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CHITWOOD WARNS OF SCHOOL NEEDS

Failure To Vote Increase Tax Saturday Will Ruin Sweetwater's Fine School System In '23.

BOOTHE TALKS OF A FAIR HERE

Postmaster Howard Says Carry On Good Work Started By Get Acquainted Trip.

"Your public schools will be almost destroyed if the power to increase the tax rate is not voted to the Board of Education next Saturday," said R. M. Chitwood at the Luncheon Club today. "This is a property tax and I understand there are some property owners who are opposed to this proposed increase. Let them consider these two facts: First that without the schools their property in Sweetwater would not be worth very much, if anything, and secondly as a member of the legislative committee who investigated the prisons of the state, I found that the vast majority of new inmates admitted to these institutions during the past three years were boys from 18 to 23 years of age and who were without even a grammar school education. Property owners who wish to protect their property will find here powerful reasons why they should vote the increase. It is not my purpose to tell you how to vote. There is no money appropriated by the state for the schools this year, owing to the wave of economy prevalent two years ago."

James Henry Beall presided at the regular session of the Luncheon Club today. Dr. Morony reported briefly the Boy Scout movement inaugurated at the last regular session. Full details of the organization of the second class council having already been published.

Walter Boothe told of the fair plans being worked upon, of the desirability of this city having such an organization with all nearby cities enjoying them now. He said: "I believe Sweetwater is too good a town not to have a fair association. All towns near Sweetwater have them and I think we should organize one here. Have automobile races in the summer, fall fairs, and a stock show in the spring. The biggest question right now is the proper place to have it. An engineer is coming out here to look over city park and will have a report on us on the feasibility of locating a track out there."

Postmaster Howard said the recent "Get Acquainted Trip" had done so much good that he was in favor of visiting some of the nearby towns and putting on an open air band concert some evening. By advertising the event sufficiently in advance a crowd of large proportions would be secured. He had talked with citizens of Roscoe, Dora and other towns and they had regretted that the recent visit of the band had been so short. And in that way carry on the good work started by the "Get Acquainted Trip" Dr. Canfil, Secretary McCurdy and Mr. Howard were appointed a committee to work out such a program.

One of the most enjoyable features of the program was a violin number with piano accompaniment by the Misses Wanda and Wilda Drago. Fritz Krelzer's "Liebesfreud" with its poignant tonal beauties was given with a depth of sympathetic understanding that brought forth insistent demands for an encore. The young ladies responded with "The Last Rose of Summer" and were given a rousing vote of thanks.

Formal organization of the Luncheon Club, with dues at 25c per month payable to Secretary McCurdy was voted favorably. S. Tatum was appointed new member of the program committee and Miss Shatt chairman of the next meeting.

ATTENDANCE GROWS

Services Are Measuring Up To Fond Hope Of Membership—Special Music Tonight.

The Revival now being held at the First Christian Church is measuring up to the fondest expectations of the membership. The congregations are growing larger at each succeeding service and the interest is already at a promising stage. Bro. McKlaack is one of the Southland's greatest preachers and he is now at his very best. His sermons are masterpieces, plain, convincing, appealing, logical. Best of all, absolutely true to the Book in every way. They challenge every one to try to follow the loving leadership of Jesus Christ.

Bro. Huckleberry district evangelist will be here during the meeting and will render every possible service. The solo last night by Mrs. Chas. R. Chapman was exceptionally well rendered and added greatly to the service. The instrumental music was also a feature, consisting of a first violin, second violin, cello and bass and this feature will be repeated again this evening. The morning services are giving us the real spiritual feast of the meeting.

There will be special music tonight. Miss Wilda Drago will give a special selection on the violin. She will play Ave Maria by Schubert. Her sister, Miss Wanda, will accompany her on the piano.

THE COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Year's	Close	High	Low	Open
Oct.	21.38	21.45	21.16	21.26
Nov.	21.26	21.36	21.05	21.20

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Year's	Close	High	Low	Open
Oct.	20.85	21.03	20.70	20.82
Nov.	20.74	20.88	20.56	20.73

SPOT COTTON, MIDDLING BASIS

Today's	Close	Year's	Close
New York	21.55	21.45	
New Orleans	21.50	21.50	
Dallas	21.30	21.20	
Galveston	21.85	21.75	
Sweetwater	20.60	20.50	

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Today's	Close	Year's	Close
Wheat:			
July	1.08	1.07	
Sept.	1.10	1.09	
Oats:			
July	.62	.67	
Sept.	.58	.57	
July	.34	.34	
Sept.	.37	.37	

SET FIRE TO GRASS

Four Men In Jail For Burning 5,000 Acres Of Grass Near Sonora

Special To The Reporter.
SONORA, July 27.—Four men are in jail charged with setting fire to grass in the Allison and Miers ranches near here. The men refuse to give their names or any explanation for their acts.
The grass was set on fire in 20 places and consumed 5,000 acres before volunteers from Sonora could quench it.
Fires were set on both sides of the road by the men, who were in a San Antonio car.

DEBS PROTESTS EXECUTION

Cables To Premier Lenin Asking Consideration For Condemned Men.

By The United Press.
CHICAGO, July 27.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist leader, has dispatched a cable from his sick bed here to Premier Lenin, leader of Soviet Russia, protesting against the execution of twenty-two members of the Social Revolutionary party, who are now on trial at Moscow.

The defendants are charged with a conspiracy against the Soviet Government.
Mrs. Mary Hardy Barrow and sister Miss Mable Francis Hardy left yesterday for their home at Plainview, following a two weeks visit here. Abilene and McCaulley.

Troops on Way to Mine Areas



The Pennsylvania governor's own troops boarding trains at Harrisburg for duty in the Fayette county coal fields where dynamite and gun powder have been used in strike troubles.

KLAN IS WORKING FOR WORLD BODY

Editor Of Alleged Klan Newspaper Returns From Conference With European Protestants.

Immediately upon his arrival here he went to the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, a former head of the propagation department of the Klan, where he conferred with the officials of the organization.
Wood refused to say whether or not he had been successful in creating a nucleus of an international organization but declared that "things looked good."

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RESCUED AFTER THIRTY HOURS

Crew Of Burned Ship Charles Braley Picked Up By Gullflight.

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, July 27.—After drifting for more than thirty hours in an open boat in the Gulf of Mexico, nine men composing the crew of the steamer Charles Braley, which was destroyed by fire Tuesday, 75 miles off Tampico were picked up late Wednesday afternoon by the steamer Gullflight, according to radio messages received here by the Gulf Refining Company today.
The message stated that the men were little worse for their harrowing exposure in the blazing sun for over a day. The cause of the fire, which destroyed the steamer, are unknown. It is said to have followed an explosion deep in the hold of the ship.

SLAYER GETS SHORT REPRIEVE

Ernest Vickers, Scheduled To Hang Saturday Granted Week's Respite.
FORT WORTH, July 27.—"Hoping and praying," said Ernest Vickers, death cell prisoner, when he learned that he had been granted a week more of life by Governor Neff today.
Vickers was scheduled to be hanged Saturday afternoon for the killing of J. B. Loper, railway special agent, here some time ago.

KEEPS TAX RATE

County Tax Rate Of Seventy-Five Cents On The \$100 To Prevail In 1922.

The county tax rate of seventy-five cents on a hundred dollar property valuation will prevail for this year the same as it did in 1921, according to a decision reached by the county commissioners at a meeting here Wednesday.
This amount will take care of all of the liabilities of Nolan county, according to A. S. Mauzey, county judge. The seventy-five cent tax rate will cover the county's general fund, the road and bridge fund, jury fund, \$100,000 courthouse bonds, \$100,000 road bonds, a \$75,000 warrant issue, a \$30,000 warrant issue and a \$20,000 warrant issue.

P. A. TO MEET FRIDAY

There is to be a very important called meeting of the City Parent Teachers Association, Friday morning at 10 o'clock to be held in the Court House Auditorium. Mrs. Poffenbach, City Association President and Supt. Rivers urge the attendance of every mother in the city and especially the Officers of each ward School Association. Plans for the coming school year will be discussed in which every mother in Sweetwater is vitally interested and in which she should have a voice.

SEEKING "WHITE ASSOCIATION"

Anglo-Saxon Organization In England Conferred With—Will Admit French Order.

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COTTON PROSPECTS GOOD

Special To The Reporter.
GOREE, July 26.—Cotton prospects about Goree are the best in years, according to farmers. The streets of Goree on an ordinary day resemble those of a busy mart. Traveling salesmen report that Goree is unusually busy being one of the best towns in West Texas.

OFF ON FISHING TRIP

Mayor and Mrs. Gorge Sheppard and three daughters, including Mrs. Roy Scudday, her little son, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Farrar and E. B. Hull left this morning for the Concho River to camp and fish a week or ten days. The trip will include a visit to Mr. Scudday at Carlsbad.

HOW NOLAN COUNTY VOTED

CANDIDATES:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	TOTALS
C. A. Culbertson	128	3	5	12	18	8	1	59	2	18	0	7	18	3	6	71	58	2	416		
Cuffman F. Thomas	71	0	9	8	12	9	3	0	69	4	11	2	6	15	3	2	45	33	9	311	
Earl B. Mayfield	104	3	4	9	8	5	9	0	71	5	49	0	13	2	2	3	75	104	3	469	
R. L. Henry	39	2	1	0	2	1	4	0	45	9	8	0	7	7	1	0	26	33	1	186	
Clarence Ouseley	82	10	21	18	28	16	18	1	61	5	40	1	32	22	7	8	69	88	8	545	
James E. Ferguson	83	8	25	14	6	13	9	7	115	24	31	10	28	6	7	6	65	92	5	555	
W. W. King	20	4	4	4	6	4	6	0	14	1	4	1	4	2	2	3	6	18	1	106	
Harry T. Warner	33	6	3	14	10	4	5	0	22	7	9	2	19	9	5	1	35	24	16	224	
Pat M. Neff	246	5	32	11	15	23	19	1	167	9	88	0	12	27	5	11	168	149	6	1014	
Fred S. Rogers	209	12	27	26	43	33	25	8	236	34	56	10	66	25	18	11	155	201	6	1193	
J. O. Smith	328	8	25	21	26	27	15	4	95	15	44	3	23	14	18	10	87	118	11	790	
H. M. N. Marra	137	9	21	14	16	11	18	1	122	18	45	5	13	26	6	7	117	113	6	713	
Ed R. Bentley, Hidalgo, Co.	226	4	13	11	21	20	15	0	174	17	62	5	41	10	4	8	146	149	9	925	
Thom. H. Blanton	166	15	29	33	33	34	23	9	263	25	96	7	51	42	19	16	127	149	22	1178	
N. S. HOLLAND, Jones Co.	24	1	0	5	1	1	1	0	38	2	6	1	2	0	0	22	34	1	119		
J. B. Dibrell	91	3	4	5	2	6	4	0	3	1	5	0	1	4	1	1	36	30	1	198	
Oscar Callaway	62	4	7	10	13	17	12	0	71	11	14	5	15	4	1	5	72	58	4	382	
W. J. Cunningham	166	4	28	9	6	7	8	0	70	12	35	0	19	11	0	4	115	128	4	626	
T. E. Crutcher	269	5	31	17	64	33	14	2	270	19	33	7	9	42	13	21	189	220	10	1279	
Gus Farrar	255	26	43	56	27	52	44	6	190	33	110	6	89	25	12	6	162	218	39	373	
Dan Childress	356	15	21	16	48	71	44	2	100	15	113	5	65	25	3	13	233	228	11	1385	
Val Forester	96	8	11	19	15	5	7	1	130	17	20	7	8	28	15	4	71	81	4	726	
S. H. Shook	73	10	42	40	22	9	7	6	51	17	29	1	21	14	4	10	72	135	18	681	
Willie Elliott	444	29	55	68	78	68	51	2	1000	23	125	5	76	17	4	24	318	361	28	1800	
W. P. Copeland	85	3	21	6	6	20	7	7	263	30	46	8	22	49	23	3	71	80	6	855	
J. D. Lambert	94	10	14	14	15	6	11	0	54	4	11	0	19	19	4	0	66	134	4	478	
Mark Musgrove	117	3	7	4	7	0	9	1	15	4	13	0	9	3	0	4	87	91	3	387	
Willia Barbee	165	18	52	55	62	51	22	8	35	42	103	5	56	11	0	16	145	159	27	1032	
Jack Yarbrough	154	2	2	4	0	33	15	0	356	3	46	8	14	24	23	7	74	59	0	831	
W. T. Hightower	361	6	26	24	49	77	41	6	259	15	122	12	56	18	5	18	248	240	14	1597	
Clint Scott	163	27	49	52	32	4	17	3	196	37	36	1	37	46	22	9	132	197	16	1076	
H. P. Harkins	256	7	28	27	52	46	42	8	327	30	107	2	38	35	11	15	165	180	9	1402	
L. T. Maner	117	6	7	2	6	7	14	1	15	8	23	0	8	4	1	4	64	111	8	406	
B. F. Roberts	150	19	39	45	24	32	17	0	120	15	35	11	50	28	15	8	149	145	16	918	
R. D. Cox	347	17	45	54	63	71	36	3	255	41	121	13	59	39	12	20	235	256	21	1706	
W. E. Ponder	174	15	27	16	17	9	19	6	147	12	38	0	35	26	14	7	139	177	9	885	
Minnie F. Fowler	320	17	50	52	49	29	25	7	208	21	86	4	59	31	9	15	232	241	18	1422	
Myrle McKinley Curry	42	6	3	6	11	47	23	0	78	0	49	0	6	7	1	8	32	54	6	280	
W. L. Hunter	152	10	20	18	20	15	10	2	176	32	33	9	33	29	17	3	118	141	15	871	
W. H. Thompson	142	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	191	...	534
O. B. Moreland	103	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	46	...	213
A. J. Roy	227	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	135	139	...	508
F. M. Lockett	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	393	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	34	52	552
E. C. Sheppard	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	71	63	...	244
Sam H. Viser	96	84	147	...	327	
Lloyd Rogers	175	91	149	...	412	
John H. Holt	25	15	20	...	64	
Jesse L. Hembry	139																		

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HOW ABOUT COTTON?

Late reports seem to indicate a strong demand for cotton this year with a correspondingly strong price. In one sense a good local crop at a good price will be a calamity for this country. For it will breed in us a sense of security and dependence on cotton, here cotton and still more cotton following a mirage that has kept the South broke for years upon years.

When will we learn to get into the pure bred stock game? And with barns full of two year's reserve supply of feed, which can be easily raised in any good year, some milk cows some pigs etc, laugh at living costs?

And then there is the pure bred poultry. A full blooded White Leghorn will eat no more than a scrub is no harder to raise or keep, and will cost a very little more in the first place perhaps, will produce three or four eggs to the scrub's one, to say nothing of resale value, sale of eggs for breeding etc. Here is a very profitable industry that grows does not effect materially. In fact insofar as turkeys are concerned, dryness is well nigh an essential.

The sale of a few bales of cotton helps the farmer's bank balance considerably. It should be used for that purpose only. When all farmers have learned to grow all their living on the farm that it is possible to do, with cotton as a cash crop only instead of the main reliance, and with livestock and poultry as additional income, then and then only will this country come into its own.

Sweetwater, by the promotion of poultry shows livestock and poultry as additional income, then and then only will this country come into its own.

Sweetwater, by the promotion of poultry shows livestock shows etc, can render a real service to this section in that the best breeders will have their stuff on exhibition where all can see it—and profit thereby.

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EAGLES GRAB BY A CLOSE UP MARGIN

Sain's Screaming Slam Over Short's Head in Eighth Frame Gave Abilene Second Game.

FLEHARTY SCORES LOCAL'S RUN

Doubled in Lead-Off in Sixth To Center Field Wall And Scores On Shell's Single—A Duel.

Special to The Reporter.
ABILENE, July 27.—Sam Sain's terrific knock which went just over shortstop was the blow that won the second game of the series for the Abilene Eagles over the Sweetwater Swatters here yesterday afternoon by a score of 2 to 1. It was a pitching duel from start to finish between Lefty Bill Ward and Earl Fleharty. Sain's double scored Whitehead, who had gone to first on Curria's error. Fleharty scored the Swatters' only run when he led off in the sixth with a double to the center wall and counted on Shell's single.

THE BOX SCORE

Sweetwater	Abilene	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Nason, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Shell, 2b	4	0	2	3	0	0
Frierson, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Robinson, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Eupp, ss	3	0	4	1	1	0
Pipkin, c	3	0	1	2	1	0
Gressett, 1b	3	0	0	6	1	0
Curria, 2b	3	0	0	3	3	1
Fleharty, p	3	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	6	24	6	0

Abilene: AL R. H. PO. A. E.
Whitehead, 3b 3 1 1 0 2 0
Lynch, 1b 4 0 1 13 0 0
King, cf 3 1 2 2 0 0
Sain, ss 4 0 1 0 1 0
Kertridge, rf 4 0 1 2 0 0
Burch, c 4 0 0 6 1 0
Seiser, 2b 2 0 1 4 2 0
Miers, lf 2 0 0 1 0 0
Ward, p 3 0 0 0 3 0
Totals 30 2 7 27 9 0
Score by innings: R. H. E.
Sweetwater 000 000 000—1 6 1
Abilene 000 000 000—2 7 0
Summary: 2-base hits, Frierson, Lynch, Shell, Fleharty, Sain; sacrifice hits Miers; double play Seiser unassisted; struck out by Ward 5; bases on balls Ward 1, Fleharty 2; hit by pitcher Seiser; wild pitch Ward, stolen bases Whitehead, King 3; time of game 1:31; umpire Kuykendall.

Faces Murder Charge Smiling



Mrs. Clara Phillips, 23, was smiling as though she hadn't a worry in the world as she returned to Los Angeles under guard of sheriff's deputies to face an indictment charging her with the slaying of Mrs. Alberta Meadows, beaten to death with a hammer.

GETS KEY RATE REDUCTIONS.

Special to The Reporter.
ABILENE, July 27.—An additional deduction of four cents from Abilene's insurance keyrate was announced Wednesday by Fire Chief Frank Ferrier, effective July 15.

The additional reduction came as a result of improvements in the fire department and will mean another big annual saving to the insurance payers of the city. The rate is now 31 cents.

INSTALLS BUS LINE SERVICE

Round Trip Will Be Made Daily Between Sweetwater and Rotan.
Due to the shutdown of the Katy between Stamford and Rotan and the death of transportation facilities caused by the rail strike, a bus line has been started between Rotan and Sweetwater by W. H. Bates.

Mr. Bates makes a round trip daily leaving Sweetwater from his stand in front of the Cozy Cafe at 8:30 o'clock in the morning and arriving at Rotan at 10:30. The return trip starts from Rotan at 3:30 in the afternoon arriving at Sweetwater at 5:30 in the afternoon.

Mr. Bates serves towns between Sweetwater and Rotan. He has installed a Ford bus and the initial trip was made today. He has been running a truck line between the two places for some time.

The Gleaners and the Woman's Missionary Society members gave a miscellaneous shower for Miss Beulah Wallace, this morning in the ladies reception room at the Wright Hotel with Mrs. C. L. Jones as a most entertaining hostess. Miss Wallace lost her home by fire last week.

THE CHOSEN FAST.

—Is not this the fast that I have chosen? To loose the bands of wickedness to undo the heavy burdens and to let the oppressed go free and that ye break every yoke?—Isaiah 58: 6

TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION

Southern Methodist To Erect \$150,000 Hospital At Houston

By The United Press.

HOUSTON, July 27.—Construction work on a new hospital for Houston to cost over \$600,000 and to be erected under the auspices of the Texas conference of the Southern Methodist Church will begin here about August 1, it has been announced here.

The new hospital will be the most modern in the South. All the rooms will be outside rooms and will be equipped with ceiling fans. In order that the building will be practically noiseless the floors in the bedrooms will be specially constructed toward that end.

The first unit, on which construction will start August 1, will cost around \$150,000, and will have capacity of 100 rooms.

BOY SCOUTS O. K.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shaffer, went down to Oak Creek last night to visit the Camp of the local Scouts who have been in camp since Monday.

They report the boys O. K. in every respect and every man Jack of them having the time of their lives.

Mrs. Shaffer, assisted Scout Master Dressler serve lemonade and make to 45 boys, which included 19 visitors from Blackwell, last night.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Yesterday's Games

WEST TEXAS LEAGUE.
Clovis 1; Ranger 5.
Stamford 1; Lubbock 2, second game Lubbock 7; Stamford 2.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Beaumont 10; Dallas 11.
Galveston 1; Fort Worth 8.
Houston 2; Wichita Falls 13.
San Antonio 4; Shreveport 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago 1; Boston 2, second game Chicago 5; Boston 1.
Cincinnati 7; Philadelphia 13; second game Philadelphia 5; Cincinnati 10.
St. Louis 5; New York 10.
Brooklyn 7; Pittsburgh 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York 11; St. Louis 6.
Boston 3; Chicago 1.
Philadelphia 0; Cleveland 2.
Washington 5; Detroit 4.

Miss Lela Perkins has returned from Corpus Christi where she has spent a part of her vacation in company with her aunt and uncle of Snyder.

NOLAN CLUB ON PICNIC

Students At West Texas State Normal College Go On Outing
Special to The Reporter.

CANYON, July 27.—The Nolan county Club of the West Texas State Normal College went on a picnic Wednesday afternoon spending the day in the Palo Duro canyon, 15 miles east of Canyon.

The members of the club at present are Miss Verna Keating, Blackwell; Lela Wade, Blackwell; Lela Wade Sweetwater; Mabel Browning Sweetwater; Susie Mae Adams, Roscoe; Mabel Worthington Roscoe; Maude Williams Roscoe; Lela Parker Roscoe; Frank P. Hill Sweetwater; Joe A. Stewart, Hill; Herman Phillips Roscoe; R. L. Adams, Champion; Addison Sharp Champion; and Clarence Thurman Roscoe.

TO THE VOTER

To the democratic voters of Justice Precinct No. 1, No an Co. Texas. I take this method of expressing to you my gratitude for the very liberal support given me in the recent primary election.

Respectfully,
I. W. Brashear
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MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—On easy terms or trade for city property, 160 acres with 75 acres of growing crops. Balance in grass. Three surface tanks full of water. Improvements fair. Address Rufus Wright, Sweetwater, Texas. 117 tfr

FOR SALE—Small home on Locust Street. Telephone 633.

MORE EGGS

Feed the Purina Dica. More eggs or money back. Fresh car just arrived. Your Grocery Store will buy Purina chows for you. Call them. S. Edwards Grain Co. 150 dpt

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car 1918 Model also Trafter 900 Walnut St. 44-5

FURNISHED ROOMS—For rent. 500 Locust Avenue. Phone 516 McClintic House under new management. 151 tfr

You will find a complete line of Raleigh's Products at Armstrong's Cafe, 151 3rd St.

WANTED—To buy Harley-Davidson Motorcycle, in good repair. Burle H. Moore, at Otto Carter's Metal Works. 152 2d St.

Through mistake I put a big runboard tire pump in the wrong car at the City Lake yesterday, the car having a Pyrene fire extinguisher inside the front door. Party having it please leave at Reporter Office, L. Rodas. 152 tfr

WANTED—To hear from some one who has a good cow they'd like to have taken care of for its feed. Good barn and plenty of water. Phone 46. X

WILL BUY Vendors Lien notes for local clients on acceptable security. No delay. T. Vard Woodruff, 1361m

WANTED—Second hand Bags, Write us for prices. Reliab e Bag and Bagging Co., Houston, Tex. 147 15 tfr

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If it extracts you want get them at Armstrong's Cafe. Raleigh's are guaranteed to satisfy. 151 3rd W K Miller

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WANTED—A young man or young lady boarder. Reasonable terms. Phone 693. It xx

The Epworth Leaguers of the Methodist Church will entertain the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church Friday evening in the basement of the Methodist Church. A splendid program has been prepared for their entertainment including a talk by Mrs. E. V. Glass, music by the "Catharth Orchestra", duet by Holman and Heyden Leavelle, readings and music by other members of the Societies.

DOES YOUR BACK ACHE

It's usually a sign of sick kidneys, especially if the kidney action is disordered, passages scanty or too frequent. Don't wait for more serious troubles. Begin using Doan's Kidney Pills. Read this Sweetwater man's testimony. E. K. Smith, 406 Bowie St., says: I was troubled with my kidneys. My back was weak and lame and ached terribly. My kidneys acted too frequently and at times I had no control over them. After I had suffered in this way for some time, I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the City Drug Store. The first box helped me and continued use of Doans cured me of the attack. Several years later Mr. Smith said "I always recommend Doan's Kidney Pills highly. I use them occasionally and always receive good results. I think Doan's are the only kidney remedy."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Smith had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

NEGRO IS HUNG

Promised Mother Would Not Die With Shoes On.

NAVASOTA, July 25—Jim Thompson, a negro, convicted of killing Ben Silverstein his wife and the latter's father 10 months ago was hanged here late yesterday.

The negro attacked the family with an axe while they slept.

Walking to the scaffold smiling, the negro asked to be allowed to take off his shoes.

"I promised my mother not to die with my shoes on," he said as the reason for the request to be allowed to remove them. The request was allowed.

BOOZE PRICES DROP

Smuggling From West Indies So Successful That Prices Are Affected.

NEW YORK, July 25—Easterners are drinking good quality liquor at relatively low prices as a result of rum running from the West Indies.

Despite the efforts of the Government to check the traffic, the success

of the smugglers is seen in the slump in prices from fourteen dollars a quart to eight and ten dollars a quart. Winking at Prohibition enforcement seems to be a habit.

STOP THAT ITCHING

There is a lot of skin trouble in Sweetwater and surrounding territory this spring. We will sell you a jar of Blue Star Remedy on a guarantee for Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Old Sores or Sores on Children. Will not stain clothing and has a pleasant odor. Bowen Drug Co. (Adv.)—m.w.f.c.

SLAY'S ESCORT'S ANNOY

Girl Shoots Man in Fashionable Restaurant—Died Instantly. CLEVELAND, July 25.—Annoying

a woman's escort cost Edward O'Connell his life here today in a downtown restaurant while scores of fashionable dressed patrons sat aghast.

O'Connell was shot and instantly killed, according to the police by Mabel Barnett, 22 years old. Her companion over whom the slaying occurred told the police that he was Clifford Barnett, a traveling salesman working out of Dallas and Kansas City.

RECORD TOURIST TRAVEL.

STAMFORD, July 25—Auto tourist travel in every part of West Texas this summer has been greater than at any time since the beginning of the world war. Most of the West Texas towns have provided tourists' camp grounds and other facilities for the convenience and comfort of those who travel on rubber.

WILL YOU GIVE?

The American Legion is not asking for help, but it is in the hole financially. The men whose names appear below have donated the sums opposite their names. Hand your check to Tom Cowan or The Reporter office.

R. M. Simmons	19.00
Dr. Dudgeon	5.00
Rufus Wright	25.00
S. D. Myers Sadrery Co.	19.00
H. R. Bondies	5.00
T. O. Cowan	10.00
Clyde Payne	10.00
I. S. Foelt	10.00
Tom Carlisle, Blackwell	25.00
Sweetwater Dry Good Co.	\$25.00



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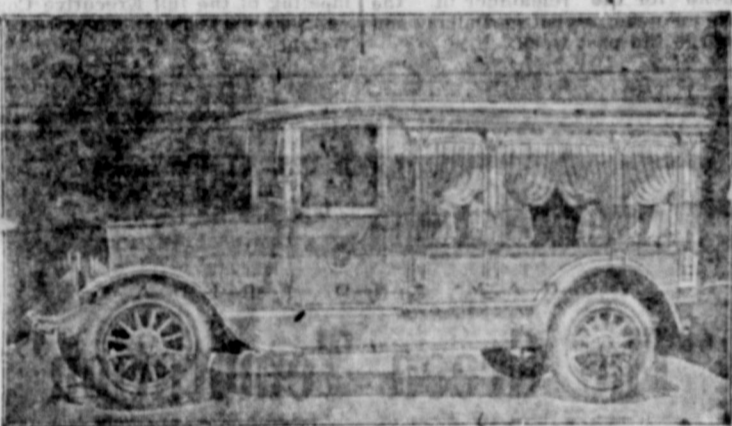
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Expenses and Income

The election to be held next Saturday, July 29th is for the purpose of determining whether we shall raise our tax rate from 50c per \$100 valuation as it is to \$1.00 per \$100 valuation.

By referring back to a published report of our financial standing as made out by our finance committee, it will be seen that we are face to face with a deficit of \$11,382, supposing of course that our schools are to run for nine months. By taking our income item by item we can see just exactly what it will be. The state funds as they now stand will be \$127,000; the local funds will be \$25,000; the tuition derived from various sources will be about \$1,000—making a total of \$153,000. Our expenses, unfortunately, cannot be so accurately estimated. Our income and expenses are not known and estimated expenditures make a grand total of \$49,382.

It is out of the question to try to raise valuations to meet the deficit. So, all there is left for us to do is to decrease our expenditures, shorten the term of vote for the higher rate and raise our income. The first of these is the one of which you should be most concerned. Most of the items of our expenditures are fixed and are not subject to decrease. Teachers' salaries, have been requested 40% increase and we have lost some of our best ones. With living expenses and the cost of fuel and other necessities increasing as they are, we don't think it best to make further reductions this year.

It would hardly be fair to the children who are in school to shorten the term. We would automatically lose all affiliations that have been secured. You know how many years.

So as your trustees, we ask you to vote the increase in rate so that we may carry on our schools as we all know they should be run.

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LEAVE FOR CAMP

Local Unit Of T. N. G. Entrain For Camp Mabry Today—Will Stop Over At Brownwood.

Headquarters, Company, 71 Infantry Brigade, Sweetwater's unit of the Texas National Guard, entrained this afternoon for Camp Mabry, Austin, where they will spend a two-week encampment in competition with units from other sections of the state. The men entrained late Thursday afternoon, leaving Sweetwater in a special over the Santa Fe, en route for Brownwood, their first stop-over.

A message was received by Captain Sidney C. Mason today from Captain Anderson of the Brownwood unit, telling of an invitation to the Sweetwater troops to a swimming party and a banquet during their stop-over in Brownwood, where the citizens of the town will act as host. The invitation was unanimously accepted.

Forty-two men and officers composed the Unit at the time of its departure. Several reductions and promotions were announced by Captain Mason shortly before the departure of the Company. The following men were reduced to privates: Master Sergeant W. S. Chenault, Sergeant J. L. Boyd and Corporal R. L. Armstrong. The following men received their promotions and are now carried on the Company roll as follows: Sergeant Don M. Brashear; Corporals—M. C. Manroe, B. L. Robertson, F. W. Murchison, L. Derrick, J. C. Litchfield. Several men were unable to make the trip to Camp Mabry: Lieutenant McBurnett was unable to leave his business and the task of bringing the Company rests upon Captain Sidney C. Mason and Lieutenant R. C. Pri m. The following officers and men entrained for Camp Mabry: Captain Sidney C. Mason, Lieutenant R. C. Prim, First-Sergeant Slack, Sergeants Levy, Geer, Cockerell, Mason, Brashear, Corporals Manroe, Robertson, Derrick, Litchfield, Woods and Dodson.

Privates—Bailey, Blair, Cox, Dotey, Daniels, Faris, Flowers, Freeman, Hollingsworth, Hopkins, Jennings, Johnson, Jones, Morton, Moore, Martin, Outlaw, Matthews, Hemby, Ray, Smith, Stephenson, White, W. C. White, Frazier, McClintic and Wade.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SERVICE

The open air meeting now in progress at the Church of Christ is growing in interest with each service with crowds increasing.

The baptismal service last night was beautiful and well attended. "Winning the Children to Christ" will be the subject of tonight's sermon. The song service is fine and all are invited to assist in this part of the services especially.

DALLAS MAN IN "TRUST"

Former Mayor Of Dallas Mentioned in Mexican Financial News.

By The United Press

DALLAS, Texas, July 27.—Frank W. Wozencraft, former mayor of Dallas, is interested with former Governor W. P. Hobby in the formation of a powerful "mining trust" in Mexico, according to El Democrita, Mexico correspondent of the Nuevo Laredo newspaper. The investment of extensive capital in the enterprise is hinted at by the Mexican correspondent who said the formation of the trust began when Wozencraft and Hobby visited Sattillo recently.

No confirmation of the report could be obtained at Wozencraft's office here, where he was reported as still on his honeymoon. John D. McCall, local attorney, who accompanied Wozencraft and Hobby to Mexico, said he did not know of any connection held by either with investments being planned in Mexico.

The proposed trust is to compete with the American Smelting and Refining Company in its operations at Sabinas in the state of Coahuila, ac-

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Friday and Saturday are the home-made hot tamales days at the Casino.

Mrs. R. A. Stewart and children are guests of her sister, Mrs. Jennings and family at Spur.

Home-made Hot Tamales on Friday and Saturday only at the Casino. adv

W. T. Trammell and M. A. Musgrove have gone to C'arcoment and Jayton on business.

Make your date for Friday and Saturday for home-made hot tamales at the Casino. adv.

Mrs. Jay Ingram returned to her home at Dallas several days ago after a visit in the city with her uncle J. T. Johnson.

Mrs. Robert E. Kinchen of Dallas is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. P. T. Grogan of Sweetwater.

The young people of the city enjoyed a dancing party at the Elk's Club last night with a good program of Dance music furnished by the "Midnight Five" orchestra, formerly of San Angelo's but now of Breckenridge.

Mrs. Embrey is visiting relatives at Fort Worth following a visit to Mid-dleton, her old home where she was called on account of the death of her brother, J. H. Barnett, whose funeral occurred Sunday.

Mrs. Gilbert Graves and little daughter, Betty Lee, of Winslow, Ariz. are in the city visiting her husbands' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Graves and family in the O. bent Addition. Mr Graves will join his family about August 3rd.

SCOUT WORK

Immediately following the Luncheon Club, members of the Executive Committee of the Boy Scouts met in the dining room. At this meeting Ed C. Brand was appointed chairman of the Camping Committee. The request of M. G. Cooper to be allowed to handle the Scout paraphernalia was granted. Mr. Dunn, who was in Sweetwater assisting with the organization of the Council last week was present and outlined a part of the work of the various committees. A meeting of the full Executive Council will be held Friday noon at the Hotel Wright.

MINERS' VICTORY

President Lewis Declares Success—Miners in Pits Within Thirty Days is Prediction.

By The United Press. PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—Declaring that the miners have won the coal strike, President Lewis of the miners said that the next move would be one of calling a conference in the central competitive field. This call will be issued within a few days, according to Lewis.

"The miners will not receive a wage reduction, but will return to work with the same wage as they had when they walked out of the mines on April 1," said President Lewis.

EXPECTS JOINT CONFERENCE.

By The United Press. PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—Predictions that the miners would be back in the pits within thirty days were made by the miner leaders assembled here today. John Hesele, representative from Terre Haute, declared that "the strike is won for the miners."

He said that he expected a joint conference will be called with the operators in the near future and the difficulties quietly and amicably settled.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

A marriage license was issued Wednesday to Mrs. A. E. Smith and S. H. Nelson, both of Roanoke.

FOSTER'S WEATHER BUREAU

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 27.—A large shortage of the American Winter Wheat crop of 1922 is now admitted by competent and reliable authorities; it has been published that winter wheat crop of this year is 100 million bushels short in France; similar shortages are reported from other countries of southern Europe; the shortage of moisture in Australia and southern India is still in progress.

If these emphasize the importance of my cropweather drouth forecasts and I have warned of a coming great drouth for a large section of the North American continent. The public does not realize the correctness and importance of these cropweather drouth forecasts that have been published for five years, including 1922.

For balance of July I am expecting better cotton cropweather; for the corn states west of meridian 90 a shortage of moisture and for balance of America and Canada fair cropweather. The storms for the week centering on July 26 will not be so severe and not so much rain as for week centering on July 3. Don't neglect a careful study about sowing winter grain.

North of 36, between meridian 90 and Rockies' crest; moderate temperatures till near July 21, when a

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low or storm center will approach from northwest, causing higher temperatures, soon after which moderate rains followed by cool wave which will reach lowest degrees near 24.

South of 36 and west of Alabama temperatures will reach a higher point as a storm center comes in from westward. Moderate rains and slowly falling temperatures will follow with fairly good cropweather, but rather cool for several days.

North of 36 and east of 90; warm wave near 20 followed by rains and much cooler weather. More rains are expected east than west of meridian 90 and will probably interfere with late harvests.

North of 36 and west of Rockies' crest; unusually low temperatures near 21, followed by a great rise; not much rain; moderate temperatures immediately following 15. Next bulletin will give general forecasts for August.

It is not my purpose to continue publishing long in advance forecasts of the great drouths and other weather extremes that have so much to do with world products and markets. In the forecasts already published is enough to convince of the importance of these forecasts. My newspaper service calls for good forecasts covering thirty days in advance and these must be repeated in differing forms that all may be able to understand. I now have published great drouth forecasts long in advance that, when the time is completed,

will have covered six years. So far no mistake has occurred and this will be one of the evidences of the value of my work.

Many of my readers ask for causes that lie back of this work and I have published much of such information. During this year I have been developing the results of a new discovery made last January. The planets select one of their number as leader, which they change often and irregularly. This surely is one of the most interesting of all of the modern wonders. Who will continue to regard fiction as more fascinating than the facts of nature? Who can longer claim that the fictions of Homer, Milton, Dante are more fascinating than the facts of the universe.

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NOTE:—The film "Cardigan" advertised for today and Friday failed to arrive. Watch for new date.

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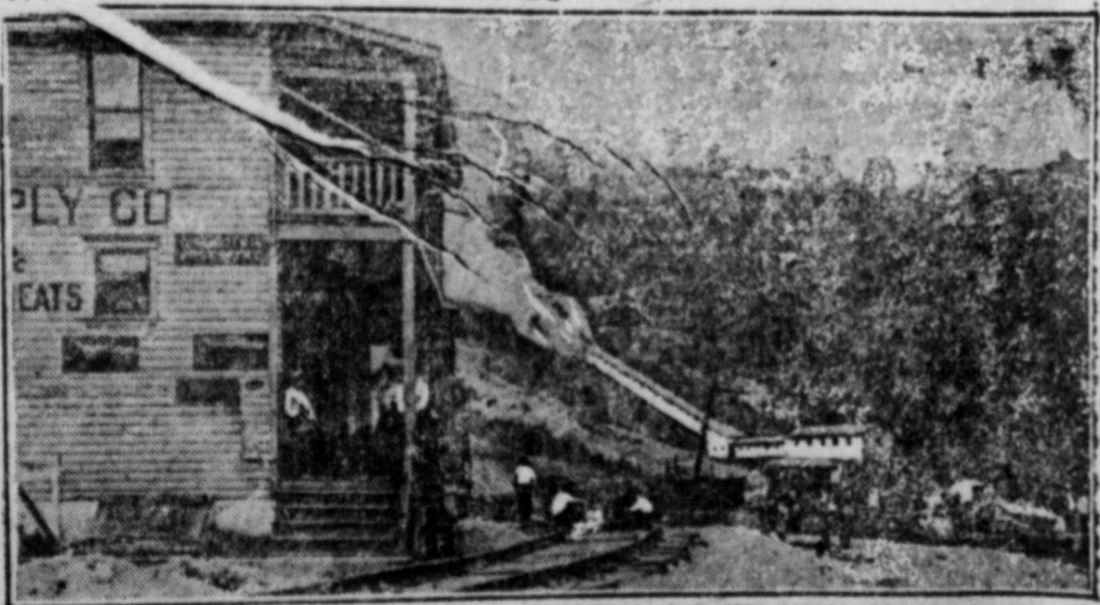
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'The Playhouse'

This is one of the liveliest comedies this versatile and popular actor has ever produced—it's great! Buster is the whole show. There is a big orchestra—with Buster playing every instrument!—Six comedians in black-face on the stage, they are Buster—and all the time he is sitting up in the balcony with his best girl, with the rest of the large audience, Buster, too. There is some photography in this film that you will admire, but most of all you will admire the inimitable Buster himself.

T-O-D-A-Y A-N-D F-R-I-D-A-Y

Where Seven Met Death in West Virginia Mine Battle



Scene of the battle at Cliftonville, W. Va., between miners and sheriff's party in which the sheriff and six were slain and a score wounded. The miners fired from the hill in background. Smoke can be seen rising from the tipple, fired by the miners as they retired. Cliftonville postoffice in foreground.

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Since the first inauguration of the Sperry and Hutchinson Green Trading Stamps many books have been brought here to be redeemed with valuable premiums. Many people were acquainted with the "S.&H." idea elsewhere and many, many more have become acquainted with it here in Sweetwater. The premiums at your disposal are many and varied. You do not have to wait—the articles are kept on display here in our store, ready for you at any time. The little green stamps may seem insignificant, but they cost you nothing, and just the ordinary family purchases, will in a very short time procure you your choice of many valued items.

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