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Orient Headquarters to Remain Here

The Orient Injunction Suit

Facts Concerning the Controversy—Sweetwater Will Win.

Our people are doubtless anxious to know something about the Orient injunction case now pending in the Supreme Court and about the new case just filed.

We are reliably informed that the judgment of the Supreme Court does not become final until the overruling of a motion for a new hearing which may be filed within fifteen days after the rendition of all opinions.

Therefore, the opinion of the Supreme court proposing to dissolve the injunction which has been in force since January 1908, has not become final and the Orient people are violating that injunction in moving anything of its shops, general offices, etc. away from here.

We are reliably informed that it has been moving its machine shops, force, tools, etc. away from here to San Angelo for several nights, and it was making careful and secret preparations to move out at once all of its general offices, records and force without awaiting the action of the Supreme Court on the motion for rehearing.

The lawyers tell us that the opinion of the Supreme court in the case, filed in the face of the law in undertaking to render the case instead of sending it back to the District Court for another trial, and they feel confident that upon the motion for rehearing the court will remand the case for another trial.

But, upon the anxiety of the Orient to get away, the pending injunction (the contrary notwithstanding, becoming apparent. Some of the minority stockholders in the company whose money went into the construction of the first bit of the road,

having the right, according to advice of the most eminent legal counsel in the state, to see that its charter provisions should be enforced providing for the maintenance of its general offices at Sweetwater, and the various contracts of the company and its successors for the establishment and maintenance of its machine shops, round house, etc., at Sweetwater, Texas, complied with, got busy and sued out another and a separate injunction from the pending case.

The opinion of the Supreme Court holds with the City of Sweetwater on practically all points, except to say that there was no evidence that McCaulley as vice-President of the Orient, had the authority sued on.

The injunction just served enjoins the Orient from amending its charter so as to remove its offices away from Sweetwater, Texas, removing its general offices, its machine shops etc., away from Sweetwater and to return to Sweetwater, such of these as have been removed from here.

Sweetwater and her people feel that right and justice are on their side and they propose to fight for those rights till they are recognized.

The last injunction is more sweeping than the first one.

Our people are so well pleased with our paved streets that already another bond issue is being talked of to greatly extend the work.

Orient Officials Enjoined From Removing To Any Other Place. Minority Stockholders of K. C. M. & O. Ry. Co. Granted Injunction by District Judge Shepherd

RIGHT WILL FINALLY PREVAIL

And Sweetwater Relying Upon the Justness of Her Cause will Again Go Into the Courts to Maintain what is Justly Hers

"Right will prevail," is an adage that is almost as old as time itself, and if there were those who believed for one moment that the progressive, loyal citizenship of Sweetwater were going to sit by and see what is

justly theirs by right of contract, and what justly belongs to them from every standard of justice, slip out of their grasp, they had misjudged the character and manhood of our people.

Sweetwater people are not a people to contend for what is not justly theirs, but at the same time they are not a people to throw up their hands or raise the white flag at every place when the time for action comes.

Minority Stockholders Are Busy.

Relying upon the absolute justness of their cause, the minority

stockholders of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Ry. Co. had issued in their favor a writ of injunction yesterday afternoon forbidding that company from removing their Headquarters from this city. The minority stock-

holders of the Company mentioned in the papers are S. A. Cole, R. A. Ragland, Ellis Douthit and J. H. Beall.

The following committee of citizens appeared before District Judge Sheppard yesterday afternoon and presented the papers setting forth their plea and contentions: J. H. Beall, J. V. W. Holmes, S. D. Myres and R. C. Crane. After careful consideration of every phase of the question at issue, Judge Sheppard granted the writ restraining the company from removing their headquarters from the city, and

at a late hour last night the papers were properly served upon the officials of the road.

Throw up your hands for joy, bring out The Booster Band, shout out the good news, let the rejoicing and the world know

with their end of the same document. Fortunately for this goodly city she is favored not only with a big hearted, loyal citizenship, but she has among her citizenship some of the brainiest men in the state who are loyal and true, through and through, to their town's best interests and who guard with a jealous eye the rights that are so justly here.

Will Fight to Maintain Rights

Yes, the Orient Texas Headquarters belong to Sweetwater and this goodly city is where our people propose to see that they are maintained. Our citizenship have lived up to their contract

with their end of the same document.

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Sweetwater will maintain the Orient Headquarters, for the simple reason that to her they justly belong. The fight is on in earnest and every loyal citizen of the town who wants to see right prevail rally to the aid of their town and neighbors and fight the battle to a finish until victory has been won and their rights in the premises maintained.

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Madero Enters Mexico City

In Triumph. Greatest Ovation Tendered in the History of the Mexican Capitol.

Special to The Reporter.

Mexico City, June 7.—Francisco I. Madero arrived here this morning amid the wildest enthusiasm on the part of the largest crowds ever gathered in the capitol. The demonstration which was made as Madero was driven from the station to the palace, and thence to the home of his father, was the greatest the capitol has witnessed in a generation.

Great throngs followed the carriage in a noisy but friendly procession, but amid the popular rejoicing could be detected an undercurrent of resentment by an unrecruited aristocratic element, which looked on silent but not unmoved. A score of other trains proceeded Madero's special into the city, having gone out yesterday to meet him at different stations.

Immediately upon Madero's arrival here he was handed a wreath by Senora Aguila Serdan, widow of one of the first revolutionists killed at Puebla who fought herself after her husband's death. Without a word she tendered the flowers to Madero while the great crowds cheered.

EARTHQUAKE IN MEXICO CITY.

Shocks Registered at Washington Falls to Stop Madero's Ovation—Seventy Killed.

Special to The Reporter. Washington, June 7.—Seismographs throughout the country were jarred today by one of the most severe earthquakes recorded in several years.

Seventy Killed.

Mexico City, June 7.—Killed fifty and seventy were killed by an earthquake here at four this morning. Several buildings were wrecked including army headquarters, where seventy soldiers were buried in the ruins. Several people were killed by the collapse of a building occupied by the street railway and power plant at Buena Vista. The shock was followed by a gas explosion at the armory, which added horror.

The oscillations here were from north to south, and fissures were opened in the streets. Abode houses throughout the city crumbled, but the dead in these are not yet known. The only known foreigner killed was a Chinaman. The warehouse at the Central Station collapsed, killing an engineer. One of the walls of the National Palace was cracked, displacing a keystone of one arch, while the ancient cathedral of Santo Domingo was badly damaged. The quake occurred just before the arrival of Madero but did not stop his ovation.

CASE AFFIRMED.

Special to The Reporter. Austin, Tex., June 7.—The third court of civil appeals today affirmed the case of Mary B. Elliott against the city of Brownwood, holding the city not liable for damages for the death of O. S. Elliott, who was killed by a defective bridge.

WARSHIPS AT GALVESTON.

Special to The Reporter. Galveston, Tex., June 7.—Battleships of the third division of the Atlantic fleet arrived here today and will remain until next Monday. From here the vessels will go to Pensacola Fla., and thence to Provincetown, Mass. On account of the warm weather Mobile has been eliminated from the itinerary.

The Texas Lime Company

To Be Incorporated for \$25,000 Capital Stock. An Important Industry.

The Texas Lime Co. is the name of a newly organized company in this city. The company is composed of a number of Sweetwater's most successful business men and capitalists together with a few stockholders residing elsewhere.

The company will be incorporated and capitalized with a capital of \$25,000. The headquarters of the company will be maintained in this city while the lime and rock works will be near Maryneal.

The offices of the company are T. J. O'Donnell, Pres.; Jesse Scott, vice President and R. D. Maxley, Sec. and Treas.

It has long since been demonstrated that the Maryneal rock make the very best quality of lime and the company proposes to develop this industry into a big business.

RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION.

The Retail Merchants' Association will meet at their office in the Crane & Bradford building tomorrow night. All retail merchants of the city are requested to attend.

CAPTAIN HATCHETT DEAD.

Special to The Reporter. Vernon, Tex., June 7.—Capt. Sheme Hatchett, tax assessor of Wilbarger county, who served in the civil war under Gen. Cabell, died here today aged 64 years.

\$30,000 more invested in paved streets would make Sweetwater show up in great shape.

Citizen's Mass Meeting Tonight

Mass Meeting Will Be Held at Air Dome Tonight. Red Hot Speeches and Resolutions Feature of Program.

A Citizen's meeting has been called to convene at the Air dome tonight and it is urged that every citizen who has the best interests of the city at heart attend this very important meeting.

As stated in the Reporter special issued this morning, this city proposes to retain the Orient headquarters and at the meeting tonight speeches will be made and resolutions offered with reference to the proposition.

You are urged to come out. We are in this fight to win and win we will.

Remember the place of meeting—at the Air dome tonight.

LADY HAPPENS TO SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Mrs. Green, wife of the roadmaster for the Santa Fe Ry. Co. happened to a very serious accident this morning. In stepping from the back porch, fell dislocating an ankle and breaking her leg in three places.

A physician was hastily summoned and last reports from her bedside state she is resting as well as could be expected.

Though they have only resided here for a short time, these excellent people have made numerous friends in the city who sympathize with them and truly hope that Mrs. Green will soon recover.

Two reels of pictures will be run at the Park Pavilion each night this week with the little Densmore girls in two acts. Price 10 cents.

SALE FAILED.

Special to The Reporter. Dalhart, Tex., June 7.—No bids were made on the Enid, Ochiltree & Western at the sale held here yesterday. A new sale has been set for July 12. W. B. Channing bought the rolling stock.

If you don't know the little Densmore sisters, don't show your ignorance by telling anyone the fact. They have played the best Majestic Theatres in the South. Price 10c.

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Take a day off and see the best part of the country. Plenty of water. Plenty of shade. Free balloon ascension. Basket picnic. Special excursion trains on the Santa Fe from Coleman and Sweetwater. Free Automobiles from Ovalo to all persons arriving over the Abilene & Southern from either the north or the south. Come see what we have whether you want to buy or not. Five choice lots given away absolutely free to those attending the sale. Every man, woman and child will be given a chance at these lots. The only condition is that you be present at the sale. Don't forget the date--THURSDAY, JUNE 8TH, 1911

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Poking fun at the country press is still a favorite indoor sport with the, so to speak, humorous writers of the metropolitan newspapers. One can imagine the unholy glee which lighted up the eyes of Franklin P. Adams, the funny man of the New York Evening Mail, as he lamped the following item in the Coos County (N. H.) Democrat:

Selling puzzles by prizes picture

puzzles is to become labor if certain manufacturers and dealers have their way. The new York delegation to the convention to be held in Chicago next week by the National Association of Piano Dealers will push a resolution to make war on the alleged misleading advertising methods of some piano firm. It is admitted that there is now much fraud in the piano business, and an effort will be made to eliminate all dealers guilty of such practices.

One hundred thousand dollars damages is the sum demanded by President James M. Lynch, of the International Typographical Union, from President John Kirby, Jr., and the twenty directors of the National Manufacturers' Association. The suit is based on a resolution passed by the directors of the Manufacturers' Association, in which it was stated that "the long-continued, cowardly and recklessly illegal determination of the International Typographical Union to destroy the business of the Los Angeles Times, has terminated in the destruction of the Times plant by dynamite."

If there are those who thought for a moment that the unfavorable decision of the Supreme Court in the Orient matter would cast a shadow upon this city and thereby check her growth, such persons have still another guess coming. They evidently had misjudged the things upon which this city based her growth. The Orient shops here, in the manner in which they have been developed, have been a matter of very small moment to Sweetwater. In fact, for the last two years questions of so much greater magnitude have been before our citizens that this matter has received very little attention from the public at large. No, Sweetwater will continue to grow regardless of what the Orient does in the premises.

What looks like a deep, dark conspiracy to lower the number of June weddings and therefore reduce the baby crop of 1912 has been discovered in New York. Will somebody please tell Teddy? According to furniture jobbers of New York, a big jump in prices of all the cheaper kinds of furniture will probably follow the restriction in the output of the factories. Beginning today, it is said, and continuing at least to the first of September, the manu-

facture of furniture in the United States will be reduced by a third. The cost to the consumer, in consequence, will probably go up about a third. This advance will fall heaviest on June bridegrooms, who will find the feathering of their nests much more expensive than formerly.

In another column is a news item from Sweetwater to the effect that the *Voss* of the Orient shops has not hurt that little city, and while we may not coincide in that opinion wholly, yet it can be made so that it will not be felt. The idea is stand firm and redouble every effort to build up the town. Sweetwater should have won the suit, and many Abilene people sympathize with her in the matter, however sharp the struggle among West Texas towns for final supremacy.—Abilene News.

the generous sentiment expressed in the above editorial. While there may be and is an element of friendly rivalry between all progressive western towns to the degree that each desires to excel, still there is not one but where the people are almost unanimous in the belief that to Sweetwater justly belongs the Orient shops and headquarters.

This was no doubt the hardest fought battle on record in the Fisher county league and was pulled off in first class shape—the game being called by Empire Newman, who has played lots of baseball and umpired many games and says he never saw as many hard decisions in one game in his life, however, there was not a single decision questioned, and beyond the cheers from the spectators everything was quiet from start to finish. With the exception of a high wind the conditions could not have been better. The fact that Sylvester had won from Roby three straight games and that the score in this game was a tie up to the eighth, made it very uncomfortable for all fans as well as the players. At this time the score stood 5-4 in favor of Roby, with Roby batting and one man on second, when Carter knocked a home run, raising their score to 7. Sylvester did not score in their half of the 8th, neither did Roby score in their half of the ninth. When Sylvester went to the bat in the ninth, they got three men on bases and no body down, in fact kept the bases full practically all of the time until the game was terminated, but was not able to get but one man over the rubber.

Our reporter had the pleasure of visiting the new residence of Dr. Bradford yesterday. We cannot say too much praise of the plans and workmanship of the building. Mr. J. R. Bryant was the architect and he seems to know how to plan all the rooms to harmonize and at the same time be conveniently arranged. This house has five rooms with front and back porches, down stairs, four bedrooms with hall up stairs, these rooms having perfect ventilation and beautiful views. The most beautiful part of the house is the family or reception room, which has the old fashioned fire place and a beautiful stairway carved and winding around upstairs, in a graceful manner. At the foot of the stairs, one side, is arranged a beautiful settee which makes the room have a genuine home-like appearance. George L. Bradford of Fort Worth the doctor's brother, was Superintendent of the job. George can read a blue print

like a primer, as his work and the plans correspond exactly. This adds one more beautiful residence to the northeast side.

INTEREST AROUSED IN NAMING A SHIP

A Number of Names for the Craft Being Built in Sweetwater Already Suggested.

- Keen Kutter.
- The Hawk.
- Foster Monoplane.
- The Monitor.
- Sweetwater Booster.
- The Meteor.
- Comet.
- Mollie.
- White Cloud Monoplane.
- Foster's Dream.
- Skylark.
- The Heron.
- The Sweetwater Flyer.
- The Speedwell.
- Oriole.
- Eureka.
- Lightning Bug.

- Mayflower.
- Sweetwater Eagle.
- Eclipse.
- Sweetwater Belle.
- The White Eagle.
- Foster's White Demon.
- Foster's Giant Monoplane.
- Flying Elevator.
- West Texas Eagle.
- Gas Bird.
- "Success."
- Alpha.
- Sweetwater Dispatch.
- Foster's Booster.
- Snowflake.
- Foster's Eagle.
- Marathon.
- Foster's Skyscraper.
- Foster's White Flyer.
- Queen Yashti.
- Queen of Texas.
- Cleopatra's Needle.
- The Idylwild.
- Fleetwing.
- The Bag of Wind.
- The Skyscraper.
- The "Sky Rocket."
- Amnogo Sweetwater Bee.
- White Swan.
- American Lady.
- Wetern Beauty.
- Foster's shrdlu emfw vbg emfwyp
- Sweetwater Cloud Chaser.
- Queen of the West.
- Flying Swan.
- Humming Bird.
- "Air Dragon."
- Uncle Sam.
- Transfer to Moon.
- American Beauty.
- Foster's Peerless.
- Foster Aerial.
- Sweetwater Guterpun.
- Queen Bird of West Texas.
- Foster's Ideal.
- Sweetwater's First Monoplane.
- Foster's Pride.
- Fairy Queen.
- Foster's Glory.
- Orange Blossom.
- Foster's Diamond.
- Queen of the Prairies.
- Foster's Bird.
- Foster's Pearl.
- Aerialine.
- The Sylph.
- American Kite.
- Swift Arrow.
- Sweetwater Wind Splitter.
- Honey Moon.
- Flying Alto.
- Good Luck.
- Benaventura.

COTTON SEED MEETING.

Special to The Reporter. New York, June 7.—Delegates from every southern state from the Carolinas to Texas are in attendance at the annual convention opened at the Astor today by the Interstate Cottonseed Crushers' Association. The cotton seed brokers of New York in charge of the entertainment of the visitors, who will be shown over the city and will make a tour of New York harbor in a special boat. The Produce Exchange will give a banquet tomorrow night, when President Taft will be present. B. F. Taylor of Columbia, S. C., is president of the Association and will preside at the sessions.

DO YOU WANT A HOME

Do you want to leave for your wife and children a home that will be paid for, in case you were to die, do you want to obtain a home now while you are in position to pay it out, do you realize that unless you do it now, that your opportunity for owning a home any where near in the city will forever pass.

YOU WILL HAVE TO ACT

Come to our office and let us show you that you may own a home in Sweetwater, the town that is going to be without a reasonable doubt, the largest city in West Texas, and pay for it at \$10.00 per month with out interest or taxes until fully paid, and a free deed in case of your death. Only a few lots left.

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South Sweetwater Townsite Co.

[Sweetwater, Texas]

T. H. Beauchamp, a citizen of this place, while the town was in its infancy, but now a prominent business man of Pecos City, returned home this morning after a short stay here.

In 1883, Mr. Beauchamp taught the Sweetwater public school and will be remembered by our pioneer citizens as a most excellent gentleman.

He is now cashier of the First National Bank of Pecos City and bears the distinction of being one of his town's leading business men.

Mr. Beauchamp was very complimentary of Sweetwater and the excellent progress she is making. He said, he could hardly realize that such substantial changes and growth

had been made. While he predicted a great future for this city, he is intensely loyal to his home town and said he expected to live and die there.

W. Irving Bean of Midland arrived this morning to assist City Engineer A. O. Dreyer in doing some expert civil engineering here. Mr. Bean spent several months here assisting Mr. Dreyer in getting up specifications for the city paving and has a large number of friends in the city who are pleased to see him return.

Mrs. Easterwood returned to Merck yesterday after an extended visit with her niece, Mrs. J. H. Fultz.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF NOLAN:

TAKE NOTICE:

THAT, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Nolan County, Texas, on the 6th day of May, A. D., 1911, in favor of Will Stith and against M. L. Hellums, T. O. Bray, D. B. Horn, J. P. Watkins and R. A. Roberts in that certain cause numbered 1021 on the Docket of said Court entitled Will Stith, vs. M. L. Hellums, et als said order of sale reciting that Will Stith recovered a judgment in the above entitled and numbered cause, on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1911, against T. O. Bray, M. L. Hellums, D. B. Horn and J. P. Watkins, for \$606.26 with interest from said date, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and costs of suit amounting to \$23.85, with the foreclosure of a vendor's lien against T. O. Bray, M. L. Hellums, D. B. Horn, J. P. Watkins and R. A. Roberts on the following described property: All of the East one-half of section No. 88, in Block 23, as surveyed by the Texas & Pacific Railway, Patent No. 617 Vol. 6, in Nolan County, Texas, containing 320 acres of land situated in the central western part of said County; Said order of sale commanding me to seize and sell the above described property as under execution and make good and sufficient deed and to place the purchaser of the same within possession thereof within thirty days after date of sale, and to apply the proceeds thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of \$606.26, together with the interests that may be due thereon, and the further sum of \$23.85, costs of suit, together with my legal fees and commissions for executing said writ.

I did on the 11th day of May, 1911, levy upon and seize the above described property and I will on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1911, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 4 p. m., of said day, at the Court House door of said Nolan County, offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of said M. L. Hellums, T. O. Bray, D. B. Horn, J. P. Watkins and R. A. Roberts, in and to the above described property to satisfy the commands of the order of sale aforesaid now in my hands.

Don't forget to see Pygmalion and Galaea at the Sherdshrdshrdshrd Friday night, given by the senior class of the Sweetwater High School.

WITNESS MY HAND, at Sweetwater, Texas, this 11th day of May, A. D., 1911.

J. H. BOND,
Sheriff of Nolan Co. Texas

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STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF NOLAN:

TAKE NOTICE:

THAT, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Nolan County, Texas, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1911 in Court of Nolan County, Texas, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1911 in favor of J. H. Withers and against J. W. Stewart, J. T. Wash, Lem Bailey and C. B. Benson in that certain cause numbered 1023, on the Docket of said Court, entitled J. H. Withers vs. J. T. Wash et als said order of sale reciting that J. H. Withers recovered a judgment in the above entitled and numbered cause on the 20th day of March, 1911, against J. T. Wash, J. W. Stewart and Lem Bailey, for \$706.59, with interest on \$511.25 thereof, from the 20th day of March, 1911, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and on \$195.34 thereof from said date at the rate of 10 per cent per annum and costs of suit, amounting to \$39.90, with the foreclosure of a vendor's lien against J. W. Stewart, J. T. Wash, Lem Bailey and C. B. Benson, on the following described property: An undivided

one-sixth interest in the West one-half of section, No. 184 in Block No. 64, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in Nolan County, Texas, said interest amounting on an acreage basis, to about 53 1-2 acres, said land being located in the Southeast corner of said Nolan County, Texas; said order of sale commanding me to seize and sell the above described property as under execution and make good and sufficient deed, and to place the purchaser of the same in possession thereof within thirty days after the date of sale, and to apply the proceeds thereof to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of \$706.59, together with interest that may be due thereon and the further sum of \$39.90, costs of suit, together with my legal fees and commissions for executing said writ.

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J. H. BOND,
Sheriff of Nolan Co. Texas

SCHOLASTIC ENROLLMENT SUBSTANTIAL GAIN

One of the surest proofs of a town or city's growth or decrease in population lies in the scholastic census rolls of her schools for whenever any town shows increase in the number of children in the school age that town is steadily growing in population, and when any place can show a gain of more than 22 per cent in her scholastic population in a single year that place

can safely be congratulated upon her growth.

The census rolls of the Sweetwater Independent School District as compiled by Supt. M. B. Johnson of the city schools show 1151 white and 44 colored children between the ages of 7 and 17 in the district, or a total of 1195 scholastics.

The enrollment last year showed 950 scholastics. The present enrollment shows a gain of 245 or little more than 22 per cent gain.

The actual enrollment in our schools during the last ten years was 1015. This is a most excellent showing and we seriously doubt whether any other town in the west can make as good showing along this line.

Ladies White Shoes at T. R. Logan's 29-1/2c.

Dr. J. C. Germany, late of San Angelo, was a northbound passenger over the Orient this morning. The Dr. has had an interesting and thrilling experience in the courts of late. He is an advocate of the massage form of treatment for ailments that affect people but the late laws of that state do not approve of that form of treatment. Hence charges were preferred against him and after fighting the case through all the courts, he was convicted and his penalty fixed at one hour in jail and \$50. He now proposes to locate in Oklahoma where the laws are not antagonistic to his mode of treatment.

Mrs. Riggs and three sons of Gainsville are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barriek in the city.

An exchange truthfully says: "A newspaper may boom a town thru its editorial and news columns, but a critic investor looks to the advertising columns for substantial evidence of push and life. To him they are thermometers measuring the intensity of public warmth; they are the pulse which indicates the healthy condition of the collective body of people; they tell him whether or not the community is up to the times in business matters."

J. E. McDonough, a prominent business man of San Angelo was in the city this morning en route to Abilene on business.

Millions For Defense, but not one cent for tribute—Sweetwater.

Cecil Simpson returned this morning from Fort Worth where he has been attending Polytechnic Institute for the last term.

Millions For Defense, but not one cent for tribute—Sweetwater.

The ants have pulled off a great rally in Fort Worth. Some notable men of the state were present and addressed the assembly and the city took care of the immense throng in a way that was commendable.

DIFFICULT TO DRAW.

A teacher asked her class to draw a picture of that which they wished to be when they grew up. All went diligently to work except the little girl, who only chewed her pencil.

"Don't you know what you want to be when you grow up, Anna?" asked the teacher.

"Yes, I know," replied the little girl, "but I don't know how to draw it. I want to be married!"—Mack's National Monthly.

The ants are anxious to keep the preachers out of politics and out of the prohibition question, but the press dispatches stating that the opening session was opened by a prayer of a minister from Menardville and closed by a preacher from Cisco, looks a little like it all depends upon which side of the question the preacher is on after all, as to whether they want him in or out of the issue.

COL. WASH HERE.

Col. Wash, formerly of this city but who now makes Kansas City his headquarters, was here today.

Col. Wash was one of the principal contractors on the Orient Ry. having the big cut south of the city under his supervision. He spent two years here and said he could not resist the temptation to run over and take a look at the town again. He could hardly realize that so many changes could have occurred and the town extended her limits so much during the time he has been away.

BUYS CHOICE RESIDENCE PROPERTY.

Judge H. R. Bondies has purchased a choice residence lot in the east part of the city from Mrs. E. L. Dulaney. The lot is 50x140 and consideration \$1,000. It is reported that Mr. Bondies will begin the erection of a pretty cottage on this property at an early date.

COLUMBIA COMMENCEMENT.

Special to The Reporter.
New York, June 7.—Winding up a week of varied festivities, the 157th commencement of Columbia University was observed today. Barnard College will hold its senior class exercises tomorrow.

ACTUARIES IN SESSION

The American Institute of Actuaries, a national insurance organization, opened its annual convention in Chicago today. A number of important matters are on the program for consideration.

Rev. M. E. Hudson, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, left this morning for Philadelphia to attend the Worldwide Baptist Congress soon to meet there. He will go direct to New Orleans and from there the journey will be made by water.

News was received in the city this morning of the death of Captain Hugh Dennis, which occurred at the family home at Rotan last night. Deceased formerly resided in Sweetwater and has numerous friends in the city who will be pained to learn of his death. He was 80 years of age and was Prof. J. F. Dennis, grandfather.

Millions For Defense, but not one cent for tribute—Sweetwater.

Miss Maude Faber and Miss Bertha Manning will leave in the morning for Altus, Okla., to visit friends for a few days.

MELONS AT MISSION.

It is reported from Mission, Texas, that the water melon growers of that section expect to have an increased production of melons of several hundred car loads this year over last.

Mission was one of the first places to ship melons this season, the first car load leaving there the early part of May.

Texas watermelon is fact gaining in its race for supremacy with the Georgia product and is giving the "Georgia Sweet" a run for its money.

Don't fail to attend the big Citizens Meeting at the Airdome tonight.

We saw a man the other day disputing with his washwoman about a difference of ten cent sin the charge and four minutes later call in fourteen to join him in a drink for which he cheerfully produced 50 cents. We saw a fellow in church fish deep down in his pocket and bring up a nickel to put in the contribution box and the next evening drop in 85 cents trying to beat a slot machine out of a cigar. We do things every day about as inconsistent as that and if we were told of it, would say it was no one's business but our own—but would that make it right.—Floresville Chronicle.

COME, RAISE YOUR VOICE IN JOYFUL SONG!

Texas, fair, we bring to thee
Hearts full of love and loyalty;
Thou central star, thou brightest gem
Of all brilliant diadems—
Texas.
Then life your voice and join
the throng
That swells her praise in joyful song,
Till earth and sky reverberate
Our own, our dear, our grand
old state—Texas.

PROGRAM

AT

The Lyric To-Night

- 1—Help Wanted.
- 2—Midnight Maurador
- 3—The Yaqui Girl.
- 4—The Hustler Gets the Coin.
- 5—Brothers,
- 7—The Hand of Fate.

Admission - 10c

FARMERS!! LOOK!!

Have you got good cotton seed for planting? We can furnish you any amount of choice Maben or Rowden seeds. Also any variety of corn seed. Will sell same on fall line if satisfaction of payment is made.

SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY.

...Sweetwater Mill & Elevator Co...
SWEETWATER, TEXAS.

Nussbaumer Floral Co.

SAN ANGELO TEXAS.

Exceptional Offer on Plants

- Verbenas, collection of 10 plants 40c
- Coleous, collection of 10 plants 40c
- Everblooming Stocks, 10 plants 50c
- Touch-me-nots, assorted 10 plants 50c
- Pansies, white assorted 10 plants 50c
- Chrysanthemums, assorted named 10 75c
- Carnations, assorted 10 plants 75c
- Dianthus, (Sweet Carnation) 10 plants 60c
- Ferns, collection of 3 plants
- Boston, Whitmani and Adiantum \$1.00
- Nine of the above plants (1 each) 75c

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

The Sweetwater Marble Works and Undertakers Parlors have been moved from their former location. The Undertakers Parlors are now located upstairs over Thos. Trammell & Co. Bank, and the Marble Yard is located the third place north of the Post Office. We are in a position to serve you promptly and satisfactorily either day or night. Phone No. Fifty.

SWEETWATER MARBLE WORKS

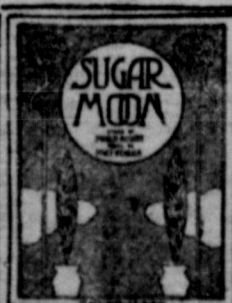
J. Wagoner and little daughter, Sam Glass, W. Kimbrough and Adelle, arrived this morning from Lary Aycock, were among those a short visit to relatives in Fort Worth who arrived from Fort Worth this morning.

CLEAN GROCERIES

The Kind You Want. That is the kind you get

FROM
ALLEN & VAUGHAN

Phone 33 South Side Square



You Can Look Without Buying.
But Don't Buy Without Looking.

FIVE GREAT RAGS

- Chatterbox Rag
- Annona
- Tattered Melody
- Hayden Rag
- Georgia Rag

Silver Bell
Love Dreams
Vale of Dreams
We've Kept the Golden Rule
Alamo Rag
On Moh's Rag

PEACE

Sweet Red Roses
I'm Just Pisin' For You
Maybe You're Not the Only
One Who Loves Me
Georgia Grind

WOODWARD'S JEWELRY AND MUSIC HOUSE.

Tonight at the Lyric.

Gibson Refrigerators. Household Furniture Co. 25-tfc.

Splendid program at the Lyric tonight.

Macey Sections! Bookcases. Household Furniture Co. 25-tfc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Rockwell returned this morning from a visit to points east.

Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets at Household Furniture Co. 25-tfc.

Frank Newman was among those who came from the east this morning.

Some nice office panel work for sale at a bargain, apply at this office. 27-tfc

E. L. R. Wheelock arrived this morning from a business trip to points east.

New line of Mattings just received. Household Furniture Company. 25-tfc.

Chas. Schulze, proprietor of the Wood Hotel, returned this morning from Fort Worth.

Furniture repairing and upholstering a specialty. Household Furniture Co. 25-tfc.

Joe Guirrell was among the number to arrive from the east this morning.

We can save your milk and butter by using our new milk cooler. CARTER & COLINS.

W. Waldie Jr. arrived on this morning's belated west bound passenger train from Fort Worth and Dallas.

All my hats and millinery goods going this week at just half price. Mrs. Caperton. 28-tfc

Sweetwater's broad side walks, paved streets and beautiful buildings towering upon all sides of the passers-by cannot keep from making a fine impression.

Picture Frames made to order. 50 different kinds of molding to select from. Household Furniture Company. 25-tfc

The Odd Fellows lodge held a very interesting meeting last night, it being the regular time for election of officers for the coming term. The following was elected: J. R. Bryant N. G.; Geo. B. Wright, V. G.; and T. R. Grutchfield, Secretary.

Special Excursion to Lawn Thursday June 8th. Special round trip rates. Returns to Sweetwater same day. 27-tfc

Despite the fact that the month of May was the driest May ever recorded for this country, Sweetwater continues to grow into a city. This place is truly possessed with the proper foundation upon which to grow into a splendid metropolis.

A special train will be run to Lawn Thursday, June 8 to the big Auction Sale of town lots. Special Round Trip Rates. See hand bills for schedule. 27-tfc.

E. F. Seemann, the popular book-keeper for the Western Windmill Co. returned this morning from a short visit to Dallas.

If you want to better your condition, attend Draughon's Practical Business College. Sweetwater, Texas. Catalogue Free. 24-tfc.

W. G. White, traveling salesman for the Radford Wholesale Grocery Co., left for Brownwood this morning after spending a couple of days in the city.

FOR SALE—One jersey cow and calf. Dr. J. W. Overton.

Chas. Kirk was a business visitor to Abilene today.

Mens Straw Hats, Mens Shirts and Ties at T. R. Logan's 29-tfc

Mrs. N. S. Mullins left this morning from Ballinger after an extended visit to relatives in the city.

Clothing at a bargain at T. R. Logan's. 29-tfc

Dr. J. J. Mead of Longworth was here today en route home from points east.

When you need money, put a special price on that property you have been trying to sell, and list it with Bro. Dunning. "The Hustler" and he will do the rest. Office Phone 34, residence phone, 331. 28-6tc

A good laugh at the Lyric tonight.

WANT ADS CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—100 rods of 24-inch Hog Proof fence. H. J. New.

TWO nice residences for sale, cheap. Best terms. Traders Exchange.

ROOM FOR RENT—Two blocks South of T. & P. de. A. Furnished. See Horace Heath, the Tailor. 16tf

FOR SALE—J. W. Webb handles Singer and Wheeler and Wilson Sewing machines. Terms as easy as you want them. Telephone 177. 17

FOR SALE—Cheap Fox typewriter. All condition. Apply to Traders' Exchange, over Palace Bakery. 23-tfc

WANTED—To exchange you a big new refrigerator for your old one. Household Furniture Co. 20-10tc

Have you examined the new Milk Cooler. We guarantee them or your money back. CARTER & COLINS.

Don't miss your profit on your milk and butter when you can save it all by using our new cooler. It is guaranteed. CARTER & COLINS.

LOST—A ladies gold watch; with an Old English H. on the case. Lost between Lyric Theatre and North 5th St. Finder will please return same to this office and receive liberal reward.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Two furnished rooms for light house-keeping for rent, at residence No. 209 Orange St. Two blocks south T. & P. depot. 27-tfc.

Lyric tonight.

E. B. McCall returned this morning from a short trip to points east.

Sam Myres Sr. returned this morning from a visit to friends at Roscoe.

Sheriff J. H. Bond had business in Abilene today. His daughter, Miss Janette, and Miss Mabel Perry accompanied him and will go on to Ballinger for a visit.

S. Q. Richardson was exhibiting some samples of fine onions grown on his place. He has more than an acre in the patch and has been deriving a handsome revenue from the sale of them for some time.

MACHINE TO BOTTLE WIND.

Perfer Homishak has invented a machine to conserve wind power and three other men have joined him to put it on the market in St. Louis. They are Frank G. Mann, Charles G. Bryan and W. E. McKinley, all of Hot Springs, Ark.

They intend to build a factory in St. Louis, where they think the supply of wind is practically inexhaustible. Homishak says his machine will store wind just as easily as beer, eggs and electricity can be stored. He built a wind motor while he was working on a ranch in Oklahoma. It worked well when there was wind to furnish the power, he says, but when there was a calm it went off the job.

There was a lot of wind going to waste, he says, and he set himself to the task of bottling it up so he could use it on still days. He says the device has been perfected and that his machines can be used for all power purposes on farms, small factories, and trolley lines.—St. Louis dispatch to the New York World.

No Matter How Good



We make our ice cream we are always striving to make it better--which is really difficult to do. But while we can hardly improve our cream, we have improved the place where you eat it and you will now find our parlors cool and comfortable and a pleasant spot in which to pass the time chatting between spoonfuls. Most every wanted flavor served in our ice cream. All delicious--all pure, made from fresh fruit.

In from one to five gallon lots \$1.00 per gallon
One-half gallon 66c. One Quart 40c
One Pint 26c

Phone Us Your Orders. Prompt Delivery. Ice Cream Will Be Delivered Sundays Until 10 A. M.

All Orders for Sunday Must be received not Later than 9:30 a. m. Phone 61 or 75

White Front Drug Store

North Side Square

NOW'S THE TIME TO PLAN!

LOW RATE TICKETS WITH STOPOVER PRIVILEGES WILL BE ON SALE ON AND AFTER JUNE 12. THE FORT WORTH & DENVER CITY RAILROAD offers DOUBLE DAILY THROUGH TRAINS with every modern traveling convenience including Superb Dining Car Service also through sleepers between San Antonio, Austin, Waco, Galveston

HOUSTON, DALLAS and DENVER. WHY NOT YOU? WRITE ME FOR BOOKLETS! A. A. GLISSON, G.P.A. FORT WORTH, TEXAS.

To Our Customers

We are still in a position to fill any Lumber bill as the recent fire only destroyed our office and small amount of stock.

Phone Us Your Orders

Higginbotham - Harris Lumber Co.

LISTEN LISTEN

There are 100 per cent more grocery stores in Sweetwater today than twelve months ago. Has Sweetwater's population doubled in the same length of time.

Our business has shown an increase over each preceding month since last July. Our list of satisfied customers can tell you why.

PEARCE BROS.

THE MODEL GROCERY

PHONE 230.

Good People Listen! We Want Your Trade

AND IF LOW PRICES FOR GOOD MERCHANDISE IS ANY INDUCEMENT YOU ARE BOUND TO HEAD THIS WAY. READ THESE PRICES ON Dress Goods, Staples, Etc.

Pepperel bleached sheeting, 10-4	25c
Pepperel bleached sheeting, 9-4	23c
Hope bleached domestic	9c
Best 10c bleached domestic	7, 1-2c
Good bleached domestic, 3-3 with	5c
Best 6 1-2c cotton checks	4 1-2c
40c French gingham	20c
7 1-2c apron check gingham	5c
8 1-3c Percale	6c
12 1-2c Percale	8 1-2c
Good fancy lawns	4c
Ladies black hose, per pair	7c
5c to 7c laces, per yard	2 1-2c
Ladies 10c handkerchiefs	5c
Boy's knee pants	25c
Mens' \$1.00 shirts (no collar)	45c
Mens' \$2.50 hats	95c
Mens' 5.00, 6.00 and 6.50 pants now	\$3.85
Young mens' 18.00 to 22.50 suits, Nos. 33, 34 and 35 now	\$10.00
Mens' 12.50 blue serge suits	\$7.50
Mens' 3.00 shoes	\$1.95

ALL LADIES WAIST AT HALF PRICE

Now these are not all that we have, there are many other things here that will interest you, and you save money on anything at the

Sweetwater Merc. Co.

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R. A. Ragland, Manager

Abstracts, Notary Public and Conveyances

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Sweetwater, Tex.

SOLID AS A ROCK

OUR BANK IS A SAFE PLACE FOR YOUR MONEY



CONSERVATISM!

That is what our bank stands for, but we do not interpret conservatism, to mean that we FREEZE UP and have no money to accommodate our customers everytime a little financial flurry comes along. OUR CONSERVATISM enables us to do a safe, yet liberal banking business, and AT ALL TIMES to have money to meet any reasonable demand and assist worthy industries.

We do not indulge in speculative enterprise; we are in the BANKING business. Financially sound men of this community who are behind our bank make it as SOLID AS A ROCK.

Let OUR Bank be YOUR Bank

F. & M. State Bank & Trust Co.

Meals 25c

Family Style

Rates \$1.25 Per Day

HOTEL WOOD

Chas. Shulze, Prop.

One Block from T. & P. Depot

CORPORATION TO CHANGE NAME

Special to The Reporter. Philadelphia, June 7.—Application was made today for a charter for the Philadelphia Locomotive Works by which name the world-famous Baldwin plants in this and adjacent cities will hereafter be known. The change is the result of the fusion of new capital and interests in the pioneer locomotive concern, the largest of its kind in the world. Drexel & Company are acting as bankers in connection. It is reported that several changes of importance will be made in the management.

The Baldwin Locomotive Works were the outgrowth of a machine shop established in 1825 by Mathias William Baldwin Wason, a machinist. Eventually, with the extension of railways all over the country, the manufacture of locomotives became the most important part of the business. Baldwin acquired a large fortune and spent it freely for benevolent purposes. Until two years ago the locomotive concern was a private partnership and was the largest unincorporated company in the country. In 1909 the modern trend of big business led to the incorporation of the company with a capital of \$20,000,000. This will probably be increased to \$25,000,000 or more.

POSTED: KEEP OUT.

The A. J. Roe pasture don't belong to you I warn you only one time, more to stay out. A. J. ROGERS, W-18-21 D28-6L. Clothing at a bargain at T. R. Logan's.

DOCTORS GET \$50 PER

Special to The Reporter. Washington, June 7.—Young physicians and dentists who have ambitions to get rich quick should take the civil service examinations which are being held today all over the country to secure examinations the country to secure medical and dental internships for the government hospitals for the insane. Uncle Sam will go into his pocket every month and drag up fifty dollars to pay each fortunate applicant who successfully passes the rigorous examinations and secures an appointment.

Applicants for places as superintendents in the lighthouse service will also be examined today and tomorrow. That Uncle Sam considers a lighthouse more important than a "bughouse" is evident from that fact that this job is worth from \$1,600 to \$2,400 a year.

In order to discourage the playing of Vaudeville in Sweetwater, Texas, we will ask everyone to stay away from the Vaudeville show that is being put on in the Pavilion at the Mineral Wells Park this week. "COMMITTEE."

C. G. Schray, the popular court stenographer in this judicial district, came over from Colorado last night, where district court is in session, to look after business matters.

Mrs. Schray accompanied him back to Colorado this morning and will be a guest of friends for a few days.

What do you think of a \$30,000 bond issue to continue the good work of street paving?

CALIFORNIA WANTS BIG MEETING.

Special to The Reporter. Los Angeles, Cal., June 7.—Los Angeles will be the site for the 1913 International Christian Endeavor convention at the state meeting of the society opened today at Santa Anna. Committees will be appointed and strenuous efforts will be made to bring the world's Endeavorers to California. The state meeting will continue through five days and has attracted hundreds of visitors to the Orange county capital.

No one but Wallace to blame if the little Densmore don't make good. Price 10 cents.

The Densmore Sisters, Florence and Julia, are eleven and thirteen, will play at the Park Pavilion each night this week giving two acts each night, changing costumes with each act and never playing the same act twice in one week. Price 10 cents.

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BRYAN'S DAUGHTER TO WED.

Special to The Reporter. Lincoln, Neb., June 7.—Miss Grace Dexter Bryan, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, and Richard L. Hargraves will be married this evening at Fairview the country home of the Bryans near this city. A reception will follow the wedding, to which many relatives and friends of both families have been invited.

Miss Grace D. Bryan is twenty years of age and is the last born of the three children of the famous Democrat, Ruth, the eldest, married first an artist, from whom she secured a divorce, and is now the wife of an officer in the British army. William J. Bryan, Jr., the only son, was married some time ago.

MICHIGAN ELKS IN CONCLAVE.

Special to The Reporter. Traverse City, Mich., June 7.—Preparations have been made to entertain five thousand visitors during the big state convolve of the Elks, opened here today. Grand Exalted Ruler Garry Hermann of Gineinnati will be here and will be given an enthusiastic welcome, as this is the first time a national head of the Elk herds has attended a state meeting in Michigan. The convention will last three days.

COTTON DOING WELL.

While Other Crops Are Feeling Continued Drouth—Corn Damaged Badly.

Special to The Reporter. Dallas, Tex., June 7.—According to reports by wire from associated press correspondents throughout the state, cotton seems to be holding out well in the present dry, hot weather in northwest Texas, but other crops are on the verge of serious damage. Corn is the crop most threatened, but in some places has a few days yet in which rain will produce good yields, while in others the damage is already heavy. Most points still have plenty of stock water though a few are beginning to feel the pinch. In Denton county the corn is lost unless it rains in a few days. Abilene reports less than a quarter inch of rain in 40 days, but crops are holding up well.

The two little Densmore Sisters, Florence, age 13 and Julia aged 11, are accompanied by their mother in their tour of Texas. Price 10 cents.

Add Airship

"Albatross."

PELLAGRA AT ODELL.

Special to The Reporter. Quanah, Tex., June 7.—The discovery of two cases of pellagra at Odell Wilbarger county, is reported. The victims are an aged man and his daughter, and the disease is in advanced stage.

The money the city is now investing in paved streets is going to prove to be the best investment she ever made. Paved streets are not only a great convenience, but one of the very best advertisements she can have.

POLICE INVESTIGATING.

Special to The Reporter. Juarez, June 7.—Madero's secret police are said to be working on an alleged plot against him, and to be following up clues in Larado, Eagle Pass and San Antonio.

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HOOSIER SHOERS ARE PEEVED.

Special to The Reporter. Indianapolis, Ind., June 7.—Hoosier shoe dealers are growing peeved about the constant changes in styles of footwear, entailing considerable financial losses, and a movement to put an end to the abuse was launched today at the organization meeting of the Indiana Retail Shoe Merchants' Association. It is alleged that the dealers of the state have

lined up in stores that have become unsalable at a profit and which will have to be disposed of at considerably less than cost. Shoe manufacturers are said to be back of the frequent changes in footwear fashions, and the dealers of Indiana will use the influence of their new organization to bring about more stability of styles.

JERSEY, MALE—A good Jersey bull at the Trammell Livery Stable; will carry to any part of the city desired. INDEPENDENT BULL COMPANY. 30-6tc

PLANNING FOR BIG CELEBRATION AT SYLVESTER.

Special to The Reporter. Sylvester, Tex., June 7.—A mass meeting was held here last night for the purpose of joining the Woodmen of the World in a picnic and barbecue July 4th. Committees were appointed and funds subscribed to promote the project to the fullest extent.

Dr. J. B. Walker, president of the Sylvester Base Ball Club announced this morning that as a regular game of the Fisher County League between Ruby and Sylvester is scheduled on that date, at Sylvester the Base Ball Club will also join in the festival, and it is thought will be one of the leading features. That Sylvester is to have something doing on the holiday of next month, worth while is beyond question.

Fans, Belts, Barretts, Collars, etc. at T. R. Logan's. 29-4tc

CHOSEN FRIENDS MEET.

Special to The Reporter. Toronto, Ont., June 7.—The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends opened its annual convention today. The headquarters of the order will probably be moved to this city from Hamilton.

Ladies White Slippers, Ladies' Black Velvet and Silk Slippers at T. R. Logan's. 29-4tc

WE LIKE WATER

Don't forget the water hauler to bring you Greer's well water when you want good drinking water. Do not ask about the quality. Try it. It will talk for itself. It don't take but a very little brackening to make good wash water out of Greer's well water. 32-114-11w

Ladies White Shoes at T. R. Logan's. 29-4tc

Contractor A. J. Roy kept a large crew of workmen in the paving work all last night and splendid progress was made. The work is now in progress on north Second street and at the rate of speed being made now, ere long Mr. Roy will have complete his contracts with the city and this city can boast of some of the prettiest streets in the west.

Keen Kutter Tools Lead The World Over

The Recollection of Quality Remains Long After The Price Is Forgotten

--Paul B. Sorenson--

HARDWARE AND FURNITURE

FRESH GROCERIES

We want you to bear in mind that we have a complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries and are anxious to serve you. We make a specialty of Fruits and Confectionery Goods

Please us your orders and they will receive our prompt Attention

We Handle Bewley's Best Flour.—None Better

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In The Campbell Building

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PLENTY OF FEED

and mighty good feed too, may be found here. The hay and grain offered to our customers, is not a miscellaneous collection of

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from unknown sources, but is carefully selected goods from the best grain fields of the country. Try it and you will be convinced.

S. Edwards Grain Co.

7 DAYS MORE

That TWO course in Spelling and Pun

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WIDE AWAKE YOUNG MEN

50

will start June 10 and end August 10. At the conclusion of this course the 50 are examined by Abilene Business and Professional Men, who certify to their competency. STRONGEST PROOF POSSIBLE OF THEIR COMPETENCY AND THE MERITS OF MY COURSE.

FOUR PRIZES awarded to leaders of the class. Business men and lawyers WANT my graduates. They are ALL employed.

Course costs \$40.00. Pay half June 10 and half July 10.

The Wideawakes are taught REID'S CHARTER SHORTHAND, the system I learned in 19 days and have used for six years in best positions, including highest law stenography and in court reporting. I am not a business college pretender, but a successful shorthand writer and teacher. Successful stenographers acknowledge my methods are right. Investigate and see.

Twenty-five Underwood Typewriters. Special Medal for the most ACCURATE operator in this Class of 50.

My own copyrighted lessons by correspondence. The most learnable presentation by correspondence in existence; thirty-two LIT TLE lessons. Most highly approved in State.

Girls not admitted.

ELTON F. REID,

Trainer of Wideawakes,

Abilene, Texas.

P. S.—No books used. Everything even the pencils (sharpened) are furnished with this course.

J. R. Bryant

ARCHITECT

Over Sweetwater Dry Goods Co.

PHONE 217

H. W. CLARK

ARCHITECT

Luella Bldg. Sweetwater

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On Farms and Ranches,

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