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WESTERN WEEKLY NOW IN LUBBOCK

Magazine Section Carried in The Reporter Soon to be Circulated With Plains Journal.

NEW COMPANY FORMED THERE

Gives Magazine Largest Circulation Enjoyed by Any Publication in This Section.

The circulation of the Western Weekly, the Sunday Magazine section of four West Texas newspapers, one of them the Reporter, was boosted 3400 this week when the transaction was completed whereby the owners of the magazine acquired an interest in the Plains Journal of Lubbock, Texas, from Curtis Keen, the founder of the paper and for several years the secretary of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

Incorporation papers have been filed with the Secretary of State, asking that a charter be granted to the new company permitting it to do general newspaper, printing and stationery business with a capital of \$30,000. The officers of the new company are President, Curtis Keen, Lubbock; vice president, Bernard Hanks, of the Abilene Reporter, Abilene; Treasurer, Lindsey Nunn of the Amarillo News; Secretary, Houston Harte of the San Angelo Standard.

This additional circulation will give the Western Weekly a total circulation of 28,400 copies. It will put this outstanding West Texas Magazine in five newspapers in the five big growing cities of West Texas: the Amarillo News, the Abilene Reporter, the San Angelo Standard, the Sweetwater Reporter and now in the Plains Journal of Lubbock.

This will give advertisers in this magazine a bigger circulation and more circulation in West Texas than any other newspaper or magazine circulated in this section. The weekly will be circulated with the Plains Journal as soon as contracts are renewed with the syndicates that furnish a part of the magazine's features.

While the Western Weekly is recognized as one of the best magazine sections published in Texas today, perhaps its greatest asset lies in the fact that through it the cities whose newspapers receive it have a free advertising medium of unusual value. Stories of the development of Amarillo, Abilene, San Angelo, Sweetwater and Lubbock, now are read in all of the towns mentioned at the same time.

It offers a common medium through which all the towns can help develop the others. Since the establishment of the Western Weekly, the first of the year, the feeling between the people of Abilene, Amarillo, San Angelo and Sweetwater has been changed materially. There is plenty of room in West Texas for all these towns and many others to become big cities. There is no need for jealousy or anything but friendly rivalry.

Help Texas get acquainted. It is an old saying that if you get to know the other fellow a little better, you'll find he's not such a bad guy after all. With the Western Weekly a great part of West Texas will be able to know a great deal about the rest of this section and better co-operation toward the building here of an empire will be realized.

Mrs. C. H. Mauthe of Marshall is here to visit her brother, J. T. Box and family, who are living in the W. R. Carr Apartment.

FIRES RAGING

Blazes in Pacific Coast Forests Most Serious in Years—Thousand Men Fight Flames.

By The United Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., July 12.—With a score of fires burning in California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, and Idaho, the Pacific Coast tonight faced the most serious fire situation in years.

Already the loss in forest fires is close to \$1,000,000. More than 1,000 men are battling the blaze which is spreading through many sections of high grade timber. A 40 mile gale this afternoon caused renewed outbreaks in the Santa Barbara forest.

Bryan Will Not Be La Follette's Mate In Fall Election

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—There will be no political partnership between Senator La Follette and Governor Charles W. Bryan of Nebraska, the Democratic vice presidential nominee, it was declared today by La Follette aid.

The definite statement was made at a meeting of the executive heads of the Progressive national committee that Senator La Follette would not approve Bryan as the running mate for his independent candidacy. La Follette is unwilling to form an affiliation with either of the old parties, it is said.

Weather. West Texas, Sunday generally fair.

OIL FIELD HELPS THE UNIVERSITY

Big Lake Field, With Eight Producers, Pays \$650 Daily Royalty From University Land.

MAKING 3,500 BARRELS

No. 10 Latest Producer, Flowed 115 Barrels an Hour, Settled Down to Over 65 an Hour.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 12. With a total daily production estimated conservatively at 3,500 barrels, the eight producing wells in the Big Lake oil field are paying to the University of Texas \$650 a day, the one-eighth royalty paid by the lessors on the university land, it is announced here by officials of the Big Lake and Texon oil companies.

Big Lake oil company's well No. 10, brought in Friday, at 2,954 feet, 25 feet higher in the structure than No. 9, and 1,600 feet north of it, had an initial flush production of 115 barrels an hour, and settled down Saturday to better than 65 barrels an hour. No. 9 is making 58 barrels.

Big deals with major oil companies are expected soon, from the field, where the Texon company, drillers of the Santa Rita discovery well, has 58 sections, and the Big Lake company, 16 sections. The storage capacity at the field of 10,000 barrels will be increased this week to 30,000, according to officials.

The Orient railway is receiving nearly a train load of oil a day, since the loading facilities at the field have been increased to handle 20 cars at a time. Most of the oil is routed through Sweetwater and San Angelo to the Transcontinental Oil company's refinery at Hodge, Texas.

WON'T WITHDRAW

Splawn Decides to Remain in Office as R. R. Commissioner Until After July Primary.

By The United Press. AUSTIN, Texas, July 12.—Dr. Walter Splawn, recently appointed head of the University of Texas, has decided not to withdraw his name as candidate for railroad commissioner, which position he now holds. Following the July primaries, he will withdraw, and the nominee for railroad commissioner will be named by the state committee.

In a statement tonight, Dr. Splawn said: "I have wished since the beginning of this matter that there was some way in which my name could be kept off the ballot, and the names of those aspiring to the office printed thereon. With the opinion of the Attorney General before me, I am convinced that it is too late to keep my name from being printed on the ballot in certain counties.

"I am informed that the ballots have been printed in many counties, and to have them reprinted would doubtless be considered unjust and impracticable. It therefore seems to be my duty to do nothing to change the situation until after the primary."

Misses Thelma and Velma Carter left Saturday for Abilene to spend a week visiting Miss Anna Lee Manley.

INSTRUCTIONS IN ELECTION GIVEN

County Chairman Hord Issues Instructions to Election Boards, Information to Voters.

CANT WRITE ON BALLOT

Presiding Officers to Aid Reporter in Compiling Returns—Only White Democrats Vote.

The following instruction for election boards, and information for voters governing the primary election to be held on the 26th day of July, 1924, by the Democratic Party have been issued by County Chairman H. C. Hord: **Who May Vote?**

Only white Democrats may vote. Twelve months residence in the State is required, the last six months of which in Nolan County, prior to July 26, 1924. The law requires all persons 21 years old or over and under 60 to pay poll tax as a prerequisite in order to vote. All persons becoming 21 years old after January 1, 1923, and before July 26, 1924, may vote without payment of poll tax, and all persons becoming 60 years of age prior to January 1, 1923, may also vote without payment of poll tax. The poll tax exemption certificate law does not apply to Nolan County, but a number of such certificates have been issued by the tax collector of Nolan County, and the election boards may receive such certificates as proof of age of voter; and as to those without such certificates the boards will require such proof as to them seems sufficient.

Not Permitted to Write on Ballot. The board should warn voters not to write anything on ballot, some voters think they have to sign their names on the ballot. The ballot is

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SHOP COMPLETE IN NEW BUILDING

Scudday Establishment Last Word in Modern Tonsorial Parlors—Formal Opening Monday.

With the formal opening Monday morning of the S. F. Scudday Barber Shop in the Texas Bank & Trust Co.'s new building, local citizens—of both sexes—will have an opportunity of visiting one of the most modern tonsorial parlors in all West Texas. Indeed, with the exception of size, it is doubtful if any shops in the larger cities excel this modern equipped and attractively arranged shop.

With a view of appealing to the ladies as well as the gentlemen Scudday has installed his magnificent and strictly sanitary fixtures with a rare taste; from front to back the beautiful shop is the last word in up-to-dateness and one of which all Sweetwater will be justly proud.

Five latest model barber chairs, surrounded by every possible mechanical device, insures comfort, eliminates long waits and literally smacks of cleanliness. His lighting and plumbing system is unexcelled which is entirely in harmony with the splendid service to be rendered by a capable corps of barbers.

On another page of this paper there appears a full-page word picture of this model shop and with it goes an invitation from its proprietor to the ladies and gentlemen of Sweetwater to "drop in" and be convinced that Fred Scudday has, tonsorially speaking, put Sweetwater on the map.

Progressives in Conference.

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—The presidential campaign of Senator La Follette got up steam here tonight, Ways and means of bringing victory to the ticket were discussed by executive heads of the Progressive national committee from all parts of the country. The executive committee of the national committee met all day behind closed doors.

Black Gold Wins. By The United Press. CHICAGO, Ill., July 12.—Black Gold, winner of three derbies including the classic Kentucky Derby, won the Chicago Derby today. The famous Western horse's time was 2:04 3-5 for the mile and a quarter.

DR SPLAWN SEES HOPE FOR ORIENT

Makes Trip Over Part of System, Informs People of Actual Conditions Concerning Sale.

COMMUNITIES CO-OPERATE

Crop Prospects, Oil Field, and Spirit of Citizens Factors in Bringing Road Back.

By The United Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 12.—Railroad Commissioner Dr. Splawn returned today from an inspection trip and conference along the Orient railroad. Dr. Splawn said that he made the trip to advise the people along the line that the Orient has not yet actually been sold, but only conditionally, the condition being the proposed purchasers find the money to pay for it, on the terms approved by the court.

The road is being operated by its receivers, and for the first five months of the year, showed a deficit of \$110,000, according to reports to the commission. Dr. Splawn declared that the people along the line are fully co-operating. Most of them are of their own accord accepting a valuation of \$1,000 a mile for taxes.

The grain crop along the part of the road Dr. Splawn inspected is unusually good, he reported, and as high as from 30 to 37 bushels of wheat to the acre is being harvested. A good crop coming on, bright prospects for an oil field, and the splendid co-operation along the line all promise a good year for the Orient, perhaps the best in its history, Dr. Splawn said.

The deficit accumulated the first of the year should be more than off-set by the earnings between now and January, the Commissioner believes.

SHOP COMPLETE IN NEW BUILDING

Texas Bank and Trust Co.'s New Home Nearly Complete—Lessors Moving Rapidly.

The Texas Bank and Trust Co., moved into their new building the latter part of the week although the building was not quite completed. Workmen engaged to lay the tile floor were delayed in Dallas and were unable to reach Sweetwater until next week.

President G. E. Bradford states that there will be a formal "house-warming" when all details of the new building will have been completed when everyone will be asked to visit their new home. He also announces that the regular semi-annual five-percent dividend was paid to stockholders of record as of July 1, following a meeting of the Board of Directors.

Other lessors of the new building are gradually moving in as fast as their equipment and arrangements can be made.

COOLIDGE ON MAYFLOWER

President Wears Black Band on His Sleeve.

By The United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—President and Mrs. Coolidge left today for their customary week-end cruise on the presidential yacht, Mayflower. Accompanying them were their son, John, the President's father, John Coolidge, Mr and Mrs. Stearns, and Mrs. Arthur Capper, wife of the Kansas Senator.

Mrs. Coolidge was dressed entirely in white, while the President had a black band on his sleeve.

The Gleaners Society will hold their meeting Monday afternoon in the basement auditorium of the Methodist Church.

Fliers in Bucharest. By The United Press. VIENNA, Austria, July 12.—Flying from Constantinople in seven hours, America's round the world fliers arrived safely in Bucharest at 5 p. m. today. The Rumanian capital, once among the gayest in Europe, extended an enthusiastic welcome to the fliers, who will leave tomorrow in an effort to reach Paris by July 14.

Housewives Wage War On Hike In Dallas Ice Prices

DALLAS, Texas, July 12.—War was declared by Dallas housewives against the increase in ice prices when a grand jury investigation of a recent five cent boost per 100 pounds was demanded.

Several local companies have raised the price of ice, giving as their reason, the unusual coolness of the past two weeks, claiming that it caused business to fall off to a large extent.

The grand jury was instructed by Judge C. A. Pippen, to whom the Housewives' League turned over the protest, with reference to the anti-trust law against combinations to increase prices. Now the indignant women are declaring that they will form a co-operative plant to sell at cost, to lessen prices.

HEAT LAYS OUT OLYMPIC ENTRIES

Field at Paris Stadium Dotted With Limp Forms After Terrific Day at Games.

U. S. STILL LEADS FIELD

To Stage Marathon in Evening to Escape Heat—Ambulances Rush Exhausted to Hospitals.

By The United Press.

PARIS, France, July 12.—In a sweltering heat that caused the black cinders and the green field of the stadium to be dotted with the limp forms of unconscious athletes, America's track and field team rose to new heights of Olympic glory, and at the end of a torturing day, the Stars and Stripes floated from the "stand-ard of victory."

So intense was the heat that many athletes collapsed. Four Swedes, including the star distance runner, were in hospitals tonight, one at the point of death.

The straight away at the end of the 10,000 meters cross country race was strewn with bodies at one time. Ambulances were rushed across the center of the field and hurried to hospitals with the athletes. All the American runners escaped prostration, and were able to walk or stagger to the dressing rooms.

The marathon, scheduled for tomorrow, will be run in the evening instead of the afternoon, due to the heat. The runners today after toiling over hill and dale in the blazing sun for more than six hours, were forced to enter the stadium and run once around the 500 meter track. The air was stifling in the stadium, and as they raced, panting for air, many fell prostrated.

BACK TO POWER

Former French Premier, Sentenced For Treason, Given Citizenship By French Deputies.

By The United Press.

PARIS, France, July 12.—Joseph Cailleaux, war time Premier of France, and central figure in the famous case in which he was sentenced to three years in prison in a treason trial, and deprived of his political rights by a high court, was restored to his rights of citizenship by the French Chamber of Deputies today.

The vote lay the way for his return to political power probably as Minister of Finance. There was tremendous rejoicing, particularly among the members of the Left, when the action of the Deputies was announced. Although for several years the former premier had been a wanderer through Europe, he had a tremendous influence on international affairs, particularly with Socialists of all countries.

The Cailleaux case was one of the most celebrated in European history. It is indicated that it is not yet too late for him to once more enter into the internal and external affairs of the French government.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Payne and family have gone to the Davis Mountains to spend their vacation.

DAVIS ENDORSED BY W G MCADOO

Californian Says Will Support Democratic Ticket in Statement Just Before Sailing.

PROGRESSIVE IN POLICY

Is Satisfied That Democratic Candidate is in Full Accord With Progressive Policies.

By The United Press.

NEW YORK, July 12.—John W. Davis will fit the needs of the progressive Democrats and have the support of William G. McAdoo the Californian announced today before sailing for Europe.

He pledged himself to work for the Davis-Bryan combination upon his return from abroad early in September. He sailed with his wife, daughters, his secretary, and his political secretary, Brice Taggart. McAdoo's statement follows:

"Mr. Davis and I have been friends for 12 years, and I had the pleasure of discussing the political situation with him yesterday. I am satisfied that he is in full accord with the progressive program outlined in the Democratic platform.

"Mr. Davis' professional connections and associations with great banking houses and corporate interests are ethical in every way and there is no doubt in the minds of progressives as to his complete sympathy with the great reforms the party must execute to serve the general interests of the people.

"These doubts are not justified because a lawyer's views on political, economic, and social questions are no more to be judged by his professional associations than is a physician to be judged by the character of his patients.

"A man of high character, integrity, and service, I am confident that as President he will faithfully execute the Progressive mandate. If I did not believe this, I would not render my aid, as I always believe that the interests of the people should never be subordinated to mere slavish partisanship."

Leaders Behind Davis.

NEW YORK, July 12.—An undivided Democratic party will swing in behind John W. Davis in an attempt to put the Democratic nominee over as the next President of the United States. Rifts in the party harmony seemed to have dissolved when the nominee was in conference today with McAdoo, George Brennan, Al Smith, and Norman Mack, all four of whom opposed his nomination on the floor.

None of the leaders would discuss the subjects taken up in the conference with the Virginian, but Brennan and Mack announced that they had pledged him their support, and would start campaigns immediately to swing their sections to Davis.

McAdoo promised a statement before he left for Europe, but at the "Follies" last night, when he was pointed out by Will Rogers, he said: "I am leaving for Europe with my family for a little diversion, but now that the convention is over we must all get together and make sure of the election of a Democrat."

Judge David Ladd Rockwell has promised Davis his "enthusiastic" support. The nominee is still without a campaign manager. He will be in conference Monday with Cordell Hull to go over various campaign phases, and discuss finding a campaign manager.

MERCURY CLIMBS

Heat Wave Reaches 103 Saturday After Two Weeks Cool Weather—Generally Fair Forecast.

After unusually cool weather for the past two weeks, Sweetwater came back to the good old summer time Saturday when the thermometer at the Sweetwater Vulcanizing Company, volunteer weather observers, registered 103 degrees. The temperature Saturday, July 5, was 60 degrees.

This was within three degrees of the high record for the summer, registered in June. The mercury dropped to 54 here on July 4. The weather man offered little relief from the heat Sunday. Generally fair weather was the forecast.

SWEETWATER REPORTER

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MINOR SHUTT.....Editor

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News Department.....46

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in any of The Reporter's publications, will be cheerfully corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

THE GIANT

Like a sleeping giant, unaware of its strength, West Texas lay for long years, unknown, unwept, unsung. Its vast wealth and its potential resources were undreamed of. But Mother Nature knew it was here. Every winter the buffalo swept south from the biting cold of the northern plains, to seek pasturage free from snow. Came the buffalo hunters after the hides. Followed the ranchman, who realized that what was good for buffalo was good for cattle. More people came. Followed steel rails, those pioneers of progress and development was accelerated. Came the sheep and the cotton. But fertility was not the only characteristic of West Texas soil. Steel bit into the soil, and oil, released from its age old imprisonment, sprayed the circumambient atmosphere. More wealth. Big Lake is the latest great Texas oil field. Came the development of gypsum industrially, especially in building. A great mill arose at Sweetwater, with unlimited deposits at its doors. Just around the corner of Time, is development of West Texas potash, to replenish older and worn-out soils in other States.

As resource after resource is developed, more and more people come. Other people are required, to supply new and increasing demands of enlarged population. Larger and ever

larger cities result.

And in the midst of the great agricultural development of the South Plains, the grainary of an empire; of the oil and potash and other development of Mitchell, Midland and other counties to the west, the Big Lake oil field in Reagan County, and of all the progress and improvement of West Texas, lies Sweetwater. It has direct rail connections with all—the only city in West Texas so situated and so equipped. Sweetwater is growing by leaps and bounds. It will grow faster if you will help.

A UNITED FRONT

Before he sailed for Europe Saturday, William Gibbs McAdoo, joint title holder with Governor Al Smith of the 102 rounds no decision dead lock championship, voiced his approval of John W. Davis of West Virginia, Democratic candidate for President, and Charles W. Bryan, his running mate.

Earlier in the day, George Brennan, Norman Mack, Al Smith, and McAdoo, conferred with Davis for the best interests of the party. The quartette of Democratic leaders furnished a typical example of the unification of the Democratic party behind Davis, for each of them opposed his nomination on the convention floor, and each represented a different party faction.

So, after all, the Democratic ranks have not been scattered as completely to the four winds as party enemies hoped. When the convention was torn by the Klan issue and delegates became bitter and weary as the apparently unbreakable dead lock held on, predictions were made that the Democratic Donkey had been chopped into so many pieces that it would never again be able to get back in the official harness.

One of the first men to congratulate Davis was the Governor of Alabama, who stood on his chair on each of the 103 ballots and called out Underwood's name with the Alabama vote. William Jennings Bryan, who suffered the crowning defeat of the convention when the man he had opposed was nominated, was appeased when "brother Charlie" was named for vice president. And now McAdoo and Smith have fallen in line, completing the united front that is to bear the Democratic standard to victory in November.

Mrs. J. W. Herndon is rapidly improving after a two week's illness.

KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES

In this issue of The Reporter, brief sketches of several of the candidates for county office are carried. It will pay you to read carefully the articles concerning the men and women who are asking for your vote.

What you read about your candidates is more than political advertising; while it places the name of the candidates before you, it also gives you an insight into their careers and the merits upon which they seek the public trust.

Know your candidates. It is important that you do. Those who have co-operated with The Reporter in giving the public the advantage of knowing more about them realize that it is impossible to meet all the voters, and take this means of presenting their candidacy to you personally.

Public offices are important. The men and women in them are more important. Thorough consideration of the merits of office seekers is most important. Know your candidates.

Real Estate Transfers.

C. M. Estes to W. B. Hartgraves, pt. sec 101, blk X, T-P, \$400.

Nolan County to W. E. Davis, lots 7, 8, 9, blk 16, Bradford add, \$375.

F. J. Neal to W. H. Bray, lots 2, 3, blk 1, Musgrove add, \$1000.

J. P. H. McMullan to J. W. Massey, lots 7, 8, blk O T \$4500.

J. B. Carlisle to M. C. Lewis, sec 48, T-P, \$7600.

I. H. Boyett to Russell Clayton, lot 8, blk 1, Musgrove add, \$450.

Yellow Cab
PHONE 30

HERNDON'S

SHOE STORE

the home of

SELZ 6 \$ SIX

Mrs. R. C. Rogers and Frank Rogers and family have rented a home in Sweetwater and plan to move here shortly from Midland. Their decision to move here came following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rogers.

Report Platinum.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 12.—It is reported that a prospector has discovered platinum in ore found on claims in the Alice Arm District, B. C. The ore is claimed to give \$4.80 in platinum and \$10.80 in gold.

Son Born Wednesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hall at the Sweetwater Sanitarium Wednesday night.

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OTTO CARTER



Our Customers are Getting Bargains In Dresses

See Windows



--Announcement--

Your Sweetwater office of the American Life Reinsurance Co. is now located in new building, first door west of Davis Drug Co.

We cannot help but feel great pride in the remarkable growth of this company, not only in Sweetwater territory, but in the State generally. This growth shows, better than anything we can say, the merit of our proposition. Read these figures:

Insurance in Force

December 31, 1919.....\$5,290,381

December 31, 1920.....19,025,345

December 31, 1921.....27,146,043

December 31, 1922.....32,019,215

December 31, 1923..41,224,327

June 30, 1924.46,100,000

New Business

Best June in Company's history. Best half year in Company's history

Agents

We invite visits from, or correspondence with, parties desiring to represent the American Life

American Life Reinsurance Co.

A. S. Kendrick, District Manager

Sweetwater—Phone 708, Residence 370

Tramp! Tramp! Tramp!

Day in and day out, week in and week out, year in and year out, its walk, walk, walk. Some of us don't walk as much as we used to before Henry Ford got so rich, but in spite of that, there is considerable walking to be done by all of us. And we don't stop to think what kind of shoes we are wearing until our feet hoist distress signals. Usually by that time it is too late—the damage has been done. We hunt around for a shoe that won't make our feet feel like they had the cramp colic or something like that. Finally we find Arnold Glove Grip and foot comfort. MORAL: Why not buy Arnold Glove Grips in the first place?



RELIABILITY FREEZES ALWAYS.

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With room where you need it.

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Just Received Low Quarters From Packard in Black and Brown

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Aldredge & Allen Candy Kitchen or H. Smith, 135-J

Big SPECIALS Every Day We Sell 'Em

McCord Bros. "The Busy Store"

PREDICT GRAIN MERGER
Farm Bureau Forecasts Co-Operative Marketing.

By The United Press
CHICAGO, Ill., July 12.—Consumption of the grain marketing companies of the country by the Ameri-

can farmers was today forecast by the American Farm Bureau Federation. A deal involving between \$15,000,000 and \$25,000,000, has received the tentative approval of the federation.

The following statement was issued by the bureau:
"We favor the principle involved to

the end that farmer-owned co-operative marketing organizations be set up, providing all legal details may be worked out and agreed upon."

Rev. R. A. Lee of Knox City is in Sweetwater and will preach at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning. Rev. Lee is well known in Sweetwater and the surrounding country, having lived here 36 years ago when he was pastor of the Baptist Church. He is the father of Mrs. L. Faber.

Hearst Bureau at Stamford. Special to The Reporter. STAMFORD, Texas, July 12.—With the acquisition of the San Antonio Daily Light by the William Randolph Hearst interests, Stamford has been selected as the West Texas bureau for the Hearst papers, the Light and the Fort Worth Record. Hamilton Wright, Record staff correspondent, has been named Western Editor, and will make headquarters here.

Domino Coal--

Buy your coal now; fall and winter prices are higher. Avoid Disappointment.

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and it can not be duplicated. For the Gene Morris System is patented. It is the system in use in the largest cities in Texas. Automobile companies recommend it—wise owners prefer it. The cost is low—adds so much to the appearance of your car. Cheap too! Fords cost as low as \$12.50—Average cars cost about \$30. Give you a five day job if you prefer it.

Miller & Mizell

First Door South of Christian Church
At the Sign of the Big One

Some Baby!



Oh yes, they raise something besides cotton in the south! Charles Bowen, Jr. for instance, who is quite the fattest baby south of the Mason-Dixon line. He lives in Lowndesville, S. C., and has won any number of "healthy baby" prizes.

Mrs. F. B. Perry has gone to Jacksonville, Fla. to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hales and family.

E. C. Vinson left Saturday afternoon for Fort Worth, where he will spend several weeks visiting his brother, L. D. Vinson and family.

Mrs. Howe Improved.
Mrs. F. D. Howe, who has been seriously ill for the past 40 days, is reported some what improved. Relatives who have been at her bedside are returning to their homes. Among those who were here were her father, D. J. Taylor, of Big Spring; her uncle, D. R. Smith, of Lorraine; and her sisters, Mrs. Bertie Aldredge, Big Spring; Mrs. C. E. McCain, and Miss Edna Taylor, Abilene.

Week's Auto Sales.
Automobile licenses were issued this week to the following cars registered with the county tax collector:
Sweetwater Overland Co., to Bud Brown, city, Overland; Hubert Toler to John Millsapp, city, Maxwell; Hubert Toler to V. N. Morten, city, Maxwell; Dabney Motor Co., to J. W. Logan, city, Ford; Dabney Motor Co., to W. R. Johnson, city, Ford; Mutual Motor Co., to Chas. R. Day, Nash; Dab-

ney Motor Co., to R. N. Wilkins, Maryneal, Ford; Hubert Toler to J. B. Bowen, city, Maxwell; C. S. Boyles Motor Co., to W. F. Brown, Longworth, Chevrolet; Sweetwater Overland Co., to R. H. Hamilton, Black-

BE PRETTY! TURN GRAY HAIR DARK

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, at a small cost. Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy and attractive.

well, Overland; Dabney Motor Co., to Leo Dressler, city, Ford; Dabney Motor Co., to Hudson Taylor, city, Ford; Sweetwater Overland Co., to R. L. Daniel, Longworth, Overland; Dabney Motor Co., to Roy Freeman, city, Ford; Cates Garage to Mrs. H. Soules, Pyron, Ford.

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New Victor Records

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—Dein Blaus Auge, Brahms
—Marie Jeritza
- 945—Brown October Ale, From Robin Hood
—Stein Song, Hovey-Bullard.
—Werrenrath
- 19356—Tonight's the Night, Fox Trot—Phillip Spitalny and his Orchestra.
—Just Leave Me Alone, fox trot, Jack Chapman and Drake Hotel Orchestra.
- 19357—There's No One Just Like You, fox trot, and
—Why Don't My Dreams Come True, fox trot.
—Coon Sanders Night Hawk Orchestra.
- 19362—Good Night, Sleep Tight, fox trot, and
—I'm Haunted By That Swanee River Song, fox trot,
—Waring's Pannsylvaniaans.
- 45420—In the Garden of Tomorrow, and
—My Thoughts of You,
—Elsie Baker.
- 19355—You Know Me Alabam, and
—Nobody's Child,
—Georgie Price with the Troubadours.
- 19331—La Gazza Ladra, Overture, Part I and Part II,
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New Fisk Flat Tread Red Top Cords

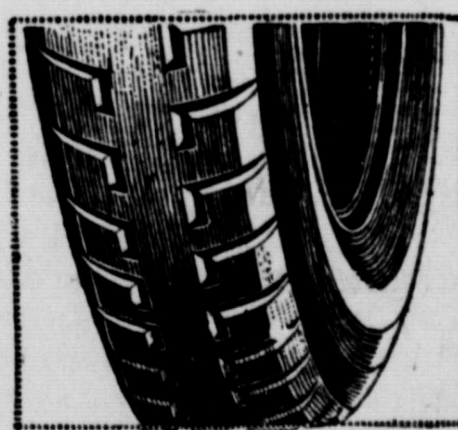
This is a new oversize flat tread cord tire, just placed on the market by Fisk. All of the superb tire qualities you have always known in Fisk Tires are found in this new tire, with many exclusive advantages. Fisk engineers have designed a tire to meet the changing demands of the automobile of today. Until you have ridden on this new Fisk, you will not know the ultimate in high mileage and freedom from tire trouble.

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GATES SUPER TREAD TIRES

CORD and FABRIC

Lubbock Hotel Plan Fails.
LUBBOCK, Texas, July 12.—Relations between the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce and the representatives of the firm planning the erection of a new hotel here have come to an end for the present. The representative has been notified that any proposition he may make at a later date

will be considered, but it is thought that another hotel builder must be sought.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Barcus left Saturday to spend the week-end visiting at Sterling City, and San Angelo.

BOOST SWEETWATER!



ITCH!

MONEY BACK WITHOUT QUESTION

"HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES" (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fails in the treatment of Itch your druggist is fully authorized to return to you the purchase price.

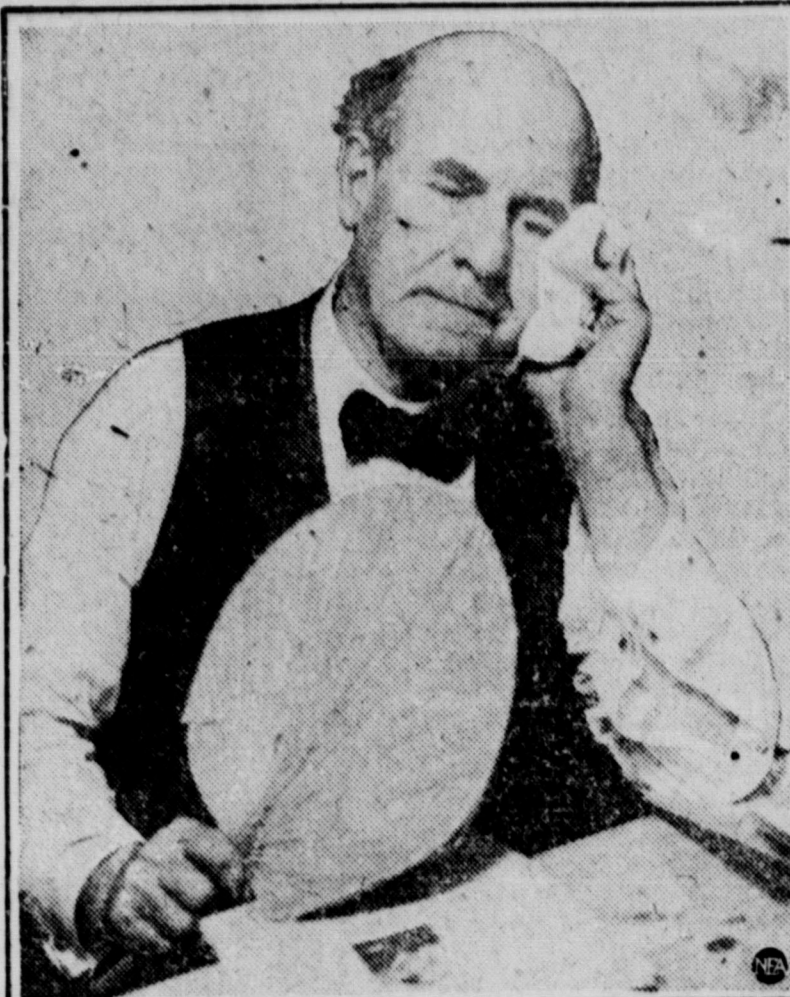
A Medford, Oklahoma man, among thousands who praise HUNT'S SALVE, says:
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Just About All In



The remarkable snapshot of William Jennings Bryan was caught near the end of the Democratic convention when the "Commoner" weary from arduous sessions and a bit dispirited by unfriendly receptions given him, shows in his face that he is an old man whose political race is almost run.

TO COLLEGE STATION

Misses Brannon and Hutchins Win Clothing Contest.

At a recent clothing contest held at the home of Mrs. Ray Clymer, Miss Nettie Brannon of Dora won the first place for the best designed and made party dress and full suit of under-clothing. Miss Lera Hutchins of Hylton won the first place with a school dress and full suit of school underwear.

The reward carries with it a free trip to College Station, where the girls will attend the Short Course and see all kinds of demonstrations in the home economics courses which Miss Spann has been teaching them the past two and a half years. They will go about the last of August and will remain about ten days. Miss Spann will accompany them and take her vacation following the Short Course, which she will spend with her parents at Austin.

TO EAT REINDEER

Meat of Northland Promises to be Popular Soon.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—Reindeer steak will be as easy to get in the cafes during the coming winter as corn beef and cabbage.

Alaskan and Seattle firms have set about making the favorite meat of the cold country the favorite dish of the whole United States.

Commercial development of the reindeer industry now has organized for the first time, and arrangement made by wholesale packers for shipments during the fall and winter.

The plans, announced by the Department of the Interior, provide for slaughtering of deer at Kokrines on the Yukon River, where the meat also will be dressed and frozen. The product then will be shipped by barge to Nenana, a terminal of the Alaska Railroad and there placed in cold storage for distribution locally as well as for exportation by way of Seward and steamer lines.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Beasley and two children of Ennis are visiting his sister, Mrs. Will Corbett on Hickory street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parker left Saturday afternoon for Clyde to spend the week-end with her sister, Mrs. John Gegan and other relatives.

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July Clearance Sale a Winner

There were many customers attended our opening days. They were all pleased with the bargains to be found here. But we had more bargains than we did customers. So that there are plenty for you this week. But remember, it's first come first served.

Modart Corset Special

Our whole store is full of bargains from one end to the other, but we want to call especial attention at this time to our MODART CORSETS. Fine values, less than half price in many instances.

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Sweetwater, Texas

Mrs. L. A. Ritter and children returned Friday night from a week's visit at Big Spring with her cousin, Mrs. James T. Brooks and aunt, Mrs. Ella Barrick and family. Mr. Ritter came home Saturday night to spend Sunday with his family.

Next Saturday, the 19th, will be the meeting time for the Nolan County Federation of Women's Clubs. Many important matters will be discussed at this meeting and as many ladies of the city and county as possible are urged to attend. The meeting will be at Roscoe and will convene at 11 o'clock.

The Sweetwater Candy Kitchen donated several hundred magazines to the Public Library Friday and Alma Garry gave two books.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Beall and son left several days ago for Long Beach, Cal., to join his mother, Mrs. J. H. Beall and his two sisters, who are summering on the Coast.

KILLS BROTHER IN LAW

One Dead in Family Quarrel, Another Seriously Wounded.

By The United Press.
TEXARKANA, Texas, July 12.—David Read is dead and John Martin, his brother in law, is perhaps fatally wounded as the result of a gun battle between the two men near here last night.

Read and his wife met Martin as they were driving home in their auto. According to reports, Martin took Read to task for alleged mistreatment of Mrs. Read, his sister.

In the resulting quarrel, both men started shooting. Martin fell with a wound in his jugular vein. He rose to a sitting position, and shot Read thru the heart.

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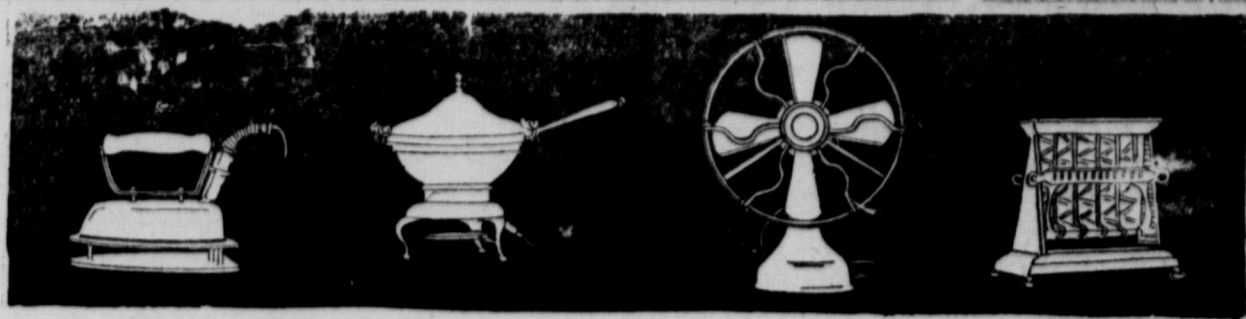
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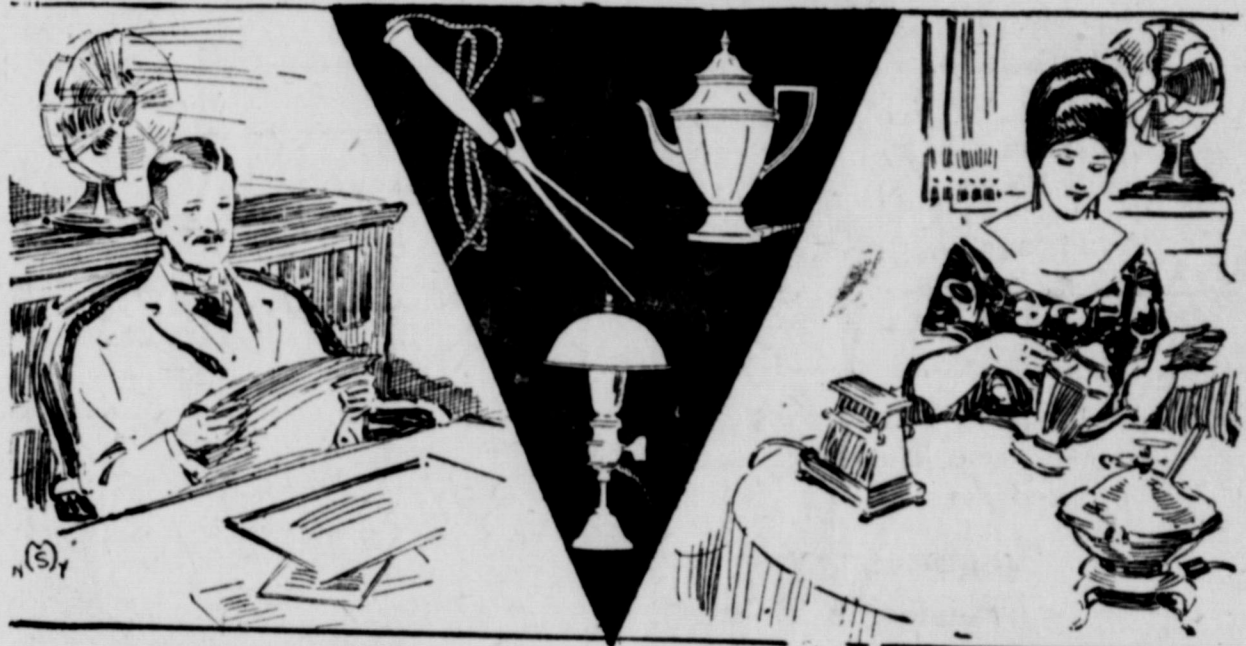
Use plenty of fans.

Then there're irons that take away the heat and discomfort of old fashioned ironing—silvery percolators that make your breakfast coffee right upon your breakfast table quicker and better—toasters that change sliced bread into a golden brown toast—lamps that lend a soft homy glow to the evening reading.

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Bridge Club Met.

Mrs. John Hubbard was hostess Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club, when the regular number of games were played. She extended her hospitality to include six tables and the party was concluded with a delightful course of refreshments. Miss Kerr of Decatur and Mrs. W. P. Beasley of Ennis, were out of town guests.

CARPENTERS STRIKE

Houston Workers Quit in Row Over Sheet Metal Job.

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, Texas, July 12.—Nine building crafts struck today on all the construction work being done by the Russell Brown Construction Company, following the refusal of the general manager to abide by the decision of the national board of jurisdiction.

The question is whether carpenters or sheet metal workers shall handle metal doors, frames, and trims. It arose in connection with the work at the New Jefferson Davis hospital here. City and county officers considered arbitration until W. L. Hutchins, general president of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters, said that the national issue involved prevented the carpenters from accepting arbitration on the local question.

FEDERALS CLOSING IN

By The United Press.
RIO DE JANEIRO, July 12.—Brazilian federal troops tonight were throwing an iron ring around the rebel troops who have held Sao Paulo for more than a week. The national highways have been cleared of rebels, and the federal troops are proceeding along the roads to the capital.

Federal forces continue to pound away with their artillery at the rebel stronghold. According to reports reaching here, hundreds have been killed in the engagements.

KINGSTON, N. C., July 12.—David McDaniel, 115, believes he will be able to work with a shovel and axe a number of years yet. McDonald was born in slavery in Cumberland County, N. C.

The Eastern Star will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the Masonic Hall and all members and visiting members are invited.



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MANY EVENTS IN WATER CARNIVAL

Men, Women, Boys and Girls to Compete in Annual Public Library Benefit Tuesday.

LONG LIST OF PRIZES

Merchants Contribute Liberally—Many Picnic Parties Planned Following Carnival.

All arrangements have been completed for the big Annual Water Carnival to be staged Tuesday evening at the Santa Fe Lake for the benefit of the Sweetwater Public Library.

Some of the best swimmers among the men, women, boys and girls of the city have signified their intention of taking part in the different contests. The program is so arranged that boys do not have to compete against men or young girls against the grown women. A box of candy will be given the youngest girl entering any contest.

A program of band music will be given at 6:30 before the carnival opens.

A number of picnic parties are being arranged to take place following the contests.

Plenty of ice cold soda pop will be on sale for everybody. A small fee will be charged at the gate. A competent corps of judges will be on hand to make decisions on the different events. Chief of Police Johnson will be "Marshal of the Day" and will take every precaution to prevent accidents.

The premium list follows together with the donors of each premium:

1. Prettiest Bathing Suit, bottle toilet water, Corbett-Hubbard's Drug Store.

2. Most Modest Bathing Suit, beaded pouch bag, J. P. Majors.

Swimming Events.

3. Boy under 16, 25 yards to raft and back, first, \$1.00 belt, Freeze's, second, phonograph record, Allen's Music Store.

4. Girl under 12, 25 yards to raft, first, vanity case, Sweetwater Drug Co.; second, bottle toilet water, Maner's Drug Store.

5. Girl, under 18, to raft and back, electric hair curlers, Davis Drug Store.

6. Married ladies, 25 yards to raft and back, first, choice of set of six ice tea glasses, or set of silver ice tea spoons, Woolworth's; second, rubber bath shoes, Palace Drug Store.

7. Girl over 18, to raft and back,

electric marcel hair wavers, West Texas Electric Co.

8. Married man, 50 yards to raft and back, Wilson Certified Ham, Wade's Market.

9. Young man, 50 yards to raft and back, \$2.50, First National Bank.

10. Best swimmer under water in straight line, \$2.50, City National Bank.

11. Best floater, men and boys over 16, 25 yards to raft.

12. Best girl swimmer, under 16, on inner tube, 25 yards to raft, silk hose, Sweetwater Dry Goods Co.

13. Best boy swimmer, under 16, on inner tube, 25 yards to raft, phonograph record, Quast's Music Store.

14. Winner in boys' tub race, boys under 16, to raft, \$1.50, Burton-Lingo Lumber Co.

(Inner tubes and tubs to be furnished by contestants.)

15. Water melon race, 25 yards, first to touch raft with melon, gets the melon, Piggly Wiggly.

16. Race between married man and young man winners, 50 yards to raft and back, \$2.00 in merchandise, Prim's Store, first; \$1.00 belt, Jones Dry Goods Store, second.

Diving Events.

17. Best diver, girl under 12, box Hoffman's Chocolates, Lone Star Candy Kitchen.



Out of the jungle depths of the "forbidden country" in the Panama interior Richard O. Marsh, explorer has brought for the observation of science three "white Indians." They are children of the much discussed tribe which explores have for generations attempted to reach and a score of lives have been lost in the effort. The "white Indian youngsters have been named Margeret and Alo and Chepu. Just behind them is Marsh who brought them to New York where eminent scientists will seek to learn whether they are really "white Indians" or Albinos.

18. Most graceful diver, girl over 15, electric hair curlers, Bullock Electric Co.

19. Best fancy diver, boy under 16, first, bath cap, Max Berman; second, belt, McCord Brothers.

20. Best fancy diver, men and boys over 16, \$1.50, Gray Lumber Co.

21. Best high diver, men and boys over 18, \$1.50, Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.

22. Best high diver, boys under 18, \$1.50, Bryant Lumber Co.

23. Youngest girl entering any contest, vanity case, Bowen's Drug Store.

24. Youngest boy entering any contests, box candy, Sweetwater Candy Kitchen.

25. Oldest man entering any contests, bath cap, Max Berman.

Every married woman and young lady between 18 and 25, who enters the water, will receive a premium.

acres of grazing and oil lands to the Navajos. The complainants allege that they have paid their fees, supplied survey bonds for the leases, and surveyed their entries. Others have drill rigs on the ground for development, all in pursuit of the authority and request of the Secretary of the Interior.

The land in question was withdrawn from the Indians by various official orders, and has never been considered as belonging to them. When the oil and gas lease act was passed, the Secretary of the Interior held that these lands were the property of the United States, and authorized the land offices to receive applications under the lease act for the same.

In February 1924, nearly three

years later, the secretary instructed the commissioners of the General Land Office to issue permits. Two months later he reversed the decision, and directed the cancellation of all entries. The complainants declare that the Indians have no use for the land, that it is impossible for them to advance the money necessary for the irrigation project to develop it, and that to give the area to them would prevent permanent settlement and development of an area half the size of the New England States.

Waist Reduced in Double-Quick Time With New Girdle



Say goodbye to tiring exercises, diets, pills. New flexible girdle makes you look more slender at once and actually massages away fleshy hips and waist every second while you wear it.

THIS amazing new girdle is made of the most resilient Para rubber and is built upon scientific massage principles which have caused reductions of 5, 10, 20 and 25 pounds in a very short time! Worn over undergarment—fits like a glove—and has garters attached. It is so constructed that it touches and gently massages the entire surface of abdomen, waist, hips and thighs as you walk, climb stairs, bend, or dance, or during any form of exercise.

Every little movement you make, even your natural breathing, is met by this live rubber girdle, which gently massages away the fat—without any exertion on your part. Women often lose from 1 to 3 inches from waist and hips the very first week. The Madame X Reducing Girdle is entirely new—nothing like it has ever been known before. The most comfortable, practical girdle you ever had on. COME IN—TRY IT ON.

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Make You Look Thin While Getting Thin

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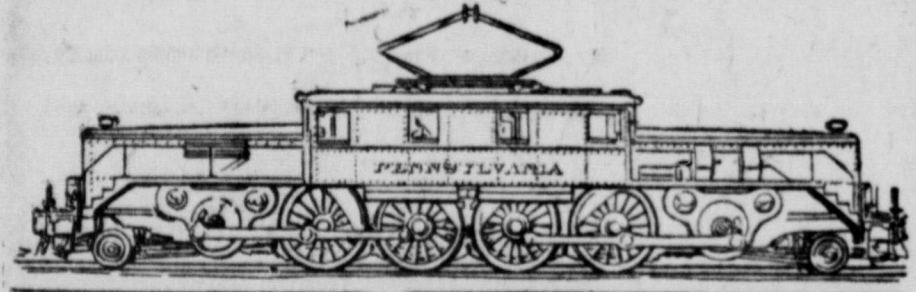


What the World Is Doing

(As Seen by Popular Mechanics Magazine)

"Two-in-One" Electric Engine Has Gear Shift

By simply shifting the gears, the "L-5," a powerful electric locomotive now in use on the Pennsylvania railroad, can be adapted for hauling an express or passenger train at a speed of 46 miles an hour, or, thrown into "low," where it develops a



starting tractive effort of 100,000 pounds, and will haul a heavy freight train at a 23-mile-an-hour clip. This "two-in-one"

engine weighs 408,000 pounds and can be operated with direct or alternating current. It was assembled in a month's time, said to be a record for the Altoona shops of the railroad, and was exhibited in Philadelphia as the latest development in elec-

Testing Battery Polarity

A simple method of determining the polarity of a battery or cell, and at the same time roughly measuring its strength, is as follows: Dissolve 1 part of potassium iodide in 25 parts of water; place the solution in a shallow dish, soak several pieces of white blotting paper in it, then remove them and allow to dry. To use, moisten a piece of the prepared paper and touch it with wires leading from both poles of the battery, keeping them about 1/2 in. apart. A dark-brown spot will immediately be produced where the wire from the positive pole touches the blotter. A dead cell or battery will produce no spot. A little experience in judging the rapidity with which the spot is formed, and the shade of the color produced, will soon enable one to tell the condition of the battery fairly accurately, whether it is nearly dead, half charged, or fully charged. This method is applicable to both storage batteries and dry cells, although the wires must be further apart in the case of storage batteries.

Cleaning Crystals with Alcohol

The sensitiveness of a crystal determines to a great extent the receiving range of a set. Some crystals are much better than others in this respect, but even good ones are soon spoiled by improper care. Air causes the surface of the crystal to oxidize gradually, which of course decreases its efficiency. Dust particles in the air also lodge on the surface and adhere to it. The most trouble is, however, caused by handling the crystal, as the oil on the hands and fingers, which is imperceptible to the naked eye, insulates the surface of the crystal, and for this reason crystals should never be touched. An excellent method of cleaning crystals, which will in many cases restore the original sensitiveness, is to give them a bath in alcohol, using an old toothbrush to scrub them.

Salt Is Tougher than Steel

Strands of wire made from ordinary rock salt by a Russian chemist are re-

Towing Small Boats

When the stream is flowing so fast or the wind blowing so hard that it is difficult to make headway by rowing, the simple stunt shown in the drawing offers an easy way of towing the boat along the bank or shore. Tie the boat line to both bow and stern, as shown. By paying out on the bow part of the line and holding in the stern line, the boat can be kept nearly parallel with the bank, while if only a bow line is used the current or wind will cause the bow to dig into the bank, making towing difficult. If a narrow creek is encountered, its mouth can be crossed in the boat as follows: Let out the bow and haul in the stern; this will cause the boat to lie close against the mouth. Fasten the towline to an oar pushed slantingly (toward the water) in-



ported to be tougher than those of steel. The inventor expects the process to aid in hardening and strengthening common metals, and believes that the treatment, if applied to other minerals may result in materials that would permit moving machinery to travel at much greater speeds. The scientist is said to put raw rock salt under high heat pressures, thus changing its form and increasing its flexibility and strength.

OIL INJUNCTION

Government Restrained Temporarily From Cancelling Prospecting Permits in New Mexico.

By The United Press. SANTA FE, N. M., July 12.—A temporary injunction was granted in federal court to prevent the U. S. Government from serving notice of cancellation of oil and gas permits on some some 750 applicants in New Mexico. The injunction was granted on the petition of 25 applicants for permits on additions to the Navajo reservation. Approximately 750 persons who made application for oil and gas prospecting permits in New Mexico, Arizona, and Utah were concerned in the action, desiring to prevent the government from turning over 5,500,000

Salts Fine for Aching Kidneys

When Back Hurts Flush Your Kidneys as You Clean Your Bowels

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, sometimes get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders. You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region begin drinking lots of water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is intended to flush clogged kidneys and help stimulate them to activity. It also helps neutralize the acids in the urine so they no longer irritate, thus helping to relieve bladder disorders. Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean. A well-known local druggist says he believes in trying to correct kidney trouble, while it is only trouble. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

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A. S. MAUZEY Candidate For Re-Election For COUNTY JUDGE Nolan County

In my five and one-half years as county Judge I have devoted my entire time to that office, tried to deal with all the people and problems fairly and justly and have studiously avoiding making promises that would not be fulfilled.

Nolan County is undertaking the greatest task it has ever had and a large part of the responsibility rests upon the Commissioners and County Judge. I have made every effort to qualify myself for the duties of the office.

I will therefore appreciate very much your vote and influence, and if elected will give you and the office my entire energy and make you as good an officer as is possible for me to be.

JACK YARBROUGH Candidate For Re-Election For SHERIFF Nolan County

My platform is the Golden Rule, the upholding and enforcing of the laws of the state of Texas with no special privileges. I will appreciate your vote and support and conscientiously endeavor to give you the service that you have a right to expect from your sheriff.

VOTE FOR

MISS MINNIE E. FOWLER Candidate For Re-Election For SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION Nolan County

Only elective office in the county that requires professional training.

No vote you cast is so far reaching in effect as that for County Superintendent of Schools. The schools are for the girls and boys, on them and their training rests the future.

Experience and efficiency in this office are an absolute necessity.

DAN CHILDRESS Candidate For Re-Election For DISTRICT CLERK Nolan County

It is with a great deal of genuine pleasure that I can avail myself of this opportunity of expressing my sincere appreciation to the citizens of Nolan county for the confidence and trust they have placed in me during my term of twelve years service as District Clerk.

No one realizes better than I do that the office still belongs to the people and with that view in mind I begin another term prepared to render a continuation of the best service of which I am capable.

These Candidates Respectfully Solicit Your Support at the Democratic Primaries, July 26—and Submit Their Record for Your Approval.

I. W. Brashear

Ability and experience backed by a long and honorable career, coupled with a determination and willingness to serve, are a few of the reasons why I. W. Brashear is asking Nolan county voters to reelect him to a second term as Justice of the Peace.

A close inspection of his past record in that office, as well as that of his private life, will go far toward convincing citizens of this county that he is thoroughly qualified to perform the duties of the office and deserving of re-election for his second term.

W. H. Thompson

W. H. Thompson, candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, is for economy in the handling of the people's money. Mr. Thompson, however, says that he stands for all progressive moves which would add to the welfare of the community, such as good highways and public buildings. He is a long time resident of Nolan county and his record both in public and private life speaks for itself.

W. T. Hightower

Mr. Hightower is a native of Mississippi. He came to Nolan county in 1883 and Sweetwater has been his home practically ever since. Constant training in the many capacities in which he has been engaged requiring skill, accuracy and dispatch, peculiarly qualify him to serve as County Treasurer.

Mr. Hightower promises if elected to faithfully and diligently perform all the duties of the office.

Miss Fowler

Miss Fowler has long and successful record as teacher and executive.

A native of Nolan county, holding a state permanent certificate, with seven years as teacher in its rural schools, 10 years in its city schools, eight of which were as principal of Sweetwater Ward School and twelve years a member of the County Board of Examiners for teachers, coupled with special training in North West Texas State Normal College, Canyon, Texas, State University, Austin, Texas, and Chicago University, Chicago, Ill., gives her the experience and efficiency that few can claim.

John H. Cochran, Jr.

John H. Cochran, Jr., who served honorably as County Judge of Nolan County for six years—1912 to 1918—has lived in this county far too long to require any introduction. Both as a private citizen and public official his record stands without a blemish. He is progressive to the nth degree, deals fairly and above board, is courageous and, what is equally important, is qualified for the office.

Dan Childress

For twelve continuous years Dan Childress has served the people of Nolan County as District Clerk and his long record of thoroughness, accuracy and dependability leaves little to be desired. He has ever been faithful to his trust and as he swings into another term of service in addition to thank the voters of Nolan county for their confidence in the past, he hopes to reciprocate with one hundred per cent service.

Jack Yarbrough

Probably no official in Nolan county is more familiar with the ins and outs of the sheriff's job than is its present incumbent, Jack Yarbrough. He thoroughly understands local conditions and his past record as a peace officer is sufficient evidence that he performs his duties without fear or favor.

Jack is a square shooter and in asking for re-election humbly points with a certain amount of pride to his past achievements in the sheriff's office.

Judge Albert S. Mauzey

Twenty-four years in Nolan county with a record as clean as a hound's tooth, Judge Albert S. Mauzey, referred to by a multitude of friends as a self made man, is asking Nolan county citizens to re-elect him to the office of County Judge. His disposition to be just and fair to all makes him an ideal trial Judge. Equally as important is his devotion to the duties of his office and to the people. He has at all times taken an active part in all progressive movements, both in time and otherwise.

W. T. HIGHTOWER Candidate For Re-Election For COUNTY TREASURER Nolan County

To properly fulfil my obligations to the people of Nolan county, my time was required at the office, practically precluding a canvass of the county; consequently there is a large percentage of voters that I have not seen.

It has been my endeavor to be at my post and ready at all times to promptly transact any business pertaining to the office.

I invite an examination of my record. If my services have been satisfactory I would appreciate your endorsement and continued support at the primary election July 26. Thanking you for your kind consideration in the past, I am very sincerely yours,

W. T. HIGHTOWER

JOHN H. COCHRAN Jr. Candidate for COUNTY JUDGE Precinct No. 1

Campaign promises, in my humble opinion, carries but little weight with intelligent voters, especially when they are camouflaged with a lot of flowery language. Therefore, in asking for your support and for your vote in the primaries July 26, I merely refer you to my 6 years record as your County Judge.

I will truly appreciate your vote and, if elected, will do my dead level best to make you a capable, honorable and progressive official.

W. H. THOMPSON Candidate for COUNTY COMMISSIONER Nolan County

Lived in Nolan county for 19 years. Is asking for re-election at the hands of the voters. He invites very voter to inquire into all of his official acts and examine authentic records touching upon same.

He believes that his record justifies his claim for a second term and would appreciate the support of the citizenship on July 26.

I. W. BRASHEAR Candidate For Re-Election For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE Nolan County

My official record is before the people. If elected I will try to deserve your vote by a constant attention to the duties of my office.

I greatly appreciate the vote and support of Nolan County citizens during my first term and in asking for re-election to a second term I promise to continue to serve you to the fullest extent of my ability.

Classified Section

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bed room. Private entrance. All conveniences. Close in. 511 Locust street. Phone 467. 139t3c

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms in modern home, at 110 Bowie Street. 139t3c

FOR RENT—To persons without children, two room apartment. 304 E. Third street. Phone 418. Block from post office. 140tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, unfurnished. Will rent any number of these rooms reasonable. 808 E. N. 2nd. 136tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

Have location for combination, grocery, market, and bakery; attractive rental contract to right party. Rufus Wright. 117tfc

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring, been run about five thousand miles, at a bargain for quick sale. Western Motor Co. 128tfc

FOR SALE—Four room house, \$650 cash, balance like rent. Milton Pate. Palace Barber Shop. 130tfc

FOR SALE—Five room bungalow, east front, on Beall street 1-2 blocks from East Ward School. Mrs. Guy Morris, phone 386. 134tfc

WANTED—Boarders, \$1.00 a day. Berman Apartments. 408 N. E. 2nd street. 136t3dp

FURNISHED ROOMS—Close in, all modern conveniences. Gentlemen only. Telephone 296. 136t4dp

MACHINIST WANTED—At once, apply Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co., Machine Shop. 135t5c

WANTED TO BUY—Two flat top desks. Call U. S. Gypsum Plant. 139t3

LOST—Ford casing and rim. Notify Sweetwater Dry Goods Co. 139t3c
Don't fail to get our prices on Good-year tires before you buy. Western Motor Company. Goodyear Service

LOST—Key ring with three keys. Return to Wright Pharmacy. 140t3c
TO TRADE—Desirable residence lot, for vendor's lien notes. C. M. Arbaugh. 140t2p

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms; light and water furnished, \$16.50. Mrs. Finis Penn, 606 Pecan. 140t1dp

FOR SALE—Choice lots Bradford Addition; another good home; 200 acre cotton farm. G. E. Ramsey, 714 Bowie Street. 106tfc

Have space in Hotel Wright for a first class beauty parlor. Rufus Wright. 129tfc

Attractive terms on 18 acres close in for dairy, trucks, farm or chicken ranch. See Irwin and McBurnett, phone 625. 118tfc

BOARD and ROOM—W. F. Reynolds, 1005 Oak Street, phone 483. 130t3c

WANTED—To trade 160-a. well improved farm for unencumbered Sweetwater property. See Harry Cress at Texas Hotel. 131tfc

FOR SALE—Maxwell four passenger coupe; terms. Phone 546. 132tfc

ROOM AND BOARD—902 Locust street. Phone 205. 132tfc

LAND WANTED—500 to 1000 acres. Have two clear farms and a nice residence in Hopkins County, 138 acres in one farm, other 149 acres, well improved, will assume or pay cash difference for 500 to 1000 acres well improved farm and ranch near Sweetwater, see L. C. Morris, 226 Bedell Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 134tfc

FOR SALE—My residence 905 Walnut; good buy for someone; terms to suit. Mark Litchfield. 135t6p

WANTED TO BUY—A few young heifer calves. Phone 351. 137t3c

LOST—Three and half-inch Diamond tread casing and rim. Finder please lead at Willis Art Studio or ring 214. 138t2dc

FOR TRADE—Ford roadster body and truck bed for touring car body; will give difference. Call Central Hotel, H. B. Latschaw. 138t3p

INFERTILE EGGS—30 cents a dozen. Every egg guaranteed. First House south of refinery, Lake Trammell road. Pete Weikel, Sweetwater. 140t5

STRAYED—Black pony about 14 hands high; mane clipped some time ago. Notify Homer Williams, Box 421, Sweetwater, phone 344. 137t3

FOR RENT—Two furnished newly papered rooms in modern home. Two blocks from square, at 207 Ash St. Phone 213. 140t3p

FOR RENT—Front bed room. 407 E. N. 3rd street. 140tfc

FOR SALE—Electric stove. Call 624. 140tfc

Baseball Results.

Texas League—Houston 7, Fort Worth 3; Beaumont 7, Wichita Falls 8; Galveston 4, Shreveport 7.

National League—New York 14, Chicago 4; Philadelphia 5-2, Pittsburgh 6-3.

American League—St. Louis 2, New York 4; Detroit 6, Philadelphia 1; Chicago 17, Boston 8; Cleveland 7-2, Washington 1-9.

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Instructions

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required by law to be secret, the election boards under heavy penalty are required by law to protect the secrecy of the ballot. Ballots thus mutilated cannot be counted and must be thrown out. Neither must the voter be permitted to write the name of any person as candidate for any office whose name is not printed on the ballot, such votes cannot be counted.

Party Pledge.

The pledge printed at top of ballot is prescribed by law, and must not be scratched, erased, or torn off, nor changed in any way. The election boards will as far as possible see to it that only Democrats vote in the Primary, any member of the board or anyone present has the legal right to challenge the voter upon his or her political affiliation, and when such challenge is made it is the duty of the board to inquire into the matter, and if a majority of the board decide the voter not to be a Democrat, the vote shall be rejected. For illustration, it has been held that any one who voted in the primary in July, 1922, and also in the general election in November, 1922, and voted for another than the Democratic ticket in the general election, that such person is not a Democrat, for the reason that he or she violated the pledge, and if such a person be permitted to vote in a Democratic primary, that no one can be kept out on political grounds.

Absentee Voters.

Under this law persons qualified to vote leaving home or being away from home just before the election and not being able to be present at polls, are permitted to vote under a system prescribed by this law, and such ballots are sent by mail to the presiding officer of the election at each box, all separately sealed in an envelope, and these envelopes inclosed in one larger envelope addressed to the presiding officer. This larger envelope will remain unopened until 2 o'clock p. m., election day, when after public announcement, it and the smaller envelopes will be opened and the names of the voters recorded, ballots numbered, and deposited in the ballot box, as other ballots are deposited.

Election Returns.

As soon as polls close, the presiding officer will please phone the returns for all candidates having opposition to The Sweetwater Reporter, collect; and will make regular return

to the County Chairman as soon as possible, not later than Monday, 28. By law, four days delay forfeits all pay for holding the election.

H. C. HORD, County Chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bishop of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson, 411 Pine street, this week.

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MONDAY and TUESDAY

Clara Kimball Young

in

"The Woman of Bronze"

A photoplay that plays on all the strings of human emotion in which human love rises Phoenix like from its own ashes.

—How a great sculptor chiseled away true love!

And For a Comedy

AL ST. JOHN

in

"Be Yourself"

Admission 10c and 25c

In The "Wild West"

Where "Sunshine Mary" Anderson, Beautiful Motion Picture Actress, Probably Expected to be Greeted by Cowboys and Taken to "The Hotel" Where the Proprietor was Everything From Clerk to Cook, Miss Anderson Found—

The Hotel Wright

A Modern structure with all the conveniences to which she was accustomed in New York or Hollywood. Such were Miss Anderson's statements while a guest at the Hotel Wright.

The service that is tendered distinguished guests is the same service you receive at the Hotel Wright. Prominent among the Wright service features are the individual attention, the purity of food, and the pleasant surroundings that combine to make the

Hotel Wright Dining Room

The Mecca of Sunday diners and the rendezvous for business and social engagements during the week.

"Wright Means Right"

in every detail of quality and service designed for your comfort and pleasure. For those who desire cafe service, The Coffee Shop has been instituted by the Wrights and holds its place in the superior service system. Enjoy every department of the Hotel Wright. It is established for the public convenience.

HOTEL WRIGHT

"Owned and Operated by the Wrights"



Buick Standard Six

In the homes—on the streets—in stores and offices everybody is talking about the new Buick Six—the Six that sets a new standard of quality and price. Throngs of people are streaming into Buick salesrooms to see it.

See it for Yourself

Western Motor Company

R AND R PALACE

—Regardless of the entertainment provided, it is a pleasure just to spend a delightful hour or two here where it is so refreshingly cool. But for Monday and Tuesday we have the tremendous drama

"Monna Vanna"

Called the most stupendous production in the history of the Motion Picture Industry. That is rather a strong term, but we are willing to leave it up to you.

A ROMANTIC STORY OF A WOMAN'S IMMORTAL SACRIFICE

—The Belgian Shakespeare, Maeterlink, startled the world when he first brought out this virile love drama. To this world famous story, Fox has brought all the lavish artistry that only this famous producer is capable, to make a photodrama that will live in your memory.

- Spectacular Action.
- Great Armies in Conflict.
- Superb Photography.
- Elaborate Settings.
- Vivid Acting.

One of the really great pictures of the year.

Comedy by Max Sennett

BLACK OXFORD

Admission 30c and 10c