

# Sweetwater Daily Reporter

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## FIRST SERVICE IN NEW CHURCH

Baptist Church Packed Sunday Morning and Evening—Drs. Sandifer and Jenkins Inspire Crowds.

**PRAISE NEW BUILDING**  
Visitors Delighted With Modern Structure—Special Music at Opening Ceremonies.

The beautiful auditorium of the new Baptist Church was packed with a congregation estimated at over 1,000 for the services Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, when Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Abilene, delivered an appropriate and inspiring sermon.

Expressions of delight and many compliments were heard on all sides from those who, for the first time viewed the interior and furnishings of the new building. A large number of visitors from other churches in the city were present for the services Sunday evening, besides hundreds of Baptists. Compliments were also heard for the choir and accompanist, Mrs. Carl Ragland is director of the choir, and Mrs. R. W. White is accompanist.

Dr. L. G. Morony, pastor of the church, announced the opening program which is to continue through Wednesday evening, with special sermons each night by prominent ministers.

Dr. Jenkins, in his sermon that followed, paid tribute to the work of the members and pastor of the Baptist church here in erecting the new building.

"It speaks indeed," he said, "of the most commendable work on the part of the members and the far-vision of your pastor."

Jenkins read a scripture from Isaiah, and followed with a stirring sermon with his subject as "Enlargement." He spoke of the enlargement of faith, and declared that "somebody had faith or this building would not have been built." Enlargement of vision and a passion for the work of God were touched upon in the inspiring sermon which was timely and appropriate in every way with the opening of the church.

Baptismal services followed the sermon, two persons being baptized into the Baptist church.

After the congregation was dismissed, the entire church was thrown open for inspection, and many who had never seen the new building complete, were conducted through all the many rooms and departments of the building. There was a steady stream of visitors all day Sunday.

Marked by a rich yet dignified simplicity, the opening services in the new home of the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater were held Sunday morning, with Dr. J. D. Sandifer, president of Simmons College of Abilene giving the opening address.

The church was packed. The convenience of the Sunday School rooms whose folding doors permit of their being used as additions to the auditorium were amply demonstrated Sunday.

The music under direction of Mrs. Carl Ragland, choir director, was exceptionally good. Mrs. Ragland sang, and Miss Lucy Cutbirth gave a solo number on her violin with Mrs. R. W. White as accompanist.

The first prayer in the new church was offered by Rev. G. C. Farris.

Announcements for the week were given by the pastor, Rev. L. G. Morony. These include an address on Women's Work in the Church, Monday evening at 8 by Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the Baptist Church of Snyder; an address on Young People's work in the church Tuesday evening at 8 by Dr. Landers of Abilene, preceded by a banquet in the church parlors for the B. Y. P. U., and on Wednesday evening a talk by O. D. Webb, assistant to the president of the Texas and Pacific Railroad, from New Orleans. Pastors of the other churches of the city will also be present on Wednesday for a few words.

High tribute to Rev. Morony for his great work in Sweetwater was paid by Dr. Sandifer in his address Sunday morning. He emphasized the need of service on the part of every individual if the church is to function

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## CHILDREN DEFECTIVE

School Survey Shows Bad Teeth, Throats, Vision, Hearing.

By International News.

WICHITA, Kas., Sept. 22.—Nearly one-sixth of the children in the primary schools here are partially defective, according to a report made public today.

Out of 13,705 children examined by the school health department, 2,326 were found to be defective. Of this number 1,414 nose and throat diseases, 340 defective vision, and 128 had defective hearing.

The dental clinic reports that 11,256 children have defective teeth.

## CONSPIRACY IS FERGUSON REPLY

"Ma" Answers Dickson Attack on Eligibility to Hold Office in Hearing at Austin.

WOULD MISLEAD VOTERS

Suit Based on Plea For Political and Not Legal Rights, Defendant Says in Answer.

By The United Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 22.—Charges of conspiracy to mislead the Democratic voters of Texas and prevent the name of the Democratic nominee for Governor appearing on the general ballot were made by Mrs. Miriam Ferguson today in answering the attack of Charles Dickson of San Antonio upon her eligibility to hold office under the State Constitution.

Dickson filed suit in the District Court several weeks ago declaring that the Texas statutes made no provision for a woman governor, and asking a restraining writ against Mrs. Ferguson's name on the ballot. Plea that the suit be denied was made by the defendant upon the grounds that the plaintiff "is a private citizen and with no pecuniary interest in the suit other than the interest common to all voters and that the suit is based on a plea for the protection of political rights and not legal rights."

The session recessed shortly after noon to let the plaintiff consider the answers filed by the defendant, and was resumed at 2 o'clock. The hearing will probably last two days, it is indicated.

## SPEAKS TONIGHT

Right Reverend Bishop Howden of New Mexico to Conduct Service at Episcopal Church.

The Right Reverend Bishop Howden of New Mexico, who called a meeting here Monday morning of the field committee of the Missionary District of North Texas, will hold services at the Episcopal Church at 8 o'clock Monday night. The public is cordially invited to hear Bishop Howden, one of the outstanding churchmen of the west.

The field committee, composed of Rev. R. H. MacCallum, Amarillo; William Stith, Abilene; and J. C. McClellan, Clarendon, met at the Hotel Wright Monday morning and set the budget and apportionments for this year. Mrs. R. C. Ledford represented the Women's Auxiliary committee.

Following services at the Episcopal Church Monday night, a congregational meeting will be held for the appointment of the Bishop's committee in this mission.

Y. W. A. Furnished Lunch.

Coffee, sandwiches, and cake given the world flyers when they landed in Sweetwater Saturday were furnished by the Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church, and not by the American Legion Auxiliary as stated in The Reporter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rogers of Abilene were dinner guests of Judge and Mrs. R. C. Crane Sunday. They came over to take a part in the opening of the new Baptist Church. Mr. Rogers taking his old place in the choir. They returned to Abilene after the night service.

## ONE IS DROWNED IN BRECKENRIDGE

Two Missing, Property Damage of \$10,000 After Creek Goes Over Banks Sunday.

FOUR INCHES IN 2 HOURS

Heavy Rain Floods Business District, Makes Hundreds Homeless in West Texas City.

By The United Press.

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, Sept. 22.—One person drowned, two others missing, and property damage estimated at \$100,000 resulted here Sunday when the Gonzales Creek ran over its banks following four inches of rainfall in two hours.

The body of E. Settles, 41, was found today below the city where his car plunged through a washout. Two other persons seen driving in the top of the flood have not been located and were believed to have perished.

Train and telegraph service were virtually at a standstill. Three hundred persons were driven from their homes when the flood waters swept through the streets, over-running the business district.

## MEET SATURDAY

Important Meeting of Nolan County Federation Begins at Hylton at 11 O'clock.

The coming meeting of the Nolan County Federation, scheduled to take place Saturday, September 27 at Hylton promises to be one of the most interesting in the history of the organization.

The meeting is called to convene at 11 o'clock and at the noon hour a regular old-fashioned barbecue with all the "trimmings" served. After lunch, Mrs. R. C. Ledford, vice president at large will preside over the business part of the meeting and hear all club reports.

It is thought, the coming Nolan County Fair will receive a big boost from this meeting since the securing of a County Fair was one of the primary objects of the organization.

Following the business session a four-fold discussion of much interest to every woman in the county will be given as follows: "Influence of Government, School, Church, and Home upon the Individual;" R. D. Cox Jr., will discuss the Government; Mrs. W. W. Beall, the School; Rev. B. B. Hester, the Church; and Miss Helen Swift, Extension worker from A. & M. College, will talk about the influence of the Home. Following the discussion an attractive musical program will be given.

Every organization in Sweetwater and Nolan County has elected three delegates to the meeting. It is hoped that not an organization will fail to be represented. There are twenty in the Federation.

## MISS SNELL WEDS

Sweetwater Girl Marries Colorado Man Sunday.

A wedding of deep interest to a large circle of friends took place Sunday evening when Miss May Snell oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snell, became the bride of Charles Kirkland of Springfield, Col. Rev. Gaston Foote performed the marriage ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Allen, at 9 o'clock, and they left on the 10:50 train for Dallas, where they will spend a few days before going on to their home at Springfield.

Mr. Kirkland is a prosperous ranchman of Colorado, his ranch being about 90 miles from Springfield, where they will make their home. This marriage was the culmination of a romance which began last summer when Miss Snell spent several months at Las Vegas, N. M., with her sister, Miss LaNell, who was a student in the University of New Mexico.

Miss Blanch Hine of New Mexico left Sunday for Denton to enter C. I. A., for the year, following a visit of several days here with Miss Melrose Myers.

## FLYERS LAND IN SAN DIEGO TODAY

Hop Off From Tucson at 6:55 a. m., Reach California City at 10:33 Monday.

CROSS TRAIL FIRST TIME

All Planes Received First Tryouts in San Diego Before Start of World Flight.

By The United Press.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 22.—The U. S. Army aviators arrived here at 10:33 a. m., today from Tucson, Arizona. After San Diego, they "cross their trail" for the first time on their trip.

All the planes were given their tryouts here and flew to Santa Monica and Seattle at the start of the flight.

TUCSON, Ariz., Sept. 22.—Near the end of the globe circling journey, the United States Army flyers skimmed toward the western sky at 6:55 a. m., this morning, bound for San Diego.

Despite the hour, there were hundreds of well wishers at the field when they departed, sending the airmen away with cheers.

## SCOUTS PROSPER

Recent Executives' Conference Best on Record, Barcus Says—Expects Great Local Progress.

The Third Biennial Conference of Scout executives, held in Estes Park, Colo., was by far the greatest conference of its kind ever held, according to Scout Executive Barcus, who attended the conference, accompanied by Mrs. Barcus. There were 750 persons present, 560 of them holding executive positions in local Scout councils.

Mr. and Mrs. Barcus reported a very enjoyable trip en route to the conference and on their return journey.

In addition to the executives employed in the U. S., there were two executives from the Hawaiian Islands, one from Canada, one from England, one from India. The staff of speakers and instructors, numbering 40 included some of the leading educators of America and many of the most experienced recreational leaders.

Region Nine, composed of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, was well represented, having 55 men, 10 ladies and 3 children.

H. Brewer Palmer of Dunn accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Barcus to the conference where he took special training for executive work in the Boy Scout Movement. Palmer has been serving as assistant Scout Master at Dunn since the organization of the troop there in May and through his assistance the troop in that small community has registered a total of 20 boys which is an exceptional record for a community of that size.

Executive Barcus said that with the success attained in the year nearly passed and with the instructions and information gotten from this conference he expects the Scout Movement to grow in the counties of Nolan, Mitchell, Scurry and Fisher so that in the next two years practically every community with enough boys will have a Boy Scout troop.

## THE COTTON MARKET

By The Sweetwater Cotton Exchange

New York.					
	Jan.	Mar.	May	Oct. Dec.	
Yest cl	2205	2230	2250	2258	2200
Open	2187	2216	2235	2245	2185
High	2202	2230	2247	2255	2196
Low	2169	2188	2206	2213	2156
Close	2161	2192	2210	2219	2159
New Orleans.					
Yest cl	2187	2213	2218	2166	2178
Open	2175	2192	2210	2156	2165
High	2179	2202	2210	2160	2170
Low	2138	2163	2173	2115	2130
Close	2140	2165	2173	2117	2134
The Spot Market.					
	Today		Yest		
New York	2240	2240	2230	2230	
New Orleans	2120	2120	2165	2165	
Dallas	2060	2060	2110	2110	
Galveston	2160	2160	2200	2200	
Houston	2160	2160	2195	2195	

## LEAVE THE FARM

Missouri Cities Get 18,000 Farmers in Past Year.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—The exodus from the farm to the city, still continues, according to a survey just completed in Missouri by the state and United States departments of agriculture.

A total of 28,500 farm houses fit for habitation are vacant in Missouri because 55,000 men have left farms in the state during the past year, the survey shows. Of these 32,000 or 58 per cent were married. During the same time 32,000 new farmers took up agriculture in the state so the net loss in farm workers was only 18,000.

## MANY PERISH IN NORTHERN STORM

Thirty Three Are Dead in Wisconsin and Minnesota, Initial Report Indicates.

WISCONSIN HARDEST HIT

St. Paul Escaped Heavy Damage—One Dead in Milwaukee, 10 at Thorpe, Many in Villages.

By The United Press.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 22.—Thirty-three persons perished in a storm which swept parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin Sunday, according to the latest tabulations. Most of the dead were in Northern Wisconsin.

The list shows 10 dead at Thorpe, nine near Amber, six at Sanborn, three at Owen, two near Thorpe, one in Milwaukee, and two in small Minnesota towns.

## NEW BOOTLEGGERS

Milk and Water Produce Three Pints From Quart.

By International News.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—Harry Bell, city dairy inspector, has started war on "bootleggers" of watered milk.

According to Bell, grocers, after milk has passed inspection at the dairies, add water to it, frequently getting three pints out of one quart.

Isreal Hearn left this morning to spend a month at Knox City on a building contract.

## RENT UNCHANGED

Will Be Stationary to Lower During 1925, Reports From Principal Cities Indicate.

Rents will be stationary to lower during 1924-25, statements from real estate firms and tenant organizations throughout the United States indicate.

With 1923-24 leases expiring October 1, in many large cities the United Press asked for statements on rent prices in renewal leases. Responses generally showed a slight decline.

In New York most real estate men looked for little change over present rental prices. Scores of new apartments have been opened, but there are few empty buildings and no surplus housing facilities.

Columbus, Ohio, was one of the few cities where increases were looked for. Rents there probably will be about five per cent higher.

Kansas City reported a surplus in housing facilities and looked for substantial reductions.

St. Louis and Boston reported rents "a little lower." Lincoln, Neb., unchanged, and other cities generally slightly lower or unchanged.

## Sunday School Attendance.

The Sunday School attendance in Sweetwater Sunday as distributed between the various churches as follows: Methodist Church, 322, collection \$103.88; Church of Christ 100; Presbyterian Church, 126, collection \$15.60; Lamar Street Baptist Church 24, collection .74; First Church of Christ 228, collection \$12.73; First Baptist Church 365, collection \$20.16, the largest Sunday school attendance in the history of the church's organization.

## MAY LOSE STARS FROM HIGH TEAM

Captain Sheppard and Buster Mitchell in Danger With Rulings in Effect This Season.

SEE GENERAL SHAKEUP

May Take Linemen to Replace Backs—Second Team Backs Showed up Well Against Baird.

What may sound the death knell to the chances of Sweetwater High School's football eleven getting into the spotlight of Texas football circles, came in the form of a letter to Supt. McLain from the Interscholastic League office in Austin stating that the attendance and transfer rulings would go into effect this year. The attendance ruling is to the effect that no player is eligible to participate in games, who did not attend school over half the year of the last year he was in school.

This ruling, it is thought, will end this year's football career for both James Sheppard, star quarterback and captain, and Buster Mitchell, the heavyweight and veteran halfback. Supt. McLain stated Saturday night that it was not certain that the ruling would affect both men, but it is practically certain one, at least, will have to drop out.

Just what effect this will have on the team's chances for district champions remains to be seen, but the facts are that it will be hard for Coach Gibson to find and train a man to fill the shoes of Captain Sheppard in case he is excluded from games by the new rule. The speedy quarterback's good head and generalship, and his nimble toe that is an almost sure shot for goal kicking will be hard to duplicate. It is practically impossible to find a match for Mitchell, also. His experience and weight are among the mainstays of the eleven and the loss of field will be considerable shot to pieces by the absence of these two.

Coach Gibson will probably send Herring in for quarterback, in case Sheppard is lost. Herring has shown wonderful stuff so far in the season, and additional experience is all that is needed to make him a next-best man for that important position.

Mitchell's place will be hard to fill, and there is no man of his weight to place in his position if he is lost. Boyles and Bledsoe showed up well in the game Friday and might make this place. Gibson and Gordon, who have been on the line also might be trained for the halfback job. At any rate, the loss of either of the two men, or both, may cause a general shakeup in the whole team.

The transfer ruling will knock out Byron Rogers of Floydada and Willard Schuhmann of Rowena, both being candidates who have shown up well so far in the season.

These rulings were discussed at a meeting of the school board Saturday night, along with other important school matters. Due to the crowded conditions at the High School, another teacher for the mathematics department was elected Saturday night, but it is not known as yet whether the election will be accepted by that teacher or not.

Attendance in all the schools in the city increased some during the past week. The science departments at the high school are over flowing, and it has been necessary to add additional classes to the Home Economics Department. There are now three classes in this department with 21 girls to the class. Beginning soon, this department will cook and sell at noon, light lunches for students who wish to eat there. A room will be fitted up for this purpose and it is thought that the Home Economics Department may be put on a self-supporting basis by this method.

## RUSH THE COFFEE

Westerners No Longer Linger Over Demi-Tasse.

WICHITA, Kas., Sept. 22.—Coffee with dessert is rapidly passing in the west, according to Wichita restaurant men.

American bustle and hurry no longer permits lingering in conversation over the demi-tasse cup, they say.



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**BAPTISTS**

The dreams of many long years came to fruition Sunday when the congregation of the First Baptist Church worshipped for the first time in their new home. Many of those who envisioned the magnificent structure that now stands as tangible evidence of those dreams were not permitted to witness the climax. They have transferred their activities elsewhere, and in not a few cases their membership is included in the Greater Church that knows not trial nor tribulation. But the congregation that shared in the great labor and sacrifice necessary for so great an achievement must have felt in great measure reward as they sat in the large auditorium wherein dreams have become actualities.

For truly is it a most handsome achievement that reflects extremely great credit upon the Baptists, upon their exceptional leadership and upon the city itself. But in a larger sense, it is not the building itself that counts, distinctive as that it is. It is the work and sacrifice and faith that went into the construction thereof that counts. None of us profit, except as we herve.

**SWEETWATER DAY**

Sweetwater Day will be observed by two successful and well established fairs this week. Delegations from the city will be the guests of fair officials, everything will be done to entertain our citizens, and at the same time an effort will be made to impress them with the enterprise of our neighbors.

The West Texas Fair at Abilene and the Mitchell County Fair at Colorado are two of the leading expositions in West Texas. Sweetwater appreciates the invitation of the fair officials to be their guests, and will send large delegations to both cities. The neighborly spirit between cities is strengthened by visits of this nature.

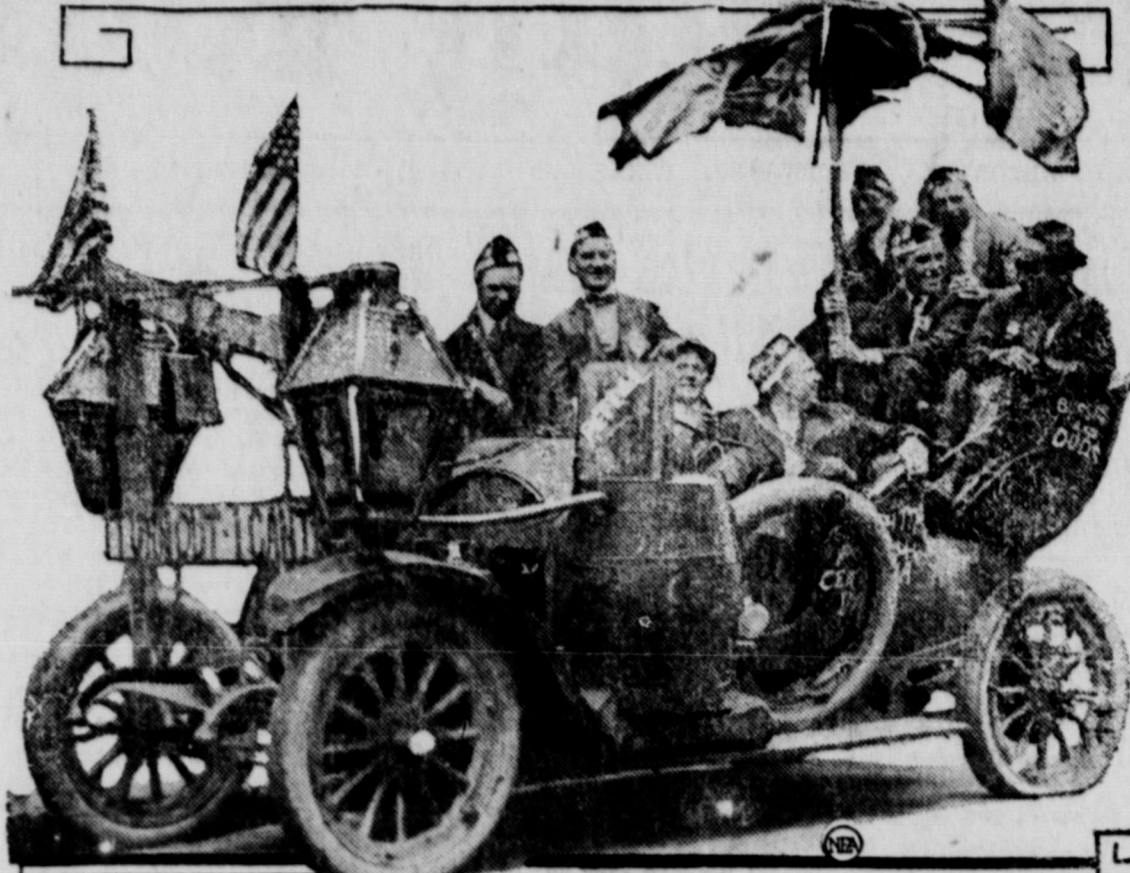
The greatest Sweetwater Day as far as fairs are concerned, will be the day when the Nolan County Fair has

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Legionaires from Centuria, Wis., entered this old bus in the contest to determine the oldest car driven to the American Legion convention in St. Paul. With street lamps for headlights and a Cognac bar for a gas tank, they made the trip to the convention city under their own power.

become the greatest in West Texas. The fair this fall, October 29, 30, and 31, will be the start of the campaign. The fate of future Nolan County fairs will largely depend on the success of the three day exposition held here this fall.

Every citizen of Sweetwater has a responsibility in the fair this year. The opportunity to take advantage of our location and the hospitality of our citizens is most important. The first job is to put the 1924 Nolan County Fair over. A successful fair this year will mean ultimate leadership in this section.

Put your shoulder to the wheel. Get over the first hill, and the rest of the road will be much smoother.

**KEEP UP**

Now that Sweetwater's landing field has brought the world flyers, leading figures in the news of the world for the past few months, to this city, the value of the field to the city should be realized, and steps taken to keep it up in order that Sweetwater may become a center of air traffic.

Had Sweetwater not possessed a good landing field, the world flyers could not have stopped here. The field has thus brought great honor to the city, as only three stops were made in Texas, at Dallas, Sweetwater and El Paso. It was a great day for Sweetwater, the smallest city to entertain the globe circlers on their way westward across the United States.

Steps should be taken to improve

**Step in—Look at some real suit values—\$22.50 up.**

**Whitten's Shop**

**Yellow Cab**  
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**Money to Loan**

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Let's Talk It Over  
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the field, for in addition to bringing the world flyers here, it is used extensively by army aviators and commercial flyers crossing Texas. The opportunity is offered to make Sweetwater the West Texas center of air lanes, as well as highways and railroads.

Before many months, the section of the city in which the flying field is located will be more densely populated than it now is. Now is the time to insure the city of a permanent landing field that may become the most modern in West Texas. Let's do it before the ideal natural landing place for planes becomes dotted with houses.

**STATE FAIR of TEXAS DALLAS OCT. 11-26**

**IT'S ALL NEW**  
Agricultural Building  
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6---Football Games---6  
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**COOPER'S Men's Store**  
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**ATTEND PAGEANT**  
Sweetwater Sends Delegation to Abilene Coronation.

Sweetwater sent a good sized delegation to Abilene Monday for the opening day of the West Texas Fair, and the coronation of the Queen, in which Sweetwater girls will take part Monday evening.

Miss Lillian Majors, will represent Sweetwater as Duchess at the pageant Monday night. Miss Florence Poffenbach is her Maid of Honor. Miss Shi Beck, member of the Sweetwater school faculty, is Duchess from Sylvester.

Sweetwater will be guest at two fairs over the week-end, the West Texas Fair on Friday, and the Mitchell County fair in Colorado on Saturday. Friday in Abilene is Shrine Day as well as Sweetwater Day, and will be attended by Sweetwater Shriners in a body.

**If YOU HAVE**  
no appetite, indigestion, wind, flat stomach, sick headache, "the blues", you will find  
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If you have discovered a bad spot in your roof, your leaders and gutters are in bad condition, skylights broken, and cornices rotted, have them repaired now and save greater expense later.

Remember, even a small leak can cause a lot of damage during a severe storm.

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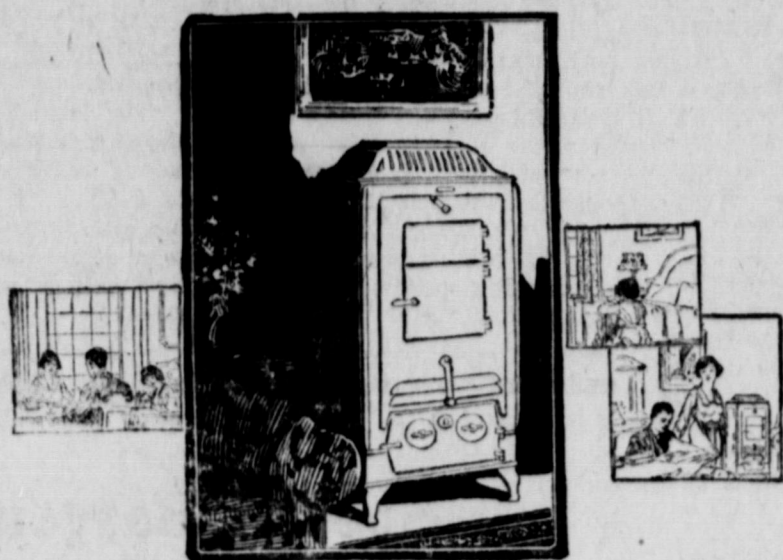
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It is made by the Charter Oak Stove people who have many years of stove satisfaction back of them. They know how to build stoves and furnaces and you can depend upon this design fully.

## Carter Hardware Co.

### RAINS FALL

Near Waterspout East of Sweetwater—Excursion Over.

Heavy rains fell Sunday from Ex-cota and Abilene east to Fort Worth, according to reports from the T-P railroad. The heaviest rains were at Elmdale, Clyde and Baird, where the rain almost came in the form of a water-spout, it was reported.

The T-P excursion train which ran to El Paso for the Southwestern Exposition returned through Sweetwater eastbound at 10 o'clock Monday. The train was run as No. 4, the "plug" out of Sweetwater.

### RELEASE HOBOS

Seven Boys Headed West For Work—Eighth Gets Fine.

Seven weary wiffles were brought before Judge Yantis in Corporation Court Monday morning, and after being questioned, they were released with the order to get out of town as quickly as possible. They rode in on freight trains and with tourists, they stated, and were headed west to get to work.

Another young man was turned over to Chief of Police Johnson pending his payment of a \$12.70 fine on a charge of vagrancy.

### RAILROAD TOWN LEADS

Highest Kansas Birth Rate—Prison Town Has Lowest.

By International News. TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 22.—Newton, railroad division town in Harvey County, has had the highest birth rate in Kansas for the past two years, according to statistics announced today by Burt E. Brown, state registrar.

Newton reports 38 births to every 1,000 inhabitants. Leavenworth has the lowest birth rate for the past two years, only fifteen to every 1,000 people. Topeka had 24, Kansas City 23, Wichita 23 and Atchinson 23.

### Union Prayer Service.

There will be a union prayer service between the Bowie and Orange Street Prayer Circles, Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bert Eldson and she cordially invites every lady on both streets to be in attendance.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

A. E. Litchey to M. M. Allredge, lots 16, 17, 18, M. W. add Sweetwater \$300.

A. E. Litchey to M. M. Allredge, lot 10, blk 8, M. W. add, Sweetwater, \$55.00.

Fred W. Turner to L. W. Hunter, lot 7, 8, blk 21, Bradford add, \$425.

C. L. Sheppard to E. E. Harrington, lots 11, 12, blk 80, Orient add, \$600.

A. H. Hutchins to Vestal Hicks, NE 1-2 int 1-4 sec 59, blk 21, \$1500.

W. D. Handy to M. Broadwell, S W 1-2 blk 27, Southern add Roscoe, \$150.

B. E. Sledge to J. J. Stephens, W 1-2 lot 2, blk 42 Eastern add, \$700.

L. B. Chapman to J. W. Turner, lots 16 to 24, incl, blk 21, Wastella, \$10.00.

Nolan County to W. H. Jobe, lots 1, 2, 3, Highland add, \$375.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Weathers and family of Cisco were Sunday visitors at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. W. Davis on Pine street.

The women also help more in love making than they used to, admits the Springfield, Mo., Republican.

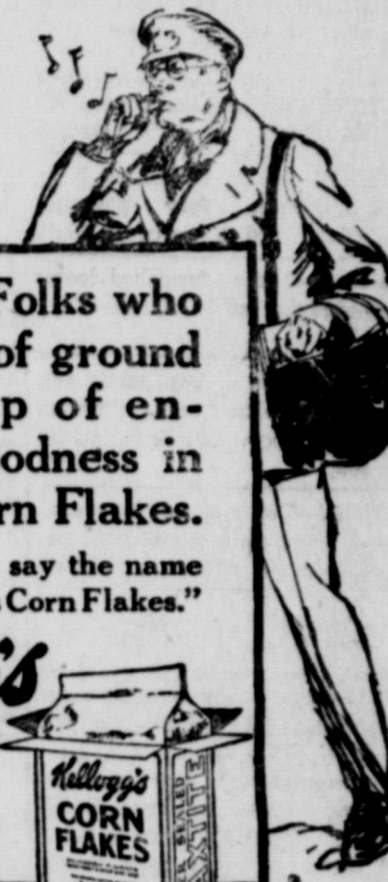
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Folks who cover a lot of ground find a heap of energy and goodness in Kellogg's Corn Flakes.

To get that flavor, say the name in full—"Kellogg's Corn Flakes."

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Inner-sealed waxite wrapper—exclusive Kellogg feature.



## 365 Days Out of the Kitchen

The woman who uses a Perfection oil range enjoys all the freedom of a woman who cooks with gas.

She has found in the Perfection, as quick, as clean, as powerful cooking heat as the gas stove gives.

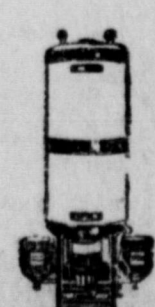
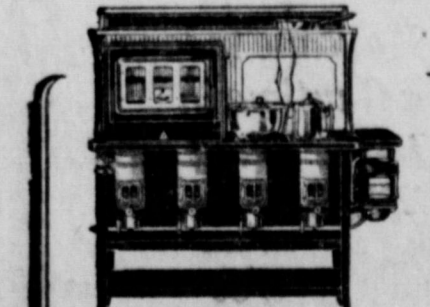
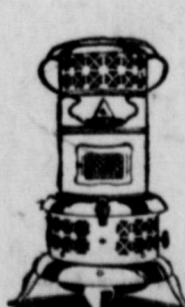
She endures no needless drudgery over blackened pots and pans, for there is no soot in Perfection's intense heat.

She works in a clean and comfortable kitchen, for this modern oil range does not smoke or smell.

There are more than four and a half million of these women today—each one happy that Perfection's year-round dependability has shown her the way to banish the old-fashioned coal or wood stove.

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See your dealer today. He carries all styles and sizes of Perfections and will be glad to demonstrate.



For quick warmth, whenever and wherever needed—the Improved Perfection Oil Heater.

Styles and sizes to suit every need.

For quick, abundant hot water without gas, get a Perfection Kerosene Water Heater.

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# Classified Section

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 200 Hickory street. 201tfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished house keeping rooms, to couple without children. 411 Mulberry. 200t6p

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms close in. Call Glass Grocery. 200t6dp

FOR RENT—One or two partly furnished housekeeping rooms. Children taken but no dogs. 301 El Paso St. 200t3dc

FOR RENT—Three furnished house-keeping rooms, to couple. 309 E. N. 1st St. Phone 640. 200t3dc

FOR RENT—Two large rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 310 N. W. 2nd street, phone 282. 199tfc

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, 209 S. W. 3rd street. Phone 198-J. 189tfc

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms, 704 E. N. 2nd street. 202t3dp

FOR RENT—Room, connecting bath, private entrance. Very pleasant. Phone 482-M. 500 Cedar street. 202t5

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping at 716 Lamar St. 202t6dp

FOR RENT—One or two partly furnished housekeeping rooms. Children taken, but no dogs. 301 E. N. 3rd St. Phone 409. 202t3c

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, one block from square, modern conveniences. Phone 267. 176tfc

## MISCELLANEOUS.

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—Well located, seven-room residence. For particulars phone 289. 182tfc

FOR SALE—Eight room house at 101 Beall Street, near East Ward School, phone 294 or call at house. 183tfc

PLUMBING—The best paid trade taught in eight weeks. The only trade that is short of men. Write for information. Kansas City School of Plumbing. 1710 Baltimore, Kansas City, Mo. 165tfc

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

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

LOST—Beta Theta Pi fraternity pin. Initials C. A. R., date 3-3-18, on back. Reward. Notify Reporter. 195tfx

LOST—Between Hotel Wright and Roscoe, brown leather handbag, about 16 inches long, contains night shirts, old brass candlestick, coats, improved army revolver and bottle of medicine with Dallas pharmacy label. Finder please leave at Reporter. Liberal reward. 201t3c

## FOUR GENERATIONS

Texas Lady Says Her Family Has Been Taking Theford's Black-Draught, When Needed, for Many Years.

Alto, Texas.—"We inherited the use of Black-Draught in our family," says Mrs. Mary Shuptrine, who lives near here on R. F. D. 2. "My grandmother was an old woman when she died about ten years ago, and she had been using it literally ever since I can remember. She gave it to her children and grandchildren for biliousness and stomach complaints, so when I went to housekeeping we just naturally used it, too.

"I give it to my children for a purgative whenever they need one, and we are never without it. Made into tea, it surely is fine. It's the best home remedy for headache and constipation I know of."

During over 80 years of its continued popularity, Black-Draught has become the standard liver medicine in many thousands of homes, where it has been found of great benefit in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, indigestion and other common liver, stomach and bowel complaints. Ten million packages of Black-Draught are now sold a year, as more and more people are learning of the value of this well-known remedy.

Insist on Theford's, the only genuine Black-Draught powdered liver medicine. At all dealers'. NC-154

LAND FOR SALE—A fine section of land, three miles west of Hermleigh, sandy cat-claw land, practically all tillable land, and small expense to clear and put in cultivation. Will sell in quarter section, if desired. For price and terms, call on or write me. If interested, will drive you out to inspect it. C. H. Earnest, Colorado, Texas. 191tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—29 acres near U. S. Gyp Plant, will sell worth the money, or trade for small residence in Sweetwater. C. S. Boyles. 167tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Four good ranches in Garza County, consisting of two, four, five, and six sections. Will trade separately, or all together, for Sweetwater city property. These ranches are well improved, good houses, and plenty of water, and are in the best cow country of West Texas. It will run from forty to seventy-five per cent tillable. Address Bryan Williams, Post, Texas. 198t3c

For light and heavy truck hauling. Moving a specialty, call L. Herrin, Maryneal, Texas. 198t6dc

FOR SALE—Quarter section of land, six miles north of Roscoe. Terms to suit buyer. Would consider desirably located residence in Sweetwater at its actual cash value. A. A. Cargal, Box 125, phone 394. 202t6dc

FOR SALE—Real bargain in second hand piano. Quast Music Store. Phone 113. 195tfc

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

FOR SALE—Bargain, desirable residence lots on Locust street, phone 629. 201t6dc

WANTED—Young Jersey cow; must be fresh and worth the money. Alpine Roominghouse, 106 Orange St. 201t1dp

FOR SALE—A new Corona typewriter. Never been in office. Phone 425. 201tfc

LOST—Beaded beauty bag, containing a white gold wrist watch and cash at Hassen's opening. Finder please leave at William's Apartment for Mrs. Jim Floyd and receive liberal reward. 201t2dc

## R AND R PALACE

Today - Tuesday

# "MAY-TIME"

with HARRISON FORD  
ETHEL SHANNON  
CLARA BOW  
WILLIAM NORRIS

and HOLLYWOOD'S TWELVE MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRLS  
A stirring Drama of Love Down to-Date... Thrills, Jazz, Comedy, and a new kind of plot solved in a novel way.

Maytime was Lovetime when Mother was a girl.

Maytime means a Gaytime in today's mad Whirl.

also "Safe and Sane"

Fox News

See Ralph De Paima Climb Mt. Wilson in a Chrysler.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Ben Estes, J. L. Stewart or any relations of same, communicate with Box 203, Miami, Texas. 202tfd

WANTED—One night watchman. Also men for mine and quarry. Apply at office. U. S. Gypsum Co. 202t6dc

LOST—Cameo pin, between cemetery and Mose Newman's new home. Cameo is set in filigree and is circled with pearls with three missing. Finder please notify Mrs. A. A. Chapman or phone 58. 202t2dc

FOR SALE—Ford car, good condition. Also concrete mixer and engine. 700 Walnut Street. 202t1p

WANTED—Ladies to travel and sell high class line neck wear. Salary and expenses or commission. Call for Mr. Clark, Mart Hotel. No phone calls. Call 6 to 8 Monday evening, 12 to 2 Tuesday. 202t1dp

FOR SALE—New two and one-half ton L. M. C. Trucks. 50 per cent off list price. L. Herrin, Maryneal, Texas. 198t6dc

LOST—Bunch of keys including several Yale keys probably at Minstrel. Return to Reporter office. 202t2c

LOST—Tan heavy wool scarf, black border, between minstrel tent and southeast corner court house lawn. Reward. 202tfd

## Nothing Like It On Earth.

The new treatment for torn flesh, cuts, wounds, sores or lacerations that is doing such wonderful work is flesh healing is the Borozone liquid and powder combination treatment. The liquid Borozone is a powerful antiseptic that purifies the wound of all poisons and infectious germs, while the Borozone powder is the great healer. There is nothing like it on earth for speed, safety and efficiency. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c, and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by Bowens Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hadderton spent Sunday with Roby friends and returned Sunday night.



Today - Tuesday

# The LOVE PIRATE

featuring

CARMEL MYERS  
Kathryn McGuire  
Melbourne McDowell  
Clyde Fillmore  
and All Star Cast

A Richard Thomas Production

Presented by William La Plante



He had tired of her and he was now trying to put her out of his life, little dreaming of the terrible fate her jealousy would bring upon him... you'll get the thrill of your life in this mystery drama!

—Also—  
"The Life of Reilly"

## IT DRIVES OUT WORMS

The surest signs of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c Sold by Bowen's Drug Store. (Adv.)

The Parent-Teacher Association of the West Ward School will hold their first meeting Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the school building. Mrs. Gus Rea is president of the Association and insists that every West Ward mother be present at this meeting as matters of interest to each mother will be discussed.

## FOR WORKING PEOPLE

The best of workers get out of sorts when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick "blue" and discouraged and think they are getting lazy. Neglect of these symptoms might result in a sick spell, therefore the sensible course is to take a dose or two of Verbine. It is just the medicine needed to purify the system and restore the vim and ambition of health. Price 60c. Sold by Bowen's Drug Store.

## CAMPOR FOR SORE EYES

It is surprising how quickly eye inflammation is helped by camphor, hydra-opic eye wash, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One small bottle helps any case sore, weak or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. For sale by Corbett-Hubbard Drug Store. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. J. Palmer Hodges came in from their Capita ranch Monday on a shopping tour.

M. L. Williams returned Sunday night from a business trip of several days at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hardy of Hamlin were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Schooler on Pine street.

## Baptists In New Church

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properly. "You have a heavy investment here. But what is \$30,000 or \$40,000 or any sum of money compared with the life of a boy or girl. Suppose just one boy or girl, possibly your own, is led to a higher life through attendance here, is it not worth all of your sacrifice?"

## Special Bargain!

Good Frame House, 3 years old, 5 rooms with bath, breakfast room, and attic. Double flooring with edge grain surface. East front, corner lot, 5 blocks N. E. of square. Only \$5500.

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# Coats for Fall

—With the cooler days come thoughts of coats and that in turn suggests Hassen Co., where stocks are large and new and where widest selection of very latest modes from Fifth Avenue and Paris is possible.

—The silhouette is even smarter for fall than it was for spring. Luxurious fur trimmings and circular flaring hem lines do not break the slim evenness of the new silhouette.

—Of course our showing of Fall coats include all the important style changes as well as coats of fur, fur trimmed and without fur.

—Priced most reasonably.

—Make it a point to drop into the Hassen Store every time you are in town. Every day come new things, striking novelties, notions, as well as the newest in Coats, Suits, Dresses and Millinery. It is a pleasure for us to show you.



## Wanted: A Slogan

Owing to the necessity of preparing for our formal opening, we were unable to select a slogan from the ones submitted, so we will extend the time limit until Friday noon. If you have already submitted one, you may send in others. We want a slogan that will describe this business in fewest possible words. The woman who selects the winning slogan will be awarded silk lingerie. Send or bring in your slogan with your name and address on it before Friday noon.

# HASSEN Co.

Northeast Corner Square