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## RESULTS IN THE SCHOOL MEET

Saturday was a big day in Sweetwater, as the Nolan County Senior Track Meet was held. The tennis match was called Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, between Roscoe and Sweetwater. The Sweetwater boys were winners in this by a score of 4-6, 6-2, 6-0, and 6-1. Morris and Parker represented Roscoe, while Sweetwater was represented by Scales and Bright. Of the girls, Roscoe was victorious by a score of 6-3, 6-3, 6-4 being represented by Misses Absher and Gilliland and Sweetwater by Misses Cochran and Davis.

The meet in the afternoon began at 3 o'clock. The events were as follows:

One hundred yard dash—Hampton, Sweetwater, first; Haney, Roscoe, second; M. Fife, Sweetwater, third; Stamps, Sweetwater, fourth.

Two hundred and twenty yard dash—Hampton, Sweetwater, first; Potter, Roscoe, second; M. Fife, Sweetwater, third; Montgomery, Sweetwater, fourth.

Eight hundred and eighty yard run—Potter, Roscoe, first; Brashear, Sweetwater, second; S. Pitzer, Sweetwater, third; Boarman, Sweetwater, fourth.

Four hundred and forty yard run—Scales, Sweetwater, first; Middleton, Sweetwater, second; Parker, Roscoe, third; Mathews, Sweetwater, fourth.

One mile run—S. Pitzer, Sweetwater, first; Brashear, Sweetwater second; Haney, Roscoe, third; Harkins, Roscoe, fourth.

One hundred and twenty yard hurdles—Stamps, Sweetwater, first; Dodgion, Roscoe, second; L. Pitzer, Sweetwater, third; Robinson, Sweetwater, fourth.

Two hundred and twenty yard hurdles—Stamps, Sweetwater, first; Norris, Roscoe, second; Robinson, Sweetwater, third; Dodgion, Roscoe, fourth.

One mile relay race—Roscoe, first; Sweetwater, second.

Shot put—Stamps, Sweetwater and Norris, Roscoe, first. Distance 33.8; S. Fife, Sweetwater, second; Honey, Roscoe, third; Parker Roscoe, fourth.

High Jump—Robinson, Sweetwater and Norris, Roscoe, first Haney, Roscoe, second; M. Fife, Sweetwater, third.

Broad jump—S. Fife, Sweetwater, first; Humphries, Decker, second; Potter, Roscoe, third; Dodgion, Roscoe, fourth.

Pole vault—Dodgion, Roscoe, first; Haney, Roscoe, second; Scales, Sweetwater, third; Middleton, Sweetwater, fourth.

Girls' potato race—Absher, Roscoe, first; Egan, Sweetwater, second; Bunch, Sweetwater, third.

Girls' basketball throw, (accuracy)—Absher, Roscoe, first Harp, Sweetwater, second; Goodrum, Sweetwater, third; Copeland, Roscoe, fourth.

Girls' thirty yard dash—Egan, Sweetwater, first; Otey, Sweetwater, second; Edwards, Roscoe, third; DeShazo, Roscoe and Carlton, Sweetwater, fourth.

Girls' Basketball throw—F. Goodrum, Sweetwater, first; Musgrove, Sweetwater, second; Absher, Roscoe, third; Harp, Sweetwater, fourth.

Girls' relay race—Sweetwater, first; Roscoe, second.

In the events of the boys, Sweetwater won with 76 points, Roscoe was second with 50 points and Decker was third with 3 points.

In the events of the girls, Sweetwater also won with 34 1-2 points, Roscoe was second with 18 points.

## MONEY WAS QUICKLY FOUND

As Luther Watson was on his way to the Reporter office early this morning he lost a ten dollar bill. Soon after reaching the office he discovered his loss and at once left for home over the same route he came to town and when near the railroad met City Marshall W. R. Johnson and Dan Bartlett who had just picked up the lost money. A little later today J. F. Davis dropped a purse on the vacant lot behind the Southern Mercantile company. A party came along within a few minutes and found the same. He made a bee line to the Reporter office to advertise it. Soon came in Mr. Davis and found his money.

## Want El Paso-Fort Worth Highway Extended

Fallas, March 28.—Fourteen men, representing counties east of Dallas, met here today in the interest of the extending of the El Paso-Fort Worth highway through that section of the state. Another meeting will be held at Greenville on April 12, when definite plans for securing the road will be taken.

Attending the meeting were: Mayor Sam Porter and Judge J. W. Tabb of Mount Pleasant; J. W. Westbrook of Sulphur Springs, John Myers of Omaha, O. W. Candler of Winfield, Julius Barrett of Winfield, S. I. Robinson of Naples, W. T. Floyd of Atlanta, R. orn of Cookeville, H. A. Wilson R. M. Love, W. H. Seay, W. E. Hathorn and J. W. Davenport.

S. N. Davis in a letter from his sister in Poplar Bluff, Missouri, Mrs. H. H. Hart, received the sad intelligence that her three children were stricken down with measles, accompanied by the sore throat. In this instance the throat trouble was of such violent type as to result in the death of the younger. We extend sympathy to the grief stricken parties.

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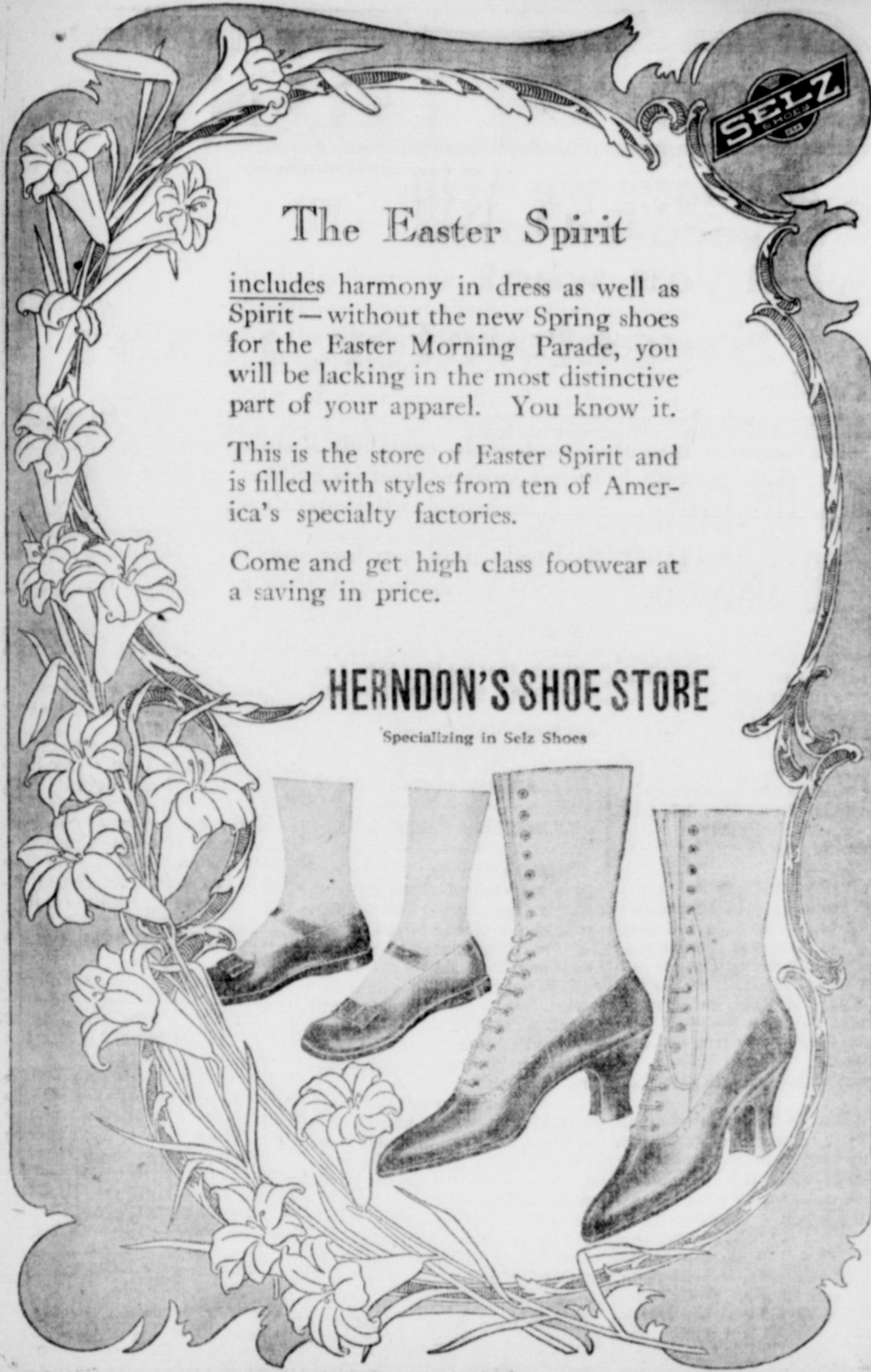
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Capt. R. H. Fitzgerald reports his grand children all up after a severe attack of measles. Four at his home were taken practically ill at the same time and little Walter had the misfortune to contract whooping cough, also which caused him much suffering.

W. Kimbrough and daughter, Miss Josephine are in Roby and Rotan today.

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## IT HELPS THE PASTOR

Dr. J. T. Griswold, presiding elder of the Sweetwater district has "springs in his heels." His district covers Nolan, Scurry, Mitchell and parts of Taylor, Fisher and Kent counties, and he is constantly on the move, "not by restraint, but willingly." He is doing things. His push and energy puts the whole machinery in running order. The fields hand catch the spirit of his zeal and things

A few weeks ago a move was set in motion to purchase an auto for the pastor at Blackwell. This move as we understood it originated at Decker, one of the points on the Blackwell charge. We have not heard from it recently, but we can vouch for those behind it. This commendable interest in infections, it is liable to break out anywhere. The Camp Springs charge has become inoculated, Rev. C. A. Duncan the pastor. The Reporter man has learned that that big hearted layman of Hobbs, J. C. Hayter originated and is back of this move, and those who know J. C. will readily concede success. Bro Duncan is now visiting his people and meeting his engagements in a nice

Chevrolet. The purchasing of cars for pastors by their people is not the indulgence of a luxury to be enjoyed, but the recognition of a necessity. The pastor is frequently called, and at any hour, for miles to visit sick beds, to marry people, to bury the dead. These calls are urgent and demanding, why not provide these faithful shepherds with this convenience, or give them a salary which would justify them in providing for themselves? Something of this sort would add fifty per cent to the efficiency of our presiding elder. See? We say this on our own volition.

The Reporter would be pleased to hear from congregations of different orders along this line.

### POSTAL BANK DISCONTINUED

It may be a matter of news to some of our readers to learn that a Postal Saving Bank has existed in Roscoe for several years. Since this department was added to the Roscoe post office it has been patronized but very little. We remember that at one time there was as much as eight dollars on deposit but if it ever had more than that amount we have not learned of it. For a long time only two accounts have existed, one being for the sum of \$1 and the other for \$2. These two accounts have this week been closed out and the bank discontinued by an order of the Government.—Roscoe Times.

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### PERSONALS

Gathered Among the Corners and Goers of a Busy World

E. W. Robinson of Post stopped over on his way to Fort Worth.

Little Miss Catherine Carter has a well developed case of measles.

Miss Ellard of Commerce, is visiting Mrs. C. J. Rutland.

Bland Hope was a week end visitor to Decker.

Little Melba Brantley has developed a genuine case of the measles.

J. M. Gohison left last night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gohison at Aspermont.

Rev. A. G. Pool filled his regular appointment at Moody yesterday.

W. M. Bradford and L. Mims re back from McAuley where they inspected the new Masonic Home.

Mrs. H. C. Anderson of Hamlin, is visiting in the home of L. F. Harris this week.

Sheriff Yarbrough has returned from Dallas with H. L. Williams the man charged with forgery in Georgia.

D. B. Bawcom, a prominent citizen of Hylton, is here today on business and reports a light rain in the lower end of the county.

The new Santa Fe train came in on time Sunday morning and again this morning. At 7:25. It left promptly at 10 a. m.

Master Tommie Boarman who was reported as having joined the ranks of measles victims is fighting his way heroically to victory.

Dr. J. T. Griswold returned this morning from Fluvanna. He found the new schedule on the Santa Fe a great convenience.

C. R. Simmons and family of Coleman, were guests a couple of days of his sister, Mrs. C. W. Clark and family.

Mrs. A. M. Roberts has been a great sufferer for days with malignant attack of tonsillitis. She is resting easier at this writing.

The church of the Nazarenes will begin a tent meeting Thursday night. Services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Engle, of Hamlin.

C. N. McGaffey will leave tonight via Santa Fe for Roswell, where he will organize the New Mexico State Senate for the Praetorians.

The local Magnolia Petroleum company are fortunate in securing the service of George Massey. George makes a full hand at anything he takes hold of.

T. R. Harvell is here from Hamlin today and reports about three fourth inch of rain Saturday night in his country. At Rotan the rain fall was much heavier and amounted to as much as three inches.

While R. Brown and W. C. Calvert were out driving Sunday afternoon they ran across a big rattlesnake. After killing it they found it measured four feet in length and had nine rattlers.

H. H. Glisson of the 4th Texas regiment was a pleasant caller at the Reporter office and exhibited some interesting pictures illustrative of camp life. He is visiting his parents here and awaiting a call from his captain, who is now at Plainview.

## SONS OF CONF. TO ORGANIZE

A move is on foot to organize a camp of the sons of Confederate Veterans in this city.

In order that all the people may understand the movement and its purposes the Reporter hereby reproduces a letter to W. T. Hightower which is self explanatory.

Memphis, Tenn., Mar. 27, 1917. Com. W. T. Hightower, Sweetwater, Texas.

Dear Sir:—

The "Sons of Confederate Veterans" are organized for the purpose of collecting data and preserving the record of the deeds of yourself and your gallant comrades. In your unparalleled fidelity to a cause you knew to be right, you have left us a priceless heritage, one that every true son of a Confederate Veteran should be proud of and appreciate accordingly.

As a business man you will realize that it is only by organization that we can hope to accomplish anything alone in this line, and we are now endeavoring to organize a Camp of sons in every town in the South to aid us in this work. Our next reunion will be held in the city of Washington, D. C. in June. This will be the first Confederate Reunion ever held in the North, and the people of that section will undoubtedly judge our loyalty to the memory of our fathers by the showing the Sons make there.

We believe that our work is equal with that of the Veterans themselves, for the reason that there are needy Veterans to take care of, and that the question of a true and accurate history to be handed down to posterity rests in our hands.

I regret to note that there is no live camp of Sons in your city, and I appeal to you to assist us in forming one, and enclose you herewith all the papers necessary for that purpose. Please turn these over to some prominent son or grandson and give him the benefit of your aid

vice and assistance in organizing the Camp.

Camps may be formed with 10 members, and both sons and grandsons are eligible to membership. Our dues are only \$1.00 per year, and half of that amount remains in the local camp treasury to aid some Veterans who may need a little assistance. Will you aid us in this matter so that we may have a representation at Washington that will reflect credit upon you and our comrades?

Yours very truly,  
N. B. Forrest,  
Adjutant-in-Chief, S. C. V.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Friday afternoon Mrs. Loyd Lewis entertained about 20 little folks in honor of her little daughter Evelyn's second birthday. The tiny tots were welcomed by Mrs. Lewis and little Miss Evelyn, and were entertained with games and stories dear to their hearts, until the refreshment hour arrived. They were invited into the dining room where the table presented a picture of beauty.

A lovely birthday cake centered the table, on which burned two tiny pink candles. At each place were found Easter nests filled with eggs, which were given the children as souvenirs.

Ice cream and cake was served. Many little gifts were left for the happy little hostess, who will long remember the day.

### CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

There will be an important meeting of the Cemetery Association Tuesday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock just before the Federation meeting.

Every member is requested to be present as this is to be a very important meeting.

### MORE SOLDIERS CALLED OUT

By Associated Press:

Washington, April 2.—The war department calls into the Federal service Home Guard organizations in West Virginia and Virginia.

### SOROSIS CLUB

Friday afternoon the Sorosis club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. J. T. Johnson, in her pretty new home.

The following program was enjoyed. Roll call; Name some famous opera house of the old world, with Photo.

"The Oratorio and its composer," was a well prepared paper by Mrs. Herman Harp.

Mrs. John Perry directed the afternoon's study from "The Education of a Music Lover," VII, VIII.

At the conclusion of the program a most delicious refreshment course was passed. Mesdames Guy Morris and Gerald Fitzgerald enjoyed the meeting with the club.

### SCHOOL CENSUS COMPLETED

H. P. Harkins has completed the census enumeration and tells us that the Roscoe Independent School District has 379 scholastics. Last year the census showed 378, two years ago we had only 300. It is gratifying to learn that the school will have as much money coming from the state next year as this year unless the apportionment should be decreased, which we are hopeful will not be done. Only one is a small growth but it will help some.—Roscoe Times.

### PLANS FOR HOBSON

The local committee, having in charge the speaking of Captain R. P. Hobson in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League here on April 12, met at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon and made plans for the coming event.

### WRECKAGE CLEARED

Local agents of the Orient Rail way state that it is expected that the wreckage of road below Blackwell will be cleared and the track repaired in time for all trains from San Angelo this afternoon and tonight.

Dr. Dudgeon is in Crowell on business.

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Spring Suits and Coats

Every one of our This Season's Smart Models comes in for this cut.

We simply want to rid our racks now of woolen suits and coats to make room for the lighter summer things coming in by each express. The worthiest styles in Garbadine, Serge and Pop lins, handsomely trimmed and lined in all the rich, novel colorings. Come early and get the pick of a great bargain.

### SPRING SUITS

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| \$35.00 Values<br><b>\$24.50</b> | \$25.00 Values<br><b>\$16.50</b> | \$22.50 Values<br><b>\$12.50</b> | \$15.00 Values<br><b>\$9.95</b> |
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### SPRING COATS

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| \$25.00 Values<br><b>\$16.50</b> | \$20.00 Values<br><b>\$14.50</b> | \$16.00 Values<br><b>\$12.50</b> | \$14.00 Values<br><b>\$10.00</b> |
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### Extraordinary Sale of all Kinds of Hats

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| \$6.50 and \$7 Values<br><b>\$4.95</b> | \$5.50 and \$5 Values<br><b>\$3.95</b> | \$4.50 and \$4 Values<br><b>\$2.95</b> | \$3.50 and \$3 Values<br><b>\$1.95</b> |
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Come Early and Get the Choice of the Selection