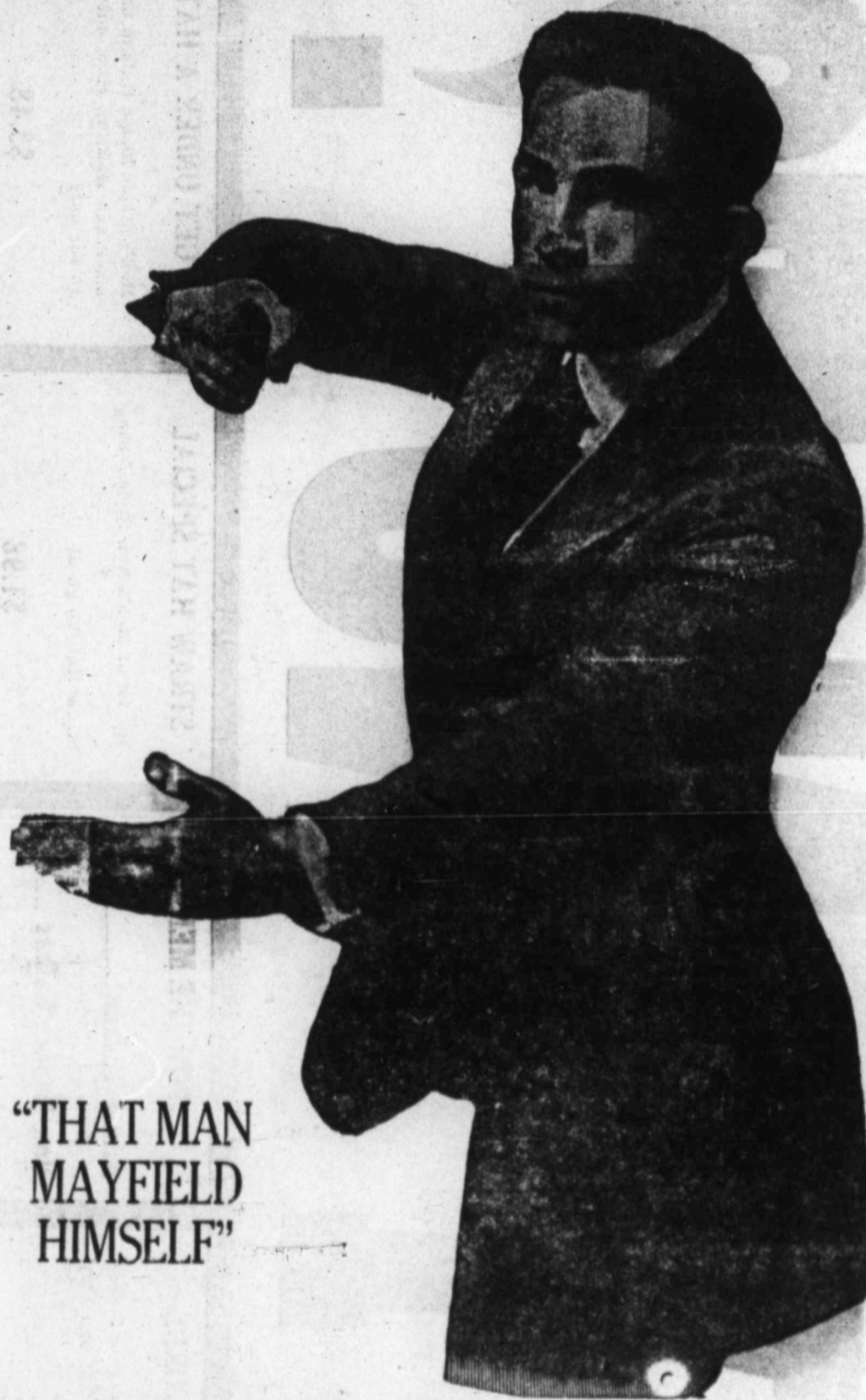
The West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Brownwood was a success---“WHY NOT?”

The Rayburn Revival in Sweetwater was a community asset---“WHY NOT?”

Hubbard's stock is more complete than in many seasons---“WHY NOT?”

Hubbard's stock is much larger than in the past 2 years---“WHY NOT?”

The time is ripe---the plans are made---the opportunity for you to save is here---THEN - - -



“THAT MAN MAYFIELD HIMSELF”

“WHY NOT” A SALE?

Big Ballon Race

Opening day at 10 a. m.

Thursday morning just before the doors open on this sale “THAT MAN MAYFIELD” will sail from the roof of HUBBARDS store 10 big gassed balloons, each will carry a bright crisp \$1.00 bill inside.

Come down, join the crowd at HUBBARDS and take part in this big race that takes place

Thursday - 10 A. M.

CATCH A BALLOON AND GET A \$1 BILL---“WHY NOT?”

‘That Man Mayfield Himself’ HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AND TAKES CHARGE OF

HUBBARDS STOCK ‘Why Not’ ALL PRICE CUTTING

Advertising, arrangements and details of this Sale in charge of “THAT MAN MAYFIELD.” The plans are made, the time is set, the word is out.

Let's go ‘Why not’

HUBBARDS STORE CLOSED MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

\$20. In Gold Free Each Day--“Why Not”--READ BACK PAGE

WHY NOT?

**\$20.00 GOLD
PIECE FREE
EACH DAY**

**\$20.60 GOLD
PIECE FREE
EACH DAY**

<p>MEN GET THIS</p> <p>Mens \$10.00 Tilt Shoes in brown kid, now for only \$6.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>EDWIN-CLAPP SHOES</p> <p>Four styles of Edwin-Clapp Low Shoes for men now \$11.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>LADIES OXFORDS</p> <p>Edwin-Clapp Low Shoes for Ladies in black and brown kid and they now are priced \$9.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>FOR THE MEN</p> <p>Arrow Collars 13c Van Heusen Collars 42c</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>STRAW HAT SPECIAL</p> <p>One lot of Men's New Style Spring Straw Hats to go at \$1.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>GET UNDER A HAT</p> <p>Men's Staple Shape Hats in brown, black and white to close out they go for only \$3.48</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>SOX FOR WEAR</p> <p>One lot good cotton sox, brown, black, white, gray 19c One lot 76c and \$1 Silk Sox, broken lots 29c</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>
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Sale Starts 10:00 a.m. Thurs., May 29th

We Pay You to Buy—Low Prices Combined with an Absolute free gift of Gold
Eliminating Any Chance or Contest Proposition It's up to you "Why Not?"

<p>HERE YOU ARE</p> <p>One table piled high with Men's Fine Dress Shoes and Oxfords, broken sizes and they go for only \$3.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>SHOES FOR MISSES</p> <p>Five styles in big Misses flat heel fancy cut-out Slippers in brown kid, brown calf, patent and beige suede, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, reg. \$5 and \$6 sellers now to go for \$3.98</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>FOR KIDDIES</p> <p>One table full of Shoes for the little folks, sizes 5 1/2 to 2, all at real CLOSE OUT PRICES</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>MEN'S SHIRTS</p> <p>From Manhattan, New Era and other known brands, they are priced in four groups as 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98 and \$2.48</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>SWELL TIES</p> <p>Big lot of Men's Cut Silk, Silk Knit Ties, very low priced to sell at 39c One lot Manhattan Soft Collars to go for 19c</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>	<p>SUMMER UNION SUITS</p> <p>Men's Standard make Athletic Union Suits now for 83c Manasco Union Suits made by Manhattan Shirt Co. \$1.29</p> <p>WHY NOT?</p>
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Let No Person With a Love For Bargains and a True Understanding of Home Economics Miss Sharing These Savings

"THAT MAN MAYFIELD" SAYS

Here Are the Facts, There is Nothing to Conceal

"THAT MAN MAYFIELD" SAYS

Hubbards Mammoth Stock of Standard Quality Merchandise

Prices that Hit the Bargain Nail Square on the Head

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Men's

Suit Cases

Dress In For Savings

Inventory of Ladies'

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"THAT MAN MAYFIELD" SAYS

Here Are the Facts, There is Nothing to Conceal

it is a slow down of the corn; Hubbards store has been receiving goods daily, since the renewal of lease on building. The expected volume of business has not been obtained, because the public has had little opportunity to buy summer goods on account of the slow arrival of summer weather. Many have delayed buying because real genuine bargain prices have not been offered—**WHY NOT?** This two-fold handicap has put the deadlock on spring business. Hubbards has felt the weight of that depression and now acts to meet both emergencies. **SELL THE OVER-STOCK FROM THIS STORE AND MEET PUBLIC DEMAND FOR CHEAP PRICES.** It is not a matter now of making money or realizing profit—it is a pure and simple case of sell these goods and do it now. So here she goes—

It Is Surely Worthy of Your Attention---Why Not?

Prices that Hit the Bargain Nail Square on the Head

Men's Summer Suits

These garments are in three pieces as well as two piece Suits from the famous makers, KUPPENHEIMER Clothes and BLOCH Suits.

- \$27.50 Suits now for\$21.98
- \$30.00 Suits now for\$23.98
- \$37.50 Suits now for\$29.98
- \$45.00 Suits now for\$35.98
- \$47.50 Suits now for\$37.98
- \$50.00 Suits now for\$39.98
- \$55.00 Suits now for\$43.98
- \$60.00 Suits now for\$47.98

"WHY NOT?"

Suit Cases And Hand Bags

Here is the opportunity to secure your go-away and vacation luggage at real bargain prices.

- \$1.50 Luggage for\$1.19
- \$1.75 Luggage for\$1.39
- \$2.00 Luggage for\$1.63
- \$2.25 Luggage for\$1.83
- \$2.50 Luggage for\$1.98
- \$3.50 Luggage for\$2.89
- \$4.00 Luggage for\$3.44
- \$5.00 Luggage for\$3.98
- \$6.00 Luggage for\$4.89
- \$7.00 Luggage for\$5.89

"WHY NOT?"

Dress Up For Spring

One lot of dresses in Silks, Voiles, Georgette Crepe and other materials, special at

\$8.98---WHY NOT?

One lot of fine Linen Dresses, assorted colors, well made, good styles and 20 Dotted Voile Dresses, assorted shades all to go in one big group for

\$4.98---WHY NOT?

One extra large selection of Silk Dresses in flat Crepe, Roshanara, Crepe Satin and Georgette. Crepe priced at

\$15.79---WHY NOT?

One big group of over 50 new Silk Dresses priced to sell for

\$23.79---WHY NOT?

Here is your chance to save big money on your dresses that spell style, service and bargains---Why Not?

"THAT MAN MAYFIELD" SAYS Hubbards Mammoth Stock of Standard Quality Merchandise

all looks alike TO ME. I launch THIS drive fully realizing, that to sell the amount of stock that must go in these 15 days, can be accomplished only when the very bottom has been touched in cutting prices. I have complete supervision of all price making and have worked this stock through and through in preparation for this sale, and I wish to state right here that this sale is truly a "MAYFIELD SALE," as I have used the bargain knife overtime and have whittled prices down just as you will remember I did in my previous operations with this store.

IT IS SURELY WORTHY OF YOUR ATTENTION.

Sell The Goods, So Here She Goes---Why Not?

Inventory of Ladies' Spring Coats That Must Be Sold

- \$24.75 Tan coat, size 36\$12.38
- \$27.50 Tan Plaid, size 42\$13.73
- \$29.75 Gray Plaid, size 18\$14.88
- \$32.50 Tan coat, size 44\$16.23
- \$32.50 Gray and Rose, size 16\$16.23
- \$32.50 Tan Plaid, size 36\$16.23
- \$44.75 Gray, size 36\$22.38
- \$44.50 Tan Stripe, size 16\$22.23
- \$52.50 Gray Stripe, size 16\$26.23
- \$57.50 Gray Twill, size 38\$28.73
- \$59.50 Gray Stripe, size 16\$29.73
- \$63.50 Plain Gray, size 16\$29.73
- \$64.75 Highway shade, size 38\$32.38
- \$47.50 Brown Bolivia Cape\$23.73
- \$64.50 Tan Twill Cape\$32.23

You See They Are Half Price---Why Not?

SALE CLOSING SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH

LADIES' SPRING SUITS

One group of New Coat Suits consisting of 26 Suits of navy, tan, gray and stripes, reg. price \$4.98 to \$67.50, now priced for this sale at ONE-HALF

\$2.49 to \$33.73---Why Not?

LADIES' SPRING SKIRTS

In our Skirt Stock we have only 23 Skirts, priced regularly at \$1.75 to \$24.75, in this sale they go at ONE-HALF PRICE and are marked

88c to \$12.38---Why Not?

A SALE "YOU'LL NEVER FORGET"

HOW IS THIS?

15 Crepe Kimonas that sold for \$3.50, now priced at\$1.98
One other group of fine Silk Hose that sold for \$2.50, in all the latest shades, to go at

\$1.98---WHY NOT?

FOR YOUR SEWING

A big table full of Voiles, Tissue Ginghams and other good materials of regular 25c to \$1 values are to go at just

Half Price---13c to 48c---Why Not?

Ladies' Ready-to-wear

"That Man Mayfield" Says--

I have made a complete and thorough survey of this stock and particularly so of the Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department and I find this department to be in better condition as concerns the stock, such as selections and unduplicated styles and patterns, than you have ever known it, also there is more garments in this stock of dresses, suits, coats, skirts, blouses and sweaters than you have seen in this store in many a day. It is a department that will end your search for what you have been seeking in something exclusive to wear. And, Oh My, how I have used the knife in cutting the prices, but this you will know when you see I have cut the prices of

**COAT SUITS TO EXACTLY ONE-HALF PRICE
SPRING COATS AND CAPES TO ONE-HALF PRICE
AND ALL SKIRTS TO ONE-HALF THE REGULAR PRICE**

And then the Dresses, well, you just read the prices quoted here and then come and see and you will get the most pleasant surprise of your life.

THEY MUST BE SOLD, SO HERE GOES---WHY NOT?

SALE OPENS THURSDAY, MAY 29TH

Gossard Corsets, Elastic Girdles

All Corsets reduced thru-out and we have one special lot of broken sizes and odd lots of values up to \$12.50 and they go now for only

\$2.48---Why Not?

SILK HOSE FOR \$1.39

One lot of fine silk hose in the new spring colors and all sizes, did sell for \$1.75, now they go for only\$1.39
Another special lot of Chiffon Hose in all new colors and shades, priced to sell this sale

\$1.59---Why Not?

A SALE "YOU'LL NEVER FORGET"

DRAPERIES AND CURTAINING

We have one big stack of fine drapery and upholstery materials of extra good quality that sold from 85c to \$3.25 in heavy Cretonnes and lighter Silks that will go now at ONE-HALF PRICE, as,

43c to \$1.63---Why Not?

HERE IS A KNOCKOUT BARGAIN

A big stack of fine, extra first quality Percles in dark patterns that is all 36 in. wide and it goes at a CLOSE OUT PRICE of

14c---WHY NOT?

**\$20.00 GOLD
PIECE FREE
EACH DAY**

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\$300 IN GOLD FREE!!

\$20.00 in GOLD TO BE GIVEN AWAY EACH DAY---"WHY NOT"

—Here Is The Plan - Read It—

BEGINNING THE FIRST DAY OF SALE AT 4 P. M. AND EACH FOLLOWING DAY OF SALE AT 10 A. M. AND 4 P. M. THERE WILL BE GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE A \$10 GOLD PIECE TO THE PERSON HOLDING THE GREATEST AMOUNT (IN DOLLARS AND CENTS) OF HUBBARDS DUPLICATE SALE TICKETS MADE DURING THIS SALE. ALL THAT IS REQUIRED IS TO COME TO THE STORE AT THE GIVEN HOURS OF 10 A. M. AND 4 P. M. AND BRING YOUR DUPLICATE TICKETS. AT EACH HOUR THE ONE HAVING THE GREATEST AMOUNT WILL BE GIVEN A BRIGHT \$10 GOLD PIECE AND THEIR TICKETS WILL BE TAKEN UP. THOSE NOT GETTING A \$10 GOLD PIECE AT THAT HOUR WILL BE ALLOWED TO HOLD THEIR TICKETS AND CAN ENTER THEIR AMOUNT IN THE NEXT HOUR CONTEST, SO YOU SEE IF YOU FAIL TO WIN ONE TIME, YOU KEEP YOUR TICKETS, SAVE ALL OTHERS YOU CAN AND TRY AGAIN. IT IS ABSOLUTELY AN OPEN, ABOVE BOARD, GIVE AWAY OFFER WITH NO STRINGS ATTACHED. JUST THINK OF IT, A \$10 GOLD PIECE GIVEN AWAY TWICE EACH DAY FOR FIFTEEN DAYS.

Save the duplicate tickets of your purchases

And win some of this Gold "WHY NOT"

THERE'S FREE GOLD HERE FOR YOU, COME GET IT "WHY NOT"

Special notice! true to the lines of our advertising

Any reader of the above, regarding the \$300 Gold offer, will see, that as we open the first day at 10 o'clock, will prohibit us from giving but \$10 of the \$20 on the first day; this with the \$20 on the other 14 days would only bring our total to \$290 given away—so in order to give this entire \$300 as advertised, on the last day of the sale, Saturday, June 14th, we will give three \$10 Gold pieces, one at 10 o'clock in the morning, one at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and the third and last \$10 Gold piece at 9 o'clock that night when this sale will close. No duplicate tickets will be issued on Gold after 9 o'clock last day of sale. Duplicate sales tickets will be issued for exact amounts of approval and due tickets paid by our customers during this sale. Any person, persons or organizations can secure these duplicate sales tickets by purchases or by solicitation from their friends, who make purchases during this sale. As this is simply a give-away proposition, we have no rules or regulations governing it, yet we ask one special favor of our customers and we feel sure they will grant us the same, "That they do not ask our customers for these duplicate tickets, in the store or out in front of this store."

A TREASURE CHEST OF BARGAINS WHOSE LID IS READY TO SPRING OPEN FOR YOU, AT THE MAGIC TOUCH OF THE DOLLAR---WHY NOT

Only For 15 DAYS

THE SIGNS ARE UP AND THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE AND THIS SALE STARTS THURSDAY, MAY 29TH. ON NIGHT OF SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH., THE SIGNS COME DOWN, THE SALE PRICES OFF AND THE SALE STOPS.

Hubbards Guarantee "Why Not"

Money will be refunded or exchange made on any article returned within 5 days after purchase, provided same has not been worn, soiled or damaged by purchaser—WHY NOT?—As this is a sale to reduce stock and realize immediate cash and at these extremely low prices we prefer not to make any approval or due tickets during this sale—"WHY NOT?"

Sale Starts at 10 a. m. Thursday, May 29

There's One Thing Certain

YOU'LL NEVER FORGET

These Splendid Bargains

HUBBARDS

'Why Not' - Sweetwater, Texas - 'Why Not'

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You cannot afford to miss the last days of our great Economy Sale

Which closes Saturday night

Our stocks are still complete as we are getting in new goods daily and are giving the same reductions just as if the goods were here at the opening day of the Sale. It has always been our policy to deal square and when we advertise a Sale it has no other meaning but a general reduction from our regular prices throughout the store.

We urge you to attend the closing of this sale and reap the benefits that you are offered in the way of low prices. We are mentioning only a few of the hundreds of items that will appeal to you as a special bargain. Space and time does not permit to quote all. Come and see for yourself.

- Childrens Play Oxfords all sizes up to size two will go at only98c
- Extra good work sox, something in a very unusual grade will go at12c
- Curtain scrim which formerly sold up to 25c per yard will go at15c
- Martha Washington Sheets, 72x90, will go at95c
- PERCALE will go at, per yard9c

- Imported Gingham in all pretty shades, reg. 45c & 50c value, will go at, per yard32 1-2c
- Good Quality Brown Domestic, 40 in. wide, will go at EIGHT yards for\$1.00
- Bathing Suits too numerous to mention will go at SPECIAL REDUCTIONS
- Mens Genuine Palm Beach Suits will go at\$9.90



We have just received a shipment Mid Summer Hats in all the striking new shades, very attractive in Georgette, Ribbon and combination with Leghorn and Crepe. Dont fail to see them while you can get your choice for only **\$3.95**

The management wishes to thank our customers for the splendid business, which we had during Our Great Economy Sale, and especially those who were patient enough to wait during the rush.

Colorado Bargain House

THE PRICE IS THE THING

THIS SPRING'S MILLINERY IS UNUSUALLY BECOMING



HOPEFULLY the procession of womankind takes its way toward the milliners' entrancing establishments—and joyfully departs therefrom lighter of heart and of pocketbook. But if there is one excuse in the world better than all others for being a bit extravagant that excuse is—a becoming hat. This spring is rich in wonderful millinery; there are innumerable variations of the several style inspirations now established as the mode, and any representative collection of new hats is made up of shapes that adroitly flatter the different types of faces. There are hats that add dignity—or take it away—hats that add piquancy, hats that make the commonplace look distinguished, hats that lend color, hats that rescue one from tameness and hats that take off a decade or so from one's age. It is marvelous what hats and hair dressing can do to and for us mortals.

is made up of what may be classed as semi-dress models, which fashion has seen fit to approve for wear with either tailored or afternoon dress. Even with severely tailored, mannish suits the mode is indulgent as to the type of hat one may wear. The shops present plain, tailored hats, but when these are less becoming than the trimmed variety, the decision is for becomingness above all else. Women are not contenting themselves with a single hat, but find it necessary to have a sports hat at least in addition to a trimmed model. The sports hats of this season are approved for street wear, unless they are too assertively intended for sports wear.

Something of the variety in shapes and trimmings in semi-dress hats may be gathered from the group pictured, but this is a season when "everything is good" in millinery and therefore there is a becoming hat for every face. JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

POWELL-BOUNDS.

Miss Jane Bounds and Earl Powell were married Saturday morning, May 17th at nine thirty o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Smith, Dr. Eteson, rector of All-Saint's church, officiated.

Mrs. Ross Dixon sang as a pre-nuptial song, "When I'm With You," accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Guitler, who afterwards played the wedding march.

The couple marched in from the rear, preceded by Miss Mary Snyder and Bradford Landers. Miss Anna Mary Mann and Holland Sargent and little Lena Smith, niece of the bride, clad in a little pongee sport suit, who scattered rose petals before the bride, and stood under a wedding bell in the living room where the ceremony, accompanied to soft music, was performed.

The bride wore a midnight blue coat suit with gray accessories and carried an arm bouquet of pink and white roses.

The bridesmaids wore white and black crepe de chine sport suits and wore black and white hats. After best wishes and congratulations the guests repaired to the dining room which was beautifully decorated in pink and white, where the bride cut the lovely cake, horse shoe shaped and also decorated in pink and white. Misses Mary Lee Crowder, Mary Broadus and Mrs. Willie Dorn presided at the punch bowl.

The bride and groom are both well known here and have many friends who wish them a life of happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell left for a short trip to Fort Worth and will then be at home on the Powell ranch.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The U. D. C. meeting was held with Mrs. L. H. Gaskins Tuesday. Besides the usual business, plans were made for the U. D. C. part on the Memorial program June 1st, at the Methodist church. Mrs. Earnest Pritchett and Mrs. C. C. Thompson were representatives from the Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Merritt were appointed from this body to complete program. Miss Vera Gaskins read very interestingly, A

Kentucky Bell. The essays on the life of Jefferson Davis, written by the seventh grade pupils were read and enjoyed. The hostess, assisted by her daughters, Vera and Doris, served sandwiches, potato chips, fruit salad and iced tea.

Miss Jane Bounds Married Saturday.

Miss Jane Bounds daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bounds of Colorado Avenue, was married Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Smith in Colorado City, to Earl Powell of Colorado City. Miss Bounds has been teaching science in the Colorado High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell will be at home after June 1, at the Plaster ranch near Colorado.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Help Make Wreaths

The members and friends of the U. D. C. Chapter and Auxiliary to the American Legion are invited May 31st at 2 o'clock to Mrs. Tom Hughes' to help make wreaths for Memorial Day. Wreaths will be made for the graves of those who wore the blue, the gray and the khaki. 2t

Choral Clubs Entertained.

The Choral Club of Snyder entertained the Choral Clubs of Colorado and Sweetwater Saturday. After a bounteous three-course luncheon in the new Baptist church dining room a program of the assembled clubs was given. This was interspersed with vocal and piano solos. Besides visitors there was a large audience of Snyder people who enjoyed the program. Quite a number went from Colorado.

Better Homes Week.

To all those who took part in the better homes week, the county chairman and the other members of the Civic League wish to express thanks. In mentioning the new modern homes last week who were opened for inspection the name of Mrs. Max Berman was unintentionally omitted. This is one of the most modern equipped homes in the town and many expressed delight in getting to see through it. Mrs. Berman not only allowed the friends to see it but served delicious punch in her spotless convenient kitchen. Mildred Martin and Marie Mauls served the punch.

Children of the Confederacy The Children of the Confederacy held their May meeting at the residence of Mrs. Jack Smith with little

Martha Lee and Mary Henderson, hostesses. After a program on the Negro Mammy of the South, ice cream cones and little cakes were served. Appie and Oleta Quiney will be hostesses next meeting.

1921 Study Club.

The 1921 Study Club met with Mrs. Roy Dozier last Friday. Mrs. Thompson led the lesson on Social Problems. Papers were read by Mrs. Earnest Pritchett and Mrs. Quiney. Mrs. Merritt was a guest. The hostess served pineapple sherbert and cake. The last meeting will be with Mrs. Thompson, May 23rd.

Sunday School Picnic.

At the conclusion of a contest between the classes of the Baptist Sunday School of which Mrs. A. L. White is teacher of young ladies and Chester Thomas teacher of boys, a moonlight picnic was given by the losers Tuesday evening at Seven Wells. They met at the church and seven or eight cars of young people left for a good time. Besides the lunches Mrs. White prepared a freezer of sherbet and one of homemade ice cream, which was very much appreciated. Losers and winners both had a good time.

The spirit of democracy first took root in British soil, away back yonder some four or five hundred years ago, the English barons ran old King John down and made him sign his name on the dotted lines to the Great Magna Charta, and that was the shot that sounded the death knell of human slavery among the English speaking races. The spirit was transplanted to this wild virgin soil, where it took on full growth, king rule, feudalism, the office of lord and duke, and all the other tommyrot that followed in the train of the divine right of kings to rule was sheared from the tree, and behold the fruit of the tree of knowledge, this glorious Republic. Of course, things are in a devil of a mess just now, politically, financially and spiritually but it will come out all right, as we still have the school house and country press left, besides there is a great horde of common horse-sense folks, who are grounded in the fundamentals of democracy, and some day, the tide of human sentiment will move, and things will slip back a notch, and we will find ourselves, and amongst the splinters, we will discern the truth, and get back on the home base.—W. H. McCarty.

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Colorado Record



QUEEN ELEANOR CROWNED AT BROWNWOOD MEETING

By MAE BIDDISON BENSON
Staff Correspondent
Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Brownwood, May 14—Beautiful even in the minutest detail of regal splendor the coronation scene and the pageant Wednesday night at the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall here took its rank with the most festive state events of its character.

Scintillating, brilliant and elegant the setting was superb, making a regal background for Her Majesty, Queen Eleanor Enid of the House of Thomas of Colorado, who was crowned ruler of West Texas to hold sway for one year. King of this empire who was also chosen on this occasion was R. A. Underwood, Plainview.

Lights in various colors lent radiance to the throne and the court. Colors and queen's mansion furnishings gave the last touch of refined magnificence to the scene completed by the appearance of her royal highness who was heralded to the scene completed by the appearance of her royal highness who was heralded by a retinue of court attendants, trumpets, flower girls and her maid of honor, Lady Harriett Logan of the house of Davis of Stephenville.

Four thousand persons filled the auditorium to capacity and as many more clamored at the door for admission after all the tickets were sold. The boxes lining each side of the house were filled with elegantly gowned women and modishly attired men, most of them relatives of members of the royal party. They came from all parts of West Texas and represented more than 50 towns of this section of Texas. Throughout the day Wednesday, the committee in charge was busy welcoming visitors who came just for the coronation ceremony.

The throne of her majesty was at the summit of a tier of stairs rising from the stage which terminated a long promenade extending the full length of the auditorium. In full view of the audience the queen made her appearance on the promenade and was greeted with applause from the throng of subjects who were moved to admiration by the splendor and the beauty of her queenly carriage and elaborate costume. Her jewels sparkled in regal magnificence. Of particular note was the marvelous diamond drop which is said to be a 13-carat stone suspended from a splendid platinum chain. She wore diamond platinum bracelet wrought of beautiful carved solid platinium and set with 40 diamonds.

A magnificent ring set with three large diamonds in a platinum lace work and surrounded with 19 small diamonds she wore next to an exquisite solitaire of regal size. Her watch was platinum encrusted with diamonds. All these worn to the enhancement of her demure brunette beauty further augmented by the dainty imported gown of soft flesh color heavily beaded with crystal woven into intricate motifs from throat to hem. A long court train of blue velvet in Queen Elizabeth style completed the queen's royal coronation robes. She carried a white staff set with a thousand rhinestones and tied with filmy floating tulle. Her crown was unusual and more than ordinarily beautiful. Fashioned of brilliant stones the motif suggested was the American Eagle and U. S. was woven in the design, rising just above her brow.

All members of the royal party advanced while the spectators watched them glide across the long promenade. Lights were thrown on them and the beauty intensified. Lady Harriett Logan of the House of Davis of Stephenville was elegant in her royal robes of iridescent sequins over which fell a long train of rose satin studded with figures worked with millions of pearls. She wore a head dress of Rhinestones and pearls and carried a staff that harmonized. Her blonde beauty was made even more lovely by the color and the elegance of her costume.

Ropes of pearls fell in cascades down each side of her robe and were caught with clusters of pearls. She preceded Queen Eleanor Enid to the court. Capt. J. G. Tully, commander of the First Squadron, Fifth Calvary, was her escort.

The musical setting was of an especially pleasing tone, and gave proper suggestion of the coronation scene to follow.

As the duchesses and their maids of honor moved in regal motion across the promenade and took their places in the court of her majesty, they were greeted with volumes of applause as each beautiful and graceful young Texas duchess joined the group. Their gowns vied with magnificence one with the other and gave elegant splendor to the royal scene. Well chosen gowns were worn with equally correct trim in varying hues. There were no glaring inconsistencies but the entire ensemble was a credit to the beauty and the glory of Texas womanhood.

ECHOES FROM THE BROWNWOOD COONVENTION

The Queen, a very beautiful and charming West Texas girl, Miss Eleanor Thomas of Colorado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Thomas, had for her coronation gown a beautiful model in slim lines of flesh tint, with elaborate crystal beading of intricate motifs. A long court train of blue velvet with an especially brilliant and handsome court collar of Queen Elizabeth style and coronet of brilliant jewels, and with a heavily jeweled staff, made a most striking costume for the lovely young Queen. Her royal jewels were particularly magnificent.

The royal party was preceded to the throne by a retinue of attendants, heralds, flower girls and ladies in waiting. Her maid of honor was Lady Harriett Logan of the House of Davis of Stephenville, immediately after the appearance of the Queen and King, who was in royal robes of purple and gold, ermine trimmed, the duchesses were presented, followed by ambassadors and ladies of various countries.

After the coronation ceremonies, the presentation, a pageant called "Evolution of Texas" was enacted, which was very effective, although played indoors and with a somewhat different setting, the pageant followed the theme and general plans with variations, of the pageant of West Texas staged in connection with the West Texas Fair in Abilene last fall, each country which had figured in the history of the lone star state being represented in costume.

Just before the coronation and pageant, a very spectacular and beautiful illuminated parade was staged, the duchesses and maids riding in highly decorated floats and cars, torch-lights and spot lights playing upon them, through the thronged streets of the convention city. The whole scene made a most gorgeous and entrancing spectacle.

—Abilene Reporter.

COLORADO "TOASTMASTER" PARADES AT BROWNWOOD

With apologies to Co. C. M. Adams, president of the Colorado Lions Club and Rev. J. F. Lawis, pastor of the First Methodist church, local members of the Lions Club made use of an idea originated by these two gentlemen and provided a "toastmaster" to be paraded in Brownwood during the convention there last week.

In the usual English expression a toastmaster is nothing more than a donkey. Through courtesies of O. Lambeth, one of these animals was secured from Ft. Worth, and placed in the keeping of L. B. Elliott, M. S. Goldman, Grady Newman and Harry Ratliff, who took turns in riding him through the street, advertising the cotton and oil interests of this county.

Delphian Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Colorado Delphian chapter at the home of the president, Mrs. Fred Carey May 29th at 4:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers and social hour.

LAY PREJUDICES ASIDE

The Record is sincere in the hope that the citizenship of Mitchell County will lay aside any personal prejudices which may develop and go to the polls Saturday and vote the verdict for the best interests of the county, as they consistently see it. Our trading centers and the whole of Mitchell County are developing too fast and our citizenship maintaining too high a standard of progress as to permit of the injection of petty things into issues affecting the public. Fair play is the only winning-card to hold. Remember that the citizen opposing you in your effort to defeat the bond has just as much right to his belief as you have to yours! It is contrary to good citizenship to lead yourself to believe otherwise.

SNYDER BANKER DIES AT SANATORIUM IN LUBBOCK

Rex A. Awalt of the First State Bank of Snyder who was injured in an automobile accident three miles from Snyder late Thursday evening, and who was taken to Lubbock sanitarium Friday morning, died there Friday night about 8 o'clock.

The remains were prepared for burial by the Rix Undertaking company and were shipped to Post, the home of his parents Friday night. Interment was made in the Post cemetery Saturday.

Mr. Awalt, who is 24 years of age, was one of several members of a Snyder Sunday school class who were enroute to a picnic in the country for a short outing, and when the heavy truck in which they were making the trip was being driven over a steep hill he leaped to the ground to relieve the machine of his weight while the hill was being pulled, and just as he started to run to the top of the hill he collided with a touring car just as it made the turn around a short curve at the hilltop. The accident, according to eye witnesses was unpreventable inasmuch as neither Mr. Awalt nor the driver of the car saw one another until an instant before he was struck. His skull was crushed and his right leg broken near the hip.



WILL C. EDWARDS
Denton Editor Who is a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Lieutenant-Governor.

Edwards, past president of the Texas Press Association and Texas Daily Press League, came to Denton from Alabama a small boy 41 years ago and has lived there since. He has been connected with the Denton Record-Chronicle since 1896 and has been its publisher since 1899.

In 1922 Edwards' home people drafted him to run for the Legislature—the only public office he has ever held—and this is his first political contest entered voluntarily. He is president of the Denton Chamber of Commerce, served eight years as Democratic County Chairman, two years as State Democratic Executive Committeeman, three years as Red Cross county chairman, four years as president of Denton County Texas-Exes.

Friends say 95 per cent of the Democratic vote of his home county will be cast for Edwards and that he has practically the solid support of Texas newspapermen.

JONES COUNTY VOTES HIGHWAY BONDS 43 to 1

Jones county comes forward with a new record for unanimity on a road bond issue, with a 43 to 1 vote in favor of the proposition. In an election held Saturday bonds for \$100,000 were approved by the voters, to be used in paving Highway No. 83 across the county east and west through Anson. The vote was 798 for and only 17 against, with one box missing.

Will Mitchell county do as well next Saturday, to build a concrete road across Mitchell county from east to west?

EXCAVATIONS BEGUN FOR FORD-LINCOLN BUILDING

A. W. Balfanz, contractor, began excavations Saturday for the A. J. Herrington building, corner Main and Elm streets. The building, which is to have frontage of 170 feet on Main and 135 feet on Elm, will be used exclusively as the home of Ford, Fordson and Lincoln for this territory. The structure will represent an investment of more than \$40,000 and will be one of the most attractive brick and stone business buildings in the city.

POURING CONCRETE BASE STARTED ON OAK STREET

The last district included in paving extension will be completed within the next week or ten days, Ed. S. Ailes, of Fort Worth, general manager of the West Texas Construction Company, contractors, stated here Tuesday. Concrete base pouring was started at Oak and Fourth streets Saturday and by Tuesday night had reached the Third street intersection. The paving on Second, Main and Elm streets has been completed.

PRESS OF TEXAS DEPLORES ACTION TEXT BOOK BOARD

In connection with the scathing denunciation given the text book commission here Wednesday by W. E. Pope, candidate for governor, it is recalled that the candidate is supported in this matter by a number of leading newspapers and periodicals of the State. Some of these publications have not curbed their indignation while giving expression to the huge book contract, while others have applied the soft peddle and expressed themselves more mildly.

The Southwest Plainsman, published at Amarillo, has the following to say regarding the text book transaction:

Because of the recent decision of the state supreme court, Texans are going to be forced to expend more than one million dollars for new text books for the public schools—whether we want them or not.

Last year the state text book commission contracted for several new books of a different series from those in use, thereby arousing a storm of protest from the citizens who felt that, in view of their repeatedly expressed wish for a curtailment of public expenditures, the action of the commission was not only uncalled for, but positively diabolical in its utter disregard of the overburdened taxpayers.

State Superintendent Marrs took up the cause of the people and brought suit for the annulment of the contract. After a year in the courts, a decision has at last been obtained—in favor of the book concern, of course. Nobody minds what the people think about it because it has been repeatedly demonstrated that they have blessedly short memories and will soon forget their wrongs.

Superintendent Marrs declared that the prices bid for the new books were exorbitant. The geographies, for instance, which will cost Texas one dollar and thirty-three cents each, were sold in Tennessee for 14c. This certainly seems like discrimination with a vengeance and if it is so, it seems that the text book commission was extremely remiss in its duty in the first place and that surely something is wrong with a court that would uphold such looting of the public treasury.

It is a question whether the people have gained anything by the effort that was made to annul the contract. It will be up to the taxpayers to settle for the expense of the litigation, now, in addition to buying the books. However, the action of the commission has aroused the people to a greater interest in the schools and that may be of some benefit. There have been many demands for the abolition of the text book commission, leaving the question of books in the hands of the State Superintendent.

Of course, the commission was established with the idea that a book concern would have more trouble corrupting a body of men than it would if it had only one man to deal with but after last year's action, the people have about concluded that their interests could not be given less consideration by a "one-man power" and something would be saved the State in salaries. We're all agreed that there are altogether too many bureaus and departments in government anyway and each year we vote for candidates who promise to cut down this item of expense, but, instead, more are created. Once the legislature gets a bureau established, there seems no possible way to get rid of it—even the Governor is powerless in the hands of the bureaucracy of the State.

HAMILTON-BURLEY REVIVAL TO OPEN SUNDAY MORNING

The Hamilton-Burley revival, which will open Sunday morning at Union Tabernacle, is taking on new features of interest with the addition of Chester Harris, internationally known personal worker and song leader. Harris will be brought to Colorado with the two other members of the evangelistic party.

Rev. J. E. Chase, pastor of the First Christian church, under whose auspices the revival will be held, stated Tuesday that the outlook for an unusually successful campaign was good. As a unit, he stated, the church people of the city are lining up their support for the revival. This is true as to the pastors, personal workers and singers, Chase stated.

Evangelist Hamilton, who will do the preaching, is coming to Colorado with the distinction of being one of the most forceful evangelistic speakers of the country. His preaching is expected to attract overflow congregations at all of the services. Evangelist Singer Burley, too, is a man of unusual merit in his work.

Definite announcement as to hours for holding the services, both morning and evening, will be made from the platform Sunday. The pastor and members of his congregation cordially invite the general public to attend all of the services.

The revival meeting scheduled to begin next Sunday, May 25th at the Tabernacle in Colorado, takes on new features with the addition of a third member of the party whom it has been definitely decided with Smith, Scoville and Stevens and others of the World's greatest evangelists, will be here and have supervision of the personal workers and assist in directing the choir.

Cottage prayer meetings are being held each afternoon this week in preparation for the revival. The church has made faith preparation and everything is all set for the opening service Sunday morning. Bible school will be held at 9:45 a. m. and initial service in the revival series will begin promptly at eleven o'clock.

To the Christian people of Colorado and vicinity, the invitation is most cordially extended to join in making this Colorado's best revival. The revival meeting is the harvest time for the church. The faithful work the pastors and the churches have done through the long months of the past is now about to be realized in a great harvest. The grain is growing from the seed sown, and we want you there to help in the harvest.

While this is and will be known as a Christian church meeting, we want it to be more than that. We want every church in town to feel the effect of the meeting and be blessed by it. And every church will be in the exact ratio that they put themselves into the work of meeting. The evangelists come to us strongly commended for their deep earnestness and zeal in winning souls and if we will give them that support they are entitled to receive, we will have a great ingathering of souls for Jesus Christ.

We are not attempting to dictate to anybody, but we earnestly request and hope that during the progress of the meeting that just so far as possible everything else will be held subject to the best interests of the meeting.

You cannot build a town without good churches and schools. Our town is well to the front in the character of schools and well to the rear in the character of church buildings and equipment. We are putting in blocks of pavement; we are to vote this week on building a concrete highway across the county; we are beautifying the homes of our people, but we are sadly neglecting the buildings that are to evidence our faith in God. It is time to wake up and ascertain just how far we are behind in this particular. We hope that one of the results of the meeting will be the churches forward in a mighty stride in this particular. Once again we invite you all to come and help us.

J. E. CHASE, Pastor.

DULIN NAMED DIRECTOR DISTRICT FARM BUREAU

W. A. Dulin, former county agent of Mitchell County, was named as one of the two cotton directors elected at the district convention, Texas Farm Bureau Association, held at Loraine Saturday. The other director is George Lackey of Nolan county.

The district, comprising a number of West Texas counties, had delegates in attendance from 10 counties. Reports of county and district officials reflected a material growth of the organization during the past year.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

May 24th is the day set aside by our county Fathers to receive the third verdict from a legal majority of the Mitchell County voters, on the declaration of their opposition to that horned monstrosity called highway bonds.

It seems that our county Fathers are hard to convince that a sufficient number of the voters of Mitchell County think enough of what little their lives to obtain, to rally out on election day and vote against this proposed half million dollar highway assessment being levied against their homes. We just naturally oppose being held up for such a worthless proposition, regardless of whether the hold up is pulled off by highway robbers or a highway tax. So far as benefitting Mitchell County in its entirety is concerned the results of being held up either way would be the same.

The amount of the principle involved in this election is only \$325,000.00, but the levy against Mitchell will be no less than \$700,000.00, or a sufficient sum to care for the accumulating interest which for the 30 years will amount to more than \$400,000.00. Counting the outstanding bonds that are now existing against us on this measly 32 miles of the 700 miles of roads in Mitchell county, in connection with the proposed bonds to be issued, by the time the full amount is paid we will have taxed the property in Mitchell county approximately one million dollars for this 32 miles of road against not one frazzling cent for the other 668 miles of roads in Mitchell county.

Mr. Voter, does your idea of justice harmonize with voting a mortgage on every farmers home in Mitchell county then selling that mortgage to some bonds company for \$325,000.00, then take that cash and spend it in laying a rough coating of cement just 18 feet wide on just 32 miles of road while the other 668 miles of road in Mitchell county go begging for a common dirt grade. I am a strong believer in good roads, good schools and good churches, but there is a vast difference between good roads and a good road. My idea of good roads is at least well graded and drained road beds for all the main roads leading from the people's trading point to the several rural settlements of the county, and a like manner of roads leading from all the rural settlements to their respective school houses and churches. This kind of road construction would enhance the value of Mitchell county in dollars and cents and all the citizens of the county would obtain the benefit in travel; whereas a bond as the proposed highway bonds will, instead of enhancing farm values, detract therefrom by assessing an additional expense burden by increased taxation for something that will neither help the roads, the farmer has to haul his produce over, nor the attractiveness of his farm.

If we want to be fair and just to all the taxpayers in Mitchell county if we want to give every man a run for his money to be expended on road construction, the only thing to do is to vote against the highway bonds, divide the county into road districts, allowing each district to vote bonds to suit their requirements. Thus each and every taxpayer would have the benefit of the roads their money payed for. If the highway boosters in Colorado and Loraine want a concrete surface on the good gravel road they now have, there is nothing in this world to prevent them from establishing a road district and vote bonds on their own property for that purpose. However, we've a lingering suspicion that they don't want it unless the other fellow pays for it. It is greatly exceeding the bounds of justice and fairness to ask that all of Mitchell county be bonded for money to smear a coat of rough cement on 32 miles of perfectly good gravel road. When there is 668 miles of practically nothing but mud holes and ditches that 75 per cent of Mitchell county citizens are compelled to use for their daily traffic.

There is now a powerful agitation for whether the state or federal governments to take over the supervision, construction and maintenance of all designated highways and it is the consensus of opinion that within a short time this will be done. The general supposition is that, then the state or national governments will levy a tax against each county traversed by a highway for this purpose. Now, if we vote for the bonds Saturday it will mean only an additional burden for us to carry; whereas by voting against the proposed highway bonds and fixing up the other roads in Mitchell county that would be a

benefit and a pleasure to every Mitchell county citizen; and eventually a government built highway.

This highway has already been turned over to the highway department and is in fact a highway department road. It is the duty of this department to keep up the highway. For this purpose the Mitchell county voters paid the Highway Department \$17,000.00 or \$546.00 per mile, last year. We will continue to pay this tax, bonds or no bonds. My understanding is—Mitchell county contracted with the Highway Department to keep up the highway in the county for \$625.00 per month which is equivalent to \$7,500.00 per year leaving a net profit to the Highway Department of \$10,000.00 per year off of Mitchell county taxpayers.

Now ladies and gentlemen, this highway is a Highway Department road, if they want a concrete surface on it let them put it there. Their profit will soon pay it.

Look over the following figures, think about them and then vote for the best interest of Mitchell county.

Outstanding bonds now existing for the highway

highway	\$ 100,000.00
Interest at 5 per cent for 30 years	150,000.00
Proposed bonds	325,000.00
Interest at 5 per cent for 30 years, approximately	425,000.00
Grand total of	\$1,000,000.00

Or a cost of \$31,218 per mile for the highway in Mitchell county.

F. F. Brooks, Loraine, Rt. A.

IRENE PONDER IS BRIDE

A. I. Ackers and Miss Irene Ponder took their friend by surprise Monday afternoon when they motored to Abilene and were married at the Methodist parsonage of the First Metho-

dist Church, with Rev. William A. Pearce, pastor of the church performing the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a beige Poiret tulle suit, with hat and accessories harmonizing and carried roses and sweet peas.

The bride is the only daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. E. Ponder, and has been the popular bookkeeper for the Western Union Telegraph Co., since her graduation at the local high school about four years ago.

The bridegroom is a native of Staunton, Va., and has been connect-

ed with the Gulf Production Co., with headquarters at Sweetwater. Recently he accepted a position with the California Oil Co., whose head office for this section is located at Colorado.

Miss Thelma Pratt accompanied them to Abilene and returned to the city with them. Immediately after their return they left in their car for their new home at Colorado. Their new home at Colorado.—Sweetwater Reporter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Record is authorized to announce the following names for the offices indicated, subject to the Democratic primary July 26, 1924:

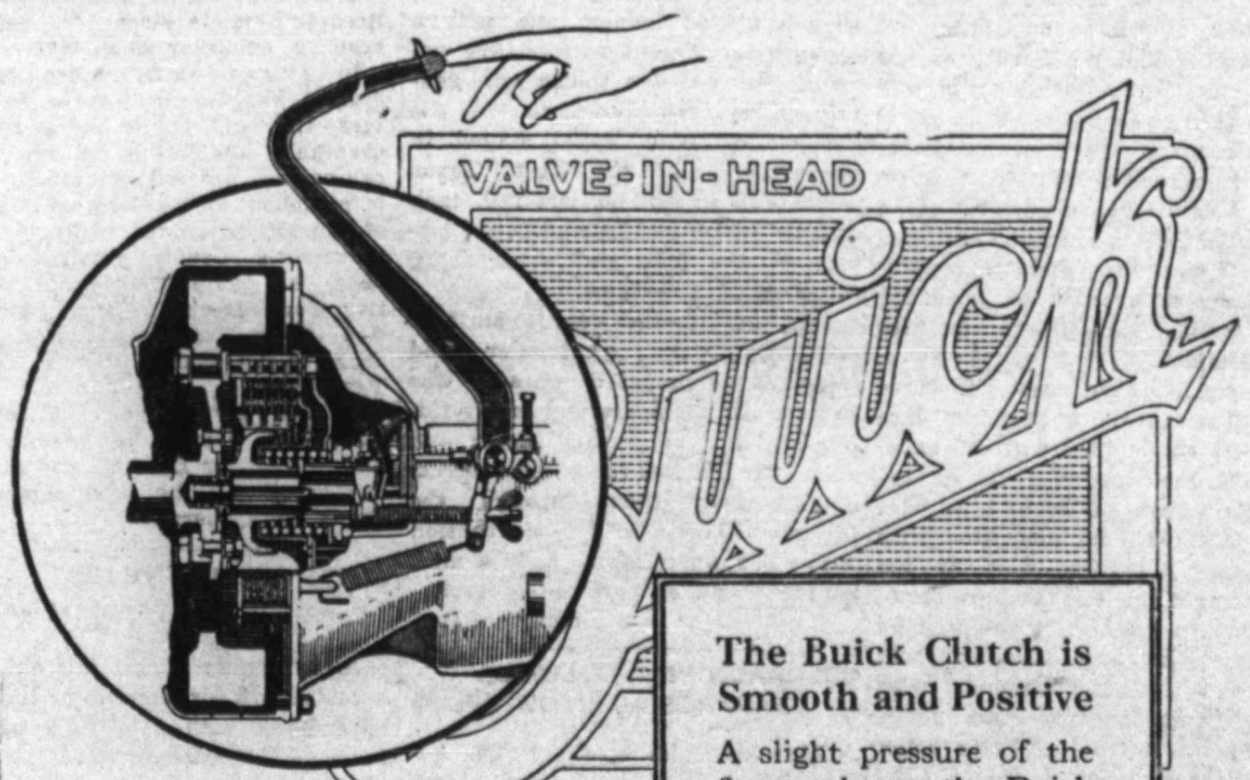
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- COUNTY OFFICES:
For County Judge:
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U. D. WULFJEN
W. W. PORTER.
- For County and District Clerks:
J. LEE JONES
W. S. STONEHAM.
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
I. W. TERRY
J. R. SHEPPARD.
- For Tax Assessor:
ROY WARREN
- For County Attorney:
R. H. RATLIFF.
- For County Treasurer:
OCIE GREEN (Re-Election)
GRADY NEWMAN
- For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
SAMUEL C. HARRIS.
MRS. STELLA E. BENNETT
G. D. FOSTER.
- For County Commissioner Precinct 1:
TOM GOSS
TOM HAMMONDS
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2. (Westbrook):
J. C. COSTIN.
GEO. W. SWEATT.
- For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
JNO. D. LANE (Re-Election)
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
TOM TERRY (Re-election)
- For Public Weigher (At Westbrook) Precinct No. 2:
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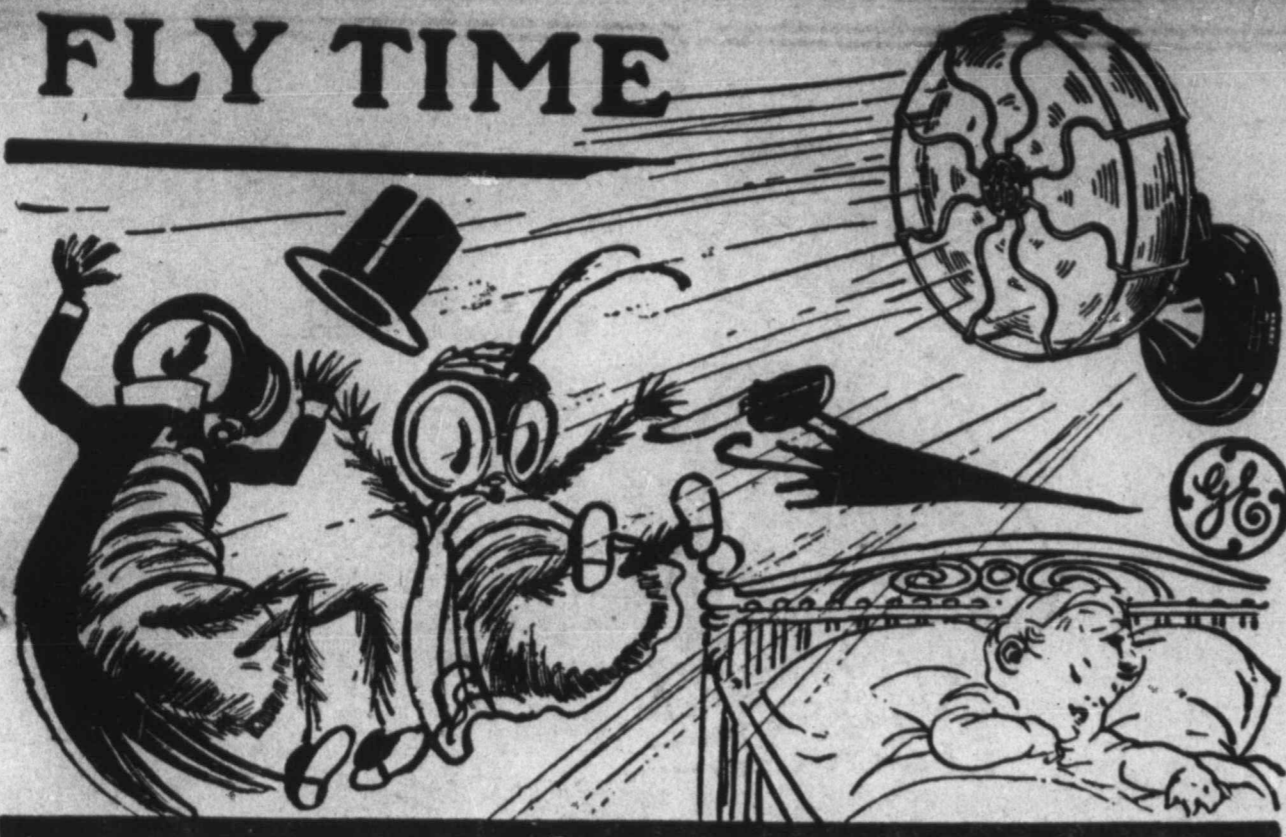
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LOOK OUT FOR GRASSHOPPERS

By R. R. Reppert
College Station

Farmers in many parts of Texas are fearful lest last year's damage from grasshoppers may be repeated this season. From some of our western counties are coming reports of grasshoppers already hatching, although at this early date no damage has yet resulted.

It is difficult to foresee what the outcome may be. Last year the dry weather reduced the pasture growth and drove the hoppers to the cultivated field bringing about heavy damage that might have otherwise been avoided. With the moisture in the soil this year it is possible that even if large numbers of the hoppers emerge they will remain in the pastures and the damage to cultivated crops will thus be light.

At the same time, farmers should be fully prepared to wage a fight if necessary. Success in saving the crop will depend mainly in promptness in destroying the hoppers previous to their actual entrance into the fields. Do not wait until they have destroyed half the fields.

The following formula is the one recommended, having been used with success in Texas as well as in other states:

- Wheat bran, pounds25
- White arsenic or Paris green lb.1
- Lemons or oranges, no. fruits6
- Low grade cane or sorghum, qts.2
- Water, gallons2

Mix the bran and poison thoroughly while dry. Dilute the molasses with the amount of water as named. Squeeze the lemon juice into this diluted molasses, then grind the rind of the lemons with a meat chopper and add this also to the liquid. Now mix the liquid thoroughly with the poison bran mixture. After an even mixture has been obtained, add more water and mix until a mash is obtained so that after being squeezed in the hand it readily falls apart.

Grasshoppers feed in the morning, and as the bait loses its attractiveness when dry, it should be applied so as to be moist as possible at this time. It will therefore be best to put it out about sunrise. Provided the ground is not so hot and dry as to remove the moisture during the night, it may be put out late in the evening in case the area to be treated is too extensive to be quickly covered in early morning. The mixture should be scattered, as if sowing seed, by hand, or any type of seeder capable of distributing it. The amount given in the formula should cover about five acres.

Where the hoppers have become distributed over the cultivated field, the entire area should be sown, and the application repeated—in a few days if necessary. If the hoppers are found to be advancing from the pasture lands, distribute the mash in front of their line of march for a distance of a couple of hundred yards keeping also the margin of the pasture land treated daily until the danger of damage has passed. The mixture should be made exactly as directed, leaving out no part. Where the infestation is general, community action is recommended. The materials should be provided in large quantities, and a large amount of the mixture made up at a central place late in the evening, or better, well before daylight in the morning. Each farmer will then take his portion and apply immediately.

WEST TEXAS' SPIRIT.

Retiring President A. B. Spencer of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce shot true to the mark when he said, shortly before turning over the office to C. C. Walsh of San Angelo, the newly elected president: "Regardless of big things the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has accomplished, or that it will put over in the future, the greatest thing, the greatest part it has played, has been creation of a West Texas spirit."

A few hours later a very fitting demonstration of the spirit to which Mr. Spencer referred was witnessed. A bitter fight for the next convention had just ended with Mineral Wells victorious and Amarillo defeated. Amarillo moved to make the selection unanimous and Ernest O. Thompson, head of the Amarillo delegation, immediately issued a statement congratulating Mineral Wells, promising his people to work for the success of the Mineral Wells convention and the chamber as a whole and serving notice that Amarillo would seek the meeting in 1926.

This thing, "esprit du corps" whose name has been shortened by Americans to "spirit," a term which, employed in this sense, takes on a new meaning, is the most essential constituent of success or progress in any endeavor involving the participation of a large number of persons. Kipling's lines:

"It's not the individual, nor the army as a whole,
But the everlasting teamwork of every living soul."



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express the importance of the same factor that Mr. Spencer viewed as the greatest accomplishment of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Spirit is a meaningful word. It means advancement by teamwork in both thought and deed; it is the something in individuals and in nations, in baseball teams and in armies, that refuse to be beaten. As distinguished from mere courage, which does nothing but display an endurance which might with more credit be employed for some other purpose, spirit, under the modern meaning implies tenaciousness of purpose also, but always with the other qualities of heart and brain that make ultimate victory the certainty.

Mr. Spencer thinks the establishment of such a spirit is an important work, and most of us will agree. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, if it did not actually create such a spirit in West Texas, at least mobilized into a living force the already existing qualities of such a spirit. The combination of a vision of greatness and the ability and determination to overcome the obstacles that lie in the way of its realization is something that can't be beaten.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

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AN ORDINANCE

Regulating the use of Paved Streets within the limits of the City of Colorado, Texas, and defining:

The moving of buildings or houses on pavement;

The driving of spikes or wood or iron in pavement;

The placing of warning lights on houses being moved and left in street over night;

The driving of tractors, or vehicles over or across pavement with cleated or spiked wheels, or wheels that will deface or injure pavement, or to drive tractor or vehicle of over five tons in weight over pavement without securing permit and depositing bond or money to provide for any damage done;

The hauling of crushed rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, brick, brick-bats and other rubbish over paved streets without preventing its being deposited, spilled or scattered thereupon;

The construction of temporary tool, storage, cement or office buildings required in the construction of new buildings on paved streets, the storage and protection of all materials stored on pavement, the amount of street to be occupied by contractor or owner during construction period, and the securing a permit for the same.

The assessment of a penalty and the minimum and maximum fines to be assessed, and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO, TEXAS:

Sec. 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to move or roll any house, or building of any description over, across or along any street or avenue of this city without first obtaining a written permit from the City Engineer and approved by the Mayor which permit shall specify all the condition, prescribe the route to be taken, and limit the time for such removal.

Sec. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive any spike or other thing, either of wood or iron or any other material through or into any paved street for any purpose whatsoever, except by the direction of the City Engineer.

Sec. 3. When any house is being removed and the same is left so as to occupy any portion of a public

street in the night, it shall be the duty of the mover to place a light or signals thereon, to indicate its position to persons traveling on such street.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to drive or propel any tractor or other vehicle of any description over, across or along any paved street within the city of Colorado, equipped with cleated or spiked wheels or wheels of any description that will in any way injure or deface the paving or to drive or conduct any tractor or other vehicle of over five tons in weight or so loaded as to weigh over five tons over or along any paved street within the city of Colorado, without first obtaining a written permit from the city engineer, and shall be required to deposit with the City Secretary the sum of money which in the judgment of the City Secretary will cover and probable damage or injury to the streets, culverts or other property of the city, the street committee or city engineer shall immediately make a close inspection of the street or streets used by said tractor or other vehicle and make a fair estimate of the damage, if any, done to same and make a written report of same to the City Secretary, who shall on receipt of report, deduct the amount of estimated damage from the amount so deposited and return the balance with an account of the damage.

Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons, hauling crushed rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, brick, brick-bats or other rubbish upon or over the paved streets of the city to allow any crush rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, bricks, brick-bats or other rubbish to be deposited, spilled or scattered upon, over or along any paved street or to drop from or out of any wagon or other vehicle to paved streets. The owner or driver of such wagon or other vehicle shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction of same in the corporation court, shall be punished as hereafter provided, and each day shall constitute a separate offense and be punished as such.

Sec. 6. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to erect or construct any temporary houses or buildings required as tool, storage, cement or office buildings and required in the construction of new buildings on the paved streets, and it will be required that sufficient protection be given to material placed on the streets so that traffic will not scatter it over the area left open for use as a street, and, no contractor or owner will be permitted to occupy or use during the construction of a building more than one-third of the width of the street. All owners or contractors will be required to secure from the City Engineer a written permit, which shall be approved by the Mayor, which permit shall specify all conditions, prescribe the protection to materials and drainage, the erection of houses, and width of street to be occupied.

Sec. 7. Any person violating any of the foregoing Sections, provisions, rules and regulations, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine in any sum not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$100.00.

Sec. 8. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 13th day of May, 1924.

R. H. LOONEY,
Mayor of the City of Colorado, Texas
Attest—L. A. COSTEN, Secretary
of the City of Colorado, Texas.

TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE.

Joseph of Arimathea.

A member of the Sanhedrin, very wealthy and devout, who was a secret disciple of Jesus. He was not a party to the condemnation of Jesus, but lacked the courage to oppose it, but when the trial was over, and he awoke to his cowardice, he went in to Pilate and demanded the body of Jesus, which is not contrary to the practice that prevailed at that time. Interested parties, or relatives were accustomed to purchase the

bodies of those who were executed, to save them from the fate of being torn by vultures, and to give them burial.

Obtaining the body, Joseph, assisted by Nicodemus, buried Jesus in his own prepared tomb, hewn from the face of the rock.

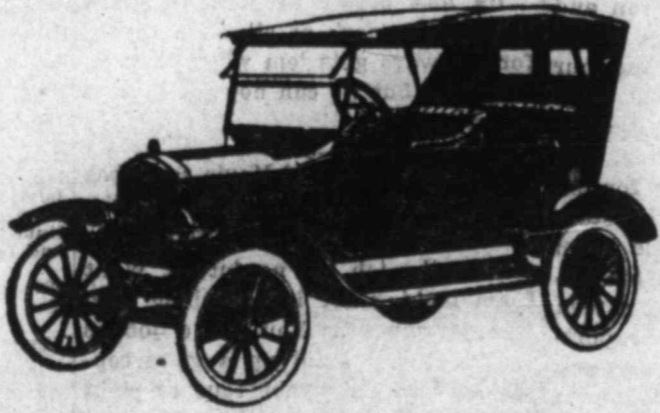
Joseph Barabbas.

Traditionally accepted as one of the "Seventy" and the disciple who was nominated (alternative to Matthias) to take the place of Judas among the Apostles.

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Miss Lucile Guntar of Merkel attended the graduation exercises Friday night and was the guest of Miss Dale Hall.



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Ladies' Venetian Girl Silk Hose, all col.	93c
35c grade Fancy Top Sox	25c
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\$1.00 grade 36 in. fast color Dress Linen	.78c
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A deal was closed the latter part of last week whereby the Mitchell County Fair Association purchased 40 acres of land out of the Murphy tract located one mile northwest of the business section of Colorado to

be used as a permanent fair ground. The plans of the association are to erect good exhibit buildings and other necessary equipment on the grounds before the 1924 fair which will be held there some time this fall.—Lorraine Leader.

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This is a progressive step. Fairs, whether they be county, regional or state help a community. Certainly that is true of fairs in this section. Clip & Comment has said many times before that fairs are a valuable asset, but for fear that some of the folks might not have read it, he's repeating the statement now. Abilene's fair is along with the rest of them in being an asset and a valuable asset to this city.—Abilene Reporter.

Mary Succeeds on Main Street

By LAURA MILLER

ONE LAWYER'S WORK

Good lawyers are such accurate-minded folk that I shall feel safer if I share Florence Monahan's letter with you word for word. Otherwise some phrase would be sure to get to a wrong-twisted meaning, I know.

STATE REFORMATORY FOR WOMEN
Florence Monahan, Superintendent,
Shakopee, Minn.

Dear Mrs. Miller:

Born in Chicago, I have always lived in a city until I took charge of this institution four years ago. However, I may say that I like living in the small town very much better than in the city.

I began my work as a schoolteacher, as so many women do. While teaching school I studied law and, after receiving my degree, I went into the Minnesota children's bureau to handle illegitimacy cases. This bureau carries out the model children's laws of Minnesota. The bureau is under our state board of control, and when the reformatory for women was opened the board of control thought that, through my experience with all sorts of girls, I could manage this institution.

We have an average population of about sixty women, all over eighteen years of age. Our average age is about thirty years. Women are sentenced here for felonies and gross misdemeanors. We have all the women convicted of any crime which carries with it a sentence of more than a year, including life prisoners. I have eight women on my staff and five men.

You will see that it is rather difficult for me to answer your questions in regard to the average girl starting in to work. It seems to me that whether she starts in a big city or a small town does not matter so much as her own ability in whatever work she tries to do.

I am intensely interested in the League of Women Voters and have been on the state board since it was organized, and previous to that time I was on the state board of the old suffrage organization.

Very truly yours,
FLORENCE MONAHAN,
Superintendent.

FEED CROPS FOR WEST TEXAS

The grain sorghums are the dependable feed crops in the western half of Texas, and the farms of this area produce roughly 50 per cent of the grain sorghums grown in the United States. Yet with this record of production there is little surplus of these grains in any particular

section and a large shortage over the area as a whole. There is scarcely any town of considerable size that has not unloaded from 50 to 100 carloads of corn or oats for feed on the farms and the expenditure for these feeds is running into the thousands of dollars for every community.

There are several reasons for our shortage of feed and one of them is year or two, coupled with an insufficient acreage of these crops during years of comparatively low rainfall. In competition with cotton and wheat the feed crop acreage is always the loser. There was a time four or five years ago when grain sorghums were cash crops in this section of the state as a general rule, and there was a plentiful supply for exporting to other parts of the state and to other states. It would seem that with our increasing cotton acreage we are about to become a feed importing rather than a feed exporting section. But the signs are more hopeful and more consideration is being given the feed crops this year by thoughtful and successful farmers than for several years. There is a firm determination not to be caught with insufficient feed another year. I have talked with numbers of farmers about their feed problems recently and they seem unanimous in their plans to give the sorghums first consideration this year.

West Texas needs a good feed crop this year, and conditions at this time look good for its production, but it is time to play safe. There will be a big acreage of cotton planted, but it should not be at the expense of the milo and kafir acreage. Is the farmer of West Texas going to get caught in the whirlwind of that vicious merry-go-round, the "cotton circle," and grow more cotton to get more cash to buy more feed to grow more cotton, etc., without end? It is not likely, for we cannot be prosperous under such a program. It is a long freight haul from the Corn Belt to West Texas and the freight on a carload of feed will eat up a sight of profit on a cotton crop.

We have at our front door one of the greatest potential grain areas, the Grain Sorghum Belt in the United States, and it must not be neglected. We look for a good crop of the grain sorghum this year, but the safe thing to do is to plant good seed of adapted varieties and do not stop cultivating until the weeds are safely out of the way.



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THE DODGE GARAGE

It is safe to say that more than a million fish are lost every year by pullin' too quick.—Plainview News.

Just when to jerk is the question. Granted that fish are lost by jerking too soon, how is a man to know every time when to jerk and when not to jerk? The old rule was to wait until the cork goes out of sight. However, there is no need of this jerking business on the Plains. Liars will always catch fish, jerk or no jerk.—Scurry Co. Times.

Its lots better to jerk to quick than not to jerk at all. The Record force always gets 'em when they go after 'em but we can not get time to go after 'em.

Charlie Chaplin of Movie fame has been offered the nomination for the presidency and here is his reply.

"No, the job has no future. What I am looking for is something nice and permanent. You get a job as president and build up a good reputation and then your four or eight years are up and you have to start life all over again."



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Take FERRASAL night and morning for a month. Your stomach will be free from gas, your tongue clear and your breath sweet, or your money refunded. "COULD HARDLY BREATHE" "I had enlarged heart and high blood pressure and was unable to do any work for five months. Gas, forming, on my stomach, pressed against my heart and lungs so I could hardly breathe. The first box of FERRASAL stopped gas from forming and gave me great relief. I continued to take it and am back at my work and in fine health." "A. L. PAUL," 3504 Swiss Avenue.

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E. P. BURLEY,
Leader of 'Song and Soloist



ORVILLE EDGAR HAMILTON
Evangelist

We are thoroughly convinced that we have been very fortunate in securing the services of those men for our annual meeting this year, below are a few testimonies that have been sent us concerning their work elsewhere. Read them carefully and you will doubtless agree with us.

W. A. CROWDER, MRS. H. B. BROADDUS,
R. P. PRICE AND W. W. PORTER, Committee.

SOME OF HAMILTON'S MEETINGS AND ADDITIONS

Lima, Ohio, 204; Adrian, Mich., 126; Lyons, Ohio, 149 in two weeks; Independence, Mo., 352; Galena, Kansas, 467; Caney, Kansas, 467; Dundee, New Zealand, 300; Topeka, Kansas, 136; Carterville, Mo., 612.

He is assisted by E. P. Burley and Chester Harris, great song evangelist and personal worker.

HEAR HAMILTON SPEAK AND BURLEY SING EVERY NIGHT.

The Ministerial Association,
Colorado, Texas.

Gentlemen:—On the 20th, inst., we had a letter from Rev. O. E. Hamilton, stating that you had written the Cumby people in regard to character and work that Rev. O. E. Hamilton did in Cumby. No one here has ever at any time had a letter or any inquiry about his work. It is a pleasure to us to answer any inquiry of Rev. O. E. Hamilton. Last year he held a union meeting in Cumby, which we deem a great success, and we consider it a great pleasure in securing a man like him to hold a meeting for the town and community. All denominations were highly pleased with the way he conducts a union meeting. We would be glad to answer any other inquiries that you might ask. Yours very truly,

O. R. ODOM, J. H. McGUIRE, T. A. MILLER, Methodist
W. B. JUNELL, GUY MORGAN, J. B. LEWIS, Baptist
C. J. TAYLOR, C. W. BOLIN, J. R. RECORD, Presbyterian
D. H. GREERS, J. F. WEAVER, C. A. BREWER, Christian

Mr. Chester Harris, the third member of the party will have charge of the personal workers and assist in directing the choruses. He has been associated with the world's leading evangelists such as Smith, Scoville and Stevens. He is one of the best known personal work evangelists in the country.

Big Worker, Weighs 320

COLORADO BOOSTER BAND WINS 2ND PLACE AT MEET

The Colorado Booster Band won second prize in the band contest at Brownwood during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention last week, being defeated for first place by the Plainview chamber of commerce band, considered among the best bands in Texas. The Plainview band won first prize at San Angelo last year.

Every citizen of Big Spring and Howard County should join wholeheartedly with the Legion boys in making this celebration a big success.

PHONE DAY OR NIGHT

vention and easily won its way into the hearts of thousands of the visitors. It was the favorite among the thousands of delegates and scores of delegations.

The band boys did three days and nights of strenuous work at the convention in keeping Colorado constantly before the people who thronged the convention city. Colorado should never forget to remain loyal to the men in this organization, as

Every citizen of Big Spring and Howard County should join wholeheartedly with the Legion boys in making this celebration a big success. —Big Spring Herald. The Legion boys here should throw in with Big Spring and make the celebration a two-county affair.

AN ENGAGEMENT WELL RECEIVED

By MYRTA DAVIES

PAULINE had been engaged more times than all the rest of the girls in town put together.

Then along came Ex Dustin—dark, big, quiet (apparently)—a new local manager of the telegraph and telephone company. It looked as if either first time in Pauline's engagement life, it looked as if she struck, spellbound, call it will. "Miss" sighed the young women who saw Pauline's well as her virtues. "Come the other girls is what she's r. Can you beat it? But see Ex Dustin falling for me. It looked as if either the little phlanderer's dandied young Dustin's dandy made him wary. It would be Ruth Larkin, the theater in the Dustin another day it would be who hiked over the hills and so on, until, to be frank, town had to confess that a girl in the place except elps to whom Ezra Dustin down some delightful attention. Mrs. Poin Associated says: "To prohibition Mary who had never been portant that ourselves st law enforcer, she had been engaged to, them; we show it of the great game she them ourselves. In the speed of a prairie ex- news spread through the Ezra was engaged to marry herself did not deny the certain it was that on the night dance program she some stranger have fully and were g. This particular thrill the Centre lawn party, refrained f danced attention to Molly liquors exce appeared with a blazing and they damably a diamond, set in they felt off, presumably platinum, lasted until Molly stopped ring, and little Mary be- riving with Ezra every eve- to get pinker and prettier. But I wond, Ezra succeeded in doing for the Tel. & Tel. offices, the after the begining of as company manager

and knight of the town, he was promoted to the position of company manager in the next city. The question was, would he accept and, if he did, whom would he take with him?

Ezra accepted, and for several weeks before leaving town, as far as onlookers could discern, attended strictly to telegraph and telephone business. During those weeks Ruth announced her engagement to the local dentist. Molly told quite frankly that the ring had been a joke, and had cost exactly ten cents, and little Mary and Pauline held their peace. Moreover, they held it together. They got more and more intimate, walked together, drove together, shopped and embroidered together, and what they talked together for some time goodness only knew.

When it all did come out, talk about thrills! It was one of the most thrilling thrills that had ever struck the place, because nobody had suspected it. The whole story was revealed at the farewell party the Tel. & Tel. folks gave in honor of their enterprising young manager.

During the evening Ezra punctiliously danced with every girl in the hall, cutting in gallantly, and including even Pauline and Mary in his attentions. At the close of the evening the Tel. & Tel. company presented Ezra with a monogrammed gold pencil, and Ezra, after expressing his thanks, spoke a few words in addition.

"Friends!" he said, laughing frankly, "you all know I've been acting the flirt since I've been here among you. It's natural as breathing. Always has been."

"Just like Pauline!" The townfolks nudged one another. Dustin caught the whisper. "Exactly," he smiled. "Just like Miss Pauline Phelps, and neither of us has ever meant any harm, but from the time I met Pauline two years ago (eyes got bigger) at the shore, all during our most interesting correspondence (eyes popping wide) up to the present moment, we have both been sure that when the time came for us to go on our honeymoon together we'd be through with flirtation and ready to settle down in something pretty close to bliss with each other."

The town gasped. "Pauline stopped flirting before I did," grinned Ezra. "She played the demure game and got away with it, I think. We thought it would be fun to keep you all guessing. Oh, by the way, Mary Saunders is my cousin. Come here, Mary, and make your bow. Come, Pauline, don't let the man do all the talking. Come to see us, everybody. We'll try to give you a good time."

Pauline smiled demurely. She felt demure, confiding, adoring.

GET A PARK

Governor Neff devoted almost the whole of his speech at Brownwood to the subject of state and county parks. As the Governor sees it, the people of Texas have no more important task before them than that of providing suitable parks for present and future generations to enjoy. "Breathing places," he called them.

Up to a short time ago, when the state park board began to function, Texas did not own a foot of park ground. Now several fine sites are owned by the state, thanks to the generosity and patriotism of individuals and communities.

If Abilene and Taylor county sleep on their rights and fail to provide park sites in this county now while the thing is possible, they will be denying future generations one of the greatest boons.

There are any number of beautiful natural parks in this county. Among the beautiful hills to the south and southwest of Abilene are scores of such places. Around Buffalo Gap and other sections of the mountain country could be established magnificent parks that would be the pride not only of the entire county but of the state as well.

We should do something about this park business before it is too

late. Let us get busy and see to it that the county has one or more "breathing places."—Abilene Reporter. The above is applicable to Colorado and Mitchell County. Right now the city and county should take steps to have a small state park at Seven Wells.

Missionary Meeting.

There was an unusual large number in attendance at the Baptist missionary meeting Monday. Mrs. W. W. Porter and Mrs. M. C. Ratliff led the program on the "Sisterhood of the Americas." The bible lesson was "Partakers in Grace." The offering was \$4.75. Mrs. R. O. Pearson and Mrs. Lindley were hostesses and served mint, iced tea with little cakes. Mrs. Frank Bell of Tyler was a guest.

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WHAT CONSTITUTES GOOD AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP

A paper read at graduating exercises by Robert Whipkey, valedictorian, class of '24, Colorado High school.

Americanism! What is it, anyway? We've always heard people talking about the spirit of Americanism but doubtless very few of us could really explain what it means, and no two persons would give the same interpretation of the term. But I believe everyone would, if the question were considered seriously, give definitions that would be very similar. We all have an idea of what Americanism means; we all know that its some-

thing big and fine—something that makes one really better.

But that's all most of us know. We're not even sure that we have the spirit ourselves—few of us have; as few could honestly say, "I am a true American," as say, "I am a true Christian."

Indeed Americanism and Christianity are closely related. Like Christianity, Americanism is a word that cannot easily be defined.

Some great American has said that Americanism is a new consciousness that life is service, and that true power is embodied in right rather than might; it is the turning point in the progress of humanity, opening a new country before the wayfarer, wherein tolerance vighs with justice.

Considering that, isn't there some relation of Americanism and Christianity?

Consider, however, that we know that has done us no good. The question that confronts the people of the United States today is that of instilling the principles of Americanism into the souls of living a useful life and accomplishing something worth while.

How can we ever have a citizenship that is truly American? It is really a serious problem. One thing greatly to advantage is the fact that America is not made. She may not develop in area, but she will along every other line. It is because of her immaturity that America can stand the strain of outward forces—can conquer these forces and become stronger than ever.

America is truly a land of opportunity—a land that will grow with

the new population and the younger citizens. So, if we start training for good American citizenship now, and do our work thoroughly, the new America, the nation that will have become mature, will be a nation that is truly great because it is composed of a truly great citizenship—citizens who have the spirit of Americanism as part of them. The work will be difficult—it will call for sacrifice and labor. As Hon. James Bryce said, "No government gives so much to its citizens as the United States, but, at the same time, no government demands so much of them." But we can, if we will. We can do work that will be the most worthy ever undertaken.

Naturally, to deal with the citizenship, we must go to its unit, the individual. That is the only way the problem can be effectively solved. When the individual can learn to be a real American, then the whole citizenship will be ideal—those few who were not Americans would soon be lost in the rush of progress that the new citizenship would achieve. The work, then, is to be concerned with the individual.

One thing must be learned by every man—he must respect the rights of others. That is the first quality characteristic of good citizenship. He must learn that there are others who wish as much rights as himself. It can be summed up in the one word—duty. The individual has his own duties to perform and just as much duty not to interfere with others in their work.

Again, the individual must have wise ideas and convictions of his own—he must have strength and courage in defending those principles he believes to be right, and teach others of his kind—help them to see the right ideals of Americanism. Whether Democratic, Socialist, or any party partisan, he must have beliefs in line with American ideals—beliefs that are essentially good for all the people.

Once a little boy, who had recently been given a sound spanking, and was therefore in low spirits, was talking to his sister. "What are we here for, anyway?" he asked. The little sister, who was evidently a true American, answered, "Why to help others." Well, then," said the little pessimist, "What are the others here for?"

That's about the attitude most of us take. We show no effort to help those who are weaker and need aid, but selfishly look out for our own interests. The real American must be one who helps his fellow man in every way possible. Even if we are good ourselves, America can never have a real citizenship until we help those who know nothing of Americanism. The duty we owe to men is, in reality, the same duty we owe to our government. Fulfill that duty to mankind and we will have given our best to our government.

Two of the duties that every individual owes to all Americans, to the government and to himself, are those of voting and tax-paying. Ever real American will attend to both duties. Our whole government depends upon those in the high offices, but those men depend upon the people who put them there. If we do not vote for the man who we believe has the power to hold the office, then we are literally being traitors to democracy.

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To best help our country and its people, we must vote for real leaders and good laws that can work for good. To make our ideals practical, we must see that the principles of Americanism are reflected in our laws. America needs the active participation of every man who over-looks party and class, and whose objective is the good of the people. This can be brought about by conscientious voting on the part of the individual. Then the taxes of our nation are the support of our roads, public buildings, land and forest reclaiming and all civic improvements. What is more important, taxes keep our schools, the most necessary and important institution in all the world. We owe a supreme duty in our tax-paying.

The individual must be a man. He must have an acute sense of right, hold honor, truth and self-control in high esteem and put these virtues into practice. He must be honorable in all his dealings or he's not American, no matter if he was born and reared here; he must be truthful to every one and more especially to himself; he must exert his self-control at all times, for it will be necessary in his work with all classes of people.

Moreover, the true spirit of Americanism stands particularly for right justice, liberty under the law, and government under the Constitution. Those words are self-explanatory. The individual has a job to look after those virtues but they are necessary for the making of a true American—they are merely the fundamentals of Americanism.

The individual must be law-abiding. That is one trouble with America today—we are too lax with our laws. Our laws are good but we pay no attention to them. We reage is all the law or there soon wo nation. The individual is a time four the law and help to see this section obey it.

Finally, and most important, every man must be a Christian of the state ties, unless she was a (would seem man, and had the love of cotton ac his heart. It is the gre become a feed ty.

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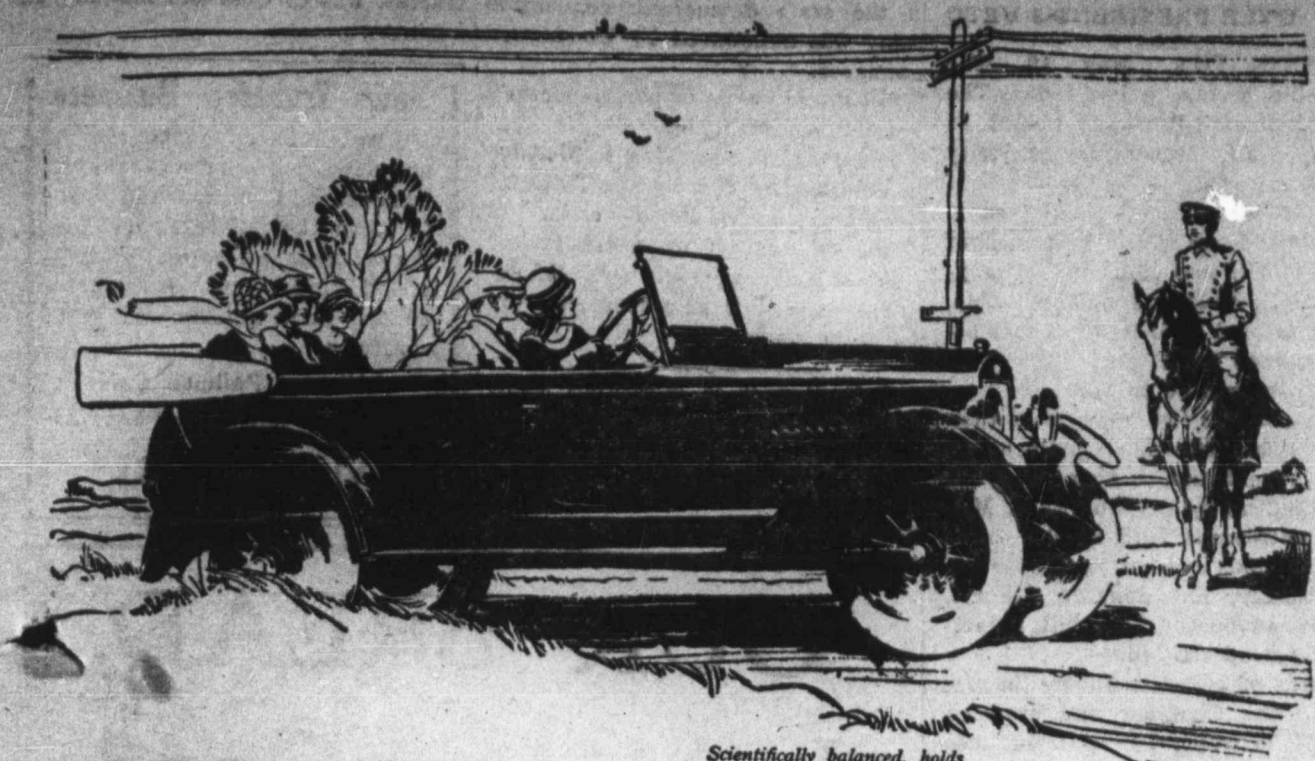


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FERGUSON IS BARRED OF THE TICKET

Houston.—Judge Ewing Bird this afternoon granted an injunction to prevent the state democratic committee from placing the name of James E. Ferguson on the official ballot in the July primary as a candidate for governor. The proceedings were brought against the committee and Ferguson to prevent the former governor's name being officially on the ticket. It was claimed that impeachment proceedings had made him ineligible. In long argument today his attorneys sought to show that the impeachment proceedings had been illegal. The court held that the Ferguson impeachment was legal, and that he therefore was disqualified. Lawerense Simpson returned Wednesday from a visit in Waco to see his mother, who has been quite sick but when he left she was getting along nicely.—Big Spring Herald.

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Mrs. Poindexter writing to the Associated Press from Washington, says: "To my mind the question of prohibition in itself is much less important than the matter of setting ourselves straight upon the matter of law enforcement. We should not advocate laws unless we really want them; we should not urge them for somebody else while we plan to evade them ourselves. And when we get laws we ought to stand by them; that is an elementary principle of citizenship. I have learned recently that a distinguished group of American public men went abroad last summer, and were generously entertained in foreign lands; but every one, I hear refrained from drinking alcoholic liquors except where to have done so would have tended to cause offense, and they did so simply because they felt that the laws on their statute books at home were there to be obeyed. I feel that they took an honorable stand in the matter. But I wonder how many European tourists will follow their example.

POULTRY

FEEDING BABY CHICKS IS IMPORTANT WORK

Feeding the baby chick is important because of the fact that a good start means good growth, early maturity, and healthy stock, says D. H. Hall, extension poultry specialist at Clemson college, who suggests below when, how, and what to feed the young chicks.

A good many people make a mistake by feeding the baby chicks too early after they are hatched. The chicks can go without food for at least 48 hours after they are hatched. During this period they are allowed time to absorb the yolk material left in their bodies and to put their bodies into condition for receiving other food.

The first food that should be given a baby chick is buttermilk, as it is a good protein and also contains much lactic acid. The lactic acid forms an unfavorable medium for the development of white diarrhea. White diarrhea is one of the most dreaded diseases of baby chicks, and to guard against this disease buttermilk should be kept before the baby chicks at all times.

After the baby chicks have had a drink of buttermilk, the next feed should be given as a soft feed. Hard-boiled infertile eggs mixed with an equal part of cornmeal is a mighty good starter. The eggs furnish protein and the cornmeal furnishes heat and energy. When the eggs cannot be obtained, it is a good idea to start the baby chicks off on one-half pound of meat mixed with five pounds of cornmeal, which can be fed damp with buttermilk.

After being fed either of the above mixtures for one week the chicks should be gradually weaned off to the regular mash and scratch feeds. A good scratch feed consists of the following:

- 1 part pinhead oats
 - 2 parts cracked wheat
 - 4 parts cracked corn
- The above should be fed as a scratch feed and the baby chicks allowed to scratch in the litter for it. The dry mash should contain the following parts:
- 40 pounds cornmeal
 - 20 pounds wheat middlings
 - 10 pounds wheat bran
 - 10 pounds finely ground oats
 - 15 pounds meat scraps
 - 5 pounds peanut meal or soy bean meal

The above scratch and mash feeds can be fed to the baby chicks until they are three months old. After the chicks are three months old they can be placed on the regular scratch feed and mash.

Leg Weakness in Chicks From Lack of Vitamins

Feeding is a factor in prevention of poultry disease. A ration should be fed that contains not only the proper amount of fat, carbohydrates, and proteins, but also the essential vitamins. Vitamins are best supplied by green feed. Green feed should be given to the birds daily. A disease known as nutritional disease results from lack of the proper vitamins, but more important than this is the danger of lowering the resistance of the fowls and thus making them susceptible to more serious diseases, says W. R. Hinshaw, instructor in bacteriology, Kansas State Agricultural college. Young chicks are especially susceptible to the deficiency disease caused by lack of vitamin D. Weak legs result from the lack of this vitamin, and this can be corrected by giving small quantities of cod liver oil. Direct sunlight has the same effect as cod liver oil in correcting this condition, so that sunlight may be considered a factor in health feeding. When direct sunlight is available nutritional rickets or weak legs can be prevented if the chicks are allowed to get plenty of it, according to Mr. Hinshaw.

Poultry Notes

Successful poultry raisers hatch early for winter-laying pullets.

If the turkey hen wants to wean the brood early, there's little use to interfere by cooping them together. In such a case the hen is likely to kill or maim part or all of the brood.

In getting the machine ready for the eggs, be sure that the incubator is running evenly and maintaining a uniform temperature. The machine should be run for several days before the eggs are placed in it.

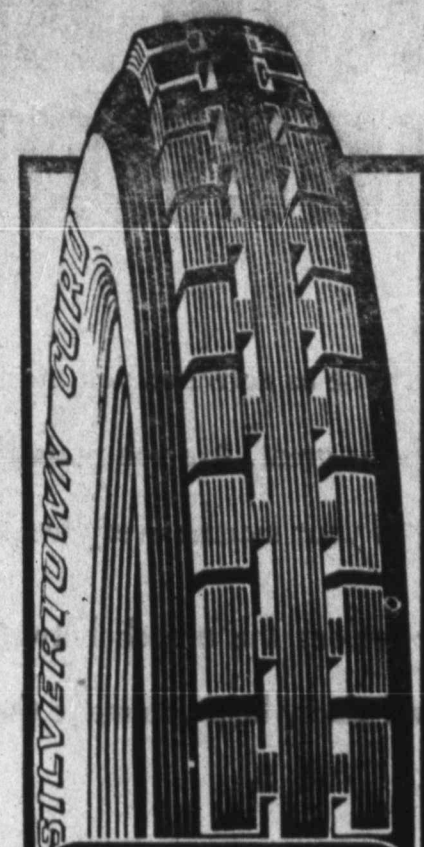
Do not brood too many chicks in one flock, because it does not pay to raise too many chicks under one stove. If a great number is to be brooded it will be cheaper in the end to buy another stove.

Give a flying start to little chicks by feeding them chick grit and sour milk or buttermilk when they are first hatched.

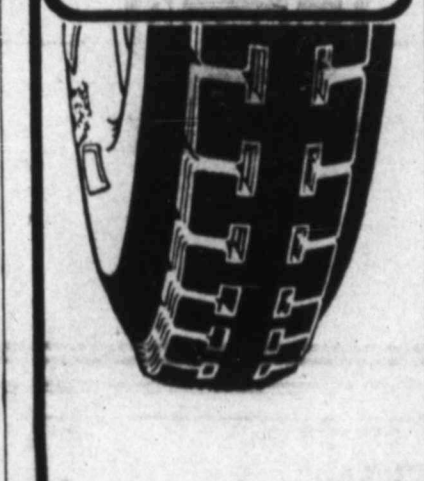
Incubators should be of good construction and run where drafts, sudden temperature changes and direct sunlight cannot reach them.

Baby chicks hatched out during April must receive the best kind of food to keep them growing, for it will take a little pushing to mature them before winter.

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SENATE PASSES BONUS BILL OVER PRESIDENT'S VETO

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Bonus bill became a law today. The Senate overrode President Coolidge's veto by the two-thirds majority necessary.

The House overrode it Saturday. The vote came within half an hour after the bill was called up by Senator Curtis, Kansas, Republican whip, shortly after 2 o'clock, all debate being dispersed with.

The vote was 59 to 26.

The vote was two votes more than the necessary two-thirds majority of those present and voting. The bill was called up by Senator Reed, Missouri, anti-bonus leader, who asked the unanimous consent to go over until Saturday, but Senator Ashurst, Arizona, advocate of the bill, objected and forced the bill.

Crowds of House members thronged into the Chamber and crowded around the walls. The galleries also were filled.

TO SURVEY CITY

Announcement of a storage warehouse in Sweetwater for distribution purposes was made here Friday by L. T. Pritchard and J. Steve Anderson, president and vice-president respectively of the West Texas Refining Co., which is constructing a 1500 barrel refinery in Colorado. The refinery will be completed by June 10 it was stated, at an investment of \$150,000.

The new refinery will use crude from the Mitchell County field, which is said to be of a naphthene base, making it ideal for gasoline. Only one other field in the world, in Roumania produces crude oil of this character.

Both Mr. Pritchard and Mr. Anderson are from Oklahoma City where they have extensive refinery interests. They were in Sweetwater for the purpose of making a survey of the city. Arrangements for the retail sale of the gas will be made later.

UNDERWOOD IS OUT

Lexington, Ky.—Withdrawal of the presidential candidacy of Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Ala. from the prospective contest with W. G.

McAtee for the Kentucky delegation in the state democratic convention today was announced by Underwood managers.

"In the interests of party success" was the reason given.

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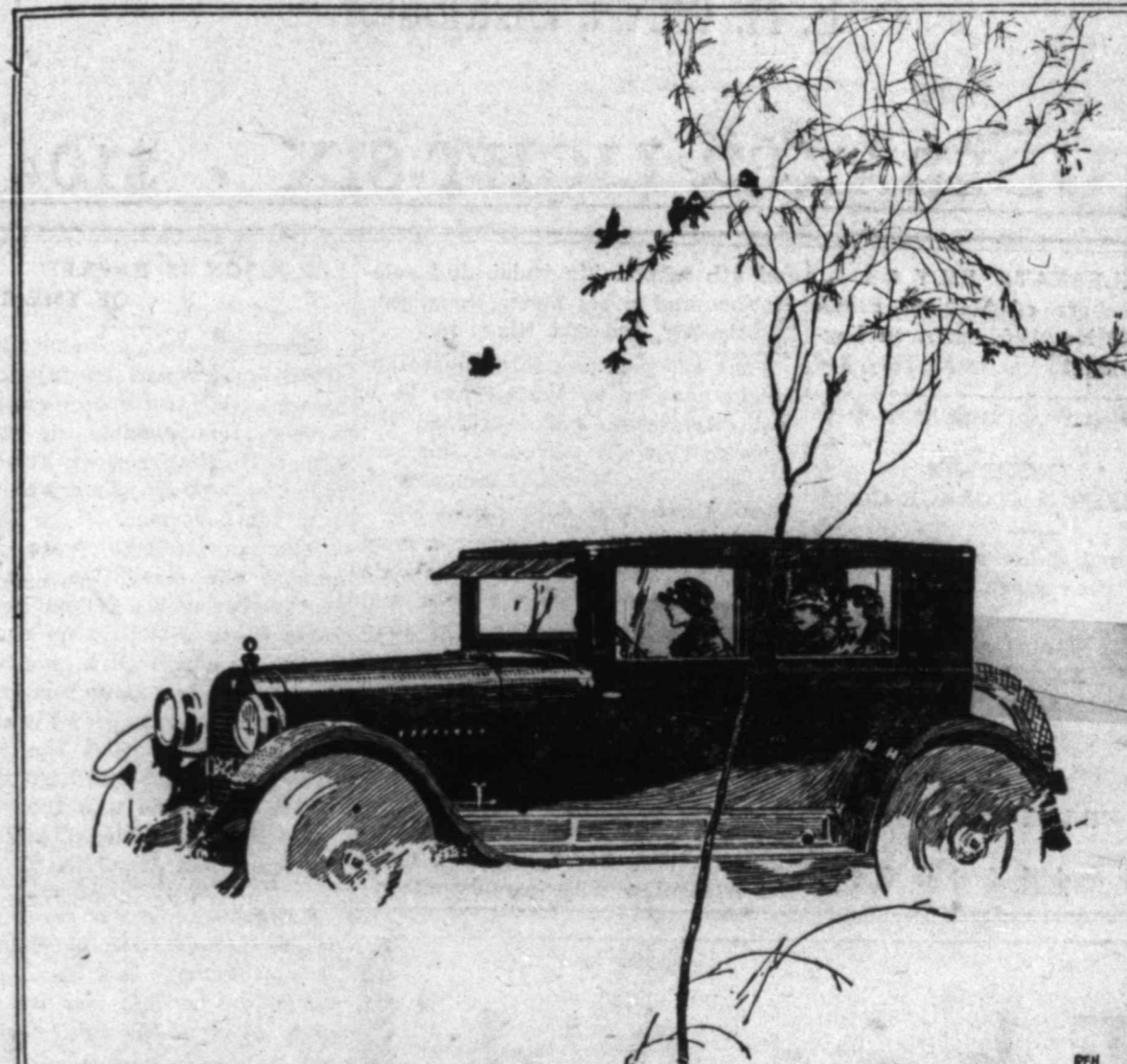
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BONDS BE AUTHORIZED BY BIG MAJORITY, IS BELIEF

"A tabulation of reports received from every voting precinct of the county indicate that the \$325,000 road bonds will be authorized Saturday by an overwhelming majority," was the declaration of leaders directing the campaign to vote the bonds when asked for an expression as to their views on the outcome. "We expect to hold the same vote received in the last election and have added new recruits in every precinct of the county."

The vote in favor of the bonds will roll up a larger percentage in the Colorado precinct than in the last election, according to claims of enthusiasts of the issue here. Substantial majorities are expected to be given the bonds in more than half the rural precincts and in some of these the vote for good roads will be some the proportions of an almost solid support. The county as a whole is expected to register a favorable vote of not less than three to one. Some of the more enthusiastically inclined are making the prediction that a landslide is inevitable and that the majority will reach a much higher ratio than three to one.

Leaders in the drive to authorize the bond issue and thus bring into this county an asset sorely needed, are elated in the fact that for the most part the large tax payers of the county remain active in their support of the campaign and are using their best influences to roll up a decisive victory for good roads Saturday. Among the most active of these men are to be noted Dr. P. C. Coleman, C. M. Adams, E. M. Burns, Judge C. H. Earnest, M. Carter, R. P. Price, Judge R. H. Looney, J. Riordan, J. H. Greene, J. M. Thomas, and scores of others owning large property interests who are anxious to vote the bond and tax in order that this county receive the proffered state and federal aid. The same rule will apply in a large way to large property owners throughout the county.

In discussing this phase of the campaign Thursday afternoon, a citizen who heretofore had been "on the fence" declared himself in favor of the bonds and returned to his community to work for passage of the same in the election. "If the men who are to pay the heavy tax are unselfish enough to invite this tax upon themselves for the purpose of doing their part in rendering a public service to the county as a whole, I cannot see wherein the small property owner like myself should oppose the bonds," he concluded.

It is not so much the need of making expensive improvements to the Bankhead Highway at this time, that is prompting the citizens of the county to wage this campaign. Rather, they are prompted by the desire to meet the conditions for receiving State and Federal aid while it may be had and by this means build across the county a permanent road to last for all time to come and at a cost of only thirty-three and one-third per cent to the county. If outside capital proposes to pay two-thirds of the cost of constructing this road, and then maintain it in good condition, is it not good business to accept the money?

FARM BUREAU TO STAGE BARBECUE NEAR COLORADO

The Mitchell County Farm Bureau will give an old fashioned barbecue at a site yet to be selected near Colorado some time during the month of July, W. W. Porter, secretary, stated Tuesday. Porter stated that Aarion Saphiro, national organization expert, was expected to be among the speakers to attend the event.

WORK PROGRESSING ON COTTON OIL BUILDINGS

Construction work on the three unit plant of the Colorado Oil-Cotton Company at Colorado is progressing satisfactory, Jas. Guitart, manager, stated Tuesday. The new plant, which will be among the best cotton oil mills in this section of the State, is to be completed and ready for operation by the opening of the next season this fall.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM CONCLUDED LAST WEEK

The leading events for Colorado last week were the commencement exercises of her public school. On Thursday evening the program was by the class completing the grammar school.

The decorations were old rose and gray, the class colors. The music was directed by Miss Nettie Martin one of the teachers. The opening chorus was, "We Hope You Brought Your Smiles Along." The salutatory address, Welcome, was given by Virginia Stoneroad. Piano duets were given by Margaret Cook and Rosalie Leslie and Vera Gaskins and Sarah Cook. Jimmie Beal read the class will, Gus Chesney gave an address on the class colors. Margaret Cook, one on the class flower, the Rose.

Rosalie Leslie gave the valedictory address. After Vacation Glee, sang by the class, Mr. King presented the diplomas and medals. Nell Harper Greene received the \$10.00 given for spelling by Mrs. Earl Morrison, Virginia Stoneroad the medal given by the U. D. C. chapter for the best essay on the life of Jefferson Davis. The 1921 club gave a five dollar gold piece to the best fifth grade pupil writing the best essay on Americanization. This was received by Lula Franklin.

On Friday evening the Senior class of twelve girls and six boys had charge of the program.

Mrs. J. H. Guitart directed the music on this occasion. The decorations were the class colors, green and white.

The house was filled on both evenings for Colorado is justly proud of her schools. "The program consisted of choruses by the class, the welcome address by Willis Jones, a paper by Miss Johnnie Chesney, who received the girls scholarship and the valedictory by Robert Whipkey.

A medal given by the Standard Club to the pupil in the high school making the highest average was presented to Samuel Womack, and a five dollar gold piece given by the Hesperian club to the member of the senior class making the best grade was presented to Robert Whipkey by the president of the club.

At the close of the program Supt. King gave a report showing the progress of the school in the past seven years that was gratifying to all.

Dr. C. L. Root made an appropriate address to the class on "Stickability" and presented diplomas to the following: Agatha Plaster Dorn, Sallie Miller, Ima Dot Moeser, Laundry Smith, Dale Hall, Mary Broadhead, Ida Bell Bean, Mary Lee Crowder, Mattie Dorn, Clarice King, Johnnie Chesney, Jessie Stell, Willis Jones, J. W. Shepperd, Jr., James Joyce, Morgan Gist, Vivian Franklin and Robert Whipkey.

The girls looked very pretty in dresses of the rainbow hues. The boys wore dark suits.

We were unable to get the honor pupils of the primary and grammar grades but the high school students making first and second honors are: Eighth grade, a division, Raymond Gary, first; Audrey Rankhorn, second; b division, Gladys Womack, first and Elizabeth Terrell, second. Ninth Samuel Womack, first; Laura Louise Pearson, second. Tenth, Raymond Jones, first; Jewell Collier, second. Eleventh, Robert Whipkey, first and Willis Jones, second.

Sixty-four certificates were awarded for perfect attendance. Owing to the epidemic of measles this was much less than any previous year.

DR. COLEMAN RE-ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT C. O. C.

Dr. P. C. Coleman of Colorado was re-elected vice president of the West Texas chamber of commerce at the convention in Brownwood last week. This made the third year he has been retained on this place and leaders of the organization throughout West Texas consider the Colorado man among the best on the official roster.

Grady Newman came in this morning from the Brownwood convention. Yes, Grady is all right, even though he came in three days late.

BOND OPPONENTS FIGHTING HARD.

As the eve of the campaign for resubmission of the proposed \$325,000 road bonds draws, the opposition line-up is concentrating its efforts with more determination than ever in the attempt to defeat the issue. The belief, however, that the bonds will be authorized in the election Saturday continues to be strongly felt by those who are sponsoring the campaign.

The Record regrets that during the past few days personalities have been injected into the campaign by certain citizens sponsoring the opposition. In the attempt to cloud the true issue and bring about defeat of the bonds, the charge is made that the men and women who are using their influence in this campaign are prompted by selfish motives. Not stopping at this, a contributor to the Record today, advances the further charge that the citizens of Mitchell County who should support the bond issue are, in a sense, to be classified as hi-jackers. To quote the contributor: "Regardless of whether the hold-up is pulled off by a highway robber or a highway tax * * * the results of being held up by either would be the same."

Another contributor who gave his views on the campaign for publication in The Record last week, makes the direct charge that speakers at a rally at Spade a few weeks ago misrepresented the true nature of the whole program in order to deceive the public and thus, through sinister motives, carry the bonds.

It is to be regretted that such unwarranted charges should be injected into the campaign. It would have been much better, whether the bonds are lost or not, to have steered clear of adoption of methods of that type, because the rank and file of men and women of this county, as the fiber entering into the very life of our citizenship, do not invite nor accept such propaganda. The Record has attempted to steer clear of permitting this to be regretted phase of the campaign to develop, but in view of the fact that the opposition has thrown down the gauntlet, it becomes proper that we speak out in defense of the integrity and honor of the citizens involved.

The charge that the men and women of Mitchell County who are sponsoring the campaign to vote bonds are to be considered in the same roll as the highwayman, is within itself to be refuted, and needs no comment by The Record. The citizenship of Mitchell County will refuse to accept that declaration.

The charge that speakers at Spade misrepresented the issue in the attempt to deceive the voters is also of such unwarranted origin and of such character as to need no refutation here. The people of Mitchell County who know the lives of the men and women who are agitating the voting of the bond will refuse to accept that declaration seriously, whether they be for or against the bonds. Among the leaders favoring the bonds are the very best men and women of this county. We could enumerate scores of them by name, but this is not necessary. As a reference to the type of men, however, in several of the different communities at whom this attack is directed are Dr. P. C. Coleman, S. E. Brown, E. M. Baldwin, R. F. Hargrove, J. W. Bird, G. W. Womack, E. B. Gregson, and it will be found that men and women of this same type the county over are just as active in their work to carry the bond issue as those named. And, for the most part, the men who are catalogued as large tax payers are among the most enthusiastic supporters.

As to the charge that lateral roads of the County are being held up as a bogus criterion in the hope of carrying the bonds, there should be no occasion for reply here. Those favoring the bonds have no statement to make other than reiterate what has been said in the past. The fact remains that unless the Bankhead Highway is permanently improved, thus releasing Mitchell County from the expense of ultimately improving Iatan Flats, the rural roads will continue to suffer in the future as they have in the past, unless a bond issue be authorized. In the absence of a bond issue, the only source left open for the Commissioners' Court to finance improvements which must be made there, would be through issuance of deficiency warrants against the road and bridge levy of 30 cents. If this fund is left free for lateral road work, the approximate \$19,000 to \$20,000 derived annually from this tax will, as county officials have time and again declared, go exclusively to retiring outstanding warrants and construction and maintenance of lateral roads.

As to the "smear" of concrete on the highway across the county, the main reason prompting the citizenship of Mitchell County to support the bonds is to become eligible for receiving State and Federal aid of \$650,000, two-thirds of the cost of the highway improvement. It is a fact which cannot be refuted successfully by the bond opponents that unless this state amends its constitution to conform to the national highway laws before 1925, federal aid will be removed. This being true, it is certainly practical to vote the bonds and accept aid while it may be had.

As to the funds being paid by Mitchell County property owners every year for maintenance of the State Highway Commission, the figures given are correct. The commission, acting under authority of the State of Texas, is assessing and collecting this tax from every county in the State and the funds are placed into a general fund from which appropriations for highway construction and maintenance are made. Mitchell County has a certain amount of money to its credit in this fund, but can never obtain use of it until we meet the conditions—furnish our part of the expense for improving the only designated highway in the county, and a bond issue is the only means we have at our command for raising this money. Unless the citizenship of Mitchell County qualify for receiving this state and federal aid, the amount conditionally allotted to us will be allotted and paid to those counties which do meet the conditions.

To be sure the highway commission is maintaining the highway. It promised several months ago to do this very thing and is merely fulfilling an obligation to the people. But as to making improvements on the road, such will never be done until that time when the people directly affected themselves take the initiative. State highway officials have made themselves plain on this question a number of times.

And, in case the bonds are voted and the highway built, it will mean that Mitchell county will have its public road problem solved for all time to come. The state and federal government will maintain the highway in the same condition in which we deliver it to them and the monies derived annually from the road and bridge fund levy will be free to go into other roads over the county.

LEGION AUXILIARY DIST. CONVENTION MEETS HERE

Scores of delegates to the first annual convention, American Legion Auxiliary, for the Sixth district, department of Texas, had arrived in Colorado Wednesday night and early Thursday morning for the opening ceremonies of the convention, which were held Thursday at the Legion Memorial building. This is the second important district convention to be convened in this building since its completion a few weeks ago. The Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs held its annual convention there a few weeks ago and the delegates and visitors, more than one hundred strong, were profuse in their praise of the memorial and the hospitality accorded them by the city of Colorado.

The convention was called to order at 10 o'clock and a busy session is anticipated. Among the prominent visiting speakers scheduled to address the assembly is the State president, several Colorado speakers are on the program. Throughout the day and evening sessions, the program is to be interspersed with special entertainment numbers. The Colorado Choral Club, The Little Theatre and M. S. Goldman, director of the Colorado Booster Band, are included on the program which began at 8 o'clock Thursday evening.

One of the social features of the convention was an outing and luncheon in the country Friday afternoon, at which all visiting delegates and auxiliary officials were to be guests. The trip was made in automobiles, leaving the convention headquarters at six o'clock.

The program throughout the convention was under personal direction of ladies comprising membership in the local American Legion Auxiliary. They have devoted much time to preparation of every phase of the event and visitors may reasonably expect to be entertained in keeping with the usual Colorado spirit.

DIRECTORS FAIR ASSN. TO HOLD MEETING TUESDAY

An executive session of the Mitchell County Fair Association has been called by President F. E. McKenzie to meet Tuesday afternoon at 7:30 at the Colorado Chamber of Commerce. Mr. McKenzie stated Thursday that the meeting was one of much importance and he urged that every member of the official board be present.

TEXT BOOK COMMISSION ATTACKED BY W. E. POPE

W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi, candidate for governor, addressed voters of Colorado at the Best Theatre Wednesday afternoon. The candidate was delayed in reaching Colorado Wednesday morning on account of automobile trouble after leaving Sweetwater and failed to speak at the district court room at 10 o'clock as scheduled. The speaker was introduced by Dr. P. C. Coleman.

Pope charged that the State government was being operated at a huge unnecessary expense largely because of the practice of each succeeding administration to create commissions and new departments at Austin. He declared that in case he was elected governor many of these useless offices would be closed.

The speaker denounced the action of the text book commission for having contracted with agents of the American Book Company for approximately \$2,000,000 worth of text books, which, he claimed, were not needed by the schools of Texas.

Reduction of taxation through economy in all departments of the state legislative, executive and judicial departments was advocated.

Pope left Colorado at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for Snyder, where he was scheduled to deliver an address at 3:30. He spoke at Post Wednesday night.

Mr. Berry of Cisco, father of our lumberman, Berry, came in Thursday on a visit to his son, and on business. The elder Berry commented very favorably on the appearance of Colorado.

LOCATION FIVE NEW TESTS MADE BY CALIFORNIA CO.

The largest development extension made within one week during the year is announced by the California Company this week. A total of five new locations has been made on their extensive holdings in the Westbrook area and tests at each of these will be drilled without delay. The new locations are designated as follows:

Morrison Nos. 8, 9 and 10, in Section 28, Block Nos. 8, 9 and 10, in Section 21, Block 28, and Abrams No. 6, in Section 41, Block 28. The latter test is to be drilled 660 feet west from Abrahams No. 4. Rig is being erected at Morrison No. 8 and materials for other jobs are to be on the ground as soon as contractor can move them from supply yard at Westbrook.

The Sloan Oil Company is adding two new producers to the completed line-up this week, which will increase production 400 barrels daily. These new wells are Smart Nos. 3 and 4, each of which were given a nitro shot of 300 quarts last week. Smart Three is going on the pump today and Four is being cleaned out and swabbing 200 barrels. Smart No. 5 is drilling at 2820 feet and is expected to be in the sand next week. Casing has been set in this well at 2810 feet.

The California Company has completed rig at their Miller No. 4, in Section 21, Block 28, and is completing stringing tools to spud. Their Miller No. 3, in the same survey, is drilling at 300 feet.

Morrison No. 1-A of the California Company, is drilling at 4,600 feet. Butler No. 1 is showing for production at 3,275 feet.

At Abrams No. 1 the crew is cementing 6 5/8-inch casing at 2,800 feet. At Abrams No. 2 the crew is bridging hole to re-set casing. At LeSure No. 1 the casing is being pulled preparatory for setting pump.

M. E. Eddieleman is stringing tools at Gist No. 1, on the A. C. Gist survey three and one-half miles North of Colorado. Fuel tank is in place and water tank is under construction.

Production being taken by pipe line in the field will now aggregate 2,000 barrels daily, according to estimates made by oil men at Colorado.

Mrs. Joe Key of El Paso is visiting relatives and friends here, en route to Houston to visit her daughter, Mrs. Howard.

LONE WOLF BRIDGE TO BE REBUILT BY COUNTY

Two solid cars of bridge materials were received this week by the county, the most of which will be used in rebuilding Lone Wolf Creek bridge on the Buford road north of I. O. O. F. cemetery. This bridge was damaged by flood waters several months ago and recently became in an almost impassable condition.

F. F. DuBose, county engineer, is preparing plans and specifications for rebuilding the structure and when these are completed the Commissioners' Court will advertise for construction bids. This bridge is on one of the most important public roads in the county and according to plans recently worked out by the court, will be given considerable work from the Bankhead Highway north to the county line.

In the shipment of bridge materials is lumber for replacing the floor on the South Colorado river bridge, which has been worn out by the heavy traffic to which it is subjected. The city and county are co-operating in making repairs to the bridge and the specifications call for a foot bridge on one side of the structure. Citizens of South Colorado have demanded that a foot bridge be added to this bridge for some time. Because of the danger to which school children especially are subjected in crossing the bridge with heavy vehicle traffic, the demand for the foot bridge was a just one.

J. H. Greene is in Dallas this week attending the annual convention of the State Undertakers Association.

RAINFALL FOR COLORADO FOR LAST NINETEEN YEARS

Table showing rainfall in inches for Colorado from 1905 to 1924. Columns include Year, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, June, July, Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, and Total.

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STOREHOUSE TITHING PLAN.

The following article in part was prepared for the Watchman-Examiner under date of March 6, and we reprint it here for the reason that it contains wonderfully practical suggestions for church financing:

The Baptist Church under discussion is located in the little Louisiana town of Mansfield. Among its 3,000 people there is little wealth to be found, and seemingly the last place for a great church. But regardless of conditions, this town boasts of perhaps the world's greatest country church.

This church has about 800 members, and pays its pastor a salary of \$6,000 and parsonage, and furnishes him with an automobile. The church also employs an assistant pastor and a church secretary.

This wonderful result was accomplished by their adopting the "storehouse tithing plan." And it is their only method for raising money. Seventy-five per cent of the members follow this plan. These people not only give a tithe, but they bring their tithe, their whole tithe, to the church and the church distributes it.

Those who do not adopt it are not asked for pledges of any kind, nor is money ever solicited from them. They can give in the plates on Sunday if they desire. In time most of them see the wonderful beauty of this plan and fall in with it.

BROWNWOOD, May 12.—This city is in the midst of unprecedented hurry and bustle today, preparing for the opening of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention tomorrow morning with between 25,000 and 30,000 visitors expected.

Clear weather today throughout this section will enable thousands of motorists to come, and Brownwood

people have made plans for parking automobiles everywhere. All the downtown business section will be closed to traffic during the convention.

With the splendid weather that prevails right now the farmers of this section will this week get up with their farm work and unless something unforeseen happens the crop prospect so far, while a little late for this section, seem to be very satisfactory.

While Colorado is the cleanest and most attractive town in the West, everybody should join in and keep it so.—Colorado Record.

That's the idea; keep it that way. Any attainment that has been reached should be maintained. By doing that every town encourages itself to seek a higher goal and also goes far toward realizing the higher goal that is sought.

FISHING

Charlie Farris tells the first fish story of the season this week. The story goes that some fisherman down near Sterling City, caught a whopper that weighed forty odd pounds. Of course it may be all bunk, but all the same the report has so whetted our fishing ambition that we will never be content until we make a try for some of the brothers of this aforesaid fish—say and elder brother weighing fifty odd pounds or more.

In our interview this week with Farris who is authority he said: "A fisherman must be of contemplative frame of mind, for it is a long time between bites. These interregnums emanate patience, reserve and calm reflection—for no one can catch fish in excitement, in anger or malice."

"The fisherman is by nature possessed of faith, hope and even optimism or he would not fish, for we are always going to have better luck in a few minutes or tomorrow."

"Now is the time the sportsman gazes anxiously at the calendar and the sky. Now is the time when the true disciple of the open sky lovingly fingers his rod and tackle. Already the rivers and brooks are calling and the bosom of pools are circled where trout have jumped. For lucky fisherman bass are darting in mottled shadowed waters."

"For fishing, it must be remembered, is not all idle waiting. There comes a moment when a man calls on all his reserves. His line runs. His rod is bending. This is the full weight of the first rush. The fish is boring for the bottom to get away. The time to act is now. He must keep cool, no matter how large or how dissenting a proposition he is up against. The point is to win in a fair fight—to land the fish. Every nerve, every fibre of his being works towards this. But if he does not win? Well, he is a good loser."

"He is by nature possessed of faith, hope and even optimism, or he would not fish."

Next year Abilene's delegates to the annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce at Mineral Wells will journey by automobile over paved highway every step of the way. So will the people of Nolan, Jones, Callahan, Shackelford, Stephens and other counties. If you don't believe that will be nice, ask some of the delegates who spent an entire night waiting for swollen creeks to subside during the last week.

An attack of heartburn or indigestion calls for a dose of Herbine. It relieves the distress instantly and forces the fermented food into the bowels. You feel better at once. Price 60c. Sold by all leading druggists 6-1

LIONESSES BE GUESTS AT BANQUET MAY 27TH

The banquet Tuesday evening of next week to be given by the Lions club, at which Colorado Lionesses are to be special guests, will be the best ladies night banquet ever observed by the club, is the claim of A. B. Blanks, chairman of committees arranging for the event.

Blanks stated Monday that attendance was expected to be large and that an entertaining program of unusual merit will be rendered. Several out of town guests are expected to attend, among whom are Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene; Hon. R. D. Green of Abilene, district governor of Lions clubs, and Hon. R. M. Chitwood of Sweetwater, all of whom are to deliver addresses.

The banquet will be given by a team from the club which met defeat at the hands of another team recently in an interesting contest directed by Mr. Blanks and E. H. Winn as captains. All members of the club are expected to register with the committee not later than Saturday, designating the number of guests to be in their party.

DIED

On May 14th Morris Delaney died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Delaney, and was buried in the I. O. O. F. cemetery on May 16th. Funeral services were held at the house, conducted by Rev. A. D. Leach. While Morris had never had good health yet death was not expected till about a month ago from which time he gradually grew worse until death released him from his suffering. Morris Delaney was born Jan. 20th, 1898, being 26 years old at the time of his death. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Delaney are extended sympathy in this sad hour.

IN MEMORIAM

Of Brother C. W. Beard, who departed this life April 1, 1924.

Whereas it has seemed good in the mind of our Heavenly Father to permit our Brother Beard to be called from earth to his eternal resting place, where sorrow comes never more and toil ceases to be labor.

Bro. Beard was a good man and we deeply mourn his going from us and feel that he will be greatly missed. He was a man who suffered much in his last days but exhumed those noble virtues of his order in a beautiful manner.

Be it resolved by the O. E. S. in token of our devotion, loyalty, and friendship for our departed brother and as an expression of sympathy to his loved ones, we pledge our truest friendship.

Resolved that a copy of the resolutions be spread on the minutes of the order, a copy be furnished the family, and a copy be published in the newspaper.

Signed: M. C. BISHOP, MRS. F. E. MCKENZIE, MRS. M. E. LINDLEY.

Card of Thanks. We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors who sympathized with us and ministered to us in the sickness and death of our son, Morris. May God bless each and every one of you. Mr. and Mrs. Green Delaney.

Eppworth League Program. Preaching the Gospel in Mission Land. Leader—Tommy Smith. Scripture—Acts 13:38-43—Mary Lawlis.

A Japanese Student—Leader. A Religious Mother—Esther Lawlis.

A Man from India—Millard Smith Solo—Exa King. A Korean Woman—Rubelle Smart. A Mexican Man—Nelda Garrett. An Old Chinese Man—Marguerite Stoneham.

We extend a cordial invitation to all the young people to be with us on our program Sunday night at 7:00 o'clock, sharp.

TO ADVERTISERS:

There will be 5 issues of the Record in May. Look out for your bills. Rev. and Mrs. E. Roper and the baby from Fairy in Hamilton County, are here on a visit to Mrs. Roper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pickens. These people are proud of their daughter and son-in-law and greatly enjoy their visit here.

NEW SHOE SHOP

We have bought the Ed Jackson Shoe Shop and will appreciate your trade. Also have a complete line of Watkins Products for sale at our shop.

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Study Course. The members of the Methodist Missionary Society met with Mrs. McCleary Monday for the regular study course. There was good attendance. The bible lesson was the last chapter of Acts. The lesson was the Child and America's future.

Plans were made for an institute to be held later in the summer. The meetings during the summer will be held at the church.

The best of Post Oak wood in blocks, also hard and soft coal, delivered quick. Ice. O. Lambeth.

Rains Fall in Delta County. Cooper, Texas.—The farmers are elated here over the rain which fell here recently. It was needed very much.

Jail Bootleggers Says Stone. Washington.—Jail sentences for bootleggers are urged in a new order sent out by Attorney General Stone.

He has issued instruction to all Federal District Attorneys to do their best to have jail sentences—not nominal fines—imposed. There has been much complaint that bootleggers here were let off with fines which were easily covered by their large profits. "Do everything possible to bring prohibition cases to an early trial. Urge the court to give more severe sentences to violators of liquor laws."

Satisfactory Mash for Feeding Little Chicks

A satisfactory mash mixture for feeding young chicks, as worked out at the Ohio experiment station, consists of two parts bran and one part fine meat scrap.

After the chicks were placed under a brooder stove equal parts by weight of the mash and boiled infertile eggs, which have been run through an ordinary food grinder, were given three times daily. This mixture was fed on paper.

Chicks are given access to a trough of dry bran after the fifth day.

Cracked corn was also fed in the morning and an hour before dark. After the chicks were four weeks old, feeding of the mash three times daily was discontinued, but kept constantly available in hoppers and small troughs. Grain was also fed twice daily; once in the morning and once in the evening.

Young chicks are kept around a brooder stove by an inclosure made with a strip of roofing, 12 inches high, covering a radius of about 18 inches larger than the canopy of the brooder stove. This was enlarged each day, but removed after the fifth day of brooding.

Comfortable Dairy Cows Will Produce More Milk

The dairy cow cannot do her best when cold. When she becomes so cold that she humps up, her milk flow is certain to be reduced for several milkings. She is affected more by low temperatures than are beef cattle. The latter have fat which acts as a blanket to keep the vital organs in normal condition. The dairy cow produces fat but it goes into the milk pail and consequently does not aid in keeping her comfortable in extremely cold weather. The cows should have exercise, but don't leave them out till they begin to hump up. When they do this it should be the signal for the stable boy to get a hump on and open the stable doors.

SPADE RANCH SHIPS FIFTY CARS STEERS TO PLAINS

O. F. Jones, manager of the Spade ranch, reports shipment of fifty cars of one and two year old steers from the ranch south of Colorado to one of the Ellwood pastures on the Plains.

The New McCall Pattern "it's printed" SATURDAY, May 24, 2 p. m. ALL THE JUDGES FOR THE DOLL DRESS MAKING CONTEST HAVE BEEN SELECTED. We advertised we would give FREE ONE Walking, Talking and Sleeping Doll to the girl from six to fourteen years old, that made the nicest doll dress. We always give you more than we promise, since starting our contest we have decided to give one better. We are going to give you TWO big fine Dolls. The one with the best work will receive Doll No. 1, and the second best will get Doll No. 2, a real nice doll, but inclined to be a little lazy, or slow to learn how to walk. Three best judges in Texas—Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Colorado; Mrs. Van Boston of Westbrook, and Mrs. Hary Cranfill of Loraine. Remember the hour—TWO P. M., SATURDAY, MAY 24TH. We extend an invitation to everybody in Mitchell County to be here and enjoy one hour of real pleasure with the contestants for the dolls. Rest room for the ladies. Lots of good cold ice water free to all, at all times at our store. We Show The New Things First. GARBER DRY GOODS CO.

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The soldiers bonus bill passed over the President's veto---WHY NOT?

Gov. Neff refused the presidency of the University of Texas--“WHY NOT?”

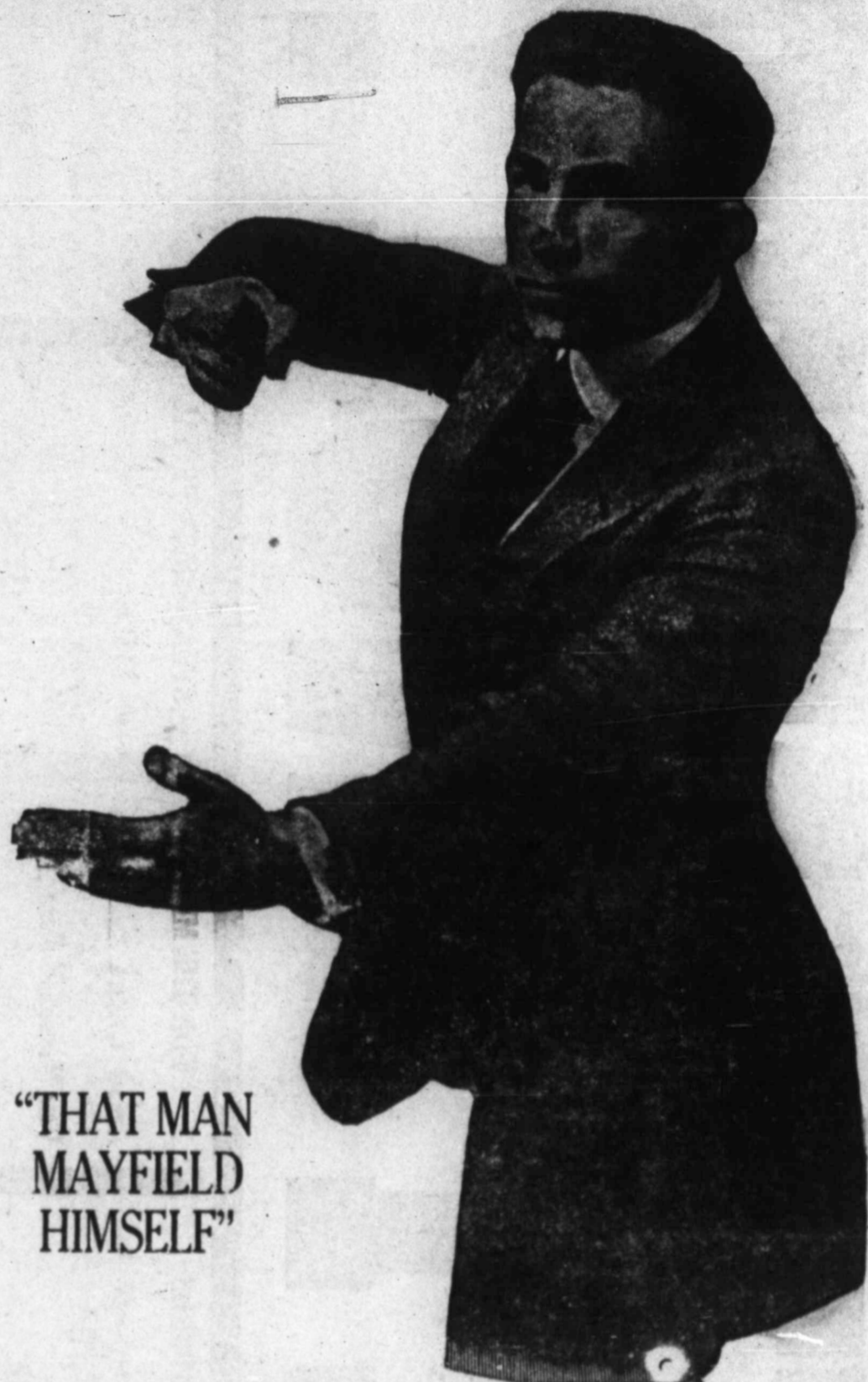
The West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Brownwood was a success---“WHY NOT?”

The Rayburn Revival in Sweetwater was a community asset--“WHY NOT?”

Hubbard's stock is more complete than in many seasons--“WHY NOT?”

Hubbard's stock is much larger than in the past 2 years--“WHY NOT?”

The time is ripe---the plans are made---the opportunity for you to save is here---THEN



“THAT MAN MAYFIELD HIMSELF”

“WHY NOT” A SALE?

Big Balloon Race

Opening day at 10 a. m.

Thursday morning just before the doors open on this sale “THAT MAN MAYFIELD” will sail from the roof of HUBBARDS store 10 big gassed balloons, each will carry a bright crisp \$1.00 bill inside.

Come down, join the crowd at HUBBARDS and take part in this big race that takes place

Thursday - 10 A. M.

CATCH A BALLOON AND GET A \$1 BILL--“WHY NOT?”

‘That Man Mayfield Himself’ HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AND TAKES CHARGE OF

HUBBARDS STOCK ‘Why Not’ ALL PRICE CUTTING

Advertising, arrangements and details of this Sale in charge of “THAT MAN MAYFIELD.” The plans are made, the time is set, the word is out.

Let's go ‘Why not’

HUBBARDS STORE CLOSED MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

\$20. In Gold Free Each Day--“Why Not”--READ BACK PAGE

\$300 IN GOLD FREE!!

\$20.00 in GOLD TO BE GIVEN AWAY EACH DAY---"WHY NOT"

————Here Is The Plan - Read It————

BEGINNING THE FIRST DAY OF SALE AT 4 P. M. AND EACH FOLLOWING DAY OF SALE AT 10 A. M. AND 4 P. M. THERE WILL BE GIVEN AWAY ABSOLUTELY FREE A \$10 GOLD PIECE TO THE PERSON HOLDING THE GREATEST AMOUNT (IN DOLLARS AND CENTS) OF HUBBARD'S DUPLICATE SALE TICKETS MADE DURING THIS SALE. ALL THAT IS REQUIRED IS TO COME TO THE STORE AT THE GIVEN HOURS OF 10 A. M. AND 4 P. M. AND BRING YOUR DUPLICATE TICKETS. AT EACH HOUR THE ONE HAVING THE GREATEST AMOUNT WILL BE GIVEN A BRIGHT \$10 GOLD PIECE AND THEIR TICKETS WILL BE TAKEN UP. THOSE NOT GETTING A \$10 GOLD PIECE AT THAT HOUR WILL BE ALLOWED TO HOLD THEIR TICKETS AND CAN ENTER THEIR AMOUNT IN THE NEXT HOUR CONTEST, SO YOU SEE IF YOU FAIL TO WIN ONE TIME, YOU KEEP YOUR TICKETS, SAVE ALL OTHERS YOU CAN AND TRY AGAIN. IT IS ABSOLUTELY AN OPEN, ABOVE BOARD, GIVE AWAY OFFER WITH NO STRINGS ATTACHED. JUST THINK OF IT, A \$10 GOLD PIECE GIVEN AWAY TWICE EACH DAY FOR FIFTEEN DAYS.

Save the duplicate tickets of your purchases
And win some of this Gold "WHY NOT"

THERE'S FREE GOLD HERE FOR YOU, COME GET IT "WHY NOT"

Special notice! true to the lines of our advertising

Any reader of the above, regarding the \$300 Gold offer, will see, that as we open the first day at 10 o'clock, will prohibit us from giving but \$10 of the \$20 on the first day; this with the \$20 on the other 14 days would only bring our total to \$290 given away—so in order to give this entire \$300 as advertised, on the last day of the sale, Saturday, June 14th, we will give three \$10 Gold pieces, one at 10 o'clock in the morning, one at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and the third and last \$10 Gold piece at 9 o'clock that night when this sale will close. No duplicate tickets will be issued on Gold after 9 o'clock last day of sale. Duplicate sales tickets will be issued for exact amounts of approval and due tickets paid by our customers during this sale. Any person, persons or organizations can secure these duplicate sales tickets by purchases or by solicitation from their friends, who make purchases during this sale. As this is simply a give-away proposition, we have no rules or regulations governing it, yet we ask one special favor of our customers and we feel sure they will grant us the same, "That they do not ask our customers for these duplicate tickets, in the store or out in front of this store."

A TREASURE CHEST OF BARGAINS WHOSE LID IS READY TO SPRING OPEN FOR YOU, AT THE MAGIC TOUCH OF THE DOLLAR---WHY NOT

Only For 15 DAYS

THE SIGNS ARE UP AND THE ANNOUNCEMENT MADE AND THIS SALE STARTS THURSDAY, MAY 29TH. ON NIGHT OF SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH., THE SIGNS COME DOWN, THE SALE PRICES OFF AND THE SALE STOPS.

Hubbards Guarantee "Why Not"

Money will be refunded or exchange made on any article returned within 5 days after purchase, provided same has not been worn, soiled or damaged by purchaser—WHY NOT?—As this is a sale to reduce stock and realize immediate cash and at these extremely low prices we prefer not to make any approval or due tickets during this sale—"WHY NOT?"

Sale Starts at 10 a. m. Thursday, May 29

There's One Thing Certain **YOU'LL NEVER FORGET** These Splendid Bargains

HUBBARD'S

'Why Not' - Sweetwater, Texas - 'Why Not'

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You cannot afford to miss the last days of our great Economy Sale

Which closes Saturday night

Our stocks are still complete as we are getting in new goods daily and are giving the same reductions just as if the goods were here at the opening day of the Sale. It has always been our policy to deal square and when we advertise a Sale it has no other meaning but a general reduction from our regular prices throughout the store.

We urge you to attend the closing of this sale and reap the benefits that you are offered in the way of low prices. We are mentioning only a few of the hundreds of items that will appeal to you as a special bargain. Space and time does not permit to quote all. Come and see for yourself.

Childrens Play Oxfords all sizes up to size two will go at only98c

Extra good work sox, something in a very unusual grade will go at12c

Curtain scrim which formerly sold up to 25c per yard will go at15c

Martha Washington Sheets, 72x90, will go at95c
PERCALE will go at, per yard9c

Imported Gingham in all pretty shades, reg. 45c & 50c value, will go at, per yard32 1-2c

Good Quality Brown Domestic, 40 in. wide, will go at EIGHT yards for\$1.00

Bathing Suits too numerous to mention will go at SPECIAL REDUCTIONS

Mens Genuine Palm Beach Suits will go at\$9.90



We have just received a shipment Mid Summer Hats in all the striking new shades, very attractive in Georgette, Ribbon and combination with Leghorn and Crepe. Dont fail to see them while you can get your choice for only \$3.95

The management wishes to thank our customers for the splendid business, which we had during Our Great Economy Sale, and especially those who were patient enough to wait during the rush.

Colorado Bargain House

THE PRICE IS THE THING

THIS SPRING'S MILLINERY IS UNUSUALLY BECOMING



HOPEFULLY the procession of womankind takes its way toward the milliners' entrancing establishments—and joyfully departs therefrom lighter of heart and of pocket-book. But if there is one excuse in the world better than all others for being a bit extravagant that excuse is—spring hat. This spring is rich in wonderful millinery; there are innumerable variations of the several style inspirations now established as the mode, and any representative collection of new hats is made up of shapes that adroitly flatter the different types of faces. There are hats that add dignity—or take it away—hats that add piquancy, hats that make the commonplace look distinguished, hats that lend color, hats that rescue one from tameness and hats that take off a decade or so from one's age. It is marvelous what hats and hair dressing can do to and for us mortals.

The group of five hats shown here

is made up of what may be classed as semi-dress models, which fashion has seen fit to approve for wear with either tailored or afternoon dress. Even with severely tailored, mannish suits the mode is indulgent as to the type of hat one may wear. The shops present plain, tailored hats, but when these are less becoming than the trimmed variety, the decision is for becomingness above all else. Women are not contenting themselves with a single hat, but find it necessary to have a sports hat at least in addition to a trimmed model. The sports hats of this season are approved for street wear, unless they are too assertively intended for sports wear.

Something of the variety in shapes and trimmings in semi-dress hats may be gathered from the group pictured, but this is a season when "everything is good in millinery and therefore there is a becoming hat for every face." JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

IN SOCIETY AND AT THE CLUBS

POWELL-BOUNDS.

Miss Jane Bounds and Earl Powell were married Saturday morning, May 17th at nine thirty o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Smith. Dr. Eteson, rector of All-Saint's church, officiated.

Mrs. Ross Dixon sang as a pre-nuptial song, "When I'm With You," accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Guitar, who afterwards played the wedding march.

The couple marched in from the rear, preceded by Miss Mary Snyder and Bradford Landers. Miss Anna Mary Mann and Holland Sargent and little Lena Smith, niece of the bride, clad in a little pongee sport suit, who scattered rose petals before the bride, and stood under a wedding bell in the living room where the ceremony, accompanied to soft music, was performed.

The bride wore a midnight blue coat suit with gray accessories and carried an arm bouquet of pink and white roses.

The bridesmaids wore white and black crepe de chine sport suits and wore black and white hats. After best wishes and congratulations the guests repaired to the dining room which was beautifully decorated in pink and white, where the bride cut the lovely cake, horse shoe shaped and also decorated in pink and white. Misses Mary Lee Crower, Mary Broadus and Mrs. Willie Dorn presided at the punch bowl.

The bride and groom are both well known here and have many friends who wish them a life of happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell left for a short trip to Fort Worth and will then be at home on the Powell ranch.

U. D. C. Meeting.

The U. D. C. meeting was held with Mrs. L. H. Gaskins Tuesday. Besides the usual business, plans were made for the U. D. C. part on the Memorial program June 1st, at the Methodist church. Mrs. Earnest Pritchett and Mrs. C. C. Thompson were representatives from the Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Merritt were appointed from this body to complete program. Miss Vera Gaskins read very interestingly, A

Kentucky Bell. The essays on the life of Jefferson Davis, written by the seventh grade pupils were read and enjoyed. The hostess, assisted by her daughters, Vera and Doris, served sandwiches, potato chips, fruit salad and iced tea.

Miss Jane Bounds Married Saturday.

Miss Jane Bounds daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bounds of Colorado Avenue, was married Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Smith in Colorado City, to Earl Powell of Colorado City. Miss Bounds has been teaching science in the Colorado High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell will be at home after June 1; at the Plaster ranch near Colorado.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Help Make Wreaths

The members and friends of the U. D. C. Chapter and Auxiliary to the American Legion are invited May 31st at 2 o'clock to Mrs. Tom Hughes' to help make wreaths for Memorial Day. Wreaths will be made for the graves of those who wore the blue, the gray and the khaki. 2t

Choral Clubs Entertained

The Choral Club of Snyder entertained the Choral Clubs of Colorado and Sweetwater Saturday. After a bounteous three-course luncheon in the new Baptist church dining room a program of the assembled clubs was given. This was interspersed with vocal and piano solos. Besides visitors there was a large audience of Snyder people who enjoyed the program. Quite a number went from Colorado.

Better Homes Week.

To all those who took part in the better homes week, the county chairman and the other members of the Civic League wish to express thanks. In mentioning the new modern homes last week who were opened for inspection the name of Mrs. Max Berman was unintentionally omitted. This is one of the most modern equipped homes in the town and many expressed delight in getting to see through it. Mrs. Berman not only allowed the friends to see it but served delicious punch in her spotless convenient kitchen. Mildred Martin and Marie Maule served the punch.

Children of the Confederacy

The Children of the Confederacy held their May meeting at the residence of Mrs. Jack Smith with little

Martha Lee and Mary Henderson, hostesses. After a program on the Negro Mammy of the South, ice cream cones and little cakes were served. Appie and Oleta Quiney will be hostesses next meeting.

1921 Study Club.

The 1921 Study Club met with Mrs. Roy Dozier last Friday. Mrs. Thompson led the lesson on Social Problems. Papers were read by Mrs. Earnest Pritchett and Mrs. Quiney. Mrs. Merritt was a guest. The hostess served pineapple sherbert and cake. The last meeting will be with Mrs. Thompson, May 23rd.

Sunday School Picnic.

At the conclusion of a contest between the classes of the Baptist Sunday School of which Mrs. A. L. White is teacher of young ladies and Chester Thomas teacher of boys, a moonlight picnic was given by the losers Tuesday evening at Seven Wells. They met at the church and seven or eight cars of young people left for a good time. Besides the lunches Mrs. White prepared a freezer of sherbet and one of homemade ice cream, which was very much appreciated. Losers and winners both had a good time.

The spirit of democracy first took root in British soil, away back yonder some four or five hundred years ago, the English barons ran old King John down and made him sign his name on the dotted lines to the Great Magna Charta, and that was the shot that sounded the death knell of human slavery among the English speaking races. The spirit was transplanted to this wild virgin soil, where it took on full growth, king rule, feudalism, the office of lord and duke, and all the other tommyrot that followed in the train of the divine right of kings to rule was sheared from the tree, and behold the fruit of the tree of knowledge, this glorious Republic. Of course, things are in a devil of a mess just now, politically, financially and spiritually but it will come out all right, as we still have the school house and country press left, besides there is a great horde of common horse-sense folks, who are grounded in the fundamentals of democracy, and some day, the tide of human sentiment will move, and things will slip back a notch, and we will find ourselves, and amongst the splinters, we will discern the truth, and get back on the home base.—W. H. McCarty.

THE BEST THEATRE

Friday Night and Saturday Matinee.

Fred Thompson
"THE MASK OF LOPEZ"
Comedy Wise Bird

Saturday Night
A cast of 2000 Players
"A DAUGHTER OF DON"
With Leather Pushers and Comedy.

Monday and Tuesday
Warner Bros. Production
"BROADWAY AFTER DARK"
Comedy, Laughing Gas.

Wednesday & Thursday
ALL STAR CAST
"Lights Out"
And 2-Reel Comedy

COMING
June 4 and 5
"ENEMIES OF WOMEN"

LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. W. E. Bounds, who was here for the marriage of her daughter, left Sunday morning to visit a daughter in Hamlin, before returning to her home in Ft. Worth.

A bad sprain heals slowly if not treated with a remedy that has the power to penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment is especially adapted for such ailments. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by leading druggists. 5-31

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages

G. B. Harness left Saturday on a business trip to Dallas. He was accompanied as far as Cisco by his sister, Mrs. Anna H. Simon, who will visit her son Leonard, there.

Tornado, Wind and Hail Insurance is too cheap for you to be without it. I will write you a \$1000 policy on your residence and furniture for one year for \$3.00 or three years for \$7.50. See, write or phone E. Keathley, Agent, Colorado, Texas. 5-23c

Call me for good coal oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Guitar of Merkel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Guitar here.

I buy and sell all kinds of second hand furniture. See me for bargains. Williams Furniture Store, at Alamo Hotel Bldg. 11tp

The best of Post Oak wood in blocks, also hard and soft coal, delivered quick. Ice. O. Lambeth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price made a business trip to Roscoe and Sweetwater Monday.

Call for me at the Alamo Hotel and see my bargains in tombstones. I have several dozen satisfied customers and want as many more. Will be glad to show you whether you buy or not.

E. KEATHLEY.

The Miller Market invites your meat trade. Will deliver anywhere in the city after June 1st. Phone 202

The best of Post Oak wood in blocks, also hard and soft coal, delivered quick. Ice. O. Lambeth.

J. W. MOYLETTE

Scientific Masseur.
Room 3, Doss New Bldg.
Phone 76

DR. CAMPBELL

of Abilene
Will be in office of Dr.
C. L. Root
Sunday, May 25th
when he may be consulted
account Eye, Ear,
Nose and Throat.

Girls, Oh Girls

WHY NOT BUY IT AT RIORDANS?

A Brand New Shipment of the
PRETTY THINGS THAT GIRLS LOVE

A dozen different kinds of COMPACTS, all so pretty you wont know which to choose.

- Long Beads
- Barettes, large and small.
- Bobbed Hair Combs on ribbon or card.
- Beads in many beautiful colors for crocheting.
- Barpins, Beauty Pins, Bracelets, Fancy Combs.
- Plaster door stops, book ends, candle stocks and vases for tinting.

Notice OUR WINDOW as you go by.

J. RIORDAN CO.
VOTE FOR GOOD ROADS SATURDAY

Rev. J. E. Chase returned Saturday from Waxahachie where he attended the annual state convention of the Christian church. Rev. Mr. Chase was secretary of the convention and thus filled an important place in all business sessions held. The convention next year will be held in Abilene.

Fires are coming thick and fast. Have you all the Fire Insurance you ought to carry? If not, I would like to figure with you right away. I have been writing insurance in our city since November 26, 1907. Write, phone or see E. Keathley, Agent 5 23

Phone J. A. Sadler for that Supreme XXX Auto Oil, none better. At all leading garages.

Mrs. M. Carter is visiting relatives in Galveston.

\$185.00 Gain-A-Day Electric Washing Machine, motor and wringer, in perfect condition \$85.00 buys it. See it at Williams Furniture Store at Alamo Hotel Bldg... 1tp

Call me for good coal oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

W. R. Morgan was in Fort Worth the first of this week on business.

Rid your poultry of all insects. Call for free sample at O. Lambeth's 5-23

Best cuts and best service at the Miller Market. Phone 202.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene made a business trip to Dallas this week.

500 broilers for sale at Lambeth's Chicken Farm, West River bridge.

Miss Thelma Harrison and brother Luther are visiting relatives in Cisco this week.

O. Lambeth is in Houston on business.

We pay cash for all your chickens and eggs. Phone 202. Miller Market, opposite post office.

FORD SALES.

Ford sales passed the three-quarters of a million mark. Car and truck deliveries alone show increase of one hundred and two thousand, one hundred fifty-eight over last year. May has opened with a bigger demand for Ford products than any month so far this year. The Ford Motor Company announced here today that Ford retail sales in the United States during the first ten days of May averaged 8385 daily, exceeding the last ten day period of the record breaking sales month of April and indicating the continued upward trend of the market. Figures just compiled show a total of 757,023 Ford units retailed to customers from January 1st to and including May 10th of which Ford car and truck deliveries alone show a gain of 102,158 over the same period a year ago... With the increases already attained this month and with the present outlook for business the Company anticipates a new high sales figure in May. 1tp

Men Not in Sunday School May 18, Please Read...

If you were denied the privilege of being with us last Sunday, you are urged to come May 25th and bring some one with you... We have enrolled 43 this quarter and had only 23 present the 18th. We are anxious for a regular attendance. Come and bring some one—Baptist Mens Class.

500 broilers for sale at Lambeth's Chicken Farm, West River bridge.

COLORADO SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS TEACHERS NEXT YR.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Colorado school board on Tuesday evening, the following teachers were elected for the coming year: High school—Miss Mary Owen Merideth, A. B., Southwestern University; Mrs. George T. O'Bannon, A. B., Baylor.

Grade school—Misses O'Neal, Lawlis, Davis, Lawson, Butler, Martin, Terrell, Palmer, Bynum of the faculty of the last session, and Miss Mavis Casbeer of Lampasas, and Miss Elnora DuLaney, Colorado.

Only about half the number of teachers needed were elected at this meeting, but owing to the fact that some members of the board were not in town, it was decided to pass the other elections to a later meeting.

At the meeting before the last, the board decided to fix all high school salaries for the coming year, except the principal's salary, at \$140.00 a month. The principal's salary will be more.

HUDSON-ESSEX POPULAR.

With over 75 per cent of their sales in coaches, both the Hudson Motor Car Co. and O. B. Price, local Hudson-Essex dealer, attained new high all-time volumes of business in April, according to official sales and production figures just compiled.

For both factory and distributor this was the fourth straight record-breaking month. This run of phenomenal business began with January this year and has continued successively through February, March and April. Production at the factory in April, it is announced, was in excess of 15,000 or about 1,000 more cars than were made in March, which, up to that time, had been the largest month in Hudson-Essex history. Sales of Hudson and Essex cars locally have been correspondingly good.

"This same success obtains for Hudson-Essex all over the country" said Mr. Price. "According to the latest trade figures, obtained from official registrations, Hudson-Essex is now the leading six cylinder line of motor cars in many of the large centers of population."

"In Michigan, which knows motor cars better than any other state, its position is assured. So great has been the demand for coaches that even the bad weather lull in general business has not been able to halt Hudson-Essex success. The coaches are not merely a fair weather success. When we predicted last winter that the public would prove more interested in enclosed cars at moderate prices than in any mechanical novelties or other new features, some of the trade 'experts' were inclined to disagree. But the leading cars of the season, we may point out, are cars which are simple mechanically and which supply closed car transportation.

"The Hudson and Essex coaches have been outstandingly successful because they have been offered at economy prices. I believe the public will always respond to that appeal, when with low first cost it obtains quality too."

HIGHWAY VALUES

Good roads are a paying proposition. Nolan County thinks so, or the people of the county would not be behind the \$1,500,000 road improvement now under way. Highways are a lasting investment for progress, and their value may be felt in many different ways.

The State of North Carolina has been practically revolutionized by the highway program adopted there. In the midst of a business depression, the State dared vote a fifty million dollar bond issue, and followed it later on with a \$15,000,000 issue. The counties have added seven million to that, until the total, including county, state, and federal appropriations which has been in the course of expenditure during the last three years, runs to sixty-seven million dollars.

The entire state has been revolutionized within this three year period of highway construction. Its influence has been felt not only in all business circles, but in agriculture, in industrial pursuits and in educational advancement. As an outcome of the stimulation created by this road-building campaign and the method in which it has been handled, North Carolina throbs with vim and energy and new life. Ten times as many pupils are now in its high schools as there were only ten years ago. Last year the state raised the largest cotton and tobacco crops in its history, and sold them at a good profit. Every industrial interest in the state is busy. Having tasted of the value of highway construction in redeeming itself from poverty to prosperity, the people of North Carolina are going forward with a momentum which is placing that state in the very forefront of national prosperity.

FIRST ANNUAL FEEDERS DAY AT BIG SPRING

At the U. S. Experiment Station at Big Spring, Texas, on Friday, May 30th, will be held the first annual feeders day meeting.

Forty-five yearling calves have been on balanced rations consisting of feed grown in West Texas for 180 days, and the results will be announced at that time. These tests have been held under the auspices of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Texas A. & M. College and is the only feeding test in Texas at present.

Speakers from U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C. and from A. & M. College will be present. Representatives of packing plants will be here to class the cattle. Cattlemen from all parts of West Texas are urged to attend and ascertain the value of feeding West Texas feed crops to West Texas cattle instead of shipping them north to be fattened.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE AT MORRIS MEAT MARKET

Addition of a new 14-foot Hussman freezing counter has been made at the City Market, owned by J. F. Morris on Second street. The new counter will double capacity at the market for handling fresh meats.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45, J. M. Thomas Superintendent. Classes for all ages. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Every member of the church in the Sunday School, every one in the Sunday School a member of the church. What do you think of that? It would be fine, I think. Since we are having a good many visitors these days it would be well for each member of the church to be in his church home to welcome them. Try to be there for both services next Sunday. Christian Endeavor at 3 o'clock; all young people welcome. Sunday School at Horn's Chapel every Sunday at 3:30, Jerold Riordan Supt.

HERMLEIGH FIELD DAY WILL BE BIG AFFAIR

Scores of Boy Scouts and dozens of men will assemble in Hermleigh May 30 for the first Boy Scout Field Day and the quarterly council meeting of the Buffalo Trail Council, composed of the counties of Scurry, Mitchell, Fisher and Nolan.

At the last council meeting, held in Snyder, March 11, Rev. C. A. Jones, Scoutmaster and council member from Hermleigh stamped the meeting in favor of his town by his promises of entertainment for the visitors. Now the entertainment committee promises to make good on everything he said.

The program starts at 2:30 with field day events participated in by representatives of troops from the four counties. These events will be strictly Scouting and will give the council members and other assembled an opportunity to see something of what Scouting means to the boy. It is hoped that all men interested in the boyhood of our territory will be there.

After the field events the council will go into session for the purpose of hearing reports and making plans for the future. The most interesting report will probably be that of President Rev. W. M. Elliott of Colorado, who has just returned from the National Council meeting at St. Louis and will tell the council of his trip and the meeting.

Discussion and adoption of final plans for the summer camp will also occupy a prominent place on the program. The council has had an invitation from Mr. George McEntire, of Sterling City, to hold the summer camp on his ranch and it is probable that his invitation will be accepted for some time in August...

Scout Executive W. S. Barcus, announces that attractive prizes will be given for first, second and third places in the field events.

See those special prices at McMurry's Racket Store Saturday.

Announcement
New store, new stock, new people in town. We wish to inform the people in and around Colorado we are now located on Oak street, just south of the Alamo Hotel, with a complete line of Shelf Hardware and Furniture and all such other goods that are usually carried in that line. Drop in and look us over. Respectfully, **COOK & SON**

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Want Ads Bring Results—One Cent a Word, each issue—50c minimum price. No Classified Ads Charged. It's Cash.

500 broilers for sale at Lambeth's Chicken Farm, West River bridge.

There is higher priced Auto Oil, but none better than Supreme XXX handled by all leading garages.

AGENTS WANTED—Reliable active men to sell our nursery stock—Full or part time. Temporary or permanent occupation. The Austin Nursery (F. T. Ramsey & Son), Austin, Texas. 50 years in Texas. 5 23 p.

FOR SALE—Good corner residence lots at Bargains.—O. B. PRICE.

POSTED—All lands owned and controlled by undersigned is posted and trespassers are warned to stay out. No hunting, wood hauling, etc. will be permitted. Take warning.—Landers Bros.

FOR SALE—Good corner residence lots at Bargains.—O. B. PRICE.

LOST—Watch chain and charm. Charm is Maltese cross with my name and address engraved thereon. Return to Rev. W. M. Elliott for reward. 1tc

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS—We have the following properties for sale Ranches, raw lands, South Plains lands, improved farms. Will trade these properties for grocery stocks, dry goods stocks, or good black land farms. What have you.

We can sell or trade you any kind of city property that you want in most any town in West Texas. We have some good trading propositions, also have some good brick business properties in Colorado, worth the money. They will show good revenue on the investments.

If you have anything to sell or trade, tell us what you have, or what you want to buy. No deal too small or too big for us. We can handle it. Get our list, and our prices before you buy or trade.

E. B. Canada A. R. Wood
CANADA & WOOD
Office over City Nat'l Bank. Telephone No. 10.

FOR SALE—One good piano, reed chairs and table at a bargain. See Mrs. Ed Dupree. 5-23c

SOME CHEAP LOTS, two blocks northeast of High school building and just outside city limits. \$25 down, and \$10 per month. See C. H. EARNEST, over Colorado Nat'l Bank tbc

FOR SALE—One A-1 Underwood Typewriter No. 4. Call at G. B. Harness Office. 1tc

LOST—Ford casing on rim, believed to be lost between Colorado and Jno. McGuire's place on Cuthbert road. Finder please bring same to my office and get pay for your trouble.—Dr. C. L. Root. 1t

WANTED—Man and wife without children to cook and do general work around ranch. J. Brown. 1t.

FOR SALE—Bee stands, also McGuire's tomato plants, two dozen for 25c. Phone 299 or see Mrs. J. W. Dorn 1c

Farnum's Ton Litter New Motion Picture

Secures a Weight of 2,000 Pounds at Six Months.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
"Dad, did you ever raise a litter of pigs that weighed a ton when six months old?"
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QUEEN ELEANOR CROWNED AT BROWNWOOD MEETING

By MAE BIDDISON BENSON
Staff Correspondent

Fort Worth Star-Telegram
Brownwood, May 14—Beautiful even in the minutest detail of regal splendor the coronation scene and the pageant Wednesday night at the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall here took its rank with the most festive state events of its character.

Scintillating, brilliant and elegant the setting was superb, making a regal background for Her Majesty, Queen Eleanor Enid of the House of Thomas of Colorado, who was crowned ruler of West Texas to hold sway for one year. King of this empire who was also chosen on this occasion was R. A. Underwood, Plainview.

Lights in various colors lent radiance to the throne and the court. Colors and queen's mansion furnishings gave the last touch of refined magnificence to the scene completed by the appearance of her royal highness who was heralded by a retinue of court attendants, trumpets, flower girls and her maid of honor, Lady Harriett Logan of the house of Davis of Stephenville.

Four thousand persons filled the auditorium to capacity and as many more clamored at the door for admission after all the tickets were sold. The boxes lining each side of the house were filled with elegantly gowned women and modishly attired men, most of them relatives of members of the royal party. They came from all parts of West Texas and represented more than 50 towns of this section of Texas. Throughout the day Wednesday, the committee in charge was busy welcoming visitors who came just for the coronation ceremony.

The throne of her majesty was at the summit of a tier of stairs rising from the stage which terminated a long promenade extending the full length of the auditorium. In full view of the audience the queen made her appearance on the promenade and was greeted with applause from the throng of subjects who were moved to admiration by the splendor and the beauty of her queenly carriage and elaborate costume. Her jewels sparkled in regal magnificence. Of particular note was the marvelous diamond drop which is said to be a 13-carat stone suspended from a splendid platinum chain. She wore diamond platinum bracelet wrought of beautiful carved solid platinum and set with 40 diamonds.

A magnificent ring set with three large diamonds in a platinum lace work and surrounded with 19 small diamonds she wore next to an exquisite solitaire of regal size. Her watch was platinum encrusted with diamonds. All these worn to the enhancement of her demure brunette beauty further accentuated by the dainty imported gown of soft flesh color heavily beaded with crystal woven into intricate motifs from throat to hem. A long court train of blue velvet in Queen Elizabeth style completed the queen's royal coronation robes. She carried a white staff set with a thousand rhinestones and tied with filmy floating tulle. Her crown was unusual and more than ordinarily beautiful. Fashioned of brilliant stones the motif suggested was the American Eagle and U. S. was woven in the design, rising just above her brow.

Members of the royal party advanced while the spectators watched them glide across the long promenade. Lights were thrown on them and the beauty intensified. Lady Harriett Logan of the House of Davis of Stephenville was elegant in her royal robes of iridescent sequins over which fell a long train of rose satin studded with figures worked with millions of pearls. She wore a head dress of Rhinestones and pearls and carried a staff that harmonized. Her blonde beauty was made even more lovely by the color and the elegance of her costume.

Ropes of pearls fell in cascades down each side of her robe and were caught with clusters of pearls. She preceded Queen Eleanor Enid to the court. Capt. J. G. Tully, commander of the First Squadron, Fifth Cavalry, was her escort.

The musical setting was of an especially pleasing tone, and gave proper suggestion of the coronation scene to follow.

As the duchesses and their maids of honor moved in regal motion across the promenade and took their places in the court of her majesty, they were greeted with volumes of applause as each beautiful and graceful young Texas duchess joined the group. Their gowns vied with magnificence one with the other and gave elegant splendor to the royal scene. Well chosen gowns were worn with equally correct trim in varying hues. There were no glaring inconsistencies but the entire ensemble was a credit to the beauty and the glory of Texas womanhood.

ECHOES FROM THE BROWNWOOD CONVENTION

The Queen, a very beautiful and charming West Texas girl, Miss Eleanor Thomas of Colorado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Thomas, had for her coronation gown a beautiful model in slim lines of flesh tint, with elaborate crystal beading of intricate motifs. A long court train of blue velvet with an especially brilliant and handsome court collar of Queen Elizabeth style and coronet of brilliant and jewels, and with a heavily jeweled staff, made a most striking costume for the lovely young Queen. Her royal jewels were particularly magnificent.

The royal party was preceded to the throne by a retinue of attendants, heralds, flower girls and ladies in waiting. Her maid of honor was Lady Harriett Logan of the House of Davis of Stephenville, immediately after the appearance of the Queen and King, who was in royal robes of purple and gold, ermine trimmed, the duchesses were presented, followed by ambassadors and ladies of various countries.

After the coronation ceremonies, the presentation, a pageant called "Evolution of Texas" was enacted, which was very effective, although played indoors and with a somewhat different setting, the pageant followed the theme and general plans with variations, of the pageant of West Texas staged in connection with the West Texas Texas Fair in Abilene last fall, each country which had figured in the history of the lone star state being represented in costume.

Just before the coronation and pageant, a very spectacular and beautiful illuminated parade was staged, the duchesses and maids riding in highly decorated floats and cars, torch-lights and spot lights playing upon them, through the thronged streets of the convention city. The whole scene made a most gorgeous and entrancing spectacle.

—Abilene Reporter.

COLORADO "TOASTMASTER" PARADES AT BROWNWOOD

With apologies to Co. C. M. Adams, president of the Colorado Lions Club and Rev. J. F. Lewis, pastor of the First Methodist church, local members of the Lions Club made use of an idea originated by these two gentlemen and provided a "toastmaster" to be paraded in Brownwood during the convention there last week.

In the usual English expression a toastmaster is nothing more than a donkey. Through courtesies of O. Lambeth, one of these animals was secured from Ft. Worth, and placed in the keeping of L. B. Elliott, M. S. Goldman, Grady Newman and Harry Ratliff, who took turns in riding him through the street, advertising the cotton and oil interests of this county.

Delphian Meeting.

LAY PREJUDICES ASIDE

The Record is sincere in the hope that the citizenship of Mitchell County will lay aside any personal prejudices which may develop and go to the polls Saturday and vote the verdict for the best interests of the county, as they consistently see it. Our trading centers and the whole of Mitchell County are developing too fast and our citizenship maintaining too high a standard of progress as to permit of the injection of petty things into issues affecting the public. Fair play is the only winning card to hold. Remember that the citizen opposing you in your effort to defeat the bond has just as much right to his belief as you have to yours! It is contrary to good citizenship to lead yourself to believe otherwise.

Denton Publisher Seeks Lieutenant-Governorship

WILL C. EDWARDS
Denton Editor Who is a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Lieutenant-Governor.

Edwards, past president of the Texas Press Association and Texas Daily Press League, came to Denton from Alabama a small boy 41 years ago and has lived there since. He has been connected with the Denton Record-Chronicle since 1896 and has been its publisher since 1899.

In 1922 Edwards' home people drafted him to run for the Legislature—the only public office he has ever held—and this is his first political contest entered voluntarily. He is president of the Denton Chamber of Commerce, served eight years as Democratic County Chairman, two years as State Democratic Executive Committeeman, three years as Red Cross county chairman, four years as president of Denton County Texas-Exes.

Friends say 95 per cent of the Democratic vote of his home county will be cast for Edwards and that he has practically the solid support of Texas newspapermen.

APPOINTMENT FROM THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Austin, Texas
May 12th, 1924

Mrs. F. B. Whipkey,
Colorado, Texas.

Dear Friend:

A joint convention of the United States Good Roads Association and of the Bankhead National Highway Association will be held in Albuquerque, N. M., during the week beginning May 26th.

The purposes and accomplishments of these organizations are, I am sure well known to you. Especially because of her great area, Texas is particularly interested in the construction and maintenance of good highways.

Conforming to the request of these good roads organizations that I appoint representative citizens of this State who are interested in problems pertaining to good roads, I am writing to tender you appointment as a delegate to this meeting in Albuquerque. Special Commission officially designating you to represent Texas is attached hereto.

While there are no funds appropriated by the State which may be used in defraying expenses of delegates, I am in hopes that we may be well represented at this gathering.

Trusting that you will find it possible to attend and to participate in the discussions of the convention, and with kindest personal regards, I am,

Yours most sincerely,
Pat Neff,
Governor

JONES COUNTY VOTES HIGHWAY BONDS 43 TO 1

Jones county comes forward with a new record for unanimity on a road bond issue, with a 43 to 1 vote in favor of the proposition. In an election held Saturday bonds for \$100,000 were approved by the voters, to be used in paving Highway No. 83 across the county east and west through Anson. The vote was 798 for and only 17 against, with one box missing.

Will Mitchell county do as well next Saturday, to build a concrete road across Mitchell county from east to west?

EXCAVATIONS BEGUN FOR FORD-LINCOLN BUILDING

A. W. Balfanz, contractor, began excavations Saturday for the A. J. Herrington building, corner Main and Elm streets. The building, which is to have frontage of 170 feet on Main and 135 feet on Elm, will be used exclusively as the home of Ford, Fordson and Lincoln for this territory. The structure will represent an investment of more than \$40,000 and will be one of the most attractive brick and stone business buildings in the city.

PRESS OF TEXAS DEPLORES ACTION TEXT BOOK BOARD

In connection with the scathing denunciation given the text book commission here Wednesday by W. E. Pope, candidate for governor, it is recalled that the candidate is supported in this matter by a number of leading newspapers and periodicals of the State. Some of these publications have not curbed their indignation while giving expression to the huge book contract, while others have applied the soft peddle and expressed themselves more mildly.

The Southwest Plainsman, published at Amarillo, has the following to say regarding the text book transaction:

Because of the recent decision of the state supreme court, Texans are going to be forced to expend more than one million dollars for new text books for the public schools—whether we want them or not.

Last year the state text book commission contracted for several new books of a different series from those in use, thereby arousing a storm of protest from the citizens who felt that, in view of their repeatedly expressed wish for a curtailment of public expenditures, the action of the commission was not only uncalled for, but positively diabolical in its utter disregard of the overburdened taxpayers.

State Superintendent Marrs took up the cause of the people and brought suit for the annulment of the contract. After a year in the courts, a decision has at last been obtained—in favor of the book concern, of course. Nobody minds what the people think about it because it has been repeatedly demonstrated that they have blessedly short memories and will soon forget their wrongs.

Superintendent Marrs declared that the prices bid for the new books were exorbitant. The geographies, for instance, which cost Texas one dollar and thirty-three cents each, were sold in Tennessee for 14c. This certainly seems like discrimination with a vengeance and if it is so, it seems that the text book commission was extremely remiss in its duty in the first place and that surely something is wrong with a court that would uphold such looting of the public treasury.

It is a question whether the people have gained anything by the effort that was made to annul the contract. It will be up to the taxpayers to settle for the expense of the litigation, now, in addition to buying the books. However, the action of the commission has aroused the people to a greater interest in the schools and that may be of some benefit. There have been many demands for the abolition of the text book commission, leaving the question of books in the hands of the State Superintendent.

Of course, the commission was established with the idea that a book concern would have more trouble corrupting a body of men than it would if it had only one man to deal with but after last year's action, the people have about concluded that their interests could not be given less consideration by a "one-man power" and something would be saved the State in salaries. We're all agreed that there are altogether too many bureaus and departments in government anyway and each year we vote for candidates who promise to cut down this item of expense, but, instead, more are created. Once the legislature gets a bureau established, there seems no possible way to get rid of it—even the Governor is powerless in the hands of the bureaucracy of the State.

HAMILTON-BURLEY REVIVAL TO OPEN SUNDAY MORNING

The Hamilton-Burley revival, which will open Sunday morning at Union Tabernacle, is taking on new features of interest with the addition of Chester Harris, internationally known personal worker and song leader. Harris will be brought to Colorado with the two other members of the evangelistic party.

Rev. J. E. Chase, pastor of the First Christian church, under whose auspices the revival will be held, stated Tuesday that the outlook for an unusually successful campaign was good. As a unit, he stated, the church people of the city are lining up their support for the revival. This is true as to the pastors, personal workers and singers, Chase stated.

Evangelist Hamilton, who will do the preaching, is coming to Colorado with the distinction of being one of the most forceful evangelistic speakers of the country. His preaching is expected to attract overflow congregations at all of the services. Evangelist Singer Burley, too, is a man of unusual merit in his work.

Definite announcement as to hours for holding the services, both morning and evening, will be made from the platform Sunday. The pastor and members of his congregation cordially invite the general public to attend all of the services.

The revival meeting scheduled to begin next Sunday, May 25th at the Tabernacle in Colorado, takes on new features with the addition of a third member of the party whom it has been definitely decided with Smith, Scoville and Stevens and others of the World's greatest evangelists, will be here and have supervision of the personal workers and assist in directing the choir.

Cottage prayer meetings are being held each afternoon this week in preparation for the revival. The church has made faith preparation and everything is all set for the opening service Sunday morning. Bible school will be held at 9:45 a. m. and initial service in the revival series will begin promptly at eleven o'clock.

To the Christian people of Colorado and vicinity, the invitation is most cordially extended to join in making this Colorado's best revival. The revival meeting is the harvest time for the church. The faithful work the pastors and the church have done through the long months of the past is now about to be reaped in a great harvest. The grain is growing from the seed sown, and we want you there to help in the harvest.

While this is and will be known as a Christian church meeting, we want it to be more than that. We want every church in town to feel the effect of the meeting and to be blessed by it. And every church will be in the exact ratio that they put themselves into the work of meeting. The evangelists come to us strongly commended for their deep earnestness and zeal in winning souls and if we will give them that support that they are entitled to receive, we will have a great gathering of souls for Jesus Christ.

We are not attempting to dictate to anybody, but we earnestly request and hope that during the progress of the meeting that just so far as possible everything else will be held subject to the best interests of the meeting.

You cannot build a town without good churches and schools. Our town is well to the front in the character of schools and well to the rear in the character of church buildings and equipment. We are putting in blocks of pavement; we are to vote the week on building a concrete highway across the county; we are beautifying the homes of our people, but we are sadly neglecting the buildings that are to evidence our faith in God. It is time to wake up and ascertain just how far we are behind in this particular. We hope that one of the results of the meeting will be that the churches forward in a mighty stride in this particular. Once again we invite you all to come and help us.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

May 24th is the day set aside by our county Fathers to receive the third verdict from a legal majority of the Mitchell County voters, on the declaration of their opposition to that horned monstrosity called highway bonds.

It seems that our county Fathers are hard to convince that a sufficient number of the voters of Mitchell County think enough of what little their lives to obtain, to rally out on election day and vote against this proposed half million dollar highway assessment being levied against their homes. We just naturally oppose being held up for such a worthless proposition, regardless of whether the hold up is pulled off by highway robbers or a highway tax. So far as benefitting Mitchell County in its entirety is concerned the results of being held up either way would be the same.

The amount of the principle involved in this election is only \$325,000.00, but the levy against Mitchell will be no less than \$700,000.00, or a sufficient sum to care for the accumulating interest which for the 30 years will amount to more than \$400,000.00. Counting the outstanding bonds that are now existing against us on this measly 32 miles of the 700 miles of roads in Mitchell county, in connection with the proposed bonds to be issued, by the time the full amount is paid we will have taxed the property in Mitchell county approximately one million dollars for this 32 miles of road against not one frazzling cent for the other 668 miles of roads in Mitchell county.

Mr. Voter, does your idea of justice harmonize with voting a mortgage on every farmers home in Mitchell county then selling that mortgage to some bonds company for \$325,000.00, then take that cash and spend it in laying a rough coating of cement just 18 feet wide on just 32 miles of road while the other 668 miles of road in Mitchell county go begging for a common dirt grade. I am a strong believer in good roads, good schools and good churches, but there is a vast difference between good roads and a good road. My idea of good roads is at least well graded and drained road beds for all the main roads leading from the people's trading point to the several rural settlements of the county, and a like manner of roads leading from all the rural settlements to their respective school houses and churches. This kind of road construction would enhance the value of Mitchell county in dollars and cents and all the citizens of the county would obtain the benefit in travel; whereas a bond as the proposed highway bonds (will, instead of enhancing farm values, detract therefrom by assessing an additional expense burden by increased taxation for something that will neither help the roads, the farmer has to haul his produce over, nor the attractiveness of his farm.

If we want to be fair and just to all the taxpayers in Mitchell county if we want to give every man a run for his money to be expended on road construction, the only thing to do is to vote against the highway bonds, divide the county into road districts, allowing each district to vote bonds to suit their requirements. Thus each and every taxpayer would have the benefit of the roads their money paid for. If the highway boosters in Colorado and Loraine want a concrete surface on the good gravel road they now have, there is nothing in this world to prevent them from establishing a road district and vote bonds on their own property for that purpose. However, we've a lingering suspicion that they don't want it unless the other fellow pays for it. It is greatly exceeding the bounds of justice and fairness to ask that all of Mitchell county be bonded for money to smear a coat of rough cement on 32 miles of perfectly good gravel road. When there is 668 miles of practically nothing but mud holes and ditches that 75 per cent of Mitchell county citizens, are compelled to use for their daily traffic.

There is now a powerful agitation for whether the state or federal governments to take over the supervision, construction and maintenance of all designated highways and it is the consensus of opinion that within a short time this will be done. The general supposition is that, then the state or national governments will levy a tax against each county traversed by a highway for this purpose. Now, if we vote for the bonds Saturday it will mean only an additional burden for us to carry; whereas by voting against the proposed highway bonds and fixing up the other roads in Mitchell county that would be a

benefit and a pleasure to every Mitchell county citizen; and eventually a government built highway.

This highway has already been turned over to the highway department and is in fact a highway department road. It is the duty of this department to keep up the highway. For this purpose the Mitchell county voters paid the Highway Department \$17,000.00 or \$546.00 per mile, last year. We will continue to pay this tax, bonds or no bonds. My understanding is—Mitchell county contracted with the Highway Department to keep up the highway in the county for \$625.00 per month which is equivalent to \$7,500.00 per year leaving a net profit to the Highway Department of \$10,000.00 per year off of Mitchell county taxpayers.

Now ladies and gentlemen, this highway is a Highway Department road, if they want a concrete surface on it let them put it there. Their profit will soon pay it.

Look over the following figures, think about them and then vote for the best interest of Mitchell county. Outstanding bonds now existing for the highway \$ 100,000.00 Interest at 5 per cent for 30 years 150,000.00 Proposed bonds 325,000.00 Interest at 5 per cent for 30 years, approximately 425,000.00 Grand total of \$1,000,000.00 Or a cost of \$31,218 per mile for the highway in Mitchell county.

F. F. Brooks, Loraine, Rt. A. IRENE PONDER IS BRIDE A. I. Ackers and Miss Irene Ponder took their friend by surprise Monday afternoon when they motored to Abilene and were married at the Methodist parsonage of the First Metho-

dist Church, with Rev. William A. Pearce, pastor of the church performing the ring ceremony.

The bride wore a beige Poiret tulle suit, with hat and accessories harmonizing and carried roses and sweet peas.

The bride is the only daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. E. Ponder, and has been the popular bookkeeper for the Western Union Telegraph Co., since her graduation at the local high school about four years ago.

The bridegroom is a native of Staunton, Va., and has been connect-

ed with the Gulf Production Co., with headquarters at Sweetwater. Recently he accepted a position with the California Oil Co., whose head office for this section is located at Colorado.

Miss Thelma Pratt accompanied them to Abilene and returned to the city with them. Immediately after their return they left in their car for their new home at Colorado. Sweetwater Reporter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

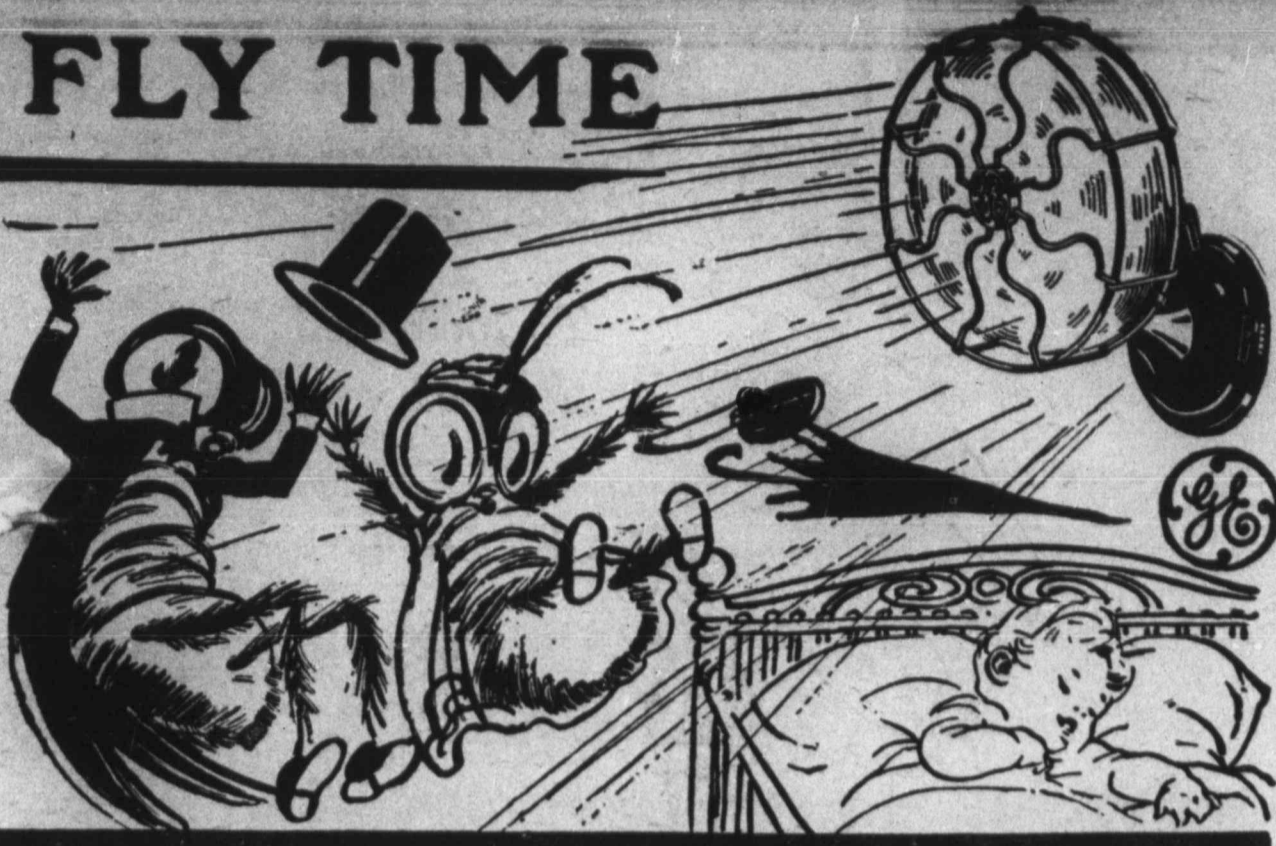
The Record is authorized to announce the following names for the offices indicated, subject to the Democratic primary July 26, 1924:

- For State Senator 24th Senatorial District: HARRY TOM KING of Abilene. COUNTY OFFICES: For County Judge: PERRY T. BROWN CHARLIE THOMPSON U. D. WULFJEN W. W. PORTER. For County and District Clerk: J. LEE JONES W. S. STONEHAM. For Sheriff and Tax Collector: I. W. TERRY J. R. SHEPPARD. For Tax Assessor: ROY WARREN. For County Attorney: R. H. RATLIFF. For County Treasurer: OCIE GREEN (Re-Election) GRADY NEWMAN. For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: SAMUEL C. HARRIS. MRS. STELLA E. BENNETT G. D. FOSTER. For County Commissioner Precinct 1: TOM GOSS TOM HAMMONDS. For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2 (Westbrook): J. C. COSTIN. GEO. W. SWEATT. For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3: JNO. D. LANE (Re-Election). For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: TOM TERRY (Re-election). For Public Weigher (At Westbrook) Precinct No. 2: J. R. OGLESBY. L. HAZLEWOOD. L. H. McCARTY. For Public Weigher (At Loraine), Precinct No. 4: OTIS MUNS.

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By R. R. Reppert
College Station

Farmers in many parts of Texas are fearful lest last years damage from grasshoppers may be repeated this season. From some of our western counties are coming reports of grasshoppers already hatching, although at this early date no damage has yet resulted.

It is difficult to foresee what the outcome may be. Last year the dry weather reduced the pasture growth and drove the hoppers to the cultivated field bringing about heavy damage that might have otherwise been avoided. With the moisture in the soil this year it is possible that even if large numbers of the hoppers emerge they will remain in the pastures and the damage to cultivated crops will thus be light.

At the same time, farmers should be fully prepared to wage a fight if necessary. Success in saving the crop will depend mainly in promptness in destroying the hoppers previous to their actual entrance into the fields. Do not wait until they have destroyed half the fields.

The following formula is the one recommended, having been used with success in Texas as well as in other states

- Wheat bran, pounds25
- White arsenic or Paris green lb.1
- Lemons or oranges, no. fruits6
- Low grade cane or sorghum, qts.2
- Water, gallons2

Mix the bran and poison thoroughly while dry. Dilute the molasses with the amount of water as named. Squeeze the lemon juice into this diluted molasses, then grind the rind of the lemons with a meat chopper and add this also to the liquid. Now mix the liquid thoroughly with the poison bran mixture. After an even mixture has been obtained, add more water and mix until a mash is obtained so that after being squeezed in the hand it readily falls apart.

Grasshoppers feed in the morning, and as the bait loses its attractiveness when dry, it should be applied so as to be moist as possible at this time. It will therefore be best to put it out about sunrise. Provided the ground is not so hot and dry as to remove the moisture during the night, it may be put out late in the evening in case the area to be treated is too extensive to be quickly covered in early morning. The mixture should be scattered, as if sowing seed, by hand, or any type of seeder capable of distributing it. The amount given in the formula should cover about five acres.

Where the hoppers have become distributed over the cultivated field, the entire area should be sown, and the application repeated in a few days if necessary. If the hoppers are found to be advancing from the pasture lands, distribute the mash in front of their line of march for a distance of a couple of hundred yards keeping also the margin of the pasture land treated daily until the danger of damage has passed.

The mixture should be made exactly as directed, leaving out no part. Where the infestation is general, community action is recommended. The materials should be provided in large quantities, and a large amount of the mixture made up at a central place late in the evening, or better, well before daylight in the morning. Each farmer will then take his portion and apply immediately.

WEST TEXAS' SPIRIT.

Retiring President A. B. Spencer of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce shot true to the mark when he said, shortly before turning over the office to C. C. Walsh of San Angelo, the newly elected president: "Regardless of big things the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has accomplished, or that it will put over in the future, the greatest thing, the greatest part it has played, has been creation of a West Texas spirit."

A few hours later a very fitting demonstration of the spirit to which Mr. Spencer referred was witnessed. A bitter fight for the next convention had just ended with Mineral Wells victorious and Amarillo defeated. Amarillo moved to make the selection unanimous and Ernest O. Thompson, head of the Amarillo delegation, immediately issued a statement congratulating Mineral Wells, promising his people to work for the success of the Mineral Wells convention and the chamber as a whole and serving notice that Amarillo would seek the meeting in 1926.

This thing, "esprit du corps" whose name has been shortened by Americans to "spirit," a term which, employed in this sense, takes on a new meaning, is the most essential constituent of success or progress in any endeavor involving the participation of a large number of persons. Kipling's lines:

"It's not the individual, nor the army as a whole,
But the everlasting teamwork of every living soul."



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express the importance of the same factor that Mr. Spencer viewed as the greatest accomplishment of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Spirit is a meaningful word. It means advancement by teamwork in both thought and deed; it is the something in individuals and in nations, in baseball teams and in armies, that refuse to be beaten. As distinguished from mere courage, which does nothing but display an endurance which might with more credit be employed for some other purpose, spirit, under the modern meaning implies tenaciousness of purpose also, but always with the other qualities of heart and brain that make ultimate victory the certainty.

Mr. Spencer thinks the establishment of such a spirit is an important work, and most of us will agree. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce, if it did not actually "create" such a spirit in West Texas, at least mobilized into a living force the already existing qualities of such a spirit. The combination of a vision of greatness and the ability and determination to overcome the obstacles that lie in the way of its realization is something that can't be beaten.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

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AN ORDINANCE

Regulating the use of Paved Streets within the limits of the City of Colorado, Texas, and defining:

- The moving of buildings or houses on pavement;
- The driving of spikes or wood or iron in pavement;
- The placing of warning lights on houses being moved and left in street over night;
- The driving of tractors, or vehicles over or across pavement with cleated or spiked wheels, or wheels that will deface or injure pavement, or to drive tractor or vehicle of over five tons in weight over pavement without securing permit and depositing bond or money to provide for any damage done;
- The hauling of crushed rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, brick, brick-bats and other rubbish over paved streets without preventing its being deposited, spilled or scattered thereupon;
- The construction of temporary tool, storage, cement or office buildings required in the construction of new buildings on paved streets, the storage and protection of all materials stored on pavement, the amount of street to be occupied by contractor or owner during construction period, and the securing a permit for the same.
- The assessment of a penalty and the minimum and maximum fines to be assessed, and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO, TEXAS:

Sec. 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to move or roll any house, or building of any description over, across or along any street or avenue of this city without first obtaining a written permit from the City Engineer and approved by the Mayor which permit shall specify all the condition, prescribe the route to be taken, and limit the time for such removal.

Sec. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive any spike or other thing, either of wood or iron or any other material through or into any paved street for any purpose whatsoever, except by the direction of the City Engineer.

Sec. 3. When any house is being removed and the same is left so as to occupy any portion of a public

street in the night, it shall be the duty of the mover to place a light or signals thereon, to indicate its position to persons traveling on such street.

Sec. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to drive or propel any tractor or other vehicle of any description over, across or along any paved street within the city of Colorado, equipped with cleated or spiked wheels or wheels of any description that will in any way injure or deface the paving or to drive or conduct any tractor or other vehicle of over five tons in weight or so loaded as to weigh over five tons over or along any paved street within the city of Colorado, without first obtaining a written permit from the city engineer, and shall be required to deposit with the City Secretary the sum of money which in the judgment of the City Secretary will cover and probable damage or injury to the streets, culverts or other property of the city, the street committee or city engineer shall immediately make a close inspection of the streets or streets used by said tractor or other vehicle and make a fair estimate of the damage, if any, done to same and make a written report of same to the City Secretary, who shall on receipt of report, deduct the amount of estimated damage from the amount so deposited and return the balance with an account of the damage.

Sec. 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons, hauling crushed rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, brick, brick-bats or other rubbish upon or over the paved streets of the city to allow any crushed rock, stone, sand, gravel, cinders, bricks, brick-bats or other rubbish to be deposited, spilled or scattered upon, over or along any paved street or to drop from or out of any wagon or other vehicle to paved streets. The owner or driver of such wagon or other vehicle shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction of same in the corporation court shall be punished as hereafter provided, and each day shall constitute a separate offense and be punished as such.

Sec. 6. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation of persons to erect or construct any temporary houses or buildings required as tool, storage, cement or office buildings and required in the construction of new buildings on the paved streets, and it will be required that sufficient protection be given to material placed on the streets so that traffic will not scatter it over the area left open for use as a street, and, no contractor or owner will be permitted to occupy or use during the construction of a building more than one-third of the width of the street. All owners or contractors will be required to secure from the City Engineer a written permit, which shall be approved by the Mayor, which permit shall specify all conditions, prescribe the protection to materials and drainage, the erection of houses, and width of street to be occupied.

Sec. 7. Any person violating any of the foregoing Sections, provisions, rules and regulations, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine in any sum not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$100.00.

Sec. 8. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 13th day of May, 1924.

R. H. LOONEY,
Mayor of the City of Colorado, Texas
Attest—L. A. COSTIN, Secretary of the City of Colorado, Texas.

TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE.

Joseph of Arimathea:

A member of the Sanhedrin, very wealthy and devout, who was a secret disciple of Jesus. He was not a part to the condemnation of Jesus, but lacked the courage to oppose it, but when the trial was over, and he awoke to his cowardice, he went in to Pilate and demanded the body of Jesus, which is not contrary to the practice that prevailed at that time. Interested parties, or relatives were accustomed to purchase the

bodies of those who were executed, to save them from the fate of being torn by vultures, and to give them burial.

Obtaining the body, Joseph, assisted by Nicodemus, buried Jesus in his own prepared tomb, hewn from the face of the rock.

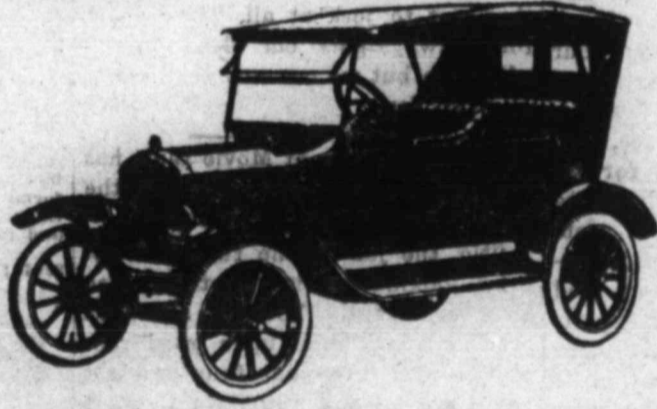
Joseph Barsabbas.

Traditionally accepted as one of the "Seventy" and the disciple who was nominated (alternative to Matthias) to take the place of Judas among the Apostles.

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Miss Lucile Guntar of Merkel attended the graduation exercises Friday night and was the guest of Miss Dale Hall.



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A deal was closed the latter part of last week whereby the Mitchell County Fair Association purchased 40 acres of land out of the Murphy tract located one mile northwest of the business section of Colorado to

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be used as a permanent fair ground. The plans of the association are to erect good exhibit buildings and other necessary equipment on the grounds before the 1924 fair which will be held there some time this fall.—Lorraine Leader.

This is a progressive step. Fairs, whether they be county, regional or state help a community. Certainly that is true of fairs in this section. Clip & Comment has said many times before that fairs are a valuable asset, but for fear that some of the folks might not have read it, he's repeating the statement now. Abilene's fair is along with the rest of them in being an asset and a valuable asset to this city.—Abilene Reporter.

Mary Succeeds on Main Street

By LAURA MILLER

ONE LAWYER'S WORK

Good lawyers are such accurate-minded folk that I shall feel safer if I share Florence Monahan's letter with you word for word. Otherwise some phrase would be sure to get to a wrong-twisted meaning, I know.

STATE REFORMATORY FOR WOMEN

Florence Monahan, Superintendent, Shakopee, Minn.

Dear Mrs. Miller:

Born in Chicago, I have always lived in a city until I took charge of this institution four years ago. However, I may say that I like living in the small town very much better than in the city.

I began my work as a schoolteacher, as so many women do. While teaching school I studied law and, after receiving my degree, I went into the Minnesota children's bureau to handle illegitimacy cases. This bureau carries out the model children's laws of Minnesota. The bureau is under our state board of control, and when the reformatory for women was opened the board of control thought that, through my experience with all sorts of girls, I could manage this institution.

We have an average population of about sixty women, all over eighteen years of age. Our average age is about thirty years. Women are sentenced here for felonies and gross misdemeanors. We have all the women convicted of any crime which carries with it a sentence of more than a year, including life prisoners. I have eight women on my staff and five men.

You will see that it is rather difficult for me to answer your questions in regard to the average girl starting in to work. It seems to me that whether she starts in a big city or a small town does not matter so much as her own ability in whatever work she tries to do.

I am intensely interested in the League of Women Voters and have been on the state board since it was organized, and previous to that time I was on the state board of the old suffrage organization.

Very truly yours,
FLORENCE MONAHAN,
Superintendent.

FEED CROPS FOR WEST TEXAS

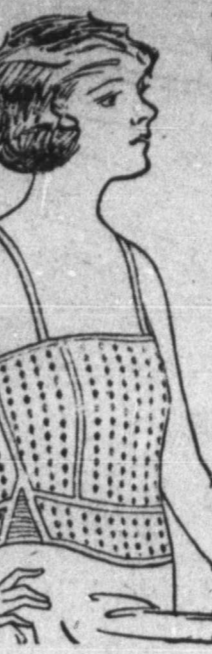
The grain sorghums are the dependable feed crops in the western half of Texas, and the farms of this area produce roughly 50 per cent of the grain sorghums grown in the United States. Yet with this record of production there is little surplus of these grains in any particular

section and a large shortage over the area as a whole. There is scarcely any town of considerable size that has not unloaded from 50 to 100 carloads of corn or oats for feed on the farms and the expenditure for these feeds is running into the thousands of dollars for every community.

There are several reasons for our shortage of feed and one of them is year or two, coupled with an insufficient acreage of these crops during years of comparatively low rainfall. In competition with cotton and wheat the feed crop acreage is always the loser. There was a time four or five years ago when grain sorghums were cash crops in this section of the state as a general rule, and there was a plentiful supply for exporting to other parts of the state and to other states. It would seem that with our increasing cotton acreage we are about to become a feed importing rather than a feed exporting section. But the signs are more hopeful and more consideration is being given the feed crops this year by thoughtful and successful farmers than for several years. There is a firm determination not to be caught with insufficient feed another year. I have talked with numbers of farmers about their feed problems recently and they seem unanimous in their plans to give the sorghums first consideration this year.

West Texas needs a good feed crop this year, and conditions at this time look good for its production, but it is time to play safe. There will be a big acreage of cotton planted, but it should not be at the expense of the milo and kafir acreage. Is the farmer of West Texas going to get caught in the whirlwind of that vicious merry-go-round, the "cotton circle," and grow more cotton to get more cash to buy more feed to grow more cotton, etc., without end? It is not likely, for we cannot be prosperous under such a program. It is a long freight haul from the Corn Belt to West Texas and the freight on a carload of feed will eat up a sight of profit on a cotton crop.

We have at our front door one of the greatest potential grain areas, the Grain Sorghum Belt in the United States, and it must not be neglected. We look for a good crop of the grain sorghum this year, but the safe thing to do is to plant good seed of adapted varieties and do not stop cultivating until the weeds are safely out of the way.



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THE DODGE GARAGE

It is safe to say that more than a million fish are lost every year by pullin' too quick.—Plainview News.

Just wien to jerk is the question. Granted that fish are lost by jerking to soon, how is a man to know every time when to jerk and when not to jerk? The old rule was to wait until the cork goes out of sight. However, there is no need of this jerking business on the Plains. Liars will always catch fish, jerk or no jerk.—Scurry Co. Times.

Its lots better to jerk to quick than not to jerk at all. The Record force always gets 'em when they go after 'em but we can not get time to go after 'em.

Charlie Chaplin of Movie fame has been offered the nomination for the presidency and here is his reply.

"No, the job has no future. What I am looking for is something nice and permanent. You get a job as president and build up a good reputation and then your four or eight years are up and you have to start life all over again."



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W. A. CROWDER, MRS. H. B. BROADDUS,
R. P. PRICE AND W. W. PORTER, Committee.



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Evangelist

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The Ministerial Association,
Colorado, Texas.

Gentlemen:—On the 20th, inst., we had a letter from Rev. O. E. Hamilton, stating that you had written the Cumby people in regard to character and work that Rev. O. E. Hamilton did in Cumby. No one here has ever at any time had a letter or any inquiry about his work. It is a pleasure to us to answer any inquiry of Rev. O. E. Hamilton. Last year he held a union meeting in Cumby, which we deem a great success, and we consider it a great pleasure in securing a man like him to hold a meeting for the town and community. All denominations were highly pleased with the way he conducts a union meeting. We would be glad to answer any other inquiries that you might ask.

Yours very truly,
O. R. ODOM, J. H. McGUIRE, T. A. MILLER, Methodist
W. B. JUNELL, GUY MORGAN, J. B. LEWIS, Baptist
C. J. TAYLOR, C. W. BOLIN, J. R. RECORD, Presbyterian
D. H. GREERS, J. F. WEAVER, C. A. BREWER, Christian

Mr. Chester Harris, the third member of the party will have charge of the personal workers and assist in directing the chorus. He has been associated with the world's leading evangelists such as Smith, Scoville and Stevens. He is one of the best known personal work evangelists in the country.

Big Worker, Weighs 320

COLORADO BOOSTER BAND WINS 2ND PLACE AT MEET

The Colorado Booster Band won second prize in the band contest at Brownwood during the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention last week, being defeated for first place by the Plainview chamber of commerce band, considered among the best bands in Texas. The Plainview band won first prize at San Angelo last year.

The Colorado band was one of the most popular bands visiting the con-

vention and easily won its way into the hearts of thousands of the visitors. It was the favorite among the thousands of delegates and scores of delegations.

The band boys did three days and nights of strenuous work at the convention in keeping Colorado constantly before the people who thronged the convention city. Colorado should never forget to remain loyal to the men in this organization, as the band is one of the best assets the city has.

AN ENGAGEMENT WELL RECEIVED

By MYRTA DAVIES

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PAULINE had been engaged more times than all the rest of the girls in town put together.

Then along came Ezra Dustin—dark, big, quiet (apparently)—a new local manager of the telegraph and telephone company.

For the first time in Pauline's engaging young life, it looked as if she was stage struck, spellbound, call it what you will.

"Clever miss!" sighed the young married women who saw Pauline's faults as well as her virtues. "Contrast with the other girls is what she's working for. Can you beat it? But you don't see Ezra Dustin falling for her, do you?"

It was true. It looked as if either the fame of the little philanderer's doings had reached young Dustin's canny ears and made him wary.

One day it would be Ruth Larkin, escorted to the theater in the Dustin runabout, another day it would be Molly Roads who hiked over the fells with him, and so on, until, to be frank, the whole town had to confess that there wasn't a girl in the place except Pauline Phelps to whom Ezra Dustin had not shown some delightful attention.

Even little pink-haired Mary Saunders had twice been taken to dances by Ezra—Mary who had never been anywhere much. But Pauline sat on the sidelines, or trotted about, very seldom, though—and primly, with the nice boys she had been engaged to, and somehow it seemed she had lost all the zest of the great game she knew so amazingly well.

Then with the speed of a prairie express, the news spread through the town that Ezra was engaged to marry Ruth. Ruth herself did not deny the report, and certain it was that on the Saturday night dance program she let the handsome stranger have fully three-fourths of the dances. The town was thrilled. This particular thrill lasted till the Centre lawn party, when Ezra danced attention to Molly like a medieval gallant, and the next day Molly appeared with a blazing stone, presumably a diamond, set in silvery stuff, presumably platinum. This thrill lasted until Molly stopped wearing the ring, and little Mary began to go driving with Ezra every evening and to get pinker and prettier. Meantime, Ezra succeeded in doing good work for the Tel. & Tel. office, and six months after the beginning of his campaign as company manager

and knight of the town, he was promoted to the position of company manager in the next city. The question was, would he accept and, if he did, whom would he take with him?

Ezra accepted, and for several weeks before leaving town, as far as onlookers could discern, attended strictly to telegraph and telephone business. During those weeks Ruth announced her engagement to the local dentist, Molly told quite frankly that the ring had been a joke, and had cost exactly ten cents, and little Mary and Pauline held their peace. Moreover, they held it together. They got more and more intimate, walked together, drove together, shopped and embroidered together, and what they talked together for some fine goodness only knew.

When it all did come out, talk about thrills! It was one of the most thrilling thrills that had ever struck the place, because nobody had suspected it. The whole story was revealed at the farewell party the Tel. & Tel. folks gave in honor of their enterprising young manager.

During the evening Ezra punctiliously danced with every girl in the hall, cutting in gallantly, and including even Pauline and Mary in his attentions. At the close of the evening the Tel. & Tel. company presented Ezra with a monogrammed gold pencil, and Ezra, after expressing his thanks, spoke a few words in addition.

"Friends!" he said, laughing frankly, "you all know I've been acting the flirt since I've been among you. It's natural as breathing. Always has been."

"Just like Pauline!" The townfolks nudged one another. Dustin caught the whisper.

"Exactly," he smiled. "Just like Miss Pauline Phelps, and neither of us has ever meant any harm, but from the time I met Pauline two years ago (eyes got bigger) at the shore, all during our most interesting correspondence (eyes popping wide) up to the present moment, we have both been sure that when the time came for us to go on our honeymoon together we'd be through with flirtation and ready to settle down in something pretty close to bliss with each other."

The town gasped.

"Pauline stopped flirting before I did," grinned Ezra. "She played the demure game and got away with it. I think we thought it would be fun to keep you all guessing. Oh, by the way, Mary Saunders is my cousin. Come here, Mary, and make your bow. Come, Pauline, don't let the man do all the talking. Come to see us, everybody. We'll try to give you a good time."

Pauline smiled demurely. She felt demure, confiding, adoring.

GET A PARK

Governor Neff devoted almost the whole of his speech at Brownwood to the subject of state and county parks. As the Governor sees it, the people of Texas have no more important task before them than that of providing suitable parks for present and future generations to enjoy.

"Breathing places," he called them.

Up to a short time ago, when the state park board began to function, Texas did not own a foot of park ground. Now several fine sites are owned by the state, thanks to the generosity and patriotism of individuals and communities.

If Abilene and Taylor county sleep on their rights and fail to provide park sites in this county now while the thing is possible, they will be denying future generations one of the greatest boons.

There are any number of beautiful natural parks in this county. Among the beautiful hills to the south and southwest of Abilene are scores of such places. Around Buffalo Gap and other sections of the mountain country could be established magnificent parks that would be the pride not only of the entire county but of the state as well.

We should do something about this park business before it is too

late. Let us get busy and see to it that the county has one or more "breathing places."—Abilene Reporter
The above is applicable to Colorado and Mitchell County. Right now the city and county should take steps to have a small state park at Seven Wells.

Missionary Meeting.

There was an unusual large number in attendance at the Baptist missionary meeting Monday. Mrs. W. W. Porter and Mrs. M. C. Ratliff led the program on the "Sisterhood of the Americas." The bible lesson was "Partakers in Grace." The offering was \$4.75. Mrs. R. O. Pearson and Mrs. Lindley were hostesses and served mint, iced tea with little cakes. Mrs. Frank Bell of Tyler was a guest.

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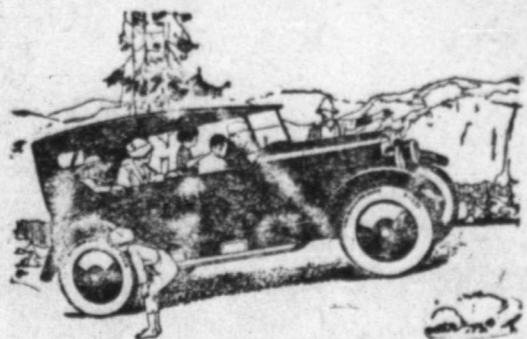
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WHAT CONSTITUTES GOOD AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP

A paper read at graduating exercises by Robert Whipkey, valedictorian, class of '24, Colorado High school.

Americanism! What is it, anyway? We've always heard people talking about the spirit of Americanism but doubtless very few of us could really explain what it means, and no two persons would give the same interpretation of the term. But I believe everyone would, if the question were considered seriously, give definitions that would be very similar. We all have an idea of what Americanism means; we all know that its some-

thing big and fine—something that makes one really better.

But that's all most of us know. We're not even sure that we have the spirit ourselves—few of us have; as few could honestly say, "I am a true American," as say, "I am a true Christian."

Indeed Americanism and Christianity are closely related. Like Christianity, Americanism is a word that cannot easily be defined.

Some great American has said that Americanism is a new consciousness that life is service, and that true power is embodied in right rather than might; it is the turning point in the progress of humanity, opening a new country before the wayfarer, wherein tolerance vighs with justice.

Considering that, isn't there some relation of Americanism and Christianity?

Consider, however, that we know that has done us no good. The question that confronts the people of the United States today is that of instilling the principles of Americanism into the souls of living a useful life and accomplishing something worth while.

How can we ever have a citizenship that is truly American? It is really a serious problem. One thing greatly to advantage is the fact that America is not made. She may not develop in area, but she will along every other line. It is because of her immaturity that America can stand the strain of outward forces—can conquer these forces and become stronger than ever.

America is truly a land of opportunity—a land that will grow with

the new population and the younger citizens. So, if we start training for good American citizenship now, and do our work thoroughly, the new America, the nation that will have become mature, will be a nation that is truly great because it is composed of a truly great citizenship—citizens who have the spirit of Americanism as part of them. The work will be difficult—it will call for sacrifice and labor. As Hon. James Bryce said, "No government gives so much to its citizens as the United States, but, at the same time, no government demands so much of them." But we can, if we will. We can do work that will be the most worthy ever undertaken.

Naturally, to deal with the citizenship, we must go to its unit, the individual. That is the only way the problem can be effectively solved. When the individual can learn to be a real American, then the whole citizenship will be ideal—those few who were not Americans would soon be lost in the rush of progress that the new citizenship would achieve. The work, then, is to be concerned with the individual.

One thing must be learned by every man—he must respect the rights of others. That is the first quality characteristic of good citizenship. He must learn that there are others who wish as much rights as himself. It can be summed up in the one word—duty. The individual has his own duties to perform and just as much duty not to interfere with others in their work.

Again, the individual must have wise ideas and convictions of his own—he must have strength and courage in defending those principles he believes to be right, and teach others of his kind—help them to see the right ideals of Americanism. Whether Democratic, Socialist, or any party partisan, he must have beliefs in line with American ideals—beliefs that are essentially good for all the people.

Once a little boy, who had recently been given a sound spanking, and was talking to his sister. "What are we here for, anyway?" he asked. The little sister, who was evidently a true American, answered, "Why to help others." Well, then," said the little pessimist, "What are the others here for?"

That's about the attitude most of us take. We show no effort to help those who are weaker and need aid, but selfishly look out for our own interests. The real American must be one who helps his fellow man in every way possible. Even if we are good ourselves, America can never have a real citizenship until we help those who know nothing of Americanism. The duty we owe to men is, in reality, the same duty we owe to our government. Fulfill that duty to mankind and we will have given our best to our government.

Two of the duties that every individual owes to all Americans, to the government and to himself, are those of voting and tax-paying. Ever real American will attend to both duties. Our whole government depends upon those in the high offices, but those men depend upon the people who put them there. If we do not vote for the man who we believe has the power to hold the office, then we are literally being traitors to democracy.



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The individual must be a man. He must have an acute sense of right, hold honor, truth and self-control in high esteem and put these virtues into practice. He must be honorable in all his dealings or he's not American, no matter if he was born and reared here; he must be truthful to every one and more especially to himself; he must exert his self-control at all times, for it will be necessary in his work with all classes of people.

Moreover, the true spirit of Americanism stands particularly for right justice, liberty under the law, and government under the Constitution. Those words are self-explanatory. The individual has a job to look after those virtues but they are necessary for the making of a true American—they are merely the fundamentals of Americanism.

The individual must be law-abiding. That is one trouble with America today—we are too lax with our laws. Our laws are good but we pay no attention to them. We must obey the law or there soon won't be any nation. The individual must obey the law and help to see that others obey it.

Finally, and most important, each man must be a Christian. No person could have all the other qualities, unless she was a God-fearing man, and had the love of Christ in his heart. It is the greatest necessity.

The best and only way to work at the individual is through the home and the school. Those two institutions are the fundamentals of American life—that is where ideas, and habits are formed. Consequently, there can we form minds along the right lines and with the right ideas.

So, with a citizenship made up of individuals with the mentioned characteristics, we would have a real citizenship—a body of peoples that would form a perfect union. So, let us work for the new America—may she have a good citizenship.

OVER PRESIDENT VETO
Washington, May.—The house today passed the soldier's bonus bill over President Coolidge's veto.

Party lines vanished as supporters of the measure piled up a comfortable margin over the two-thirds majority required on such a vote.

Enactment into law or final defeat of the bill now is up to the senate where a closer result is expected. The house vote was 313 to 78.

The bill thus received 52 more votes than the required two-thirds.

An auto trip over Mitchell County this week reveals the fact that the entire County is now re-planted and much of it already up. Feed in most places looks fine and cotton can be seen in many fields growing nicely. With a good rain in June (and it always rains in June) a bumper crop is assured.

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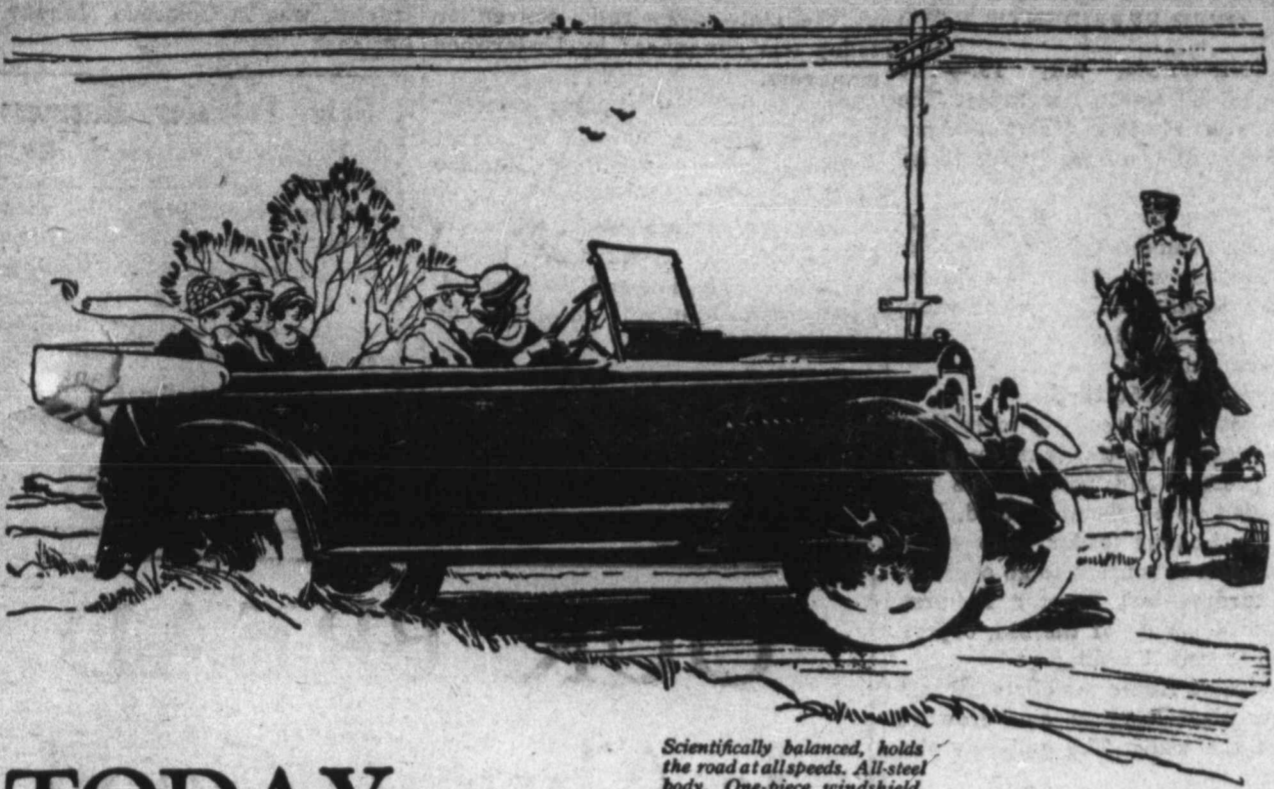
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The Legion boys here should throw in with Big Spring and make the celebration a two-county affair.

FERGUSON IS BARRED OF THE TICKET

Houston.—Judge Ewing Bird this afternoon granted an injunction to prevent the state democratic committee from placing the name of James E. Ferguson on the official ballot in the July primary as a candidate for governor.

The proceedings were brought against the committee and Ferguson to prevent the former governor's name being officially on the ticket. It was claimed that impeachment proceedings had made him ineligible. In long argument today his attorneys sought to show that the impeachment proceedings had been illegal.

The court held that the Ferguson impeachment was legal, and that he therefore was disqualified.

Lawrence Simpson returned Wednesday from a visit in Waco to see his mother, who has been quite sick but when he left she was getting along nicely.—Big Spring Herald.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

Mrs. Poindexter writing to the Associated Press from Washington, says: "To my mind the question of prohibition in itself is much less important than the matter of setting ourselves straight upon the matter of law enforcement. We should not advocate laws unless we really want them; we should not urge them for somebody else while we plan to evade them ourselves. And when we get laws we ought to stand by them; that is an elementary principle of citizenship."

I have learned recently that a distinguished group of American public men went abroad last summer, and were generously entertained in foreign lands; but every one, I hear refrained from drinking alcoholic liquors except where to have done so would have tended to cause offense, and they did so simply because they felt that the laws on their statute books at home were there to be obeyed. I feel that they took an honorable stand in the matter. But I wonder how many European tourists will follow their example.

POULTRY

FEEDING BABY CHICKS IS IMPORTANT WORK

Feeding the baby chick is important because of the fact that a good start means good growth, early maturity, and healthy stock, says D. H. Hall, extension poultry specialist at Clemson college, who suggests below when, how, and what to feed the young chicks.

A good many people make a mistake by feeding the baby chicks too early after they are hatched. The chicks can go without food for at least 48 hours after they are hatched. During this period they are allowed time to absorb the yolk material left in their bodies and to put their bodies into condition for receiving other food.

The first food that should be given a baby chick is buttermilk, as it is a good protein and also contains much lactic acid. The lactic acid forms an unfavorable medium for the development of white diarrhea. White diarrhea is one of the most dreaded diseases of baby chicks, and to guard against this disease buttermilk should be kept before the baby chicks at all times.

After the baby chicks have had a drink of buttermilk, the next feed should be given as a soft feed. Hard-boiled infertile eggs mixed with an equal part of cornmeal is a mighty good starter. The eggs furnish protein and the cornmeal furnishes heat and energy. When the eggs cannot be obtained, it is a good idea to start the baby chicks off on one-half pound of meat meal mixed with five pounds of cornmeal, which can be fed damp with buttermilk.

After being fed either of the above mixtures for one week the chicks should be gradually weaned off to the regular mash and scratch feeds. A good scratch feed consists of the following:

- 1 part pinhead oats
- 2 parts cracked wheat
- 4 parts cracked corn

The above should be fed as a scratch feed and the baby chicks allowed to scratch in the litter for it. The dry mash should contain the following parts:

- 40 pounds cornmeal
- 20 pounds wheat middlings
- 10 pounds wheat bran
- 10 pounds finely ground oats
- 15 pounds meat scraps
- 5 pounds peanut meal or soy bean meal

The above scratch and mash feeds can be fed to the baby chicks until they are three months old. After the chicks are three months old they can be placed on the regular scratch feed and mash.

Leg Weakness in Chicks

From Lack of Vitamins

Feeding is a factor in prevention of poultry disease. A ration should be fed that contains not only the proper amount of fat, carbohydrates, and proteins, but also the essential vitamins. Vitamins are best supplied by green feed. Green feed should be given to the birds daily. A disease known as nutritional disease results from lack of the proper vitamins, but more important than this is the danger of lowering the resistance of the fowls and thus making them susceptible to more serious diseases, says W. R. Hinshaw, instructor in bacteriology, Kansas State Agricultural college.

Young chicks are especially susceptible to the deficiency disease caused by lack of vitamin D. Weak legs result from the lack of this vitamin, and this can be corrected by giving small quantities of cod liver oil. Direct sunlight has the same effect as cod liver oil in correcting this condition, so that sunlight may be considered a factor in health feeding. When direct sunlight is available nutritional rickets or weak legs can be prevented if the chicks are allowed to get plenty of it, according to Mr. Hinshaw.

Poultry Notes

Successful poultry raisers hatch early for winter-laying pullets.

If the turkey hen wants to wean the brood early, there's little use to interfere by cooping them together. In such a case the hen is likely to kill or maim part or all of the brood.

In getting the machine ready for the eggs, be sure that the incubator is running evenly and maintaining a uniform temperature. The machine should be run for several days before the eggs are placed in it.

Do not brood too many chicks in one flock, because it does not pay to raise too many chicks under one stove. If a great number is to be brooded it will be cheaper in the end to buy another stove.

Give a flying start to little chicks by feeding them chick grit and sour milk or buttermilk when they are first hatched.

Incubators should be of good construction and run where drafts, sudden temperature changes and direct sunlight cannot reach them.

Baby chicks hatched out during April must receive the best kind of food to keep them growing, for it will take a little pushing to mature them before winter.

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Caustic Soda 1/4 lbs
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Rev. W. M. Elliott returned Thursday of last week from St. Louis, where he attended an important national meeting of Boy Scouts of America leaders. Rev. Mr. Elliott, who is scout master at Colorado, reports the St. Louis meeting as having been successful.

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SENATE PASSES BONUS BILL OVER PRESIDENT'S VETO

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Bonus bill became a law today. The Senate overrode President Coolidge's veto by the two-thirds majority necessary.

The House overrode it Saturday. The vote came within half an hour after the bill was called up by Senator Curtis, Kansas, Republican whip, shortly after 2 o'clock, all debate being dispersed with.

The vote was 59 to 26. The vote was two votes more than the necessary two-thirds majority of those present and voting. The bill was called up by Senator Reed, Missouri, anti-bonus leader, who asked the unanimous consent to go over until Saturday, but Senator Ashurst, Arizona, advocate of the bill, objected and forced the bill.

Crowds of House members thronged into the Chamber and crowded around the walls. The galleries also were filled.

TO SURVEY CITY

Announcement of a storage warehouse in Sweetwater for distribution purposes was made here Friday by L. T. Pritchard and J. Steve Anderson, president and vice-president respectively of the West Texas Refining Co., which is constructing a 1500 barrel refinery in Colorado. The refinery will be completed by June 10 it was stated, at an investment of \$150,000.

The new refinery will use crude from the Mitchell County field, which is said to be of a naphthene base, making it ideal for gasoline. Only one other field in the world, in Roumania produces crude oil of this character.

Both Mr. Pritchard and Mr. Anderson are from Oklahoma City where they have extensive refinery interests. They were in Sweetwater for the purpose of making a survey of the city. Arrangements for the retail sale of the gas will be made later.

UNDERWOOD IS OUT

Lexington, Ky.—Withdrawal of the presidential candidacy of Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Ala. from the prospective contest with W. G.

McAdoo for the Kentucky delegation in the state democratic convention today was announced by Underwood managers.

"In the interests of party success" was the reason given.

The decision, according to McAdoo managers, gave the former Treasury Secretary unchallenged claim to Kentucky's twenty-six votes in the national convention and forecast adoption of a unit rule resolution by the state convention.

C. E. Danner of Westbrook spent a few hours in Colorado Monday.

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J. M. Morgan, Big Spring contractor, was in Colorado Monday on business.

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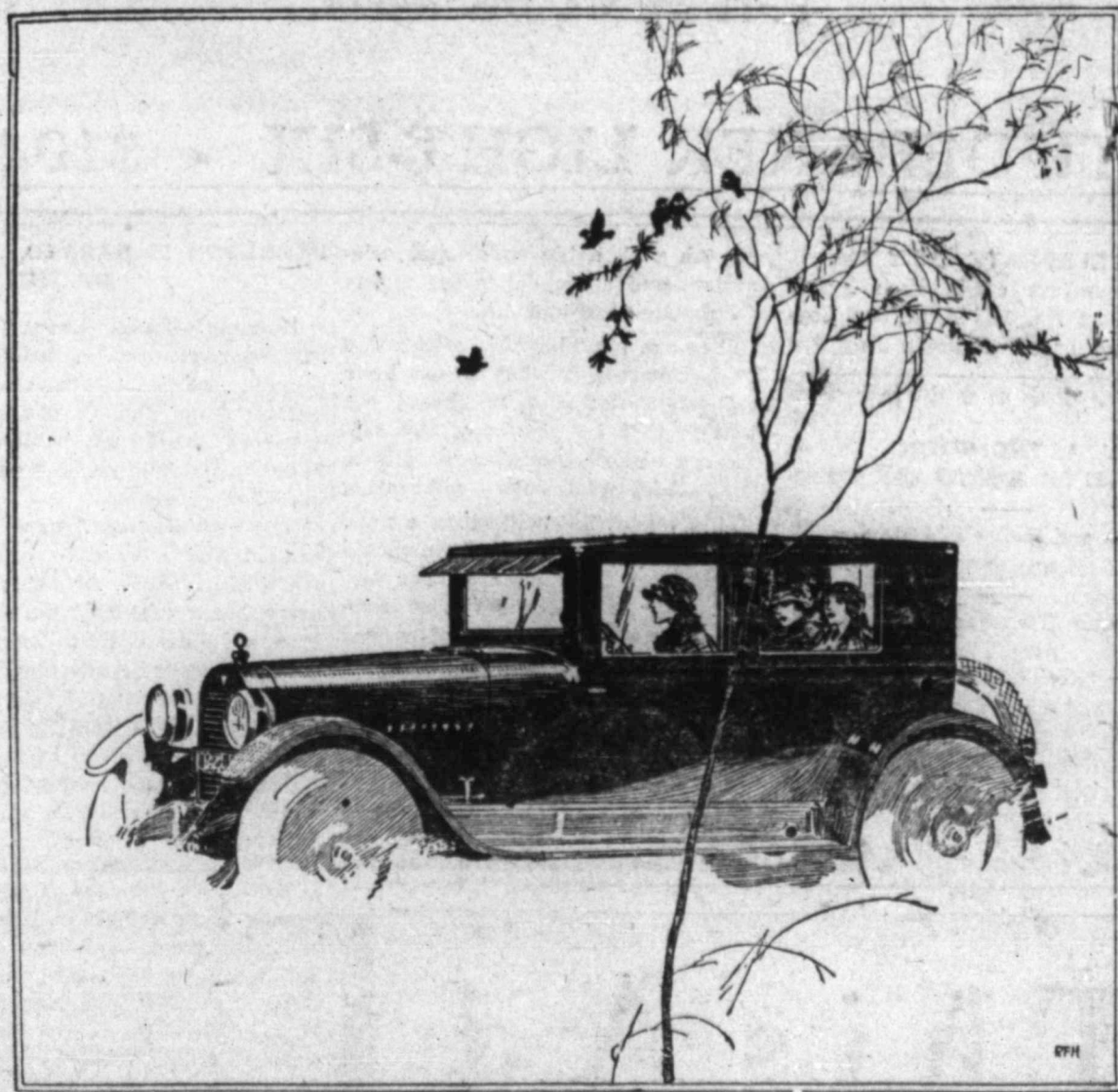
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