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## WILL BUILD LARGE GYPSUM PLANT

### UNITED STATES GYPSUM COMPANY BUYING LAND

Nationally Known Concern Plans Production From Local Plant Before End of Year—Will Employ Hundreds of Men When Operating Full Capacity—Plans Are Complete.

TOTAL INVESTMENT WILL BE NEARLY \$1,000,000

Plant, Trackage And Land Will Run Into Large Expenditure—Arrange With West Texas Electric Company For 500 Horsepower Daily—Company Officials Visit This City.

Construction work on what will ultimately be one of the largest plants for the manufacture of gypsum products in the entire Southwest, representing an investment of nearly one million dollars and giving employment to hundreds of men will begin here shortly by the United States Gypsum Company of Chicago, with branch sales offices in practically every important city in the United States and with mills located in 19 different points in this country from New York through Ohio, Michigan, Iowa and to California.

This company first became interested here in 1919, purchasing some land near Sweetwater at that time. The slump in business came on and the project was abandoned for the time being. Since the first of the year, however, the company has been quietly acquiring additional acreage with choice deposits of gypsum and gypsite, an allied mineral until they now have holdings of nearly 1,500 acres, representing an investment of approximately \$100,000.

During this period, Sweetwater has been visited by every important official of the company including President S. L. Avery, vice-president O. M. Knoder, J. H. Noid, property manager, H. E. Brookby, property manager, all from the Chicago office. H. E. Brookby, production manager; H. E. Miller, manager of the Eldorado, Oklahoma plant; O. R. Birdsey, Chief Engineer; G. H. Norton, geologist and H. G. Coon, engineer from Gypsum, Ohio, plant.

Mr. Norton has been in Sweetwater continuously during this time, and made a thorough test of the available supply of the raw materials. It is estimated that 2,000,000 tons of gypsite and a greater amount of gypsum is located on the acreage acquired by the company. Mr. Norton left last week for Davenport, Iowa, having completed his work here, which included the sinking of numerous test wells to determine the depth and thickness of the gypsum deposits on the Roe ranch. Mr. Coon is now in charge of the company's interests here. He is surveying the site for the plant. Mr. Birdsey wired that he would be here the latter part of this week to begin construction work, but illness in his family is understood to have delayed his arrival.

The West Texas Electric Company have been asked for a maximum 500 horsepower per day with the privilege of doubling this requirement within a year. Additional units to carry this load will be installed.

The acreage acquired by the company begins some two miles east of Sweetwater. The plant will be located near the point where the Texas & Pacific and Santa Fe railroads cross. From this point a switch will be extended some seven miles north connecting the various deposits part of which lie just over the line in Fisher County.

The first product planned for the new plant is gypsite plaster. Other units for the manufacture of sheet-rock, pyrobar and the 150 odd products manufactured from gypsum or gypsite will be added as rapidly as possible.

The process of manufacture includes heating the mineral to drive off the water of crystallization and is not complicated. The gypsite is a white sandy substance gathered up by large shovels. Gypsum is a whitish rock mined much in the same manner as is coal.

Although gypsum is found in varying quantities from Sweetwater clear to the Red River, there are but three plants engaged in its manufacture in a small way at this time. One of them is located at Plasterco, a few

miles north of Sweetwater on the Orient railroad and two more at Quanah. Another company purchased 100 acres of land for a construction plant at Roca recently and announced construction of a plant, but have not yet started work.

One section lying along Bluff Creek provided considerable obstacles before it was purchased. A man named Harvey leased it for the taxes and refused to give the name of the owner. T. O. Cowen traveled many miles and spent many days before he finally traced the ownership of the 640 acres to B. H. Conner at Paris, France. The land was a part given to the Texas & Pacific railway in the early days as a construction bonus and included in the part pledged by that road for raising a loan in France. One of the early day receiverships came along and M. Samin, holder of some of the bonds, for closed. He in turn disposed of it to Mr. Connor, from whom the gypsum company purchased it.

Difficulty was also experienced in buying 100 acres known as the McElroy farm, which was in the hands of heirs. A patent signed by Governor Neff was necessary to clear title. This land adjoins the 640 acres of Fisher County land on the south and contains a part of the huge deposit of gypsite found along Bluff Creek.

Some 320 acres of land was purchased in 1919 on the Roe Ranch and additional purchases have been made since from the Roe Ranch as well as from Raspberry, Pepper, Gibson and others bringing the total to nearly 1,500 acres.

Engineers for the Texas & Pacific railway company have surveyed the route for the switch to be built to connect the Bluff Creek property with the plant. Bridging the Sweetwater Creek will be necessary and the total expenditure for this track will run over \$50,000, it is estimated.

The main product of the company by which it is nationally known is sheet-rock. This is a building board that is fire, vermin, moisture-proof. Plaster, pyrobar for roofs, floors, partitions etc., Keen's cement for back kitchen moulding plaster dental plaster, terra cotta, kowpie dolls, lining for refrigerators and safes, etc., etc. are among the many uses for which gypsum is employed.

The headquarters of the company are at Chicago with sales offices at New York, Buffalo, Boston, Washington, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Los Angeles, Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Minn.

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PLANT OF THE UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO. AT SWEETWATER. Construction work for this plant will begin in a few days according to officials of the company. Nearly 1,500 acres of rich gypsum and gypsite deposits have been purchased since the first of the year here. Land, plant, trackage and other equipment will represent an investment of approximately \$1,000,000 to be made here for the manufacture of sheet-rock, and the 151 other products made from gypsum.

### ROSS TESTIFIES IN DATE OF HEARING HIS OWN BEHALF IN KLAN CASE SET

Defendant in Lubbock Trial Goes On Witness Stand And Tells of the Events Leading To Shooting

Attorneys For Defense Examine 25 Witnesses Who Testify to Character of The Cattle Inspectors.

By The United Press. LUBBOCK, June 23.—Many people braved the heat to attend the taking of testimony of the Ross-Gooch trial and heard the story of the fatal shooting in the lobby of the hotel at 5 o'clock in which Roberson and Allison were killed on the night of April 1. Ross was sworn in as a deputy cattle inspector by the state attorney and mentioned concerning events leading up to the arrests which covered a score of years.

Chairs were used to graphically portray the shooting. Ross said that he fired four shots into the body of Roberson and declared that Gooch fired one shot after Allison had fallen to the floor riddled with bullets.

Mrs. Roberson, hearing the shooting came down stairs, and returned the fire, one of the bullets slightly wounding him, he said.

The court adjourned at 6:35 o'clock and will take up proceedings again Monday morning. The defendants were in good spirits.

Efforts were made by attorneys for the defense to show that the shooting of the two cattle inspectors was in self-defense and many witnesses were examined, previous to having the defendant Ross take the stand, who testified that the slain cattle inspectors were men of their word, and apt to do what they said they would do.

### WAVE CONTINUES

High Temperature Claims Total of 22 in Five Days in City of Chicago.

By The United Press. CHICAGO, June 23.—The heat wave which has taken a big toll of lives during the last week will continue over the week-end, according to the weather bureau reports here tonight. Twenty-two here have died in five days.

High temperature, a blazing sun and no breeze has taken many lives in the Mid-West.

The heat wave in the west has been broken in some districts by heavy storms.

Thousands are flocking to the northern summer resorts, it was announced by the northern railroads today.

### HOLD PICNIC

Members of the office of the West Texas Electric Company and a number of invited guests picnicked on the shores of the City Lake Friday evening following a swim in the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Comery and daughter of Merkel spent Friday in Sweetwater.

Judge Humphries in Superior Court at Atlanta, To Hear Petition For Receivership July 29.

San Antonio Chapter Announces No More Money Will Be Sent To Headquarters Until Settled.

By The United Press. ATLANTA, Ga., June 23.—A hearing on the application for the receivership for the Ku Klux Klan filed by the Philadelphia chapter and others was set for trial in Superior Court here for June 29 by Judge John D. Humphries today.

The petition charges Emperor W. J. Simmons, H. A. Evans, and several other Klan officials with mismanagement of Klan affairs.

None of the principals mentioned in the petition were present in court.

BREAK WITH ATLANTA. By The United Press. SAN ANTONIO, June 23.—The local Chapter of the Klan along with 16 or 15 other Chapters in the State have adopted a resolution to break with the Atlanta headquarters and cease money reports and information until order is restored at the main office, according to George Keeling, Klange of Texas.

Keeling announced that an invitation had been sent to national officers to hold a meeting in San Antonio to discuss the situation.

NO DEMONSTRATIONS. By The United Press. HOUSTON, June 23.—No more demonstrations have been held here in connection with the jailing of three men for failure to answer questions propounded by the grand jury in connection with the Goose Creek mob rule probe. Police announced that no parades will be permitted.

For Twelve Hours, Makes Detectives Believe He is of the Weaker Sex.

By The United Press. CHICAGO, June 23.—Frog Thompson, charged with the murder of Richard Teasler, insisted on being tried as a woman. The attorney of the client states that Thompson is a woman. The state declares that in case he is tried as a woman, he would receive a better chance with the jury.

State Attorney Robert Crowe stated that he will see that the "Girl bandit" who slew Teasler will be the first woman to be hanged in Chicago.

For more than twelve hours Thompson made the detective believe that he was a woman, but physicians pronounced him a man.

Mrs. Myrtle Vaughan and little daughter, Frances, went to Plainview Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Trammell and family are spending the summer on their ranch near Loring.

### SWEETWATER HAS BEEN SELECTED WITH WHEAT MEN

Brunk's Comedians Announce Selection of This City for Permanent Headquarters For the Company.

WILL BUILD A BIG WAREHOUSE

Lyric Theater to Be Entirely Remodeled—To Be Known As the "Lone Star"—To Open Sept. 1.

A theater second to none in West Texas is the promise of R. B. "Bunny" Ellis referring to the Lyric Theater which has been leased for ten years by Harley Sadler of Brunk's Comedians.

Mr. Ellis was in Sweetwater the close of the week gathering data on the size of the house relative to the installation of new seats new scenery and other equipment to open about September 1st. He will return about July 15th, he said, after purchasing the necessary equipment, and oversee the redecorating, remodeling, etc.

The Lyric will hereafter be known as the "Lone Star" and will be in charge of Mr. Ellis, who has been actively identified with the moving picture industry in Los Angeles for the past five years.

In addition to the theater, it is the intention of Mr. Sadler to make Sweetwater headquarters for his entire organization, Mr. Ellis stated. Here will be kept the scenery and other equipment of his road shows. Here his players will rehearse and make preparations between seasons for the road trips. A large warehouse in which to house the properties of the company will be built and during the winter when the company is not on the road there will be quite a number of people here.

"We will join the Sweetwater Club and other organizations here and you can always depend upon us to be here all the time. The theater will always be available gratis to the Elks, American Legion or for any other civic purpose," Mr. Ellis stated.

Harley Sadler is well known in West Texas where his Brunk's Comedians have played once or twice every year for many years. Last year he purchased the Stamford franchise in the West Texas League and paid his end of the deficit without a murmur.

### TO OPEN CHURCH

First Services in New Church of Christ Building to Be Held Today—Elder Baxter to Preach.

The first services in the new Church of Christ will be held today, according to an announcement.

Elder Batsell Baxter will preach at both services.

The topic for the morning hour will be "The Temple of God."

The evening subject will be "Our Plea for a Primitive Christian Religion."

The congregation extends a most cordial invitation to everyone to attend these first services in the new church building.

### TO SAIL NEXT SATURDAY.

Governor Neff to Accompany Cuba-Panama Excursion.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, June 23.—Governor Neff today announced that he had accepted the invitation to accompany the Cuba-Panama excursion which sails from New Orleans next Saturday. He will be away from his office until July 17.

The trip is under the auspices of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. By leaving the state, the Governor will mark the first official leave he has made since entering office in January, 1921.

### FRAUD ORDER.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The post-office department today issued fraud orders against the Smackover, Shall Cross and "300 Person Syndicate" operating in El Dorado, Ark., and Fort Worth on a charge of fraudulent stock selling.

### HARDING MINGLES WITH WHEAT MEN

Dons Overalls And Takes Charge of Binder in Wheat Field At Hutchinson, Kansas.

LARGE CROWD GREETED CHIEF

Speech Delivered in Hutchinson Fair Grounds Is Heard By Many People—Message To Farmers.

By The United Press.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., June 23.—President Harding spoke to enthusiastic multitudes in the midst of the great Kansas wheatfields today, after donning overalls, running a binder in the golden grain and otherwise demonstrating that he was a real "dirt" farmer, for the time being at least. He spoke in the afternoon at the Fair grounds.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., June 23.—President Harding brought to the agricultural Middle West today a message of optimism with a prediction that the worst of the post-war depression had passed and the gradual improvement could be reasonably expected.

In an address devoted to discussion on the agricultural situation, the Chief Executive reviewed the measures taken by the government to aid the farmers, placing at the forefront the farm credits legislation enacted by the last congress. This legislation when carried out, he declared, "will be capable of furnishing the American farmers, for the first time in the history of agriculture in any country, adequate investment and working capital on terms as favorable as those accorded to commerce and industry."

"I confess a frank pride in the government's part in bettering a situation against which you justly complained and which all the people of the nation deplored," the President told his audience in this agricultural state. "The cooperation of all the governmental agencies, and with them the cooperation of the fine forces of leadership which the great national farm organizations have developed, made it possible to secure a measure of helpful results in this department of our endeavors, which have been especially gratifying. Moreover, it has found prompt reflection in the improved status of every agricultural concern. We have been officially informed that owing to improved conditions the farm products of the country for 1922 were worth \$2,000,000,000 more than they were in 1921. Clearly, we are through the worst of the depression and can reasonably expect gradual improvement.

"The balance within the industry, as between livestock and grain production, has been restored. While the war lasted there was no possibility of over production of such staples as wheat and cotton, for example; and when peace suddenly burst upon the world, the farmer had plans for a long future which he could not readjust instantly. No human wisdom could possibly have foretold the course that would be taken by supplies and demand; and it is as futile as it is obvious to us now to say that wisdom would have dictated at least a less precipitate policy in removing the war time restrictions and guidance in dealing with some aspects of production and distribution.

FOR CONSOLIDATION. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 23.—Consolidation of the railroads of the country into a small number of systems is a rational, justifiable step, full of promise towards solution of the transportation problem, President Harding declared here tonight in the second prepared address of his western trip.

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## DEVELOPMENT IN SWEETWATER BIG

City is Located in the Center of Activity And is Surrounded By Many Resources.

ADVANCEMENT IS WONDERFUL

Rise of Sweetwater From a Box Car Depot to One of the Best Cities in The West Like Fairy Tale.

At the cross roads of Commerce great cities are builded.

In times of old cities grew at the end of the caravan route across the desert. In the United States, the great cities are where freight moves and is transferred.

West Texas is at the twilight dawn of its greatest period of development. Within most recent years have come the great oil developments of Ranger, Desdemona and Moran. The great granery that is the South Plains is just beginning to realize its destiny. The great range country, of which San Angelo is the metropolis, is being stocked with the purest bred cattle, sheep and goats. The great cotton district, which extends in all directions from Sweetwater. Is rapidly beginning to be known as the most dependable and most productive cotton section of the State. The rising tide of immigration from the weevil stricken fields of East Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas is forcing progress and development in every direction in West Texas. Thriving villages are becoming cities, and populous villages are springing up where only a few short years ago the loughorn disputed with the prairie dogs and the coyote for supremacy of the sand and the sage brush.

At the center of all this activity, lies Sweetwater. A set out box car was its first station, when the Texas & Pacific built west in 1881. For long years it slumbered, awaiting the call of destiny. In 1909 the Orient Railroad built through from the north. A year later came the main line of the Santa Fe on its way from the Panhandle and

Plains to tidewater at Galveston. With three trunk line railroads crossing here was the foundation for a town. And it has been growing ever since.

In 1913 the town outgrew its water supply. Back in the hills seven miles south of town a great dam was thrown across Sweetwater Creek, and Lake Trammell with billions of gallons of water was made available by gravity flow, the city's use.

A twelve-inch pipe, flowing twenty

four hours a day, would require two and one-half years to exhaust the lake, with no additional rainfall.

Sweetwater is a city of unusual charm. It is a city of homes, of schools and churches, and is justly called the cleanest town in West Texas. Its citizenry is practically 100 per cent pure American, and is composed of men of vision and initiative.

Sweetwater has one of the best de-

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## Tire Bargains

While they last — We will sell 32 x 4 Cord Tires at

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Including the following makes: —

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These are strictly firsts and carry the Standard Warranty.

Tire prices have advanced and this may be your last opportunity to buy at this money-saving price.

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--Dodge Distributor--

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The United States Gypsum Company

We Wish A Hearty

**WELCOME**

**Wade Market**

—Wholesale And Retail—

.... TO ....

The United States Gypsum Co.

We extend a West Texas Welcome as the newest enterprise to be located in Sweetwater. May the spirit of friends and co-operation for ever continue for the building of a greater city.

**Sweetwater Transfer Co.**

Transfer

Drayage

Service

Bonded Warehouse.

### "That Good Gulf Gasoline"

The following is copy of the letter dated May 29th, sent to us by R. W. Mackie, commercial aviator of Houston, which is self-explanatory and that, along with the fact that Lieutenant Crocker used "THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE" in his plane during his successful non-stop flight from Ellington Field to Detroit proves its high quality:

"On Sunday, April 29th, I, the undersigned commercial aviator of Houston, Texas, flew an airplane to Freeport, Texas, for the purpose of putting on an exhibition under the auspices of the Freeport American Legion.

"While in Freeport, I was asked by Mr. Bridges as to what kind of gasoline I preferred for use in my plane, and not knowing what kind he sold, I told him that I always used "THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE," when available. It so happened that Mr. Bridges was the agent for the Gulf Company, so he supplied me with all the gasoline used in Freeport. As usual, when "THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE" is used, the plane performed extremely well, and had plenty of power and pep.

"The writer's experience with "THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE" was acquired while doing considerable flying at Port Arthur, Texas, where the gasoline is refined. Other brands of gasoline are sold there, but it was found after actual use that no gasoline sold in Texas equaled in power delivery and freedom from carbon that manufactured by the Gulf Company."

(Signed): —

R. W. MACKIE,

Commercial Aviator,

Sales Agent, Curtiss Aeroplane & Motor Corp. Aeronautical Editor, Houston Chronicle.

### "That Good Gulf Gasoline"

The same high quality that Mr. Mackie used, on sale in Sweetwater

E. E. ROY

WESTERN MOTOR CO.

H. A. ATER.

NEY SHERIDAN, Agent.

# WELCOME TO SWEETWATER

**U.S. SHEETROCK**  
"The Fireproof Wallboard"



The Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company wishes to extend a whole-hearted welcome to the United States Gypsum Company to the city of Sweetwater as friends and fellow business men.

## *Sheetrock Is Permanent and Economical*

Sheetrock is a superior wall and ceiling material in unit form. It is made from permanent rock—a factory-cast and factory-finished sheet, sheathed in a protective covering.

**U.S. SHEETROCK**  
"The Fireproof Wallboard"



Made from rock, it is firm and rigid—thus permitting a wide variety in decorative treatment. It is the only wall board that can be satisfactorily papered. The uses of Sheetrock around the home other than for new construction, are numerous. It is ideal material for transforming waste attic space into attractive spare rooms, for partitioning or remodeling the home, for lining and making a fireproof basement or garage. Sheetrock is on the list of inspected mechanical appliances of the Board of Fire Underwriters. For further information see

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**WELCOME TO SWEETWATER.**

It is seldom that a newspaper has the pleasure of presenting to its readers a news item of such moment as the story carried today concerning the United States Gypsum Company and its location of a plant at Sweetwater.

From a material standpoint, its importance could hardly be overestimated. The addition of a payroll of 500 men to the city's income is an item that means much to the business and economic life of the city. It will put this city definitely on an assured basis that in just a few months will make it compare with any in West Texas.

It was not alone a deposit of gypsum that brought the decision of the United States Gypsum Company to locate here. President Avery of Chicago stated while in Sweetwater some months ago, "Gypsum is fairly plentiful. The problem is to find it at a point that has good shipping facilities and where markets are readily accessible."

The most dependable and feasible method of determining who really holds the superior title to your land, then, would be to secure an Abstract of Title, and have it explained by an Attorney. A Loan Company will not loan money on land without being furnished with an Abstract.

That the title is good, and you should not buy property without first being furnished with an Abstract that will show good title. By getting an Abstract you learn of the true condition of the title and if something is wrong

with it, then it can probably be corrected by securing proper instruments and recording them before it is too late. Hence if you have already bought land and have no Abstract it might be wise to get one in order to learn of some defect that might exist that could be corrected now, but not later.

That whatever of cooperation need

ed by this company will be accorded by officials and citizens of this town goes without saying.

**WILL IT ABSTRACT.**

By I. Lee Lusk

Such a question is often asked with reference to land titles, although only one true answer can be given. Ordinarily we think that a question with only one answer is seldom asked but as stated, the above inquiry is often made concerning land titles. The only answer is, "Yes, BUT—" followed by an explanation as to what an Abstract is, and giving the difference between an Abstract and a Good Land Title.

There are many different definitions as to what an Abstract is, as there are authors on the subject, but in substance they are the same. If the definition had to be confined to one word, that word would undoubtedly be, "History." It might be that they should have been called "History of Title" instead of "Abstract of Title," then it would probably be more clearly understood by the general public. An Abstract gives a summary, showing the date, names of parties, when filed for record and where recorded, and the essential parts, of all deeds, mortgages, releases, wills, judgments, attachments, etc., recorded in the public records of the County in which the land effected, is located. Hence the Abstract shows the condition of the title, whether good or bad. Therefore you can see that any tract of land "Will Abstract," but the Abstract might show a good, bad or indifferent Title.

Some parties will have an Abstract made and then ask if we guarantee the Abstract. If we answered yes, which is correct for we do guarantee our work, it would nevertheless be the wrong answer. For in asking that question they were under the impression that by getting an Abstract they were assuring them a good title, and would expect the Abstractor to protect them in case their title failed. On an occasion of this kind we readily explain that we guarantee our work but that the Abstract is merely a History of his title showing the true condition of it, whether good or bad.

Local Santa Fe offices had not been advised of the increase late Saturday, but it is expected that the increase will also apply to the Sweetwater shops of the line.

Lightning kills  
By The United Press.  
Sugarland, June 23.—Philip Mue, 14, was struck by lightning and instantly killed here last night. The horse he was riding was also killed.

TO THE ONE WHO PAYS THE COAL BILL  
This is the year for economy. Why not start with COAL and buy SWASTIKA.  
Quality—Preparation—Service  
We know it pays to prepare coal. You don't want to pay good money for bone, slate and rock which goes to ash.

For Sale in Sweetwater Only By  
**SIMPSON FUEL COMPANY**  
Phone 239  
Arkansas Anthracite, Alabama Blacksmith Coal

ENTERTAINS PRISCILLA CLUB  
Mrs. George Parker entertained the Priscilla Club Thursday afternoon with a 42 party, extending her hospitality to include a number of friends and neighbors. Her rooms were brightened with the use of potted ferns and flowers. Fruit punch was served the guests upon arrival.

TO BUILD GYP PLANT  
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Milwaukee, Detroit.

Mines and mills are carried on the firm's letter heads as being located at Oakfield, N. Y.; Plasterco, Va.; Cleveland; Gypsum and Genoa, Ohio; Detroit; Alabaster and Grand Rapids, Mich.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Fort Dodge, Ia.; Blue Rapids, Kan.; Southard and Okfuskee, Okla.; Sweetwater, Texas; Edmore, S. D.; Loveland, and Denver, Colo.; Arden, Nev.; and Amboy, Calif.

Officials for the company have taken a great interest in the Texas Technological College. Mr. Birdsey, whose arrival in Sweetwater is expected soon, is a member of the Board of Regents of Lewis Institute of Chicago, a technical school.

The cut of the proposed plant to be built here which is reproduced in this paper today was furnished to the members of the local Tech committee for use in Sweetwater's brief for the college by the company. In addition much data concerning the area nearby was furnished by Mr. Norton, geologist for the company and who rendered every assistance in his power in the preparation of this particular data.

PAY RAISED.  
Santa Fe Railroad Shopmen Raised 2 Cents An Hour—Dates June 1. By The United Press.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED.  
County Clerk Gus Farrar issued a marriage license to a Mexican couple Saturday. They were Jose Torres and Mercedes Rodriguez.

AT THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.  
Sunday June 24, St. John, The Baptist Day; 10 a. m. Sunday school; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon. The Greatness of John, the Baptist; 6 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon. "The Good Samaritan." Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

REV. J. L. SHOWELL, Rector.  
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**TODAY'S RADIO WEATHER.**

By Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co.  
The weather report for West Texas as given predicts partly cloudy weather for today.

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By Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co.

The weather report for West Texas as given predicts partly cloudy weather for today.

**TO BUILD GYP PLANT**

Milwaukee, Detroit. Mines and mills are carried on the firm's letter heads as being located at Oakfield, N. Y.; Plasterco, Va.; Cleveland; Gypsum and Genoa, Ohio; Detroit; Alabaster and Grand Rapids, Mich.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Fort Dodge, Ia.; Blue Rapids, Kan.; Southard and Okfuskee, Okla.; Sweetwater, Texas; Edmore, S. D.; Loveland, and Denver, Colo.; Arden, Nev.; and Amboy, Calif.

Officials for the company have taken a great interest in the Texas Technological College. Mr. Birdsey, whose arrival in Sweetwater is expected soon, is a member of the Board of Regents of Lewis Institute of Chicago, a technical school.

The cut of the proposed plant to be built here which is reproduced in this paper today was furnished to the members of the local Tech committee for use in Sweetwater's brief for the college by the company. In addition much data concerning the area nearby was furnished by Mr. Norton, geologist for the company and who rendered every assistance in his power in the preparation of this particular data.

PAY RAISED.  
Santa Fe Railroad Shopmen Raised 2 Cents An Hour—Dates June 1. By The United Press.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED.  
County Clerk Gus Farrar issued a marriage license to a Mexican couple Saturday. They were Jose Torres and Mercedes Rodriguez.

AT THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.  
Sunday June 24, St. John, The Baptist Day; 10 a. m. Sunday school; 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon. The Greatness of John, the Baptist; 6 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon. "The Good Samaritan." Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

REV. J. L. SHOWELL, Rector.  
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Neale are moving to Santa Fe, to spend the summer.

**"A Penny Saved is A Penny Earned"**

—And that's a true old saying. How about your House Dresses or Neighborhood Frocks. We had rather call them that, for they are far too good looking to be confined to the house. Do you always choose your house dresses with thought for value, style and workmanship? Any old thing will not do. Its true economy to choose the best.

—How about the Nelly Dons? Did you ever wear one? If you have, you'll have no other. Charming styles, fast colors and good workmanship make these favorites with all women.

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LADIES AND MEN'S WEAR  
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**"What Can I Eat This Hot Weather"**

We are asked this question every day and as every one knows it is hard to find a variety of goods that satisfy the appetite during the hot weather. We have partially solved this question by buying and offering a few delicacies of the season such as the following:

- Fresh Stone Cakes
- Mixed Bulk Cakes
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- Fresh Vegetables
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- Pickles And Olives
- Bolled Ham
- Veal Loaf
- Ham Loaf
- Frankfurters
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- Bologna Sausage
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**--A Cordial Welcome--**

We wish, thru the medium of The Reporter—and personally if the opportunity presents itself—to extend a most hearty welcome to The United States Gypsum Co. We feel that this will prove to be a mutual and lasting benefit for all parties concerned; Sweetwater will be the beneficiary and benefactor, in that while adding to itself a company of prominence and promise, we are sure you will be greatly benefited by locating in Sweetwater.

We find there is no better, more alive and progressive town in West Texas than Sweetwater. We have been in business here for over fourteen years and still reaping the benefits, and alive to the possibilities and advantages of this thriving little city. We feel sure such will be your experience. Again we say, WELCOME.

**Sweetwater Dry Goods Company.**

## COSTS TOO MUCH

Cause of Nation's Decreasing Birth Rate Is Increasing Cost of Living, Ministers Declare.

CHICAGO, June 23.—It costs too much to live—let alone raise children—Chicago ministers and physicians declare, in attempting to attribute a cause for the decrease in the birth-rate of the country, as reported by the bureau of statistics, Washington.

The high cost of living—not the "modern girl" or birth control propaganda—is the chief obstacle to big families, it was agreed.

"It costs more to live now than it used to and the young people are afraid to marry and have children," the Rev. Johnson F. Meyers, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist Church, said. "Then, too, many modern girls are continuing in business after marriage, which is a most regrettable state of affairs. I think modern women are not extravagant, and the 'wild type' of girl is in the minority."

H. N. Bundeson, Chicago health commissioner, himself the father of six children, declared the mother instinct would finally overbalance all birth control propaganda and that only financial difficulties stood in the way of "splendid large families."

"A home is never real without children, and I think our young people realize that," Bundeson said. "The mother instinct is too deep-seated ever to be eradicated. There is a certain wildness in modern society, but I believe a decrease in birthrates is due to the high cost of living rather than to that."

Dr. L. D. Moorhead, dean of the Loyola School of Medicine, said the whirl of society and the gay life of modern youth only added to the burden of the high cost of living and was one of the causes for birth decrease.

"The divorce of moral training from the usual education is a very important factor in causing our young people to shirk responsibilities," Dr. Moorhead said.

### TOOTH PULLED; DIED.

Loss of Blood Killed San Antonio Man.

SAN ANTONIO, June 23.—Loss of blood resulting from the pulling of a tooth caused the death of E. Koch here.

Koch suffered from what is known as an impacted wisdom tooth and went to a dentist to have the tooth extracted.

The dentist cut through the gum to get to the impacted molar and in doing so severed a small artery. When the forceps were applied the artery was opened the gum began bleeding profusely.

Attempts to stop the flow of blood were futile and Koch was removed to a hospital where he died from loss of blood.

Mrs. George Sparks is visiting in Anson.

**HOME FROM CAMPING TRIP.**  
Ernest Wright, Miss Bessie Beall, Ben McCorkle, Miss Florence Poffenbach, Leland Glass, Miss Annie May Cochran, Don't Beall, Miss Rozelle Brand, have returned from a camping party at Christoval. They were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCorkle.

### RAINED GOLD.

Quitman Farmer Finds Old Gold Coin Dated 1836.

By The United Press.  
QUITMAN, June 23.—Latest reports from the farm of T. L. Denton, near here are that it rained gold during a recent shower.

Denton found a gold coin in a field after a downpour. The coin was dated 1836. Despite its age the gold piece looked as bright as the day it was made, according to the farmer.

The coin was found on a mound which is purported to be an old Indian mound.

### MANITOBA WET.

Returns Indicate Majority for Modified Sale of Liquor.

By The United Press.  
WINNIPEG, Manitoba, June 23.—The sale of liquors under modified restrictions by the government of the province, was indicated by returns

from the election held Friday, when the wet or dry issue was submitted to a vote of the people.

Government control of the sale of liquor, as advocated by the moderate-liquorists, had a majority of about 30,000 with returns from the rural districts increasing the lead hourly.

### NEW SHIP SPEED RECORD.

Leviathan Establishes New Record of 27.48 Knots An Hour.

By The United Press.  
ABOARD THE STEAMSHIP LEVIATHAN, June 23.—The record-holding Leviathan, established another world's speed record for ocean liners when at 8:17 o'clock this morning she had run for 25 hours at the rate of 27.48 knots an hour.

The previous world record of 25.04 knots was established by the British steamship Mauretania January 25-26, 1911.

### FISHING PARTY RETURNS.

The beauty of the Concho River at Christoval was enjoyed to the fullest extent by a party of Sweetwater people who returned the latter part of the week. A good time was reported but there wasn't much bragging about the fish caught. Included in the party were Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morton, Mrs. Focht, George Sheppard and Louis Polk.

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- 2406—Farewell Blues—Fox Trot—Isam Jones Orchestra; Saw Mill River Road—Fox Trot—Isam Jones Orchestra.
- 2410—You Got to See Mamma Every Night—Comedienne—Marion Harris; Runnin' Wild—Comedienne—Marion Harris.
- 2411—Sweet Lovin' Mama—Fox Trot—Arnold Johnson and his Orchestra; Kiss Me—Fox Trot—Arnold Johnson and his orch.
- 2412—That Red Head Gal—Fox Trot—Isam Jones Orchestra; Sweet One—Fox Trot—Isam Jones Orchestra.
- 2413—Seven or Eleven—Comedienne—Margaret Young; Wanita—Comedienne Margaret Young.
- 2413—I Never Miss the Sunshine—Fox Trot—Cotton Pickers; Snake's Hips—Fox Trot—Cotton Pickers.
- 2425—Barney Google—Tenor And Baritone—Billy Jones and Ernest Hare; I Love Me—Tenor with Orches.—Billy Jones.
- 2427—Down Among the Sleepy Hills of Tennessee—Vocal Trio Brox Sisters and Little Boy Blues—Vocal Trio, Brox Sisters and Krengers Orchestra.
- 2429—Red Moon—Waltz—Hawallan Novelty Orchestra; After Every Party—Waltz—Hawallan Novelty Orchestra.
- 2430—If Winter Comes—Tenor—Allen McQuhae; Where the Blue Begins—Tenor—Allen McQuhae.

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No man wants to live the DEFEATED life. Every man can taste the joys of victorious life—the victorious PRESENT life.

God's Book says some startling things about this.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

### Today

The pastor has returned and will preach  
11 A. M. 8 P. M.

# PARK IS POPULAR WITH TOURISTS

Many Travellers on Auto Trips Across The Continent Stop Over Here At The City Lake Park.

PEOPLE FROM ALL STATES HERE

All Loud In Their Praise of Texas People, Roads, Cities And Tourists Resorts.

Sweetwater's free tourist camp is proving very popular with the travelers who stop over here and there are many campers there each night. People from all over the nation have stopped at this park at the City Lake, and the tourists are universal in their praise of Texas roads, Texas cities and Texas people, and it is interesting to know that the majority of tourists when praising Texas, always add "especially West Texas."

This city's location on three main state highways, the Bankhead, the Roger Q. Mills and the Del Rio Canadian brings tourists through here literally by the hundreds every day.

Probably the best equipped camper in the park recently was M. D. L. Bell of Mineral Wells, formerly of Mer Rouge, La. Mr. Bell, his wife and three children were traveling in a "house on wheels," an affair constructed by Bell himself and was one of the nicest outfits seen here in some time. It consisted of a house-like body mounted on a Ford truck chassis and served as a dining room, bed room, kitchen and living room for the party of five. On each side were wide seats which were let down at night and converted into two most comfortable beds, according to Mr. Bell. Under the seats was ample space to pack clothing, bedding and other equipment. The driver's seat could also be extended and used as a bed. In the rear of the "room" was an oil stove and complete kitchen arrangement and opposite this was a small closet containing food, tools and other supplies. The whole affair was open on the sides

and Mr. Bell declared that it was a cool and ideal sleeping place. In rainy weather curtains are let down, making the sleeping quarters water-proof.

"I started out for California," stated Mr. Bell, "but I may go no further than El Paso." There are just as many pretty places in Texas as there are in California.

"I sure like this part of Texas," he went on, "and I am certainly pulling for Sweetwater to land the Tech School. If it is located here, I am coming here so that my son can attend it."

Mr. Bell declared that the roads were good all the way from Mineral Wells.

From California.

Camped in a nifty tent, with up-to-the-minute camping equipment, were Mr. and Mrs. Degrier and son and daughter of Long Beach, Cal. They were enroute to their home after visiting relatives at Little Rock, Ark.

The Degriers were travelling in a Chevrolet touring car and declared that they had made excellent time on their trip.

"We went from Long Beach to Little Rock in ten days," said Mrs. Degrier, "and used exactly 36 gallons of gasoline and three gallons of oil. The total distance was about 1965 miles."

They stated that they like the state of Texas but that California was "the best of all."

"The worst roads we found were in Arkansas," they reported. "The Texas roads are good and the tourists camps get better the further west we go."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Wilson left a Cadillac at home and got a Ford coupe when they took to the open road on their trip to California. Camped at the park last night, Mr. Wilson declared that after a Ford pulled his Cadillac out of the mud once near San Antonio, he was going to use a Ford for his long trips from now on.

The Ford coupe served nicely for a trip for two, they said, and it carried plenty of supplies, including a water-proof wall tent. On one fender, Mr. Wilson had a wide cypress plank bolted, and although light the plank was strong and afforded a good place to pack equipment.

Mr. Wilson is in the government service and has formerly been stationed at various points in Russia, Japan and the Philippines. He and his wife will drive to Los Angeles, from there

to San Francisco and then sail for Japan on a pleasure trip. They report good roads since leaving El Paso.

F. H. Tatum, "The Steeple-Jack of Texas" is "painting his way across the nation." He is from Fort Worth and camped last night at the Sweetwater camp. He is accompanied by two boys and stops along the way to do painting and steeple-jack work, work he declared, that was too high in the air for other painters to do.

"I've never seen the height yet that would make my head swim," he declared.

While in Abilene, Mr. Tatum painted the 83 feet flag pole on the T & P lawn. It was a very windy day, he stated, and a large crowd watched him work.

One of the boys with Mr. Tatum completed his first job when he painted the smokestack on the Sweetwater Laundry.

F. J. Jesse and Andrew Cryster are making a coast to coast trip and have been camped here since Friday. They are waiting on mail and will continue their trip in a few days. Jesse and Cryster are from Los Angeles and are headed for Florida, and are traveling in a Ford touring car. They report good roads since leaving California, but stated that there were two counties between here and El Paso in which the roads were very bad.

"There is one thing I can say," declared Cryster, "and that is that there are more good roads in Texas than there are in New Mexico or Arizona."

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Mosley of Eustace, Henderson county stopped over here on their tour of West Texas. They are traveling in a Ford roadster and report roads in good condition.

W. W. Dyer and family are returning to Dallas after a trip to Colorado made in a Dodge touring car. They were camped at the park last night. They are well equipped for traveling, have good equipment including an up-to-date tent that is attached to the side of their car at night.

Mr. Dyer is with the Elison Shop at Dallas and has been on a trip over New Mexico and Colorado.

He declared that in parts of New Mexico it was very dry. He said in places there it had not rained in five years and there were many dead cattle along the road.

Dyer, "and a nice tourist's camp."

like this country and the people here."

## DEVELOPMENT IN SWEETWATER BIG.

(Continued From Page 2)

signed Court Houses of any city in West Texas to enhance the beauty of its solidly built in public square. In the year 1923 \$80,000.00 is being spent in the construction of a new Ward school building, and the modernizing of two others, as an addition to its school system which is headed by a magnificent, recently built \$150,000.00 High School building.

The new Baptist church costing \$60,000.00 and a new Church of Christ edifice of somewhat smaller proportions are all financed and are under construction. They are being added to the excellent church houses which already grace the town. Ground is about to be broken for a new \$100,000

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bank and office building. The closing days of 1922 saw the \$50,000.00 Masonic Temple completed in Sweetwater.

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in West Texas. Sweetwater is building, developing and prospering, along with her neighbors, in the best part of the best state in the United States.

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## WELCOME

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Welcome To

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We wish to best wishes and welcome to the newest BUSINESS ENTERPRISE of Sweetwater which has located in out city.

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Welcome

This store wishes to extend a hearty welcome to the latest enterprise, the United States Gypsum Company. Through the prosperity of all business, each individual prospers which makes for a better city and home.

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"The Home of The Seltz Six"

Welcome To Sweetwater

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When in need of better health we shall ever be pleased to serve

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CHIROPRACTIC—Massage TREATMENTS

GROGAN MINREAL BATHS WITH BEST NEGRO ATTENDANTS

Grogan Wells Sanatorium

## POULTRY CENTER BRINGS BUSINESS

Location of This Exchange Will Mean Millions of Dollars to Fortunate City.

### TOWNS BUILT BY HARD WORK

Development of Cities Measured By Their Development of Natural Resources And Opportunities.

The development of Sweetwater as a city is going to be measured by the degree of development of the natural resources of West Texas; and then only in proportion as she takes advantage of this development.

A railroad, wholesale house or bank add to the growth of a town, but it is in proportion to the volume of business done by these concerns. A prosperous, growing town, must first of all have developed natural resources and then have the necessary business concerns to take advantage of the wealth created in its territory. That means railroads, factories, banks, wholesale and retail stores, good stores, churches, etc.

Whenever a town allows a neighbor to profit from the developed wealth in her territory that town will surely see the neighbor outstripping her in growth. On the other hand if a town takes an active part in the development in its territory of all the natural resources; lends a helping hand and gives encouragement to the farmer and ranchman in their effort to double the value of the crops produced it will more easily control the increased business.

Towns, do not just happen, they are built by hard work and co-operation. The securing of the Texas Technological College by Sweetwater will be within its self build the town, but a step towards the goal and in taking the step if we do not stumble it will give us a fine start and a push to the next step.

The poultry industry means more to Sweetwater than it would seem at first thought; and the limit to the development of this industry is not even in sight.

The sale of poultry and poultry products now turn into the channels of trade in our trade territory over one million dollars, and that is a very conservative estimate, based on actual figures obtainable as to shipments. If all the figures were to be had it would swell the grand total a goodly sum. On the ten thousand farms in our trade territory each farmer can produce for the market: 200 fryers, valued at \$100.00; have for sale each year fifty old or culled hens worth \$500.00; produce fifty turkeys, valued at \$150.00; and have for sale \$100.00 worth of eggs; making a grand total of \$400.00 for each farm, or a total for the trade territory of \$4,000,000.00 (four million dollars.) Which would mean an increase of nearly three million dollars in the net wealth of the territory for the farmer will not have to cut his cotton acreage but very little to produce, enough more feed to take care of the poultry, and that cut would no doubt mean that he would receive enough more per pound for the cotton he did produce, that it would make up for the loss in acreage. These figures are practical and not the dream of a visionary; but so much for the development of the industry.

The thing of greatest importance to the city of Sweetwater just now is to get a vision of the future development of the poultry industry and with its favorable location secure not only the benefit from the increased local production, but also the benefit that the industry will contribute to some centrally located live wire town.

The poultry marketing associations now organized or being organized at Sweetwater, Abilene, San Angelo, Brownwood, Lubbock, Cisco and Plainview will have one central head that will handle the bulk of the business, and the location of that Poultry Exchange as it will be called, means much to any city. Shall we pay tribute, or shall tribute be paid to us on account of the location of the Poultry Exchange; making the town securing it the real center of the poultry empire being developed in West Texas.

This Exchange is pledged to no town, nor has any one person the right to name the location, but it will surely go the route of least resistance; or in other words will be located by the trustees in well located

town where proper facilities are the most easily secured.

The business estimated by conservative men to be done thru this Exchange will run into millions, not less than ten, necessitating a pay roll alone of over one hundred thousand dollars.

### ENROUTE HOME.

Erwin Bergdoll, Draft Evader, Is Free On Bond.

By The United Press. KANSAS CITY, Kan., June 11.—Erwin Bergdoll, who is free under bond following his arrest at the federal prison on a charge to evade the draft, is now enroute to his Philadelphia home today. The millionaire slacker has just completed a sentence, and was arrested on a second charge.

Federal authorities have little hope that his brother, Grover, could ever be returned for trial.

J. C. Walker, Bergdoll's attorney, said that Grover would be returned within thirty days to stand trial for draft evasion.

Judge Falkenhayner assured the attorney that the fugitive would receive a fair trial.



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## Milestones of Progress

In the many years since, this, the oldest bank in Nolan County, was first organized, it has had the pleasure of watching and aiding in the growth of Sweetwater from a small West Texas village on the borders of the frontier to a thriving, hustling community at the crossroads of commerce.

And as the development of the boundless natural resources of West Texas continues, as this country comes into its own, so too do the individuals and corporations who have aided in this development come into their own and reap the reward that is rightfully theirs.

This bank is glad to have played a part in this growth and aided in the progress of the community. That is ever the policy of the personnel who direct this organization.

And now as it is with real pleasure that a part is taken in one of the most significant milestones of progress of this community.

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We have a complete stock of burial goods from the cheapest grade to the best manufactured. We guarantee the lowest prices and the best service in the city.

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TO ELECTRIFY.

West Texas Utilities Company to Operate Railroad at Roby. Special to The Reporter.

ROBY, June 23.—If the citizens of Roby will raise a bonus of \$9,800, Roby will have an electric railroad. The owners of the Roby & Northern railroad have come to terms with the West Texas Utilities Company and plans are being matured for the project.

The citizens of this place are now raising the money for the bonus. The expenditures of the West Texas Utilities Co. here and at north Roby will be approximately \$55,000. This includes money spent for new trackage, ties and electric cars.

WARE HOUSE WRECKED.

By The United Press.

TEXARKANA, June 23.—The warehouse of J. W. Scoggins, located at Four, 15 miles from here, was wrecked by dynamite last night. The damage was estimated at \$2,000. Enemies of Scoggins, a wealthy man, are believed to have been responsible for the explosion.

SHOT IN BACK.

Unidentified Man Attempted to Rob Store—Won't Give Name. By The United Press.

WAXAHACHIE, June 23.—An unidentified man is lying in a sanitarium here, refusing to give his name, or any clue to his identity, and suffering from a gun shot wound in the back.

Frank Owen, owner of a mercantile establishment here, was aroused last night by a burglar alarm in his residence. He grasped a shot gun and hurried to his store, entered, he opened fire.

The man will recover.

George T. Spears of Breckenridge is visiting Sweetwater friends.

Mrs. Frank Murchison is reported ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Howard.

Mrs. Arthur Doose and children of Ballinger are visiting her brother, R. L. Shaffer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayes and Mrs. Mayes mother, Mrs. George Stiles, all of Sweetwater, returned this afternoon to their home after a visit here of nearly two weeks with Mr. Mayes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Mayes. They have been camping on the Middle Concho for over a week. Mr. Mayes is a leading lawyer of Sweetwater. —San Angelo Standard.

Mrs. O. L. Dodson and children are in Rising Star, visiting her mother.

Mrs. J. P. Majors and daughter, Miss Lillian and Miss Nina May, went to Lubbock Saturday where they will visit her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Bowen.

Miss Annie Wight has returned home from Waco where she has been teaching. Miss Lilla Mayes of West, and Mrs. Olna McDonald, of Abilene, who have been visiting her, have returned to their homes.

Miss Beatrice Rone is visiting with Miss Jones at Lubbock.

Mrs. Fred Taylor left for Fort Worth Thursday.

RING BATTLE, JULY 4TH.

Jack Dempsey And Tom Gibbons to Meet to Decide Championship. By The United Press.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., June 23.—Jack Dempsey and Tom Gibbons are sure to enter the ring on July 4th to decide the champion of the ring, according to an announcement made here this evening. Both managers are here in conference.

Dempsey's manager said that he was disturbed at the report that the promoters would be unable to raise the last installment that the fight would have to be called off.

FINE WORK.

FORT WORTH, June 23.—The Municipal Employment Bureau here

found work for 361 during the month of May, according to a report filed at the City Hall by W. S. George, manager of the agency.

Of this number 32 were capenters, 161 laborers, 10 cooks, 14 brick masons, 7 chauffeurs, 9 teamsters and 148 harvest hands.

Use Reporter Want Ads.



Hear— The Cotton Pickers Play Down By The River

One of the most appealing novelty fox trots, full of unexpected twists and original orchestra stunts. A vocal chorus by Ernest Hare adds a cabaret touch that makes it a whirlwind of bright lights.

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**JOINT PICNIC.**

There were five crowded autos loaded with members of the First Christian Church here who met members of the Abilene Christian Sunday school at Merkel Friday night for a joint picnic.

There was a liberal supply of eatables in evidence and then there were talks by C. E. Coombs, mayor of Abilene, J. E. Stowe, superintendent of the Abilene Sunday school, Clyde B. Payne, superintendent of the Sweetwater Sunday school, Rev. O. Dallas, minister of the Abilene church, Rev. J. T. McKissick of Sweetwater, minister of the Sweetwater Christian Church, and others.

"We sure had a fine time," said Rev. McKissick. The picnic was held on the High School grounds at Merkel.

**KILLED RATTLER.**

By The United Press.  
LONGVIEW, June 23.—A big rattler, probably seeking refuge from the high waters of the Sabine River, was discovered by S. H. Carter at Gum Springs near here.

After a terrific fight the snake was finally killed. At no time did the reptile show a disposition to run, but seemed desirous of fighting it out.

The snake measured four and a half feet in length and was extremely large around. It had twelve rattlers and a button which signified its age was thirteen years.

**CUTTING NEW TEETH.**

By The United Press.  
DALLAS, June 23.—"Mox" or Iverson A. Moxley waiter in a local restaurant is "one in a million" according to dental statistics. "Mox" is past 49 years old and is cutting a new set of teeth, which he proudly displays to all his regulars during their repast. He had all his teeth pulled four months ago and now has two brand new ones sprouting.

**TO GAS SNAKES.**

Rattlers to Be Treated With a Dose of Phosphene.

By The United Press.  
SAN ANTONIO, June 23.—Phosphene gas and mustard gas are being experimented with by Major Geo. M. Halloran, chemical warfare officer of the Eighth Corps area here in an effort to determine which will be the most efficacious in his proposed war on rattlesnakes in this section.

Phosphene gas which has the effect of stopping the heart action of any animal that breathes it was recently believed by Major Halloran to be the best.

The experiments will not begin in earnest until winter. Major Halloran stated. Tanks of the various gases will then be taken to the snake infested areas and the results closely observed.

**ORGANIZE GROWERS**

Sweet Potatoe Men From States Get Together

By The United Press.  
TEXARKANA, Texas, June 23.—Organization of the Southwest sweet potato growers into an association comprising the growers of four states is under way here.

The object of the organization is to

establish a marketing house for the sweet potatoes of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

A temporary organization has already been effected with J. A. Murphy of Kilgus president. Murphy is president of the Texas Farm Bureau Sweet Potato Grower's Exchange. C. K. Bullard Dallas has been elected to draft laws, contract forms and a constitution. Bullard is general attorney for Texas Farm Bureau Federation.

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Many strive for one thing and then another, thinking that each in its turn will bring the contentment of mind which is their ambition. The only thing in the world that ever brings happiness is being and living in harmony with the Divine law. Not until we bury self can the light of truth, which is the Divine Law, show us the way.

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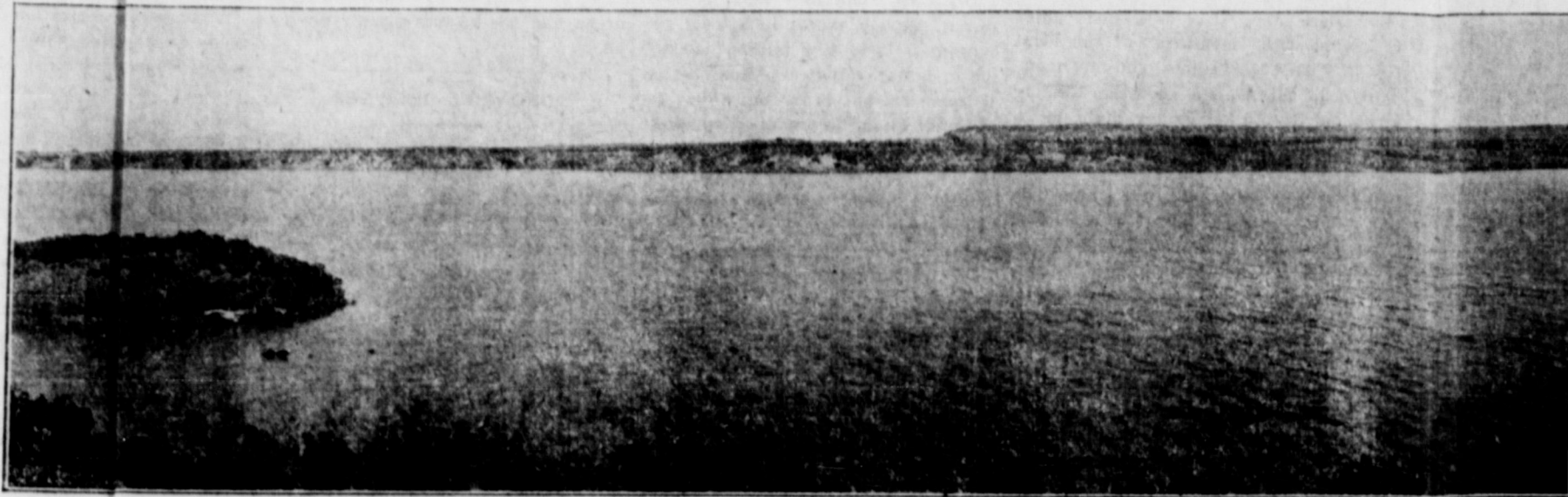
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In 1914 a bond issue of \$320,000 was voted for the purpose of constructing an adequate water supply for Sweetwater. Major John B. Hawley was retained as consulting engineer and Lake Trammell was built in accordance with his plans, and is located at an elevation of more than 100 feet above the city. Water flows from the reservoir through a twelve-inch main by gravity.

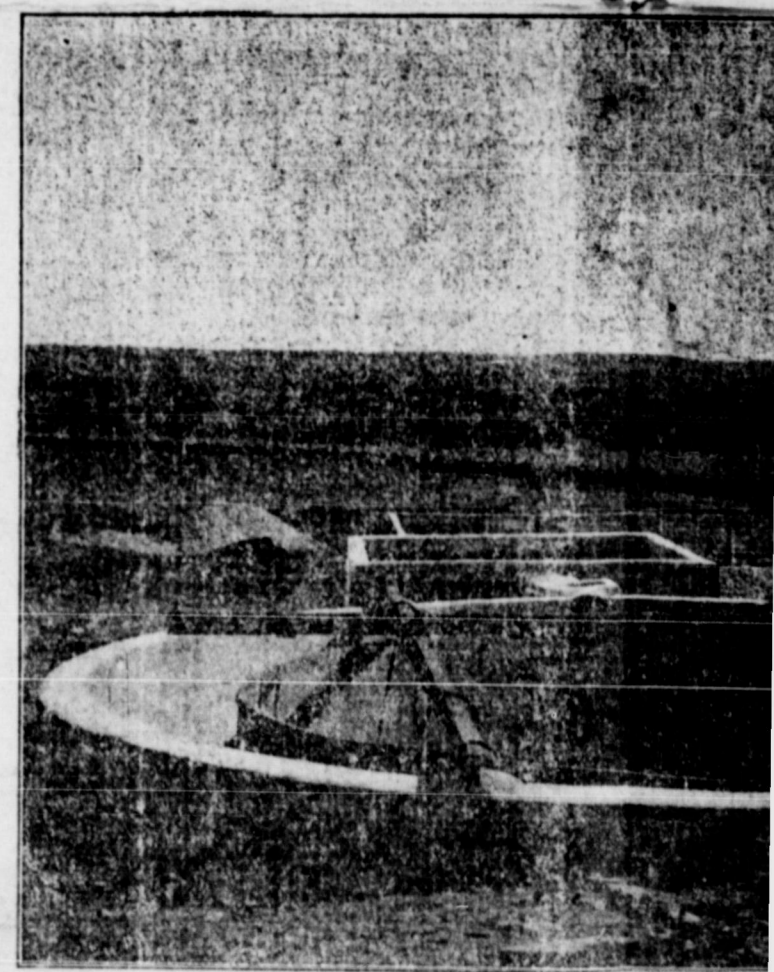
The 54-mile catchment area emptying into the 200-acre reservoir of Lake Trammell provides 1,240,000,000 gallons of water of which only 250,000,000 gallons annually will escape through seepage or evaporation. This amount of water is sufficient to satisfy the needs of a city of 20,000 people through a two-year drought if necessary. The quantity of water needed to fill the reservoir is assured through the normal annual rainfall of over 23 inches, since the watershed has a low absorption affording large runoff of rainfall. The elevation of the reservoir is high enough above Sweetwater that the

# SWEETWATER THE

Possessing every natural advantage and resource demanded for the building of a modern city, Sweetwater is only at the beginning of its career. With an inexhaustible supply of water, with a modern sewer system, with three trunk line railways giving an outlet in six different directions, with a central location that places it in the center of the great range country to the south and west, between the oil development of Mitchell and of the Ranger field, with the great cotton and grain country to the north and easily the most accessible to all the great activities of the nascent West, who can deny that Sweetwater is destined to be the metropolis of great West Texas.

Three of the most important state highways cross at Sweetwater. The Bankhead Highway from Texarkana to El Paso, is also a National Highway, being one of the more important of the great transcontinental Highways from the Atlantic Coast to California points, via New Mexico and Arizona. A southern route, it is open the entire year and favored on that account.

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loss of head over the seven and three-quarter miles of pipe still allows a pressure of 50 pounds per inch at the city. A pumping station and emergency storage tank in the Water Tower add a 350,000 gallon increase to the city's supply. The 12-inch conduit from the Lake to the city is more than sufficient to handle this large supply of water. 29,000,000 gallons of water were sold to the railroads from Lake Trammell in 1922.

The quantitative figures mentioned may also be classed with those more definitely related to the permanency of the water supply of Sweetwater. The principal among the latter are: The well-constructed dam of rolled layers of earth reinforced by sheet piling, the water-slope being paved with a concrete floor, and the spill-way which protects the dam from excessive flood waters being partly bed rock and partly concrete lining, the most permanent conduit obtainable and a modern distributing system, including 60 fire hydrants.

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## HODGES BACK.

Dr. K. M. Hodges has returned from a trip to Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas points, accompanied by his brother-in-law J. A. Wiggins of Arkansas. Mrs. Hodges came back from Dallas where she will remain until Monday, being expected here that evening. Dr. Hodges says that he greatly enjoyed the heat during the two weeks he was gone from Sweetwater and nearly froze to death the first night after his return.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Presbyterian Ladies Schedule interesting Program for Monday Afternoon. The program scheduled for the Presbyterian Missionary Society, which will meet at the church Monday June 25, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon is as follows:

Hymn—Nearer My God to Thee. Devotional—Mrs. R. L. Shaffel leader.

Roll Call—An Item of Missionary Interest. Talk—Some Immigrants of the Bible—Mrs. Higgins.

Reading—The Allen—Mrs. Peterson. Why Have a Christian Industrial School for Mexican Girls in Texas? Four reasons given as follows:

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have this school now—Mrs. Ben Jones.

For the sake of the Presbyterian church, we must act—Mrs. Wight.

For the sake of our country we cannot delay the building of this school—Mrs. Shinn.

For the sake of the Kingdom of God in this world, this school is imperative—Mrs. Farrar.

Spice Box—Mrs. Wight. Hymn—More Love to Thee, O Christ.

Prayer—Lord's Prayer in Concert.

## DIRECTORS MEET.

Matters of routine business were transacted at the meeting of the directors of the West Texas Electric Company, held in their offices here Friday afternoon. W. H. and Joe C. Thompson of Dallas, directors, were in attendance.

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