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SWEETWATER, TEXAS,

RATE EXTENSION GRANTED ORIENT

Interstate Commerce Extends Differential Freight Rate Another Six Months From August First.

Lower Freight Rates On Through Traffic to Attract Enough Business To Keep The Road Going.

By The United Press.

WASHINGTON, July 18 .- The In terestate Commerce Commission has granted a six months extension to the diferential freight rate privilege of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Rail-

Last January the Interstate Commerce Commission granted the Orient railroad permission to charge lower rates on through freight over the rates permitted competing lines in the same territory because of the financial diffiin that the road might be abandoned. culties of the line and fears of the in habitants of the territory served by

This permission was extended in the hope that sufficient traffic might be attracted to the road to permit its continued operation. When originally granted the permission extended only to August 1, but a six months extension has now been granted.

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Arguments Begin In Habeas Corpus Proceedings Brought By Mrs. Lois Pollen-Wife of Army Officer.

Special to The Reporter.

LOS ANGELES, July 18. ments are expected to begin in the superior court today in the habeas corpus proceedings brought by Mrs. Lois 17 years of age, has declared in Pollen of Savannah, Ga., wife of Captain Pollen of the U.S. army, against her sister, Mrs. Elsie Shosted, for the custody of a 5-year-old girl named another man. June.

was born to her before she was married and that its father was Frank They are now being held at Lubbock. Melton, an American soldier, who, she said, was killed in France during the World War. She said she took the name of her sister, then Mrs. Earl Shanholtzer, when the child was born and the report was given out that the latter was really the mother. She de clared she wanted to take charge of Hoping to Be a Hero, Wm. Sears. Judge Yantis, city attorney, took the States Gypsum Company also acted as the baby then, but her sister and the latter's husband dissuaded her. Her sister has consistenly refused to give up the child ever since, she testified.

Mrs. Shosted testified it was her By The United Press. husband, Shanholtzer, and not Melton who was the father of her sister's child and that Mrs. Pollen had so "confessed to her." She stated her sister gave her the baby immediately after its birth to "escape scandal." and that her only reason for taking it and pretending to be its mother, was to save her sister from disgrace.

Clergyman Citing Statistics, Shows That 50,000 Murders Were Committed From 1912 to 1918.

By The United Press.

LAKE JUNAIUSKA, N. C., July 18. -Murders are tractable to small ideals and standards, Reverend Cannon declared in addressing the assembly of of leading educators and church workers here today.

Cannon quoted statistics, that 50,000 murders had been committed between By The United Press. 1912 and 1918 in the United States. BRUSSELS, Belgium, July 19,-The in somewhere. and also that 1 out of every 17 deaths | mad Empress Carlotta, wife of Maxi-1916 the ratio increased 1 to 16.

He urged that religious teaching be dying. included in the curriculae of colleges. The former empress went insane to the fullest extent of the constitu- when Maximillian was executed. She The points involved in the petition was signed by Judge

ADD SWITCH ENGINE

An additional switch engine and the w was placed in service in the Santa Fe yards this week, This makes two enginesand crews on duty now.

The additional crew was required by the increase in business incidental to moving the wheat crop through Sweetwater to tide water at Galves TO KEEP THE LINE OPERATING ton. Several extra trains a day are moving on the Santa Fe.

Tom Ross And Milt Good to Be Tried September 10 and 14 Respectively For the Killing of Roberson

Special to The Reporter ABILENE, July 18.-The setting of three cases in which murder is charg ed, which are among the most important ever to be tried in a court here, have been made by District Judge W.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Tom Ross, charged by indictment with murder in connection with the fatal spector, at Seminole last April, was set down for September 10, as had been previously announced. Ross has been tried at Lubbock on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal shooting of W. D. Allison, cattle in-

spector, and given 35 years by a jury. Roberson and Allison were killed at the same time, and it is alleged in indictments that they met their deaths Good. The case of the State vs. Good. for September 14, four days after the Ross trial. Good was given 26 years by a jury at Lubbock in connection with the Allison shooting.

Another important case, that of the State vs. Theodore Smith was set down for trial September 26 by Judge Ely. Smith is charged by indictment with murder in connection with the who is a young boy, said to be 16 or sworn statement that he shot into an automobile, in which Randel was rid-

Ross and Good will not be brought Mrs. Pollen told the court the child to this city until about September 1, at was said by court officials Tuesday. Smith is out on bond, pending his trial in this city.

Tells of Attempted Robbery Of Mercantile Bank.

DALLAS, July 18 .- Hoping to be hero in the eyes of his employer and gain a reward. William Sears, age 32, watchman in the Mercantile Bank bery last night which he frustrated. operator of the water works had full to a tax which is unauthorized by law receiving a wound in the arm.

was caused by him dropping his pistol

Mad Wife of Former Mexican Emperor, Maximillan, Reported To Be In Critical Condition.

was due to murders in 1881, while in millan of Mexico, who has been lock- cited clearly show, your Honor, that handle said revenues in such illegal ed in solitary grandeur in Chateau, is the City Commission is acting entirely and unauthorized manner for which

believes him still to be in Mexico.

work and presidents of colleges and gium, the Kaiser ordered that every to persons outside of the city, it must commission. The document is nine duty bound he will ever pray, state universities were at the meet- precaution be taken to guard the aged be delivered by the city at its city pages of legal paper, typewritten, and

INJUNCTION AGAINST CITY OFICIALS

Petition Would Prevent City Commission Fr Building Pipe Line to Plant of United States Gypsum Corny-Hamner Contends City Authoritiless Outsidely Limits

GYPSUM COMPANY MAY WITHDRAW FM THIS CITY

Require That City Live Up to Contract Regling Building of Main-Large Crowd Hear Matter Argu Before Judge Leslie in District Court This Morning-Jumes 4 p. m.

A petition for an injunction, which, the pipe line convey it outside of granted, would prevent the city com- and beyond theity limits, nission from building a pipe line to the plant of the United States Gypsum revenue from water works shall Company, was argued today in District be used, at other use of such Court before Judge W. P. Leslie. It revenues are a authorized and are a Christ are fulfilled in the first four was presented this morning. The hear misapproprian of the public money, books. ing was adjourned at 11 o'clock and and such repnes cannot be used or shooting of H. L. Roberson, cattle in- will be resumed at 4 o'clock this af- pledged to hid a pipe line outside of

The petition for the injunction was | youd such hits. presented by E. J. Hamner, who stated that he was presenting the petition of the city mits two and one half for himself, and any other taxpayer miles to who cared to join with him in the pro-

the plant, the United States Cypsum est and de in 10 years is the creation Company will withdraw from this city. This position was made very plain by a tax to seet the interest and create W. G. Rathjens, construction engineer the sinking fund, is violation of sec. 5 was set down for trial by Judge Ely and Plant Manager Humphreys, who of Articl 5 of the Constitution. are keeping in touch with Chicago, 4. The building of a pipe line headquarters by wire.

"One of the main reasons why our this plant was the water supply," Mr. Rathlens said. "If we cannot get people or the benefit alone of the U withdraw fro inthis field," he said.

but to leave, the officials declared.

eged misappropriation of funds de. hearing Wednesday morning, rived as revenue from the city water In the meantime word of the situa line to the plant of the United States courtroom was packed with leading Gypsum (mpany, alleging that the business men of the city, city had no authority to extend mains A special called meeting of the

ney for the United States Gypsum sel to assist city attorney Judge A. B. Company was retained as counsel with Ed Mays, retained by the United Home Rule Act and turned it against counsel in the proceedings.

ed fire wounding him in the right arm, city and do anything else that was for trary to the charter."

of this water main," he said.

2. The cher providing how the the city lim to furnish the water be-

3. To costruct a pipe line outside plant of the Gypsum Co. and control to pay for it out of the If the water line cannot be built to ing warrals bearing 6 per cent interof a debt by the city without providing

eventually costing the city \$32,000.00 ompany came to Sweetwater with of \$2,000,00 per year for 7 years is saddling a debt of \$18,000.00 on the water out at the plant, we will simply S. Gypsen Co., and is therefore void.

The Ditention of Judge Hammer to The City Commission some years, file the petition for the injunction be tent, in the event the company, the came known Tuesday when he advis here, and if this contract is not lived the effect by the city commission to up to, then there will be no alternative tion with both parties, District Judge W. P. Lestie advised that he would In Judge Hamner's argument he al come to Sweetwater

works and further that he desired to tion had been spread around the square restrain the city from building a pipe and long before the Judge arrived, the

beyond the city limits, pleading the Board of City Development was held Home Rule Act as authority for his just prior to the hearing in which the Board discussed the situation and re-Judge Ellis Douthit, who as attor- tained Judge Harry Bondies as coun-

The petition for the injunction filed Judge Douthit took the Home Rule by Judge Hamner alleges that the Act from its inception, showing that contract entered into by the City Comit was designed to prevent just such mission and the United States Gyp-"petty hamstringing technicalities." sum Company relative to the laying of told how the city charter was written the pipe line to the company's plant and established under the provisions site "creates an additional burden upof this act and further elaborated on on relator and the other tax payers here, told a story of an attempted rob the point that the city, as owner and of the City of Sweetwater, amounting authority to extend mains, actire and is contrary to the law and a mis-While making the rounds of the property, land, serve individuals or appropriation and a misapplication of bank he found a prowler, who open- corporations inside or outside of the the revenue of the water works, con-

and then fled. Sears firing at the the best interests of the community. The petition further sets out that "if prowler, according to the story told. He said that the extension of the wa- the revenues from the waterworks Police officials were inclined to ter main was to the best interests of were lawfully disbursed, it would prodoubt the story told by Sears and the community in that it would add to vide a sufficient fund to take care of gave him a severe cross examination. the revenues of the water works and the maintenance and operating expen-He finally admitted that he had fram- further relieve the tax payers instead ses of said water works and would ed the tale and the wound in his arm of adding to their burdens. He told provide a sinking fund and pay the inof the million dollar investment the terest and provide the necessary em company was making, of the large ergency fund as provided by law, and payroll to be turned loose in Sweet said tax of 50 cents to one dollar now water and how the City Commission fevied and collected by said city would community in the matter. He said ing the plaintiff would be relieved of that the water works itself had at said tax burden. Wherefore plaintiff ready been authorized by the vote of alleges that the manner in which said the people and it was absurd to de- revenues are handled and disbursed mand that another vote should be by the defendant is illegal unauthoriztaken every time a water plug was put ed and amounts in law to a misappropriation thereof, and unless restrain "The laws in the case that I have ed respondents will continue to so within its power in the construction plaintiff has no adequate remedy in law.

as presented by Judge Hammer, are: Hamner as attorney for relator, or Men and women active in church During the German invasion of Bel- 1. While the city can sell its water himself, and is addressed to the city may show himself entitled, and as in limits and the purchaser must provide quotes the sections of the city charter

INVESTIGATION UNDERWAY.

Robbers Secure Small Sum For Dar ing Deed at Waxahachie. By The United Press

WAXAHACHIE, July 18 .- Robbers vho broke into the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad station during the night escaped with \$233.

Investigation of the robbery was underway today.

Many Hear Rev. Milholland Speak at Church of Christ Revival On Tuesday Evening.

et Tuesday evening at the revival neeting at the Church of Christ, when ject: "The Bible Its Own Interpreter."

"The Bible explains itself and is proved by the way in which the books appear in it," stated the evangelist. "The prophecies coming from Jesus

"The promises of the Lord consernng his Kingdom, concerning the teach ng of His word and the gathering together of the people to hear His words

"In Luke 24:44, Christ said: 'Thes: are the words I spake to you while I was yet with you. These and all things written in the Prophets and Psalms oncerning me must be fulfilled."

Evangelist Milholland went on to ell of the order in which the books in the Bible appeared and how a person reading through these would have as his reward and gain, the last book, the Revelations, which gave the promises

"The Revelations supply the last longing desires and cravings of the human heart," said Rev. Milholland. A splendid song service, led by Rev. Teddlie preceded the sermon.

A. E. Pistole superintendent of the Rio Grande Division of the Texas er Wednesday was in Sweetwattion trip, going topoin ts east in the

relating to the operation of the city water works and disbursement of the get them laid down at her doors. funds thereof.

place upon the city commission, are as follows:

"And whereas, the relator has no

adequate remedyat law by which he can prevent this misappropriation and misapplication o fthe revenues of the water works system of the City of Sweetwater, contemplated and intended to be made by respondents, he prays the issuance of a writ of injunction, first, restraining the respondents and each and all of them from using any revenues derived from the operation of the water works plant that same shall be appropriated and used only for the payment of operating expenses, for maintenance, in or est and depreciation accounts for replacement and betterment and for the payment of interest and providing a sinking fund for the outstanding bonds created and assumed for the purpose of the purchase, construction and improvement of said water works plant. together with at least three percent of its gross earnings to be applied to and benefit of said utility plant, Secconstruct or maintain any pipe line eminating from within the City limits and extending out of and beyond the city limits to any plant or citizen not a tax paying citizen of the City of Sweetwater and not residing within the limits of said City of Sweetwatrestrained from making any contract works for the payment of any pipe line or construction thereof, outside of the Hmits of the city of Sweetwater for the purpose of furnishing water to any purchaser thereof.

And relator prays for such other re lief, both equitable and legal, as he

Attorney for Relator

Sends Lengthy Protest to Sweetwater Board Concerning Its Action-Discusses The Situation.

EED WRITES A NICE LETTER

DALLAS PROTESTS

ACTION ON RATES

Recent Resolution of Board of City De-

velopment Against Raising Freight

Rates Draws Up to Fire Heat.

The recent resolution of the Sweetwater Board of City Development relative to the Texas Common Point Rate situation has drawn fire from A, . Reed, traffic manager of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce.

It will be recalled that the Dallas and Ft. Worth Chambers of Commerce recently filed suits with the Interstate Commerce Commission claiming rate discrimination between those two cities and Shreveport, and other points West Texas is interested in the situaion for the reason that disturbance of the Texas common point rate strucure will mean the substitution of the nileage scale and instead of Sweetwater and other points getting the same rate as Dallas and Ft. Worth, West Texas would have to pay higher rates. For the railroads are guaran and if the two eastern cities get lower rates, somebody has to pay the difference. And rather than dig up this difference, West Texas, through the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. San Angelo and Sweetwater Boards of City Development and other organizations have taken up the matter actively to prevent such a contingency.

After relating at length the woes of Dallas in the rate comparison with Shreveport and other points, Mr. Reed goes on to say in part:

"We ask that you look at the situation of Dallas and Ft. Worth with guiding hand of fatr play. We stand in the position of losing our business to the whole state of Texas by reason of more favorable rates being extended our comptitors. As it stands now, commodities from New England can las to Shreveport and back again to West Texas cheaper than Dallas can

"As to the maintenance of the The restraints which is sought to present Texas Common point group we advised all parties in connection with this case that Dallas and Ft. Worth would join them in their efforts to maintain a common point group outside of the north Texas group including Dallas and Ft, Worth. In presenting our case to the Commission, we would introduce evidence showing that the common point rate outside Dallas should be left undis-

The answer from the Sweetwater Board of City Development was word-

ed in part as follows: "We wish our friends in Dallas and Ft. Worth to understand that there is no inclination on our part to be unreasonable alarmed. San Angelo and Sweetwater have been bearing the brunt of the repeated attacks on the Texas Common point rate situation for years and believe that we are reasonably familiar with the rate situatio nand the probable result should your complaint be successful."

"We appreciate the merit of your complaint as regards Shreveport and las and Ft. Worth and competing points outside of the state, we would from making any contract to erect, be strongly behind Dallas and Ft. Worth in the fight. .

"The wonderful development of Dallas and Ft. Worth during recent further development of these two cities in dependent upon the developmnt of the west, their most important deferential basis as far as Ft. Worth and Dallas are concerned which would make competition impossible. Our contention is that we are all doing nicely at present, with Dallas and Ft. Worth leading in the development and we see no reason for a change which i shound to react to the detriment of as many for the benefit of the few.

> Very truly yours. Board of City Development. By J. A. McCurdy, Sec.



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INJUNCTION.

Sweetwater has every confidence that Judge W. P. Lesile will decide the injunction case pending before him absolutely upon its merits in law. Furthermore members of the City Commission have expressed themselves as desiring to do nothing that is contrary to law, nor does anyone wish them to.

Insofar as the building of the pipe line to the plant of the United States Gypsum Company is concerned, officials of that company can rest assured that the line will be built, and built quickly, regardless of the outcome of the injunction proceedings now pending. The presence of over 200 of the leading business men of the city who resented the proceedings which threaten to force the withdrawal of this company from this field in the court room this morning provided proof ample of that.

The bringing of this injunction proceedings now is very ill timed, accordding to the opinion expressed by every one. The City Commission passed the resolution authorizing the construction of the proposed pipe line several years ago, and there has been ample time In which to test the legality of the matter before and not now when it most embarrasses the Gypsum Company and when every energy of the public spirited and progressive citizenship is being exerted in preparation for the viscit of the Locating Board of the Texas Tech.

The majority of the people of this town want constructive progressive action along lines of building this twon bigger and the making of it a better place in which to live.

And so long as the majority of the citizens of this town want this sort of a policy pursued, that policy will be pursued, regardless of all eforts to hamper progressive with pettey technicalities. The rule of the mapority is one of the inalienable rights of American citizonship and second only in the love of Americans to that of loyalty to one's own town

AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING AN EL-ECTION IN THE CITY OF SWEET. WATER FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMING WETHER OR NOT THE CITY OF SWEETWATER. TEXAS, SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE BONDS OF SAID CITY IN THE SUM OF THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, FOR THE

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32x4 1/2	Straight	Side	Premier	Cord	\$24.00
33x5	Straight	Side	Premier	Cord	\$30.25

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Clean Up

The Tech College Locating Committee will be in Sweetwater 6 days from today. Most Sweetwater citizens to date have responded splendidly to the clean-up campaign. Now that the time is so near, let us re-double our efforts in cutting weeds, white-washing and removing unsightly rubbish.

Wouldn't you hate to think, Mr. Sweetwater Citizen, that the appearance of your premises was the cause of some member of the locating committee getting an unfavorable opinion of Sweetwater?

Everybody get busy. please.

JOE H. BOOTHE

Mayor

RUFUS WRIGHT Chairman Tech Committee PAYING THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS, AND CREATING A FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF SAID BONDS AT THEIR MATURITY.

On this 22nd day of June, 1923, the City Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, being in regular session, SHALL AUTHORIZED TO and all the members thereof being LEVY A DF TEN CENTS ON present, and there coming before the THE HUND DOLLARS' VAL. said Commission for its consideration UATION OTOPERTY IN SAID the question whether or not an election shall be ordered by said Commission to determine whether oh not it is the desire of the property tax pay ing voters of said city to issue the coupon bonds of said City for the purpost of the construction and installa tion of a filtration plant to be used in connection with said city's water shall be authoribed to levy a tax of ten cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of property in said City for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and creating a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at

(Continued on last page.)



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FOR RENT-4 room house, modern \$12 per month, Northwest of Santa Fe depot, next to L. C. Vinson. Write or phone R. O. Leach, Roscoe, Texas.

AN ORDINANCE.

A motion was made by Joe H. Boothe, Mayor, and seconded by W. T. Trammell. Commissioner No. 2, that paragraph No. two (2) of Section three (3) of "an ordinance pertaining to electric wiring and electric apparatus" adopted and approved by the City Council of Sweetwater, August 16th, 1916, be amended so that paragraph No. 2 (2) of Section three (3) thereof shall read as follows:

The City electrician may inspect or cause to be inspected any old wiring or electrical apparatus in any building within the corporate limits of the City of Sweetwater, and shall thereupon Issue a certificate if the work is in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance. In case the work does not comply with this ordinance, the city electrician shall issue a written state ment as to the changes necessary to bring the work up to standard.

Under no consideration shall a certificate be issued on work that is con cealed in such manner that it cannot be examined.

The motion was declared to have carried, Mayor Joe H. Boothe voting aye, Commissioner W. T. Trammell voting aye and Commissioner L. E. Musgrove voting aye.

Passed the 22nd day of June, A. D., 1923. Approved the 25th day of July. A. D, 1928,

JOE H. BOOTHE.

Attest:-W . H. BARTLETT.

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The young men's class of the First Baptist church entertained the young ladies class with a picnic at the City Lake Tuesday evening.

"Golden Peacock" face powder is

H. T. Whitten will leave Thursday morning for New York where he will buy the fall stock of goods for Whit laughter, Mrs. Oscar May, and fam-

at Crosthwaites. Phone 90.

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Domino coal at Simpson Fuel Co. lected on account of its sickening

Our monthly income policy will take away all anxiety about the future. low of water—that's all. No taste, no Southwestern Life Insurance Company Dallas, Texas. Joe H. Boothe, agent. Sweetwater, Texas.

Ben Pettit of Big Lake was in Sweetwater visiting withfriends Wednesday. He is enroute to Big Lake sealed packages; ten cents for the from Ft. Worth. He reports the Big Lake wildcat well producing steadily and the town on a big boom.

yard clerk for the Santa Fe.

ROBS CALOMEL OF NAUSEA AND DANGER

Medical Virtues Retained And Improved-Dangerous and Sickening Qualities Removed. Perfected Tablet Called "Calotabs."

The latest triumph of modern science is a "de-nauseated" calomel tab

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A Nice Assortment of

LADIES STRAP SLIPPERS

the new shades of Brown. Good Looking-Good Fitting.

Tidwell-Campbell Co.

Good creek gravel delivered in let known to the drug trade as "Calo-Sweetwater. See Dad Morris, phone tabs." Calomel, the most generally 141t6p useful of all medicines thus enters upon a wider field of popularity-

In biliousness, constipation, head-

troubles calomel was the most success-

One Calotab at bedtime with a swal-

night's sleep and the next morning

you are feeling fine, with a clean liver,

a purified system and a big appetite.

Calotabs are sold only in original.

small, trial size. Your druggist is au-

thorized to refund the price as a

Eat what you please. No danger.

Try "Stella Vitae." woman's relief, purified and refined from those objecmother's cordial, price \$1 per bottle tionable qualities which have heretofore limited its use.

ten days trip to the coast. ful remedy, but its use was often neg-

130tfc qualities. Now it is the easiest and

Bob Edson, accompanied by Mrs. delighted with Calotabs,-(Adv.) Edson, have moved to Sweetwater from Brownwood. Mr. Edson is nigh

· Shop guarantee that you will be thoroughly

in Suede and Kid Leathers in

Tucker Shoe Department

Here They Are

NOTICE, DEMOLAYS.

all members are urged to be present.

LAST CALL-

MILTON PATE,

RALPH FARRIS,

\$7.75 GINGHAM DRESSES

\$20.00 ORGANDY DRESSES,

Whitten's

Sweetwater Chapter Order

of DeMolays will have regu-

lar meeting Friday hight.

Business of special impor-

tance will be transacted and

Acting M. C.

Acting Scribe. 143t3c

Th newest in new fall millinery. We have just received the first shipment of a snappy line of New Fall Felt Hats.

All sizes for Ladies and Children. Don't hesitate about coming. Get yours while you have a large number to select from.

Tasteful, exquisitely designed Crepe Dresses, In Blacks, Browns and Blues, Special at \$24.95

> NEW FALL MERCHANDISE Arriving Daily.

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Lots Free Lots Cheap **Bradford Addition**

We have secured the selling of a portion of the lots in the Bradford addition and are offering you your choice of corner lots at \$125.00 and insite lots at \$100.00 each on terms of half cash, one fourth January 1, 1924 and one fourth January 1, 1925, with six per cent interest on deferred payments.

Where we have all the lots in any block, we will give a corner lot to the person building a neat five room painted bungalow or an inside lot to one building a neat painted four room bunlagew.

With the spending of more than a million dollars on this side of the city by the United States Gypsum Co. we consider this the best buy in Sweetwater as there will be a big dmand for house on this side of town

These lots are just west, adjoining and overlook the site offered for the Tras Technological College and the location of the college here should dou-

ble and treble the value of the lets in this addition. The lots are offered under their present valuee, on easy terms and we expect to move them quickly

Better see us at once and pick your lots. They won't last long at these prices. There is no chance to stage anything but a winning. Now is th time, while opportunity knocks, to make a start toward that home you expect to own.

Prices on these lots will be changed when the "Tech" is located here.

FRED W. TURNER, Room 5 Ayeock Building,

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FRED W. TURNER Room 5 Aycock Building



TO MEET THE DEMAND OF ALL THE PEOPLE

We have in stock burial cases from seventeen dollars and fifty cents for the lowest priced and ranging up to one thousand dollars for the finest bronze. The same courteous personal attention given to every one -- and credit to those who need it-- is assured you by us.

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NORTH OAK STREET.

AN ORDINANCE.

VIOLATION.

of the City of Sweetwater. Texas, that Town of Sweetwater;

to said City of Sweetwater:

ner of Block Number 19 in the Eastern of Sweetwater; Addition to said City of Sweetwater; THENSE North along the east boundary line of Hailey Street to the Southwest corner of Block Number 16 in the Eastern Addition to the Town of

THENCE west along the north boundary line of North Third Street to the

street to a point in the South bound. tion; ary line of the old J. F. Newman home THENCE in an Easterly direction and

THENCE in a westerty direction along 42. said Eastern Addition; the North boundary line of Section THENCE North 30 degree West No. 48, Block No. 22, T. & P. Ry. along the Eastern boundary line of paying voters shall be allowed to vote Company's Survey, to the Northewast Blocks Nos. 42, 39 and 29 in the corner of Block Number 5, in said Eastern Addition to the Town of Eastern Addition to said Town of Sweetwater, and extending in same sue said bonds and levy a tax as here-

lowing the East boundary line of said dition to the Town of Sweetwater; Ragland Street a distance of 425 feet THENCE in an Easterly direction and Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars for the

THENCE south 77° west to a point in Addition, the place of beginning. the East boundary Line of Crane If anyone shall keep or permit to be said City of Sweetwater, or so much

along the East boundary line of fined in the sum of One Dollar, and and creating a sinking fund for the re-Crane Street to a point North 77. each day that anyone shall keep or demption of said bonds at their ma-Number 77 in the Orient Addition to said limits, shall constitute a separate the Town of Sweeetwater;

corner of Block Number 81 in the poses. Orient Addition to the Town of Sweetwater:

THENCE in a Southerly direction along the East boundary line of said Oak Street to the Northwest corner of Block Number 109 in the Orient to the Northeast corner of Block Number 111 in said Trammell & Mc. Caulley Addition and along the East boundary line of Block No. 107 in the Original Town of Sweetwater to Addition to the Town of Sweetwater: THENCE south 77° west along the North boundary line of Block Number 110 in the Trammell & McCaulley Addition to the Town of Sweetwater to the Northeast corner of Block 111 in said Trammell & McCaulley Addition to the Town of Sweetwater; THENCE in a southerly direction and along the East boundary line of Blocks Nos. 111 and 126, in said Tram mell & McCaulley Addition and along

East boundary line of Block No. the Original Town of Sweet. he Southeast corner of said

> westerly direction endary Line of he Southeast Western nther:

South 2nd Street to the Northeast voters of said City, to-wit;

keep any hogs within the limits of along the West boundary line of in the sum of Thirty-Five Thousand notice of said election. that part of the City of Sweetwater. Nueces street to the southeast corner Dollars, payable in forty years from Approved, June 22nd, 1923. Texas, bounded and described as fol- of Block No. 41 in the Original Town their date with such options of reof Sweetwater:

of block No. 19 in the eastern addition along the North boundary line of South bonds to bear interest at the rate of Fourth Street to the Southeast corner five per cent per annum, payable semi-THENCE north along the east bound of Block No. 45 in the Original Town annually, and also whether or not said

> along the North boundary line of B hundred dollars' valuation of property Street in the Mineral Wells Addition in said city, or so much thereof as

Southwest corner of Block Number 7 THENCE in a northdly direction and in the Eastern Addition to said Town along the Western boundary line of tion and installation of a filtration THENCE in a northerly direction Archer Addition, to the Northwest coralong the East boundary line of Beall ner of said Lot No. 10, Archer Add!.

premises, same point being the North- along the South boundary line of west corner of Block Number 7 in said Block No. 42 in the Eastern Addition Eastern Addition to the Town of to the Town of Sweetwater to the Southeast corner of said Block No.

to the Northwest corner of a 4 acre along the South boundary line of construction and installation of a filtract platted by J. F. Newman, a plat Blocks Nos. 23, 22, 21 and 20, said tration plant to be used in connection of which I acre tract was filed in the Eastern Addition to the Town of with the water system of the City of office of the County Clerk on June 27. Sweetwater and on to the Southwest Sweetwater. Texas, and the levying of

kept, any hogs within the above and THENCE in a northerly direction foregoing limits such party shall be vide for paying the interest thereon East of the Northwest corner of Block permit to be kept any hogs within turity."

day of June A. D. 1923.

W. H. BARTLETT. City Secretary. 129-10t-c.

> AN ORDINANCE. (Continued from Page Two.

their maturity

KEEPING OF HOGS WITHIN CER- 26 in the Original Town of Sweetwater being not less than thirty days from by posting notices thereof at the place TAIN LIMITS OF THE CITY OF to the Northeast corner of Block No. the date of final passage of this or- of holding said election at least thirty SWEETWATER, TEXAS, AND 39. Original Town of Sweetwater; dinance, at which election the foldays prior to the date of said elec-PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR ITS THENCE in an easterly direction lowing proposition shall be submitted tion, and by publication of such notice along the South boundary line of to the qualified property tax paying in some newspaper published in the

Be it ordained by the Commission corner of Block No. 38 in the Original Shall the City Commission of the ty days prior to the date of such elec-City of Sweetwater, Texas, be authed tion. A copy of this ordinance signed it shall be unlawful for any one to THENCE in a southerly direction ized to issue the bonds of said City by the Mayor shall serve as proper lemption as the said City Commission Beginning at the southwest corner THENCE in an easterly direction and may designate in said bonds, said Attest:-City Commission shall be authorized THENCE in an easterly direction and to levy a tax of ten cents on the one to the Town of Sweetwater, to the may be necessary to pay the interest Southwest corner of Lot No. 5 in the on said bonds and creating a sinking Archer Addition to the Town of Sweet, fund sufficient to redeem said bonds at their maturfty; said bonds to be issued for the purpose of the construc-Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 in said plant to be used in connection with the water system of said City of Swetwater.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall in said City of Sweetwater. and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to wit: L. S. Polk, Presiding Judge, T. E. Crutcher, Judge, and T. L. Hughes and Gerald Fitzgerald. Clerks. Only qualified property ta: ing to support the proposition to isdirection to the South boundary line in provided, shall have written or THENCE in a northerly direction fol. of Block No. 23 in said Eastern Ad- printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of bonds in the sum of corner of Block No. 19 in said Eastern a tax of ten cents on the one Hundred Dollars' valuation of property in the

Those opposed, shall have written or offense. Provided that this ordinance printed on their ballots the words; THENCE in a westerly direction shall not apply to the keeping of hogs "Against the issuance of bonds in the along the South boundary line of in shipping pens maintained by the sum of Thirty-Five Thousand Dollars North 12th Street to the Northwest railroad companies for shipping pur. for the construction and installation of a filtration plant to be used in connec-Passed and approved, this the 22nd tion with the water system of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, and the levying JOE H. BOOTHE, of a tax of ten cents on the One Hun-Mayor dred Dollars' valuation of property in the said City of Sweetwater, or so much thereof as may be necessary to provide for paying the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at their ma-

The manner of holding said election THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED shall be goverened by the General BY THE CTTY COMMISSION OF laws of the State of Texas and the THE CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEX Charter of said city of Sweetwater.

There is a heap of living in the family picnic under the cool trees Where the Creek trickles by. These warm days are a worry

to Mother, so just pack a basket and enjoy the open.

PICNIC MEATS-

Baked Ham

Minced Ham

Boiled Ham

Summer Sausage.

Goose Liver Sausage

Oried Beef Pimonto Cheese

Swiss Cheese

(domestic and imported) 'resh Barbecue

-FREE DELIVERY SERVICE-

de Market

CERTIFIED BACON (TO BROIL)-

THENCE south 30° east and along AS, that an election be held on the The Mayor of the City of Sweetwater the East boundary line of Block No. 8th day of August, 1923, said date shall issue his call for said election City of Sweetwater, for at least twen-

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JOE H. BOOTHE.

W. H. BARTLETT,

City Secretary

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