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ALL WEST TEXAS GOING TO ANGELO

Special Train On Orient Will Carry Sweetwater Contingent Monday Morning 6:30—Many Via. Auto.

PROMISING PROGRAM ARRANGED

Sweetwater Will Stage Parade Tuesday—Big Pageant Tuesday Night—Big Banquet Wednesday.

Half of Sweetwater will visit the convention at San Angelo for a part at least of three days of the convention which opens Monday in the city on the Conchos. Special Sweetwater Pullman will be attached to the special train which leaves at 6:30 Monday morning and there will be many others on the same train who have not reserved pullmans. Then there will be a steady stream of cars, cars, cars, streaking it down the highway to West Texas' supreme attraction.

The Sweetwater booster band under the capable supervision of M. C. Manroe, a truck load of boy scouts will be there. Sweetwater's parade will be staged Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Everyone, man, woman or child who attends from Sweetwater is expected to register at the Sweetwater headquarters at San Angelo Water, Light & Power company on Chadbourne, the main street of the town, so Sweetwater will get credit for the attendance. Get badges, cards and novelties there.

The opening item of the program for the convention is the meeting of the executive board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on Monday morning. Monday afternoon the open program will get underway with a baseball game and qualifying rounds in the golf tournament, trapshooting tournament, swimming match, tennis match and other contests. An informal reception for the women at noon and a dance at night. The Kiwanis club supper will take place Monday night as well as the band concert and open-air dance.

Tuesday morning the formal convention will be opened at 10 o'clock. C. C. Walsh of San Angelo will deliver the address of welcome, with response by Clifford B. Jones of Spur. The president's annual address by A. B. Spencer will follow. Governor Pat M. Neff is on the program for an address Tuesday afternoon, as are the following: Louis J. Worthan, Fort Worth; E. J. Hosey of Armour & Co.; W. V. Crawford, of Waco president of the Texas Highway association.

Tuesday afternoon will be featured by group meetings. These will be divided as follows:

Secretaries and unit directors; poultry, dairy and livestock; irrigation and conservation; ladies' meeting. The band concert, in which \$2,000 in prizes is offered, will open Tuesday afternoon and athletic contests will be continued.

Tuesday night the all-West Texas pageant will be staged, for which elaborate preparations have been made.

The final day of the convention will be crowded with events. The manager's annual report will be given during the morning session. Alvin M. Owsley, national commander of the America Legion and a Texan, is scheduled to address the convention as are the following:

Speakers On Program.
John W. Carpenter, of Dallas, on "Texas Textiles;" J. W. Kyle, of College Station; Mrs. Maggie W. Berry, Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college; Dempster O. Murphy, Abilene; William Randolph Hearst, New York; G. H. Alford, Dallas.

The grand parade of the convention will take place Wednesday afternoon as will the annual cowboy reunion. Finals in the athletic contests will be staged during Wednesday afternoon together with baseball games and water fights between West Texas fire departments.

The closing event of the convention will be the fifth annual banquet of the chamber which will be held Wednesday night. President Spencer will be toastmaster and the program includes the following speakers:

United States Senator Morris Sheppard; R. Copeland, of Fort Worth, and State Representative R. A. Baldwin, of Slaton. Athletic awards will be made at the banquet and announce-

EXTRA TRAINS.

Train Movement Through Sweetwater Sunday Will Be Heavy.

All trains passing through Sweetwater Sunday night and Monday morning will be loaded to the guards with people going to San Angelo. Plainview is using a special train which is due to pass through at 2:40 this afternoon. It will not come up to the station, however. Two special Lubbock cars will be attached to the regular train, going around by way of Coleman and Ballinger.

The Dallas delegation to the convention will pass through Sweetwater Monday morning, transferring to the Orient here.

The Fort Worth special train is going by way of Ballinger and will pass through Sweetwater Thursday morning, staying here until 9 a. m.

There will be thousands of cars make the trip also.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR OPENS SERVICES

Sixth Revival of Christian Church Is Opened By Boys And Girls Chorus Of Thirty-Five Voices.

LARGE CROWD AT SERVICES

Evangelist Wallace Presents Strong Sermon—Subject, "Why Halt Ye Between Two Opinions."

Saturday evening's revival services at the First Christian Church opened with a song service by the girls and boys chorus, composed of 35 children. The group also gave a Bible drill and displayed a knowledge that would make the average grownup envious. The scripture from which Evangelist Virgil Wallace spoke was taken from the 18th chapter of the first book of Kings.

"In this the Lord asks, 'How go ye living between two sides?' or in other words, why halt ye between two opinions? You are a christian or you are not a christian, and a man cannot serve two masters."

"Many good men and women who hang on the skirts of the church are the best friend of the devil, banished was never in middle ground. He stood firmly for the living God."

"The business man who hesitates, who cannot say yes or no, will fall ultimately. He stays in the middle ground until his opportunities are exhausted."

"Why halt ye between two opinions?"

Sunday school will be held this morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Rev. Wallace's sermon this morning will be "Twelve and Five Thousand."

At 3 o'clock this afternoon he will preach to the men and boys.

The subject for the evening services will be: "Land of Memory."

TODAY'S RADIO WEATHER.

By Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co.

West Texas Sunday partly cloudy; cooler in the panhandle.

General conditions. The prime low pressure area prevails over the southern Rocky mountains and plains states and the Missouri Valley region causing widely scattered minor showers especially in Nebraska, Missouri, Dakota's and Montana.

The cotton region reports partly cloudy with temperatures ranging about seasonable average.

RESIDENCE SOLD.

J. H. Pardue has purchased the O. B. Moreland residence on East North Third street for a consideration of \$15,000.

ement of the winners in the band contest. Selection of officers and of the next convention city will close the convention.

Extension programs have been prepared for the women's, irrigation, poultry, dairy and secretaries' section of the chamber.

About 50 Boy Scouts will leave early Monday morning by truck and auto and will camp out in San Angelo. The boys will be under the supervision of W. H. Jobe, Luther Watson and Ben Daniels.

PREPARES PLANT FOR WARM DAYS

Sweetwater Uses 12 Tons Ice Daily During Summer—Local Plant's Capacity 40 Tons Daily.

ALL WATER USED IS FILTERED

Colorado, Lorraine, Roscoe, Other Towns Supplied By Sweetwater Ice And Cold Storage Company.

The plant of the Sweetwater Ice & Cold Storage company is now being prepared for its long summer grind dispensing cooling ice in the torrid days to come.

The capacity of the local plant is forty tons a day and it operates for months right up to that capacity. About twelve tons a day were consumed in Sweetwater during last summer, the balance being sold to Roscoe, Blackwell, Lorraine, Colorado and other points. Shipments to Plain View and other points nearly as far north are not infrequent. In addition, refrigerator cars laden with fruit from California and other perishables are re-iced here. The Santa Fe as a long re-icing platform for that especial purpose.

Those who are inclined to believe that a filtration plant for Lake Trammell is not necessary, should see the mud that comes out of the two 10,000 gallon settling tanks. Here it is treated with lime, 16 pounds to the tank, and allowed to settle. From six to ten inches of mud are removed from the bottom of each tank every day.

From these settling tanks, the water then passes through pressure filters which are cleaned out every two or three days.

Ammonia Is Used.

Ammonia gas is used in the manufacture of artificial ice. It is first compressed; and cooled, and then allowed to expand. When it expands, it takes heat from its surroundings. In making ice, the expanding ammonia is housed in a temperature of from 15 to 18 degrees above zero (more or less as local conditions require.) Large iron tanks are immersed in this coldbrine and filled with filtered water. It requires about 72 hours to freeze the water into ice. When frozen, the cake will weigh about 320 pounds. It is then cut up for use. The expanded ammonia is again compressed and used.

There are a lot of little details in addition. Compressed air comes up bubbling up from the bottom of the tank all the time. This drives the air in the water to the center of the cake and if it were not done the cake would be snow white instead of crystal clear.

Just before the center freezes, a long pipe is extended down and the water in the center drawn off and replaced by fresh filtered water. This process removes any impurities that may have escaped the filtration process.

There is a large pneumatic crane to hoist the tanks around, which when full of ice weigh about 400 pounds. The ice is stored in a large cold storage room adjoining the freezing room in the plant. The walls are cork lined, like a big refrigerator and the temperature is kept down by the coils of cold brine.

Power.

Power is supplied from the big Diesel type engines which are housed in the same plant and which supply Sweetwater, Colorado, Roscoe, Lorraine with electricity. The Diesel type engine does not require ignition, like an automobile engine. They run on fuel oil with a compression of 1.150 pounds in the cylinder, which is enough to ignite the charge without spark.

There are four of these, one 500 horse power and the other three aggregating 650. Mornings the 500 horse power unit will carry the load until about 11 o'clock when the electric ranges get going into action to prepare dinners and then they have to cut in another. The heaviest load is at night from about 5:30 to 10:30. Current comes off the generators hitched to these big engines at 2,300 volts and distributed to various points in town, where small transformers, little boxes up on poles, reduce it to the 110 voltage used in

MORE DEATHS IN MICHELL CYCLONE

Victims Monday's Cyclone Now Totals 26—Several Still in Serious Condition—Situation Is Well In Hand.

MORE MONEY IS FORWARDED

Contributions at Reporter Office Total \$158—Santa Fe Men Donate \$48—Other Money Sent, Too.

The local Santa Fe men chipped in \$48 toward the relief of the Mitchell County cyclone victims. This made the total amount received at The Reporter office \$158, which sum was forwarded to Secretary Cooper of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce Saturday. Additional contributions at The Reporter office will be forwarded as received.

A cashier's check for \$556 went to Colorado Friday night, this representing the balance of the money collected direct by the committees working the early part of the week. This was in addition to the \$745 already reported, and also several hundred dollars which was sent direct by the donors without going through the hands of local committees. A total of nearly \$1,900 has already gone from this town and it is thought that by the time everyone has subscribed to this needed cause, the total will reach around \$2,000 or more.

George Graham died Friday night, bringing the total number of victims up to 26, according to Mrs. George Sparks, who returned from Colorado Saturday. Mrs. Sparks has been aiding in the nursing. The Baptist church in Colorado is still being used as a hospital, but it is thought that by Monday there will be only 10 or 12 remaining in it. Some of the victims are improving enough to be removed to other places, and residences.

H. M. Baker, director of destruction for the Red Cross is in Colorado and Monday two field workers for the Red Cross will take charge of the relief work there.

Citizens of Colorado City raised \$6,000 for the work among business men and residents generally and have donated services for rebuilding the devastated region.

Two more automobile loads of clothing went over to Colorado the end of the week and everyone who goes over remarks on the ability Colorado is showing in caring for the situation there.

It is reported that nearly \$25,000 has been subscribed for the sufferers but at least twice that much more is needed. Roscoe donated \$500, and nearly every other West Texas town is contributing, according to its means.

CLARA CONFESSES

Woman Held in Honduras Breaks Down With Arrival of Detectives And Admits Murder Mrs. Meadows

By The United Press.

TEGU, CIGALPA, Honduras, May 19.—Confession that she was none other than Clara Phillips, the "hammer murderess," who has been sought throughout the western world since her escape from the Los Angeles jail, was made here today by the woman who has been held here on that suspicion.

The confession came when American detectives arrived to identify the prisoner. The woman had previously maintained a terrific silence, attacking anyone who sought to learn her secret, brown down and confessed that she was the woman who beat Mrs. Alberta Meadows to death with a hammer.

residences and business places. Just outside the plant is a fenced in enclosure where the big transformers take the 2,300 volts and step it up to 23,000 to send it out on the transmission lines to Roscoe and points west. This is the dangerous voltage that will jump across a gap of two feet to get to a "ground." In other words if a man struck a steel rod up toward those wires, with his feet on the ground, he would be dead before ever the rod touched them.

ARE CLEANING UP.

Big Trucks Make Many Trips—More Painting This Spring Than Ever.

Under the capable direction of Buck Johnson, the clean up of the streets and alleys and rubbish from private residences has progressed very satisfactorily.

There are two big trucks to which both the city and county lay claim, but are temporarily being used by the city to haul rubbish out to the dump ground.

With a crew of negroes they have been making five to six trips a day and there is surely a most noticeable improvement.

It is probable that there is more cleaning up, painting and attention to lawns and yards this season than ever before in the history of the city.

SERVICES TODAY TO CLOSE REVIVAL

Climax of Great Series of Baptist Revival Meetings Will Come With Services This Evening.

CHURCH WAS CROWDED FRIDAY

Dr. Morony Speaks On The Three Greatest Facts—Many Persons Converted By Him.

Pastor Morony preached another powerful sermon Friday evening to a large congregation at the Baptist church.

He said, "The greatest fact of all history is that Jesus Christ was once on earth." The second greatest fact is he is now on the right hand of God interceding for mankind and the third greatest fact is he is coming to the earth again."

"That he is coming again to earth is made sure by many assurances and prophecies in the Bible—many more prophecies and assurances of his second coming than of his first coming."

"Eve had every prophecy of His first coming was literally fulfilled before he came to earth."

"Many of the prophecies of his second coming have already been fulfilled; and there are those who under take to tell us just when that coming will be. I do not know."

"What I believe about his second coming is just what the Bible says about it. And I would not subtract one thing from what the Bible says about it, nor would I inject anything into what the Bible says on the subject. Revelation tells us that the one who subtracts from or adds anything to the Bible account would have his name blotted out of the Book of Life; and I do not want that and that is why I believe just what the Bible says."

At the services for this evening there will be about 20 baptisms. This will close the meeting at which nearly 40 have so far united with the church, by letter and by profession.

Services this morning at 11 o'clock and this evening at 8 o'clock. It is expected that the largest congregation of the entire meeting will be present at the services this evening. It is further believed that many more will announce their faith in their Lord and Savior and join tonight.

TICKETS SELLING.

Reports Indicate Satisfactory Advance Sale Chautauqua Tickets.

Partial reports from various guarantors selling season Chautauqua tickets indicate a very satisfactory advance sale.

"If each guarantor sells \$10 more tickets in addition to what he uses for his own family we will have taken care of our quota," stated James Henry Beall, Jr. Saturday.

The Chautauqua will open here May 27.

ROADS CANNOT COMBINE.

Interstate Commerce Commission Refuses Permit I. & G. N.-Frisco Merger.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The Interstate Commerce Commission refused authority to the Frisco system to acquire the control of the International & Great Northern by the purchase of its capital stock.

It was held that such acquisition was not in the public interest.

ELECT SMITH AS HEAD OF SCOUTS

Mayor of Snyder President First Four-County Boy Scout Council Ever Organized in The Southwest.

ORGANIZATION IS COMPLETED

Officers Elected From Different Counties—Financial Campaigns Will Be Undertaken Shortly.

Organization of the first four county district Boy Scout council was completed at a meeting of representatives from Nolan, Mitchell, Fisher and Scurry counties at the Hotel Wright, Friday night. The meeting was presided over by a most enjoyable luncheon.

Officers elected included the following:

President, Fritz R. Smith, Snyder, vice-presidents, Rev. A. D. Jamieson, Blackwell, Rev. W. M. Elliot, Colorado Judge J. S. Connell, Fisher county, C. E. Jamieson, Snyder; Scout commissioner, Rev. D. B. Doak, Sweetwater; chairman district court of honor, Dr. P. C. Coleman, Colorado; National councilman, R. M. Chitwood, Sweetwater; treasurer, Mose Newman, Sweetwater; chairman district camp committee, W. B. Crockett, Colorado; chairman district publicity committee, Minor Shutt, Sweetwater; chairman district finance committee, Joe Smoot, Colorado.

Two other executive committeemen at large:

Charley Copeland Blackwell, Jim Day Rotan.

E. E. Voss, deputy regional executive outlined the plan of the four county scout council, which consists of 48 members, 17 from Nolan county, 11 from Scurry, 10 each from Mitchell and Fisher, based on the boy population of each county and on the estimated financial support to be given from each county as elect in the county organization meetings held previously were then read as follows:

Mitchell County.
Rev. W. Elliott, P. C. Coleman, W. B. Crockett, C. M. Adams, Joe Smoot, W. W. Porter, A. R. Edwards, King.

Scurry County.
Fritz Smith, J. K. Blackard, Porter King, R. H. Carnutt, G. I. Jamieson, Snyder J. C. Beakley, Dunn, D. S. Leverett, Hermleigh, J. C. Ross, Fluvanna, C. H. Alexander, Dermot, M. K. Maples, H. B. Palmer, Dunn, V. E. Boynton Fluvanna and Elmer Lowder, Hermleigh.

Fisher County.
Judge J. S. Connell, J. W. Hale, B. L. Conley, Roby, C. W. McCombs, James Day, J. W. Price, L. E. Newton, Rotan, George Bond and Lewis Rector, McCauley, Rex Wheeler, Sylvester, Walter Bates, Longworth, and A. J. Carroll, Palava.

Nolan County.
Rev. C. A. Jamieson, T. A. Carlisle, and Louis Horn, Blackwell, Joe Worthy, M. L. H. Base, Roscoe, W. B. Hargrave, Marynall, George Stapleton, Dora, John Holt, Nolan, W. W. Robinson, Hyton, Joe Booth, R. M. Chitwood, Rev. D. B. Doak, W. E. Wade, Mose Newman, Hubert Toier, Minor Shutt, Sweetwater.

The proposed budget as worked out by Mr. Voss was adopted by the council. It consists of \$4,500 and the quotas for the various counties are Nolan, \$2,000; Scurry, \$1,200; Fisher, \$1,200. Due to the cyclone, Mitchell county's quota has been omitted. It is the desire of the other three counties that Mitchell share equally in the benefits. If in the future Mitchell county feels in a position to share the financial burden, her contribution will be accepted.

The financial campaign will be undertaken in Nolan and Fisher counties this week and in Scurry after the first of June.

Dr. P. C. Coleman of Colorado, Mr. Carnutt of Snyder, W. H. Jobe of Sweetwater, Judge Connell of Roby, Judge Smith of Snyder were appointed by the chair as a committee to select an executive.

The meeting was enlivened by several addresses, with Rev. Elliott of Colorado picturing in a graphic way the valuable assistance the boy scouts had been in the cyclone disaster there.

L. B. Jackson of Fort Worth spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Newton and family.

SOCIETY.

HONOR SENIORS.

The Seniors and teachers of the High School were the guests of the Junior Class on Friday evening at a swimming party at the City Lake. All were in their jolliest mood and had, as they agreed, one of the best times of the school year. The Junior girls served a lunch of sandwiches, pickles and cakes, and the boys of the class completed the menu with iced soda pop. Mrs. J. Stone Rives and family were guests also, and shared in the joys of the party.

EXPRESSION RECITAL.

The expression recital given by Ina Lee Ely, assisted by Shirley Mae Leach, piano, Thursday evening received favorable comment from those who heard it. Miss Ely, a member of the Junior Class of the High School, read the numbers on her well-chosen program in a manner that would have done credit to one far beyond her advancement in school. Her varied program gave the audience an opportunity to judge her ability to present the various moods of life in a realistic manner.

In "Mammy Lize Tells About Jonah and the Whale," she showed a gift in presenting dialect selections. The humorous numbers "Swearing Off from Smoking," and "If I can Be By Her," were very enjoyable. Her presentation of "The Lily of France" deserves especial praise. She pictured in a very vivid way the changing moods of Joan of Arc, ranging from complete joy at the enthroning of her favorite Charles to the utter rejection caused by her death sentence. She reflected great credit on her teacher, Mrs. F. L. Hutchinson. She was well assisted by Shirley Mae Leach, piano pupil of Mrs. Mary Douthit. Miss Leach played with good taste and ease "To a Wild Rose" and "Tarantella." This unusual interesting recital was made all the more beautiful by the decorations in the auditorium sponsored by the Junior Class of the High School.

WINS FIRST PRIZE.

The Self Culture Club held their annual Music Memory Contest in the Geo. Allen Music House Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Lady Betty Cutbirth and Daphne Howe, pupils of Mrs. Lige Cutbirth; and Frances Lou Payne, pupil of Miss Mary Douthit, were the successful contestants for the medals offered by the Self Culture Club to pupils who could play from memory, the greatest number of pages. Lady Betty Cutbirth is a violin pupil and also a member of the High School Orchestra. She held to her credit 74 pages. Her program included compositions by Raff, Mendelssohn, Schumann, MacDowell, Nevin, Grieg, Saint Saens, Schubert, Wagner, Braga, Thomas, Yradier, Beethoven which were from the Music Memory list and these together with many other classical and standard compositions were memorized by the little musician.

Daphne Howe played her program

of 41 pages steadily through. She included Handel's "Gypsy Dondo" and Beethoven's "Minuet In G," among many, many other pretty selections. Frances Lou Payne played 29 pages from memory. She included a "Mozart Sonata," accompanied by her teacher, Miss Mary Douthit.

Other pupils from the classes of Mrs. Cutbirth and Miss Douthit could have given from sixteen to 28 pages easily from memory.

This beautiful tribute and recognition on the part of the Self Culture Club is to be highly commended and is most sincerely appreciated by the music teachers and music lovers. The medals awarded these talented young artists will be presented them on commencement evening, May 29.

ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB.

The losing side of the Wednesday Bridge Club entertained the winning side with a pretty party Wednesday afternoon at the home of the captain Mrs. A. J. Wimberly. The captain met the guests at the door and introduced them to the losers who formed the receiving line, wearing hand painted badges of Royal purple ribbon with gold letters with such inscriptions "Cheerful Losers" and "Every One Can't Win." The home was decorated with cut roses of pink, red and white. Mrs. Wimberly had out hand painted Japanese score cards. There was seven tables and six merry games with Mrs. James Henry Beall winning the hat brush offered for high score, and Mrs. Louie Hardy the jar opener for low score, following the games Mrs. Wimberly assisted by the losers served a salad course with pink and white cake and strawberry cream with plate favors of hand made Japanese lanterns. The invited guests were the 1922 Bridge Club and Miss Dulaney of Colorado and Mrs. Shelor of Virginia as out of town guests.

ENTERTAINS CLASS.

Mrs. R. L. Shaffer entertained her Sunday School Class with a picnic Wednesday afternoon at the City Lake. Each pupil was given the privilege of inviting a guest, all gathered at the home of Mrs. Ed Patterson and were carried out by autos where the children enjoyed many kinds of outdoor sports until a picnic supper was announced—and it was a bountiful one with plenty of ice cold pop.

Mr. Business Man—do you have all the business you can handle? We don't—let's trade a little. We could like to meet you and we would like to serve you. The City Pressing Parlor. Phone 134. 9311de

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM.

The following program has been outlined for presentation by the Epworth League of the Methodist church this evening, to which all are extended a cordial welcome:
Subject—Flowers.
Leader—Gracie Bowen.
Hymns—Selected.
Prayer—Mrs. E. V. Glass.
Flowers mentioned: (1) In the Bible—Gracie Bowen; (2) In Other Literature—Pauline Parker.
Lessons from the Flowers—Rev. J. C. Moore.
Wild Flowers, Robert Nichall—Ina Lee Ely; Daffodils, Wordsworth—Una Harkins.
Vocal Solo—Selected—Bert Mason.
Announcements.
League Benediction.
Pianist—Miss Bessie Johnson.
Violinists—Misses Lou Etta Cox and Sarah Steele.

FIND SKELETON.

Special to The Reporter, LUBBOCK, Texas, May 19.—While excavating for the foundation of the Lubbock Cotton Oil Mill here, workmen found the skeleton of a human being. While badly deteriorated by

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the weather, it was recognizable. It was found at a depth of one foot and how it came to be there is a mystery.

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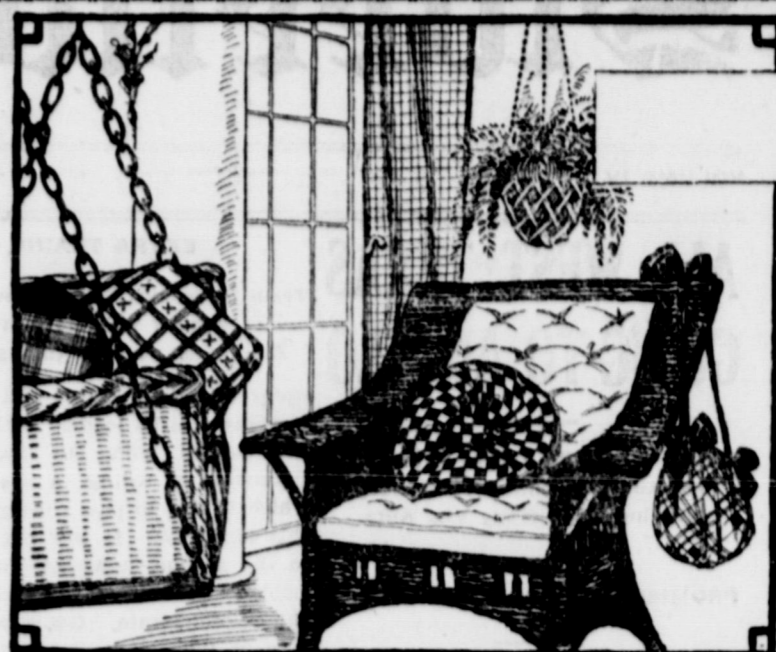
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FOR SWEETWATER.

Citizens of Sweetwater are going to San Angelo this week. There they will meet a large majority of the leading citizens of West Texas. Let it be their firm purpose that they secure for Sweetwater all the desirable publicity possible—and also secure none that will reflect unfavorably upon Sweetwater. To so conduct themselves that neither they nor Sweetwater will be anything but proud of the association.

WIN OUT IN NINTH

Sweetwater Baseball Club Stages Late Rally And Defeats Hermleigh Team, 13 to 12.

Timely hitting in the last of the ninth inning won for the local ball club in the game at Swatter Park against the Hermleigh team Friday afternoon, 13 to 12.

The visitors were on the long end of the score, and to assure themselves of a victory, put in a fresh pitcher, Ragsdale who had been working on the far corner during the game. Webster opened the inning with a single but was forced out at second when Rutledge grounded to deep short. Hardy singled. It was a hit and run play and Rutledge was safe at third, Hardy taking second on the play at third. Bill Trammell put the ball game in the win column by driving a sharp single to right center, scoring Rutledge and Hardy.

The game was featured by an unusual number of hits, Sweetwater gathering in 18 and the visitors 15. The local team turned the diamond into a race track during the fifth inning when they bunched seven hits, and assisted by two errors, scored seven runs. Hermleigh came back strong, scoring two in the 6th and four in the 7th.

THE BOX SCORE.

Hermleigh	AB.	H.	R.
Lowder, short stop	5	1	2
Hartiss, catcher	5	2	3
Adams, second base	4	3	3
Hammil, first base	5	2	1
Roy Patterson, right field	5	3	0
Ray Patterson, left field	4	1	1
Ragsdale, 3rd base, pitcher	5	2	0
McCord, catcher	5	1	0
Hassell, pitcher	5	1	1
Totals	43	16	12

Ragsdale replaced Hassell in ninth.

Sweetwater	AB.	H.	R.
Weatherby, 3b-left field	5	2	2
Cook, center field	4	1	1
Billings, second base	5	3	1
Cobb, short stop, 3b.	5	3	2
Aiken, first base	5	2	0
Tidwell, catcher	4	1	2
Rutledge, left field, rf.	4	2	2
Charles, right field	1	0	0
Trammell, pitcher	5	2	1
Hardy, short stop, catcher	4	1	2
Webster, left field	1	1	0
Totals	41	18	13

Hermleigh.....2 1 2 0 1 2 4 0 0
Sweetwater.....2 0 2 0 7 0 0 0 2

MRS. J. C. ROGERS DIES.

Mrs. J. C. Rogers, 87 years of age, died at the home of her son, P. J. Rogers, at 11:30 Saturday night, following a protracted illness. She is also survived by a daughter Mrs. I. L. Toland. The funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Elder O. E. Bonner will conduct the service. Funeral will be directed by J. I. Payne.

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PRESENT PENROD G. B. STILES DIES

Senior Class to Give Booth Tarkington's Comedy at Palace Theater Next Friday Afternoon, Night.

Friday afternoon and evening at the Palace Theater the senior class of the Sweetwater high school will present 'Penrod,' by Booth Tarkington and 'The Ghost Story,' for the benefit of the senior class treasury.

The plays will be given under the direction of Mrs. F. L. Hutchinson and the following cast will take part in the play:

- Tim.....John Chapman
- Della, The Schofield cook.....Evelyn Lohman
- Mary Schofield, Penrod's mother.....Oneita Russell
- Mr. Jones, Marjorie's father.....Alva Smith
- Jarge.....Jim Weatherby
- Robert Williams.....Harris Toler
- Mrs. Bassett.....Mae Tilly
- Henry P. Schofield, Penrod's father.....Dudley McCall
- Marguerite Schofield, Penrod's sister.....Katherine Poffenbach
- Herbert Hamilton Dade.....John R. Cox, Jr.
- Penrod Schofield.....Frank Davis
- Sam Williams.....Lloyd Hill
- Marjorie Jones.....Aura Lee Tucker
- George Bassett.....Lige Cutbirth
- Rev. Lester Kinoshing.....Frank Stephenson
- Herman.....Jack Robertson
- Verman.....LeRoy McGlaum
- Mr. Coombs, chief of police.....J. W. Herndon, Jr.

Cast of the Ghost story.

- Mary.....Eva Berman
- George, an earnest young man of 22.....Osler Leach
- Anna, a pretty girl of 20.....Ann Holcombe
- Grace.....Jettie Penn
- Lenine.....Lois Wilson
- Three young girls of 19 or 20.....Tom
- Tom.....Vesta Elliott
- Floyd.....LeRoy McGlaum
- Lynn.....Wayne Long
- Fredith.....Sm Alva
- Fred.....Alva Smith
- Four youths about the same age.....Housemaid.....Imogene McBurnett

County Clerk Gus Farrar Saturday issued two marriage licenses, one to F. A. Penn and Miss Wilda Justiss of Longworth and the other to Lee Roy Lottin and Miss Gladys Eva Pate, both of Colorado.

Member Firm Stiles & Allen Dies in Temple Sanitarium—Funeral From Residence 4 o'Clock Sunday.

The body of George Stiles was brought in from Temple on the Sunday morning Santa Fe train following his death at Temple Friday night at 8. The funeral Sunday May 20 from the home, at 4 o'clock, Rev. R. A. Stewart officiating.

Mr. Stiles was taken ill only recently with an affection of his head. He was taken to the Sweetwater sanitarium for treatment and last week taken to Temple and placed under the care of specialists as a last resort. Mrs. Stiles was with him at the time of his death, also his stepdaughter Mrs. Ed. Mays and her husband, Ed. Mays.

His mother and three sisters living near Arkadelphia, Ark., survive him, also a brother who is expected to arrive Sunday from Hugo, Okla., to attend the funeral. Mr. Stiles came to West Texas in 1900 from Arkansas. After living in Roby for a year he

came to Sweetwater. He was associated for a time with L. J. Mashburn and later with Hubbard's. In 1919 he went into partnership with L. B. Allen in mens' clothing business on the west side of the square.

He was a Modern Woodman and an Elk.

Mr. Stiles will be buried in Sweetwater cemetery.

George Sheppard and daughter Mrs. A. L. Henson left for Christoval Friday morning making the trip overland and will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scuddy, returning Monday to San Angelo for the convention.

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Ted Myres.	Rufus Wright.	R. H. Fitzgerald.
R. C. Crane.	J. C. Holland.	Clyde B. Payne.
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W. H. Jones.	W. A. Prater.	F. G. Robertson.
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ATTENTION WOODMEN.

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BURY VICTIMS.

One Large Grave Receives 66 Bodies—41 of The Little Children. CLEVELAND, S. C., May 19.—With the simple reverence of village people struck with a calamity almost too great for them to comprehend, this little township is burying its dead, 76 in all, of whom 41 were children, who perished in the school house fire here Friday.

One mound in the cemetery marks the grave of 66 bodies and 10 more were buried Saturday.

WATCH THE TECH

Judge M. E. Rosser Brings Word of Effort to Nullify Appropriation Enroute Home From Austin.

"Look out for the Texas Tech," said Judge M. E. Rosser of Snyder, who stopped over in Sweetwater en route home after a trip to Austin and other points in the east.

"There is some effort being made to have the appropriation for the new school withdrawn. This is the easier because the appropriations exceed the available revenues as arranged by the current legislature."

Judge Rosser also brought word that Dr. Vinson of the Texas University would probably not be able to serve on the locating board. It is probable that Dean Benedict will serve on the locating board in his place, although that is not definite yet. Dr. Vinson was handicapped by the delay of the tour of the board due to the special session of the legislature and graduating exercises in the University requiring his presence.

Many of the legislators went to their homes, but Representative Chitwood is remaining in Austin where he can watch the efforts to nullify the Tech appropriations.

Judge Rosser was accompanied by C. Morris, assistant cashier of the First State Bank & Trust Company of Snyder.

YOUR EYES.

If you do not care for your eyes no one else will—no one else will take care of your children's eyes either. Things are usually worth what you pay for them. I make a reasonable charge for the examination of your eyes. If you do not need glasses you cannot buy them from me. Would you prefer to buy glasses when you did not need them? Isn't it worth something to you to know that your eyes do not need glasses? I use the most modern methods for eye testing—with hundreds of dollars worth of expensive equipment—your doctor charges you for a visit whether he prescribes for you or not. See me and C. Better, S. B. Cox. Phone 59 for appointment at Crosthwaite, 931ie

Mrs. F. L. Hutchinson will present her pupils in a recital at the Methodist church, the older children Monday night and the Juniors Tuesday evening at 8 p. m.

WILL RESIGN.

Bonar Law, Premier of England Suffering From Throat Infection.

By The United Press.

LONDON, May 19.—Andrew Bonar Law is certain to resign as premier of England, possibly very soon.

He is suffering from a throat infection that is much more critical than at first supposed and is returning from Paris to London.

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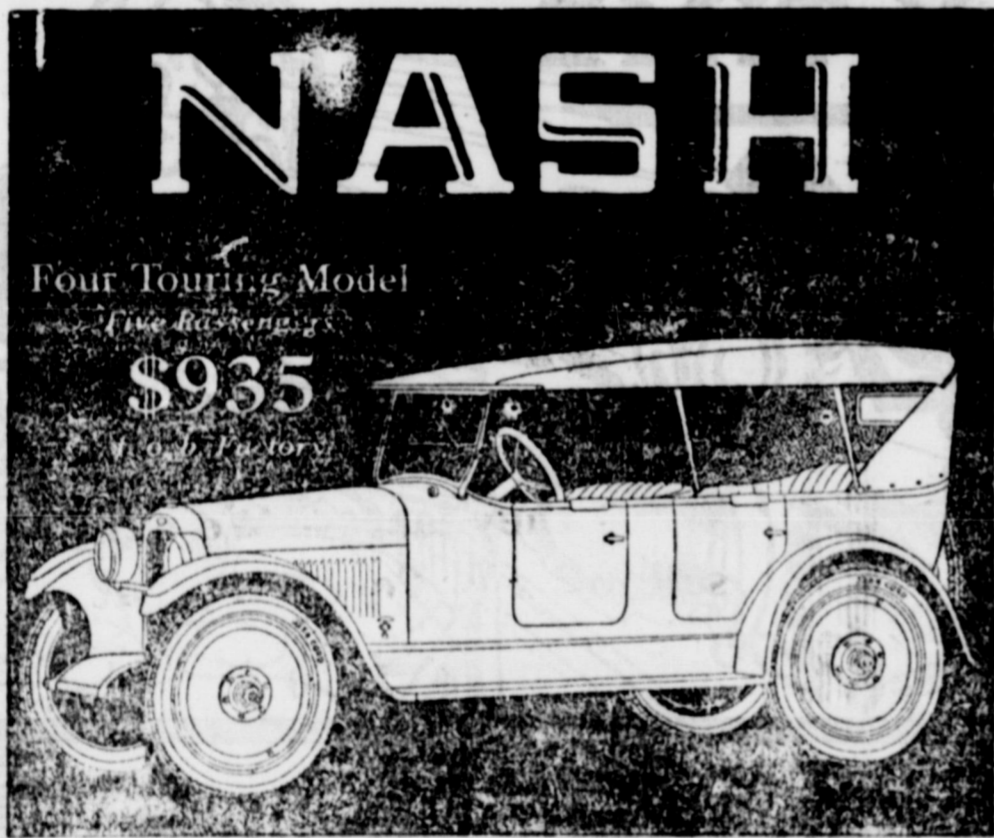
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CLAYTONVILLE NEWS NOTES.

A rain registering 1.17 inches fell on the 18 Ranch the early part of the week, according to Foreman S. W. Bryan. A light shower falling here.

Farmers are rushing to complete planting since the last few days of sunshine. Most every one will have to replant some of their crops. A much larger acreage of cotton is predicted this season than last.

Rev. J. A. Kinger filled his regular appointment here at the Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Ed Thorp, Methodist pastor of Hermleigh, will preach in Claytonville the third Sunday afternoon in May.

Quite a number from this community motored over to Sweetwater Monday to bid on the car which was sold by the Hubbard Dry Goods firm.

E. Howard and wife, a daughter and son-in-law, H. B. Swann of Rotan, visited us last Sunday evening. Mr. Howard is an old settler of this county and a well to do farmer, having a farm comprising near 900 acres. He reports rains in his section fine but not so heavy as we have received here.

Miller Aldridge visited this portion a few days since in the interest of live stock of his.

Miss Baxter of Sweetwater is visiting Miss Jewel Bellar of this community. She and Miss Bellar closed their school term at Fyron last week and were offered the same positions there again this fall, neither have accepted yet. It is likely Miss Baxter will teach at Hermleigh this fall as she has been offered the second position in this school.

Claytonville school closed its session with Mrs. Ellen Kee as principal and Mrs. Dunlap as assistant teacher, last Saturday night, with a splendid program well executed and carried out finely and each pupil, who had part in same. The teachers assisted by some of the patrons, secured the Martin family near Camp Spring, Scurry county, to furnish band music, which was well and talented superintended by these people. Mr. Matt n's family consists of he and his wife and seven children, all of whom are musicians, having been taught and

trained in the rudiments of music to the efficiency that each child thoroughly understands how to read and play the music almost instantaneously. We doubt that another family any place in Texas can be found that will equal this family along this line of inspiration of profession in instrumental music.

Our public roads are considerable demolished in various places. Culverts washed out and road beds in almost unpassable conditions. Most all the road finance is exhausted in various districts at present and our Commissioner, T. B. Neves is seeking co-operation from citizens in his locality to aid in maintaining a better road bed and culverts.

Rev. J. D. Vaughn filled the pulpit at Bethel Baptist church here last Sunday night.

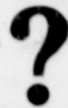
Drowned Near Tennyson

Deputy Sheriff O. C. Ivey of Bronte received a phone message Monday afternoon from Tennyson stating that a dead man had been found on Mule Creek.

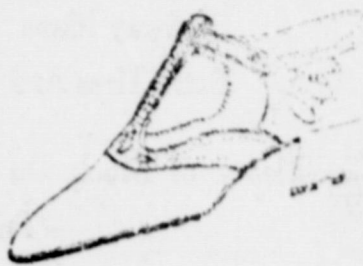
E. C. Chambers, a very old citizen of that section had driven into the creek when up and had drowned. The place where he was drowned is four miles south of Tennyson near the school house. He was driving a one-horse buggy and attempted to ford the creek. The body had lodged some thirty or forty yards below the ford. The body was brought to Bronte for burial.

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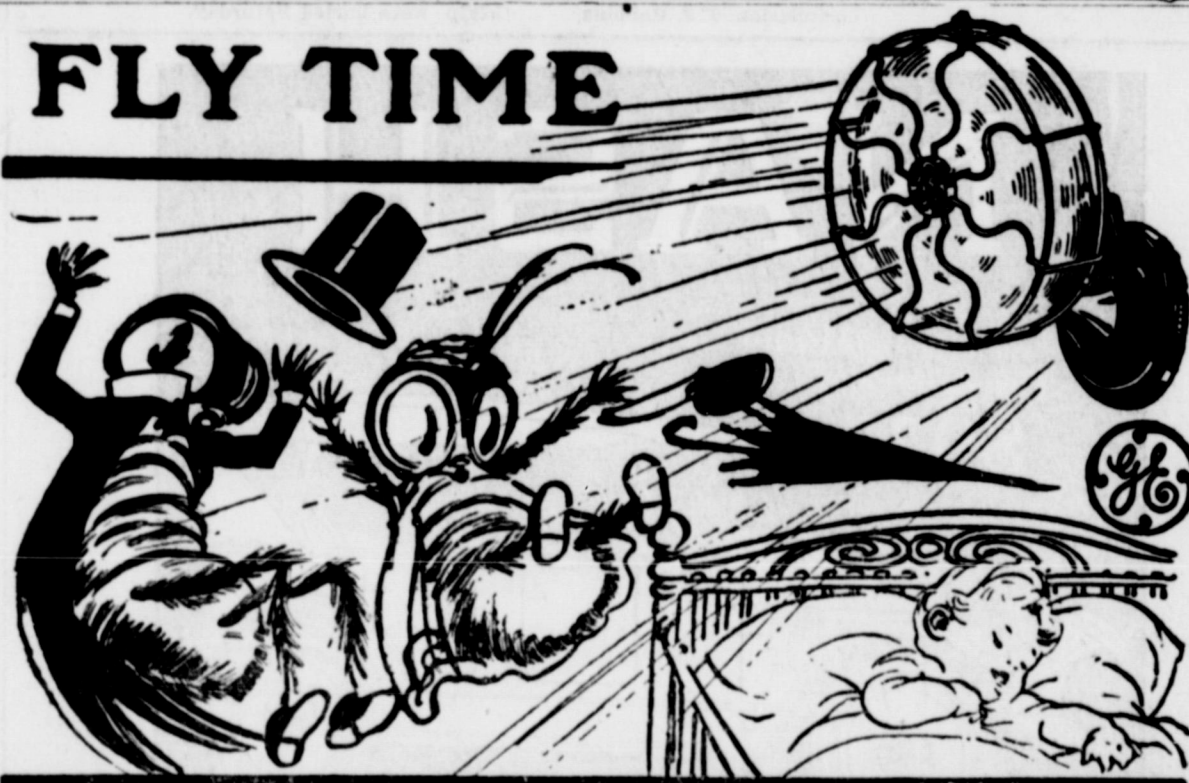
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21May13-20-27

DELPHIAN CHAPTER ORGANIZED

Mrs. A. S. Kendrick is Elected to Presidency.

At a meeting held Thursday afternoon at the Elks Club a group of the intellectually prominent women met with the national organizer and perfected the organization of a local chapter to be known as the Sweetwater Delphian chapter.

The following officers were elected.

- President: Mrs. A. S. Kendrick.
- Vice-President: Mrs. Wm. Wight.
- Secretary and Treasurer: Mrs. Joe Boothe.
- Parliamentarian: Mrs. Hodges.
- Critic: Miss Poe.
- Reporter: Mrs. John Hubbard.
- Advisory Board Chairman: Mrs.

Benford Brown, Mrs. Rosebrough and Mrs. Walter Boothe.

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The work in all Delphian chapters is oral, thus developing the individual along the lines of self-expression.

Twenty-eight Sweetwater women are already enrolled for membership in the chapter just instituted and many more are becoming interested.

The chapter will be left open for a short period to give those interested in the organization charter privileges.

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BUILDING GINS.

Planters Gin Company Operating in Eastland County—Moss in Charge CISCO, Texas, May 19.—The Planters Gin company of Sweetwater, have purchased the Cisco gin from Reynolds Brothers of Albany and will operate it in connection with gins to be built in Eastland and Ranger.

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WALLACE-HARRIS REVIVAL AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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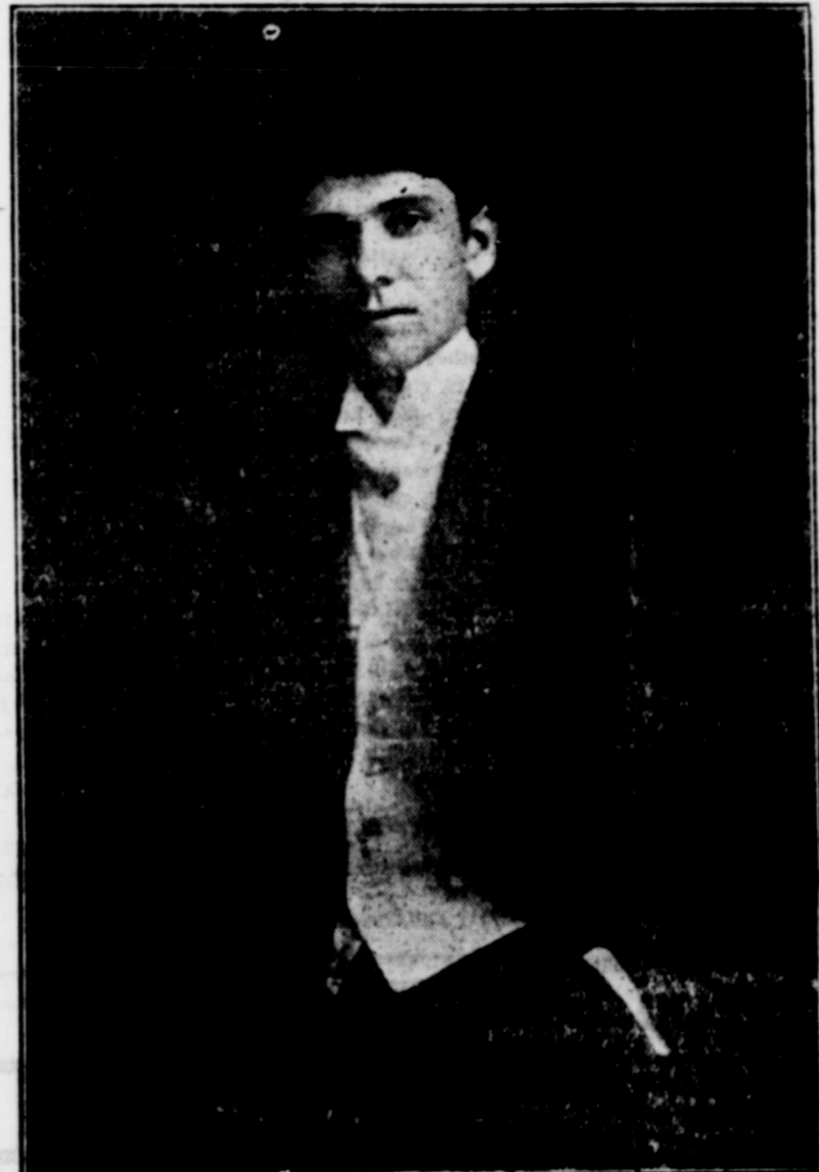
Evangelist Wallace Has a Stirring Message For The Men And Boys This Afternoon At 3 O'Clock.

The Law of the Harvest

This service is for men and boys only and things will be handled without gloves. Buildings seating thousands have been filled to capacity with men and hundreds turned away where Dr. Wallace has spoken on this subject.

Chester Harris will lead the men's chorus and Mrs. Wallace will sing: "The Great Judgment Morning."

—All men, regardless of church affiliation, are cordially invited.—



Dr. V. W. Wallace stands in the front rank both as a pastor and evangelist. He is nationally known as a preacher and an orator. Before entering the evangelistic work, he was pastor of the First Christian Church of Johnstown, Pa., the largest church of his brotherhood in the east.



Chester Harris is recognized as one of the worlds greatest song leaders. He has worked for years with the leading evangelists of the United States.



Mrs. V. W. Harris has the reputation of being one of the ablest interpreters of hymns anywhere. She is a pupil of Oscar Seagle and her pleasing voice is one of the features of this revival.

"The Land of Memory"

Tonight at 8 o'clock, there will be a great mass meeting for everybody. Dr. Wallace will bring his great message—so vital, so touching, so inspiring, that there is not a man, woman or child who can afford to miss it. Great song service led by Chester Harris and Mrs. Wallace will sing: "The Bells of Conscience."

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Bradley is spending the week end with her brothers in Abilene.

Miss Poe is spending the week end in Abilene with friends.

Miss Edith Green is visiting friends in Big Springs.

J. H. Beall made a business trip to Colorado Saturday.

John Rasberry made a business trip to El Paso Thursday.

Miss Williams of Roscoe is the week end guest of Miss Bouchett.

W. F. Hamilton of Fort Stockton, is visiting his mother and brother, Fred Hamilton and wife.

Send your laundry to the widows' laundry. W. call for and deliver. Phone 629. 9316de

Mrs. N. L. Hall left Saturday for Abilene for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. George A. Pierce and family.

Mrs. Henry Hamilton has returned to her home at Mount Vernon following a visit to relatives in the city.

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Ellis Douthit left for Fort Worth Saturday following a few days visit with homefolks.

Dr. W. E. Bondies arrived Saturday from Pasadena California to visit his brother and wife, Mr and Mrs. H. R. Bondies.

Have you guessed? If you haven't, come down and look 'em over. It won't cost you anything. The City Pressing Parlor. 9311de

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arrington are the proud parents of an eight and one half pound boy that was born Thursday.

Mrs. W. T. Baze and son J. R. Baze and wife of Snyder, visited her sister, Mrs. B. S. Cox and family Friday. M. P. Baze also visited the family being enroute from San Angelo to his home in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallobaugh and W. A. Brock of Roby left Friday in response to a message calling them to Wingate to the bedside of Mrs. Shook who is seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Rogers of Sweetwater was also called to his mother.

Dr. L. L. Henson who is pastor of the Baptist church at Covington, Kentucky, will arrive in Sweetwater Monday for a visit with his sister Mrs. H. A. Bullock. He will fill the pulpit for Dr. Truett in Dallas Sunday. For a number of years he was pastor of the Hanson street Baptist church of Brooklyn, N. Y., also the first Baptist church of Providence, R. I., from there he went to Covington, Kentucky, where he is still serving.

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Philip T. Henson of El Paso and Mrs. A. E. Heffield, father and sister of Mrs. H. A. Bullock arrived Sunday morning for a short visit, they will go in a party to Miles where a family reunion will be held at the home of another sister, Mrs. Oscar Lawrence.

Mrs. Frank Otey was hostess to the birthday members. Friday afternoon with the seven members present. Vases of American Beauty roses and buds decorated the rooms which were presented Mrs. Otey by Mrs. J. H. Freeze, from her rose garden with hearty wishes. There were several pretty hand-made gifts, including gifts from friends in California.

The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Howes served sandwiches, ice cream cake and tea. The invited guests were Mesdames Carr, Whittten, Freeze, Freeman and Howe.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE PALACE.
 Another of those splendid casts that are characteristic of Paramount pictures, has been assembled for "Singed Wings," in which Bebe Daniels and Conrad Nagel are featured, and which comes to the Palace Monday and Tuesday.

Press notices state that Miss Daniels is at her best in this production, as well as those forming the entire company of the play. It is said that every detail in this masterpiece is far above the average, and is said to be a guaranteed attraction, with a most satisfying atmosphere throughout.

AT THE QUEEN.
 "Forget-Me-Not," the Metro picture which comes to the Queen Theater Monday and Tuesday, reproduces with

great fidelity the life story of two foundlings.

In the orphanage where her mother had left her as a baby, Ann Gordon has found one congenial soul, another foundling named Jimmy. But one day there comes a rich woman who chooses Jimmie for adoption and Ann is left alone. The other children eventually find homes but no one wants the little girl with a crippled leg. A street musician takes pity on her and she goes to share his meagre one-room home. Thus the path of the two childhood sweethearts diverge, but the memory of Jimmy and from it through the long years Ann carries drama inspiration and courage in her struggle to become a successful violinist.

FREIGHT HITS TRUCK.

Two Men Injured at Beard Grade Crossing—Dragged 14 car lengths

Special to The Reporter.

BEARD, May 20.—Paul Lovell, 30, and Malcolm Graham, 18, were seriously injured when the big truck in which they were driving was hit by a T & P freight just out of Clyde.

Graham was tossed into the air and fell on the cowcatcher of the locomotive. His back was injured. Lovell fell under the engine, and was dragged a considerable distance between the rails.

Both will recover it is thought.

BEAUMONT FLOODED.

BEAUMONT, May 19.—With the

death of a negro and two minor casualties reported, Beaumont is preparing to clean-up the half million dollar damage caused by the storm here Friday when thirteen and a half inches of rain fell in a few hours.

5,000 GALLONS OF WATER, \$1.50.

At the regular meeting of the City Council Monday night, it was unanimously voted to give the water users 5,000 gallons of water for the months of June, July and August, the \$1.50 minimum charge, during 1923.—Snyder Signal.

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 Ann came to that in the orphanage, and she knew why. As long as she stood still visitors liked her smile and the straightforward look in her eyes. It was when she walked that they found the flaw—and adopted someone else.
 The story of Ann is not a novel story, for those things which make it—loneliness and the hunger for love—are not new. It is just simple and poignantly human.
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