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## MOOSE LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THIS YEAR

Enthusiastic Meeting Held and Renewed Interest Taken in Work of This Big Order.

The members of the Moose held an enthusiastic meeting at their hall last night and among other important business transacted was the election of officers for the next year.

Many new members are being received into the lodge and renewed interest is manifested all along the line.

The condition of the lodge financially and otherwise is first class and all are enthusiastic in the belief that the Sweetwater lodge will soon become one of the largest in the West.

Below is a list of the officers elected:

- T. W. Fife, Past Dictator.
- G. E. Bradford, Dictator.
- Walter Bennett, Vice Dictator.
- R. G. Smith, Prelate.
- P. T. Quast, Secretary.
- Alvin C. Hope, Secretary.
- W. R. Bishop, Sergeant at Arms.
- Raymond Kyle, Inner Guard.
- Clyde Taylor, Outer Guard.
- T. W. Fife, Sam Robertson, Roy Hendrick, Trustees.
- P. T. Quast, Alvin C. Hope, Walter Bennett, Home Committee.
- Representative to Grand Lodge and National Moose Convention at San Diego, Cal. T. W. Fife, Alternate, P. T. Quast.

Supreme Dictator, P. T. Quast, at next Meeting night.

Installation of officers by Deputy

### CAMPBELL WILL RUN FOR UNITED STATES SENATE

That Thomas M. Campbell of Palestine, former Governor of Texas, will be a candidate for the United States Senate in 1916 is regarded as certain by some of his close friends. In fact Mr. Campbell is credited with a statement which leaves little doubt as to his intentions with regard to the race.

"Only sickness or death can prevent me from being a candidate for the United States Senate in 1916," is the statement which Mr. Campbell is said to have made not very long ago.

Mr. Campbell supported the prohibitionists in the gubernatorial campaign in 1914. Whether there will be any organized effort on the part of the prohibitionists to elect Mr. Campbell should be determined. George W. Riddle of Dallas already a pronounced prohibitionist, as is Dr. S. P. Brooks of Waco, who has not withdrawn his intimation that he will be in the race.

Mrs. G. W. Beck is reported on the sick list.

Everybody will be there Saturday.

## English Waging war on King Alcohol

London, April 1.—The War on alcohol, the outcome of the labor situation in England, has now definitely taken all precedent over the much talked of "Spring advance of the rates."

The reason assigned for this is that the problems of munitions is much more pressing than that of recruiting. It is realized by the government that some immediate and definite action is necessary at once in regard to the munitions of the armies, and therefore the establishment of prohibition throughout the whole of England is being discussed on all sides.

Some drastic measure is expected at once. Just what this will be it is not known, although there are many surmises current that the English government will follow in the footsteps of Russia and give out a ruling that will prohibit the manufacture and sale of spirituous liquors entirely.

The fact that War Secretary Kitchener has announced that there shall be no alcoholic beverages in his household in the duration of the war has further increased the opinion that the prohibition movement is a stern reality.

An announcement was made a few days ago that England would not make such binding prohibition laws as Russia has done, namely, to prohibit the manufacture of vodka, in any form whatever. The fact that France has prohibited the sale of absinthe lends additional strength to the belief that England is sure to take action within the next day or two.

### NEW FIXTURES FOR CITY DRUG STORE BEING PLACED

Had you observed the splendid new fixtures that are being installed at the City Drug Store? Well, it would be an honor to see them. The proprietors, Coffey and take a look.

This popular drug store is keeping squarely up with progressive Sweetwater and have a place for beauty and completeness of stock that would be a credit to any concern in the larger cities.

Tanks, Tanks, Tanks, made from iron, not planks.—Monday & McMurry.

"Oil Stove Special" at Paul B. Sorerson's. Look up his ad in this paper.

## Withdraws from Chief Police Race

P. H. Hutcherson has requested the Reporter to state that he has decided to withdraw from the race for Chief of Police of Sweetwater.

He says that he has other propositions of business character that mean more in a financial way than the office, should he be elected.

He fully appreciates the interest that his friends have manifested in his race and assures each that he appreciates their assurances of support just as much as if he had continued in the race and received election.

### SCOTTISH RITE MASONS OBSERVE MAUNDY THURSDAY

On the Thursday before Easter it is required of all members of Rose Croix (Scottish Rite of Masonry) to gather where they may be to assemble at some agreed place and eat and drink and forgive each other of there be any differences holding them apart.

This obligation was observed last night by the members of the order in this vicinity at the Mart Hotel in the Mystic banquet.

For the past two years the ceremony has been observed in Colorado, but this year, the members resident there were invited to join the brethren here.

After a substantial repast had been partaken of, Robt. A. Ragland, 32, acting as toastmaster the order of the printed program was observed.

Harry C. Ford, 32, was called on for the invocation.

Ellis Douthett, 32, responded to the toast, "To the President of the United States."

To the toast "To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas," Harry C. Ford, 32, responded.

"Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men," was responded to Charles M. Adams, 32, of Colorado.

Robert H. Looney, 32, of Colorado spoke to "The Supreme Council and

"Masonic Friendship" was spoken to by H. G. Iseninger, 32.

In addition to the above there were present, Jno. W. Hall, 32; Bernard Fisher, 32; A. J. Herrington, 32; and J. C. Elderly, 32, of Colorado, and W. B. Gay, 32, of Jacksonville, Fla.

### WEATHER FORECAST.

Tonight fair, with freezing temperature. Tomorrow fair and warmer.

## YOUNG MAN TAKES LIFE IN CITY THIS MORNING

### FRENCH STEAMER TORPEDOED IN CANNEL WEDNESDAY

London, Apr. 1.—The French Steamer Emma was torpedoed in the English Channel Wednesday by a German submarine. Nineteen members of the crew were drowned, only two being saved. No further details concerning the sinking of the vessel were given out today.

### RUSSIANS LOSE 55,800 PRISONERS DURING MONTH OF MARCH

Berlin, Apr. 1.—During the month of March the German Eastern army captured 55,800 Russians, eight cannon and sixty-one machine guns, according to statistical information given out here today.

### OIL PRICES ARE FURTHER REDUCED BY STANDARD CUT

New York, Apr. 1.—The Standard Oil Company announced this morning that a further reduction on the price of refined petroleum, making all cases 10 cents per gallon; tanks 4 cents and Standard White 7-1/2 cents per gallon.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter.

### Frank Bowler Took Own Life by Firing Bullet Through His Head.—Here Short Time.

A sensation was caused this morning when it was learned that Frank Bowler had taken his own life by firing a pistol shot through his head.

The tragedy occurred at 6 o'clock this morning at the home of his father in the Orient addition.

Judge Hightower was notified and at once proceeded to the home where he found the young man cold in death and his young wife lying across a bed in a prostrate condition.

From Judge Hightower, who held the inquest, and the young man's father we learned the following facts.

Frank Bowler with his wife arrived in Sweetwater one week ago from Fort Worth where he had been engaged in the delivery service by motor.

Last night he told his wife that he wanted to sleep until breakfast this morning and that early breakfast was desired as he had secured work on the road. About 5 o'clock this morning his wife awoke and was preparing to get up, but he told her it was too early and she waited until 5:30 and then went about getting breakfast. (Continued on Page 4)



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It is because we want your business that we always treat

**City Garage**

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**V. M. JAMES, Mgr.**

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LADIES FOOTWEAR		Silk Faille and Mens Footwear	
\$3.50 VALUES	\$2.95	ALL COLORS, PER YARD	89c
\$3.00 VALUES	\$2.65	\$3.50 VALUES	\$3.10
\$2.50 VALUES	\$2.10	\$3.00 VALUES	\$2.65
\$2.25 VALUES	\$1.85	\$2.50 VALUES	\$2.15
\$2.00 VALUES	\$1.70	\$2.75 VALUES	\$2.55
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Assets Over a Quarter Million Dollars  
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H. S. Record, Vice Pres. Geo. W. Willis, Asst. Cashier  
D. R. Couch, Vice Pres. Paul M. Bertram, Asst. Cash.

## SWEETWATER DAILY REPORTER

W. A. PERRY, Editor.

Any erroneous reflection appearing in this paper will be cheerfully corrected when called to the attention of the publishers.

### SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Per Month ..... 40c

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following announcements for city officers are made subject to action of the qualified voters in the regular city election, April 1915.

### For Mayor:

GEO. T. WILSON, (re-elec.)

### For Chief of Police:

J. F. DICKSON.

W. R. JOHNSON, (re-election)

JOHN BRYAN.

W. C. McLEOD.

WILLIS BARBEE.

P. H. HUTCHERSON.

### City Secretary:

W. H. BARTLETT.

### For Water Commissioner, No. 1:

THOS. TRAMMELL.

### For Street Commissioner, No. 2:

R. H. FITZGERALD.

MANSE WOOD.

## INTEREST GROWS IN BABY CONTEST AS TIME GETS SHORT

We learn from the officers of the Self-Culture Club of this city, under whose auspices the Better Babies Contest will be held in the Methodist church on the 10th of this month, that the Contest is growing in interest as the time gets nearer and that the prospects are very flattering for a wonderful success of the coming show.

The parlors of the Methodist church have been secured and are being made

comfortable and the proper appliances for conducting the contest on a thoroughly scientific basis, are being moved into the rooms at the church.

The officers of the Club are highly elated over the growing interest and now feel sure that the problem will be, rather, the taking care of the numerous applicants, than the securing of them. However, a soliciting committee will work diligently from now until the time of the contest in securing new applicants for the contest. This however, may necessitate the addition of more help in taking care of the proposition, but the club is determined that it will do its full duty, and working, under this idea, it is safe to state that nothing should be done but what will be done. And all can rest assured that the rules as laid down heretofore will be carried out to the letter.

New applicants are being received at the Reporter office also. These are reported to the committees and the system, with which the work is being carried on at every point is proof enough that the contest will be a glowing success.

In order that some may understand more fully the idea that it is wished to carry out in this contest we reproduce the following from the Woman's Home Companion:

"A Better Babies Contest may be held under the auspices of a woman's club, a mother's congress, a parent-teacher's association, a medical society, a civic club, or any other organization interested in public health and child welfare.

"A church with Sunday school rooms or a Y. M. C. A. Building, suite or rooms in a club house, hotel, city building, hospital or a large airy building. The essentials are accessibility, good ventilation and ample space, which can be properly equipped with sanitary conveniences for mothers and children.

"Parents leave the contest knowing more about their children than they ever knew before, and the children are given a better start in life be-

cause of the knowledge gained by the parents. If this matter can be brought clear before the parents, and if children are entered, not for prizes, but for information and help, the contest will be placed on the highest possible plane.

"The Better Babies Bureau, therefore urges that no prizes of cash or merchandise be given, but that the money which would be used for this purpose be used in installing an educational exhibit. The Medals and certificates used by the Better Babies Bureau are highly prized by the parents, and will draw a large number of entries.

"The work for Better Babies is not a commercial undertaking but an educational movement, conducted in the interest of mothers and babies.

"The Better Babies Standard Score Card has been prepared to test the physical and mental development of children between the ages of six months and sixty months inclusive. It is as follows:

1st Division.—Children six months of age, up to and including one year.

2nd Division.—Children thirteen months of age, up to and including two years.

3rd Division.—Children twenty-five months of age, up to and including three years.

4th Division.—Children thirty-seven months of age up to and including four years.

5th Division.—Children forty-nine months of age, up to and including five years.

Children under six months or over sixty months of age are not eligible for examination.

## 800 CHRISTIANS CHOPPED TO PIECES BY TURKS IN PERSIA

Tabriz, Persia, April 1.—Preceding Russian occupation of the province of Azerbaijan, Persia, the Turks massacred nearly eight hundred Christians, chopping an Armenian woman of chopping many of them to pieces. A general massacre of the ten or fifteen thousand Christians remaining in the Urumiah district is feared unless averted by Constantinople orders. Verbal messages confirm the massacre of eight hundred in this neighborhood and says that more than two thousand have died of disease.

El Paso, Texas, Apr. 1.—General Villa has ordered that the death penalty be administered to all who are guilty of making or circulating counterfeit money. It has been reported that great quantities of bogus money has been passed along the border.

### For Sale.

Lot 9, block 92, Snell Park. Make me an offer.—TOM CASWELL, R. F. D. 2, Box 75, Tyler, Texas.

READ IT FIRST IN THE DAILY REPORTER



If so, send it to us. We have the largest and best equipped power cleaning and pressing plant in the Southwest. Together with the know-how. If it can be cleaned, we can clean it. Phone 97, in the building with Sweetwater Laundry.

THE STEAM DRY CLEANING PLANT  
QUALITY QUICKEST SERVICE  
FIRST Lowest Prices.

## LODGE DIRECTORY

W. O. W. NO. 625  
Meets every Monday night.

W. C. NO. 54.  
Meets 1st and 3rd Friday nights.

REBEKAHS NO. 303  
Meets every Tuesday night.

B. P. O. E. NO. 1257  
Meets Friday nights at 8 o'clock.

EASTERN STAR  
Meets 3rd Tuesday nights at Masonic Hall.

MASONIC LODGE  
Meets every Saturday night.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS  
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday afternoon.

BEN HUR NO. 64  
Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday nights.

Lake City Camp, No. 18, Continental Guards meets in I. O. O. F. Hall every 4th Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.  
H. C. EGBERT, Com. Guard.  
J. R. BRYANT, Com. Recorder.  
J. R. BRYANT, Secretary.

Sweetwater Encampment No. 53, I. O. O. F. meets in the Odd Fellows Hall every 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. All visiting patri- arch are invited to meet with us.  
H. C. EGBERT, C. P.  
O. M. ANDREWS, Scribe.

Sweetwater Lodge No. 556, I. O. O. F. meets in Odd Fellows Hall every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting Odd Fellows are always welcome.  
O. M. ANDERSON, N. G.  
J. R. BRYANT, Secy.

Coming West Rebekah Lodge No. 303, I. O. O. F. meets every 2nd and 4th Friday evenings at 7:30 o'clock in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visitors welcome at all meetings.

MRS. MAY OWEN, N. G.

### Found.

A pair of spectacles on the streets. Owner can get them by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

Easter! Easter! Easter! at the Nickel Store.

## For Classy Photos

Copies, enlargements and View work. We finish snap shot work. Develop films for 10 cents per spool. Prints and Post Cards 4 cents each.

Willis Art Gallery

North Side of Square.

O. A. Cordell, Mgr.

# Eastertide

As Easter approaches and in fact only a day or two away you still have time for a look and selection from our beautiful lot of

## Ladies Spring Suits

These selections as to fabrics and shades should convince you they are absolutely correct.

These handsome garments show the handsome lines of exclusive tailoring—they are in such wantable fabrics as Gaberdine, Covert, Fancy Serges, Shepherd Checks, and Silk Poplins.

The shades comprise the new tans, Putty, Sand, Blue and Black.

Prices \$15.00 to \$30.00

## New Dresses

Showing several numbers of Silk Poplins in effectively designed models in the shades of Pucey, Blue and Black.



## Auto Truck Service--

I have added a new Auto Truck to my Transfer Service and am in position to render careful attention to all business given me. I want a share of your patronage and will do my best to please you.

## Campbell's Transfer Co.

Phones Office 660, Residence, 671

### For Sale at a Bargain.

We have a good second hand soda counter for sale with working parts.—Bowen's Drug Store, Sweetwater, Texas. 3rd-11w

### Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of Nolan. By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Eastland County, on the 26th day of February, 1915, by Elzo Been, Clerk, of said Court against J. W. Mingus, R. L. McCaulley and A. B. Yantis for the sum of Four Thousand Seventy-Four and 49-100 (\$4974.49) Dollars and cost of suit, in cause No. 2394 in said Court, styled C. A. Gray vs J. W. Mingus, et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, Jack Yarbrough, as Sheriff of Nolan County, Texas, did on the 4th day of March, 1915 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Nolan County, described as follows, to wit: All of Lots Nos. three (3,) four (4,) five (5,) six (6,) seven (7,) and eight (8,) in block No. thir-

ty (30) situated in the original town of Sweetwater in Nolan County, Texas, as shown on the map of the original town of Sweetwater, in Nolan County, Texas, and levied on as the property of said J. W. Mingus, and on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1915, at the Court House door of Nolan County, in the city of Sweetwater, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I will sell said town lots at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. W. Mingus by virtue of said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Sweetwater Reporter, a newspaper published in Nolan county.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of March, 1915.

JACK YARBROUGH, Sheriff. Nolan County, Texas



Science and research is almost daily revealing new and better remedies for disease and ailments. Just as soon as they are proven and accepted we have them here. We know the drug business, and every prescription is filled with EXACTLY what the doctor ORDERED. Capable registered pharmacists compound all medicines we give prompt service; you get reasonable prices.

## Palace Drug Store

We give you what you ask for. Phone 1.

Cat flowers on sale Friday and Saturday. Easter Sunday

## Sweetwater Dry Goods Co's. Mammoth Spring Stock

Just received is now arranged for your inspection. Practically every item in new designs, new materials for Spring wear in dry goods, ladies ready to wear Childrens outfits, Men and Boys garments. We invite your inspection.

These are up to the minute Garments in every respect. Come in today and get first choice of them. Trade where you can Save.

## Sweetwater Dry Goods Company

## JEWELRY SERVICE

That is not Exceeded anywhere. When it comes to Repairing or engraving try me and you will be satisfied. And when you want to buy a piece of Jewelry come here even after you have looked elsewhere and satisfy yourself that the Price is right by using my prices as your guide. My prices on everything are as low as good jewelry can possibly be sold. You have been thinking of buying that present for a long time. First, you forgot, then you put it off, then you was undecided where to buy it. Make your selection here and now. I guarantee QUALITY and PRICE to be the best obtainable.



**P. T. Quast**  
JEWELER & OPTOMETRIST

The Reliable Jeweler.  
Sweetwater, Texas.

## MILLINERY

This is One of the many new Ideas in the beautiful HATS of this Season.



Come in and see them  
Phone 360  
**MRS. HUEY** Millinery



Autos may Come and Autos may go but  
**FORDS go on FOREVER**

We sold and delivered 14 new Ford cars last week to well known residents of Nolan and Mitchell Counties.

Flush or Stringent Times

Ford Sales go on Unabated.

Remember the Ford—that true and tried car—that one that always satisfies, and let us demonstrate to you—the pleasure will be ours.

Resp. Yours to serve,

**Adams Machinery & Auto Co.**

Phone 564.  
Runabout \$486.85; Touring Car \$636.85  
delivered at Sweetwater with full equipment.

### BLACKWELL BULLETIN SUSPENDS PUBLICATION

The Blackwell Bulletin, owned and published by Rev. W. E. Caperton has suspended publication with this week's issue. He announces that he will move the plant to Trent and start a paper there. Lack of sufficient support is assigned as the reason for suspending the publication.

W. D. McNeal is another progressive citizen to call and order the regular visits of the Reporter, for which he has our thanks.

Read it first in the Daily Reporter

J. C. Clardy called yesterday and ordered the regular visits of the Daily Reporter and had some nice things to say about the paper. He said he thought Sweetwater people should patronize her daily paper liberally. If all our people viewed the situation as Mr. Clardy, it would be no trouble to run a daily paper in Sweetwater with full press dispatches.

Tanks, Tanks, Tanks, just as safe as the banks.—Monday & McMurry. 2t.

Have you visited the big "Humping Sale" at Whinkler's store. Great bargains are awaiting you there.

### J. & W. FISHER HAVE SOME PRETTY SHOW WINDOWS

J. & W. Fisher's big store on the West side of the square is sporting some of the prettiest show windows ever shown in the city. Appropriate Easter designs have been carried out and in every way they present the work of an artist at window decorations.

### ANTIS CLAIM TOM GREEN COUNTY BY 35 MAJORITY

The antis have carried Tom Green county by a majority of 35 votes instead of 37 as reported in these columns yesterday.

San Angelo gave the antis a majority of 156 votes.

If you are in a hurry and want it done right, send your cleaning and pressing to us. Mens' suits cleaned and pressed 75c.—THE STEAM DRY CLEANING PLANT in Laundry building. 157-30t

### IMPORTANT MEETING OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

An important meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Central Presbyterian church will be held with Mrs. T. B. Tarpe Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

An exceptionally splendid program has been arranged and all members are urged to be present.

### L. O. O. M.

Meets every Thursday night at 8 p. m. in Moose Home. Welcome visitors. G. E. BRADFORD, Dictator, P. T. QUAST, Secretary.

### BIG HUMPING SALE AT WINKLERS CONTINUES

The big Humping Money Raising sale continues to be the center of attraction at H. Winkler's store. Notwithstanding the bad weather that has prevailed during the past week people have come and partaken of the numerous splendid bargains offered. Not a dissatisfied customer has been heard from. But all who have visited the store are wondering how he can make the prices so low.

It is not a matter of profits with Mr. Winkler, but the sale is for the purpose of raising money.

If you have not already done so, read his big ad in this week's Reporter. You will be astonished at the many splendid bargains offered.

### Returns from Oklahoma.

Mr. H. L. Mitchell, one of the managers of the Baker Manufacturing Co., has returned from a business trip to points in Oklahoma. He reports conditions first class in that section. One thing that impressed him very much was the great amount of road building in progress in that state. He was investigating the proposition of constructing a bridge across the Canadian River, and his company will likely land the big contract.

Splendid Progress on Pipe Line.  
Splendid progress is being made on the pipe line between lake Trammell and the city.

Contractor Moore informs us that over five miles of ditch has been dug and 3 1/2 miles of pipe has been laid. The pipe laying has been slightly delayed on account of delayed shipments of pipe from the factory.

Coleman Has New Daily Paper.  
The Coleman Daily Voice is the name of a new daily paper launched at Coleman. The publishers state that the paper will be run as long as the patronage will justify. Coleman, like Sweetwater, has had a daily paper before, but was suspended for lack of sufficient support.

Mules for Sale.  
Small mules (unbroke) 3 and 4 year old, that will do the work of animals costing two to four times as much. For sale at \$50.00 each. See Madden Bardwell, E. Q. Daniel, or R. C. Crane, Sweetwater, Texas. 2td-2tw

Engaging in Rabbit Hunt.  
A number of people left this morning for the Champion community to join the people there in a big rabbit drive.

### GEN. VILLA AT TORREON HEADS SOUTHWARD—MOVE IS SECRET

Washington, March 31.—Dispatches to the Villa Agency here today say that General Garza, at the head of the Mexico City government, has paid to the widow of John B. McManus, the American killed by Zapata troopers, 112,000 pesos which at the present rate of exchange equals approximately \$11,300 in gold, as indemnity.

General Villas has evidently abandoned his plan to personally lead the fighting at Matamoros. State department, and Carranza, and Villa reports agree that he is at Torreon, going south, but differ as to the reason. The Villa agency announces that he was organizing an expedition to round up Carranza troops operating in Northern Sonora near the American border. The Carranza agency claim that General Villa went to Torreon to prevent General Triana from going over with his entire force to Eulalio Guetierrez, after a quarrel with General Angelus.

### R. R. TIME TABLES.

Texas & Pacific Train Bulletin.	
No. 3, Westbound	7:20 p. m.
No. 5, Westbound	6:30 a. m.
No. 21, Arrives	5:30 a. m.
No. 4, Eastbound	9:45 a. m.
No. 34, Eastbound	1:00 a. m.
No. 22, Leaves	9:00 p. m.
Santa Fe Train Bulletin.	
No. 922, Southbound	4:30 p. m.
No. 921, Northbound	12:35 a. m.
Orient Train Bulletin.	
No. 1, Southbound	5:40 a. m.
No. 2, Northbound	11:15 p. m.

Easter egg dyes at Nickel Store.

Easter crepe paper and napkins at Nickel Store.

Plues, guttering and taping promptly attended.—Monday & McMurry. 2t

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# New Easter Hats

New Shipment of fashionable hats arriving daily. Come and make your selection for Easter before they are picked over.

## The Latest Fashions

These goods are of the latest styles and fashions and will not fail to please you. The prices are the lowest, quality of goods considered.

# Mrs. Hudson

## The Milliner

## Queen Theatre

TO-NIGHT

# "The Rock of Hope"

2 part drama of the Sea Coast

# "The Shack Next Door,"

Another Funny Comedy

Admission 5 and 10 cents

## Don't Miss this Show

Lots Nos. three, four, five, six, seven and eight in Block No. thirty, Original town of Sweetwater, as shown by the map of said town, of record in Book "C" pages 254 and 255, Deed Records of Nolan County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said J. R. Herndon, et al, and The Sweetwater Mill & Elevator Company, and J. W. Mings, and on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1915, at the Court House door of Nolan County, in the city of Sweetwater, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said lots at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said defendants by virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Sweetwater Reporter, a newspaper published in Nolan County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of March, 1915.

JACK YARBROUGH, Sheriff,  
Nolan County, Texas

# Men's and Boys' Suits

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**AT LOCAL CHURCHES**

Those who are attending the special series of Passion Week services at the Central Presbyterian church are receiving great inspiration from the Bible studies being conducted by the Pastor.

A good service was held Wednesday morning, the subject being, "A travesty on Justice." The injustice of the trial of Jesus was presented with present day application. At the evening hour, the third in the series was given, and in, "The Master's Last Bequest." Jesus gave a son to his widowed mother, and a mother to his well-beloved disciple. Clark suggests that John was the only Disciple to die a natural death and that this was his reward for the care of the mother of our lord. It was shown that this occurrence in the life of Christ is a strong evidence of his humanity, yet he was as divine as human, and as human as divine. There can be no distinction or separation between the two since they are so closely related in Him. From this example of the blessed Christ it was shown how affection purifies the relations of life, deepens the feelings, broadens the sympathies and enhances the joy of life. The honor and sanctity of motherhood is recalled in the attitude of our savior toward His parent.

The musical services are attractive each evening. A special duet being given by Mrs. Engle and Mrs. Douthett on Tuesday evening, and a violin solo by S. D. Myers, Jr., Wednesday evening and a violin solo by Miss Petter Thursday evening.

This morning (Friday) the subject was "The Lamb of God" and in the evening will be "The great agony." This evening the subject will be the Forsaken Savior, being the fourth of the series.

**Central Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. with Graded lessons. Prof. D. A. Clark, Superintendent.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Subject of sermon: "A Dead Christ

or a Risen Savior.—Which?"  
Evening service at 7:45 with sermon on "The Wonderful Death," being the last in the series of the Seven Words from the Cross.

Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock an illustrated Missionary lecture by Dr. Berst, a returned Missionary from China. He has many interesting curios which will be exhibited at the service.

A cordial welcome to all in all the services of our church.

The Thursday evening services at the Central Presbyterian church had the most impressive sermon thus far in the series of Bible studies now being conducted. In "The Forsaken Savior" it was revealed that the dual nature in the Christ was a fact and the first glimpse of his Divine humanity was obtained. Christ shared in all other fluctuations of the human emotions and yet had the divine power sufficient to accomplish his deliverance from all danger and freedom from all sin. He tasted the bitter dregs in the cup which he drank for our salvation. Miss Petter delighted her audience with a splendid rendition of "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

Tonight the subject will be, "The Great Agony," this being the fifth in the series on "The Seven Words from the Cross."

Young man killed self at early hr sm (Continued From Page 1)

leaving her husband in bed. The elder Bowler was sleeping on a cot in an adjoining room. About the time breakfast was ready she heard a noise like the report of a gun and spoke about it to the elder gentleman who said he heard the noise but did not think it was a gun. She called her husband and when he failed to answer she went to his room, it still being dark in the room. Her husband still failed to answer and she placed her hand on the bed and felt the pistol. The father rushed in with a light and the ghastly discovery was made. The young man had fired a bullet into his right temple which came out on the other side of his head.

In response to some questions asked the father by a Reporter representative, he said his son had been in poor health for two years. He was run down by an automobile about two

years ago and had his head badly crushed and often since the accident he had complained with his head.

The mother, who resides at Houston was wired concerning the tragedy and the body is being held for instructions from her. The people are in very needy circumstances. The father has tuberculosis and has been unable to do any work for many months. His good neighbors with the charity board have been assisting his in his afflictions in supplying the necessities of life.

While talking of the awful affair today, he became deathly sick. It is presumed that the body will be laid to rest here. The J. I. Payne Undertaking Co. have charge of the

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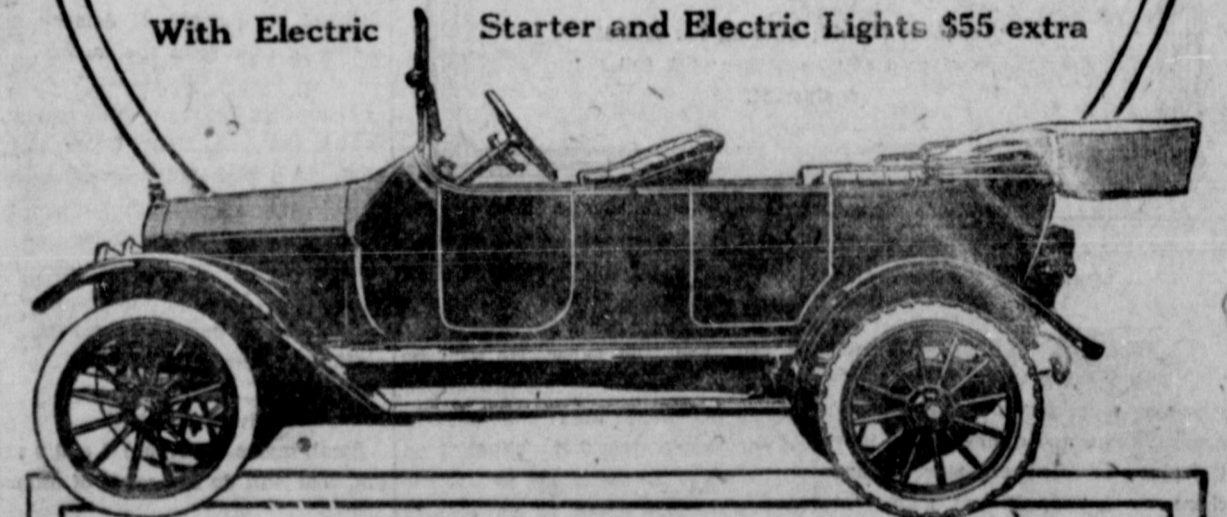
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