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**DISGUST**

Following the Mexican manhunt which closed Thursday at Lawn, the body of the victim was tied to the running board of an automobile and taken to Abilene. There it was paraded around the town for a long time while thousands viewed the disgusting spectacle of a dead criminal with brains oozing out of a bullet hole in the forehead. The law was satisfied when Morales surrendered his life. Anything beyond that was altogether unneeded for and degrading in the extreme. It is good to know that Sweetwater authorities, who were an active factor in the manhunt itself, took no part in the brutal exhibition which followed.

**MURDERS**

"Why in the world don't you put something else in the Reporter besides murders? I counted six on the front page in one day not long ago" an esteemed friend asked us the other day, adding, "When there is so much good going on in the world, why print murders?"  
In the first place, the Reporter is not responsible for the murders mentioned—nor any others. If it were up to the Reporter there would not be any murders.  
In the second place, nothing pleases the Reporter more than to be able to print accounts of progress and im-

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following announce their candidacy for election to the various city offices for the ensuing two year terms, subject to the action of voters at the city election to be held April 7, 1925:  
For Mayor:  
James Henry Beall, Jr.  
John J. Ford  
For Street Commissioner:  
M. C. Manroe  
Walter Trammell (re-election)  
For Water Commissioner:  
L. E. Musgrove (re-election)  
Horace Wade  
Roy Barlowell  
For City Secretary:  
W. H. Bartlett (re-election)  
S. H. Shook  
Mrs. Jim Trammell  
For Chief of Police:  
W. R. (Buck) Johnson (re-election)  
L. G. (Gordon) Headrick  
School Trustee: (Election April 4)  
B. C. McCall  
A. S. Kendrick  
S. I. Edwards  
E. E. Ray  
W. S. Chennault

provement, of "the good that is going on in the world."

But the public should know of the murders that are so prevalent. As expressed in these columns before now—crimes of violence are becoming much too frequent. And light sentences at the hands of juries or judges to those convicted of crimes of violence—especially if they are not lacking in funds—is not conducive to respect of law and the purveyors thereof.

**THEY WEREN'T ON THE JOB**

Senator Capper of Kansas has explained to the farmers of the country why they received no support in the attempted passage of the administration's cooperative marketing bill. He says that while there are 100,000 cooperative marketing associations in America, these organizations were all so busy with their own affairs that "a small group of men, including a number of attorneys and small legislative representatives" were able to beat the bill for farm relief that was proposed by President Coolidge. The little but interested groups made so much noise "with the barrage of their opposition" the senator says "that sufficient members of congress were swept off their feet and into the snare set by the minority to thwart the president's program for the session."

These minority members did not come out into the open as hostile to farm legislation, so they supported a hastily framed up substitute bill, a flimsy excuse for a marketing plan. As between the house substitute and no legislation at the short session, the president made it plain that he preferred no legislation. The next session

of congress will again take up the farm relief bill. Meanwhile some of those 100,000 cooperative marketing associations should get busy and create a sentiment that will permit the right kind of a bill to pass. If they leave their cause to the mercy of opposition wire pullers they should not complain if they have to accept another defeat.

**SATURATION**

A city that is located on a lake or an ocean is out of luck when it tries to solve its traffic problem. New York was the first metropolis to find out that the well-known saturation point in the motor car industry wears another guise than that of the capacity of the people to buy cars. Its most perplexing aspect is that of finding highway room in which to operate all those already purchased. All of Chicago's newspapers are telling of the congestion, "most costly spring and summer epidemic, which swept over the city and Cook county" on the first balmy Sunday, with the threat of the serious consequences held in narrow county pavements and city streets in 1925. It is told that more than 300,000 motor cars battled vainly for driving space on the 346 miles of narrow pavements built in the county, only to mill around at last over city boulevards or bank up at the city's thirteen restricted gates. Highway authorities estimated that more than 130,000 of the 300,000 cars attempted to pass thru the "Needle's Eye" traffic gateways during the day, crawling two or three abreast, their progress only to break down at last in the world's worst of traffic jams.

**INFANT INTELLECTUALS**

Sweetwater Reporter: A London scientist reports that the human brain is at its highest intelligence at 16 years of age. As nearly as we can recall that was also our opinion when we were 16, although we felt the importance of it most of the time between 14 and 20.  
State Press in Dallas News: If the London scientist is right, and if the Sweetwater editor's memory is reliable, it is a pity that our custom inhibits us from choosing juveniles as our leaders and preceptors. It may be that the London savant was not much of a scientist at sixteen and that the Sweetwater editor was not celebrated for his sagacity or adequacy at the same age, yet if the human intellect is at its apogee at sixteen, then let us not suffer our self-esteem to deter us from sacrificing the privileges of maturity in order that youth may be served. Let us procure the resignation of Calvin Coolidge and in his place put Johnny, his admirable young son. Let us request our esteemed Governor to resign her bench that we may put her lovely young daughter, Miss Dorrace, in the chief

seat. Let President Splawn of the University stand aside and a successor fresh from high school take control. Let State Press, who was 16 years so long ago he has forgotten the present he got on his birthday, resign his keyboard, forego pay day—however reluctantly—and be succeeded by one of the more energetic and deserving lads who sell the paper on the street. But whether we do or whether we don't, let us not kid ourselves into the belief that the kids are not our intellectual superiors. Any man who has been going down hill for twenty or thirty years after attaining the pinnacle at sixteen must be painfully close to the bottom.

**Let's Go Fishin'**

When a man ain't got no money  
An' his wife begins to stew;  
When he feels a storm a-brewin'  
And the lan'lord is past due;  
Why, it makes him feel like shoutin'  
When a neighbor comes to say:  
"Come on, Pal, let's go a-fishin'  
For the fish will bite today."  
When the creditors are crowdin'  
And you cannot sleep at night;  
When the lawyers are foreclosin'  
And you've 'bout give up the fight,  
It is like a voice from heaven  
When a call these words convey:  
"Hey there, Pal, let's go a-fishin'  
For the fish will bite today."  
There is some that says that fishin'  
Is a wastin' of yore time,  
That a feller what goes fishin'  
Never will be wuth a dime;

But I pity money chasers  
Who no boyhood thrills betray  
When their chums say: "Let's go fishin'  
in"  
For the fish will bite today."  
Mebbe some may think it's cunny  
Chasin' gold from sun to sun;  
But what's the use of livin'  
When you've lost your sense of fun.  
You can do your work far better  
When you mix it with some play.  
Call me dead when I quit wishin'  
For the fish to bite some day.  
—Robert Shalor Holmes.

**PRODIGAL**

As Lew Fields humorously used to remark as the stage villain picked his pocket of a lifetime's savings—  
"Easy come, easy go."  
Lieutenant Osborn C. Wood, son of the distinguished General Leonard Wood, broke into headlines some months ago after cleaning up a fortune in Wall Street. Now he is back in print—this time broke.  
News comes from Spain that he may be extradited for passing worthless checks.  
To appreciate the value of money you must work for it.

**GASTRONOMIC**

That old saying about the way to a man's heart is through his stomach seems to have had a modern interpretation in the recent trip of the Texas Legislature through the Rio Grande Valley, the garden spot of Texas. After partaking of delicious grapefruit and oranges and various

fruit juice combinations, it is said the solons have returned to Austin favorable to a remission of Cameron County taxes. Tom Green ought to stage a banquet for the lawmakers as a means of getting a dam across the Conchos for an irrigation project or an all-weather road to the Big Lake oil field.

ing drunks. Inhale carbon dioxide and oxygen, and the drunkest drunk is sober in an hour and rid even of his "holdover" in two hours.

Doubtless by administering the beverage and its antidote simultaneously, one might keep them both up indefinitely, and never get worse than mildly exhilarated.

There are those misguided enough to think that this epoch-making discovery came a decade too late.

**NEW**

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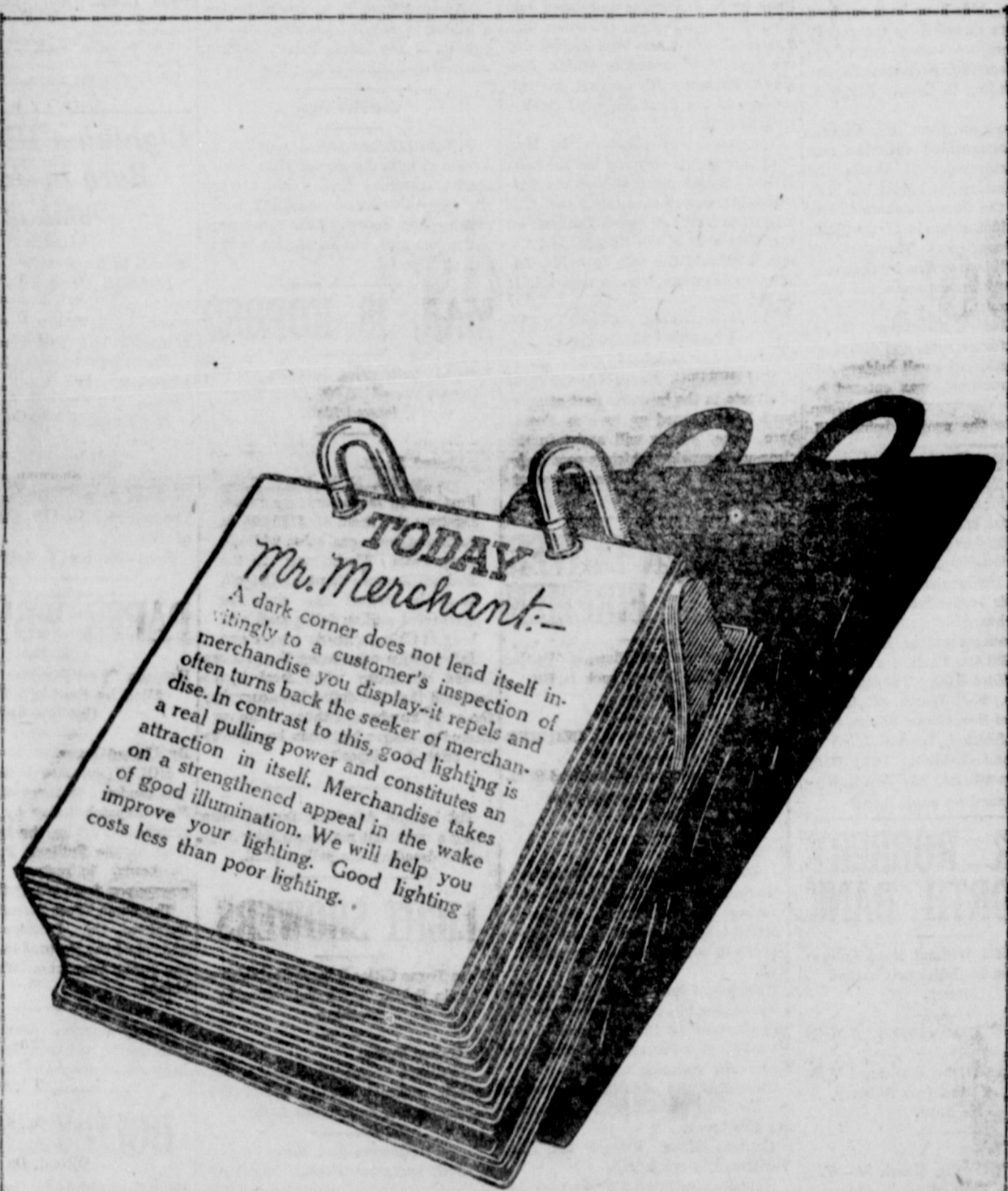


**Don't Get Stung!**

When a salesman offers to "let you in on the ground floor," and presents you a real chance to "double your money in a few short months," bring him to any of our officers. Let them ask him a few questions FOR YOU. In this way you can be sure that you are buying securities and not experience.  
Each year hundreds of millions are lost through fake investments. We want to protect the people of our community from this danger and will gladly help them investigate any proposition submitted them. There is no obligation.

**First National Bank**

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# Your Easter Suit



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**Hart, Schaffner & Marx,  
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All well tailored in the latest cloths and fabrics.  
Here's style as fine as you'll find it; fabrics come from the best looms and workmanship that is a pleasure to inspect.

All of this is offered in our Easter selection of

**THREE**

and

**FOUR PIECE  
SUITS**

\$27.85 to \$45.00

**Sweetwater Dry Goods Co.**  
LADIES AND MENS WEAR  
THE STORE AHEAD

Mrs. Luther Watson will be hostess Wednesday afternoon at a social and business meeting of the Wesley Bible Class, when a full attendance of the members is desired.

The Mary-Martha Class will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Otto Carter, when they will pack an Easter box to be sent Maud Murray, the little girl who is being supported by the class at the Waco Methodist Orphan's Home.

The Golden Rule Circle of the First Christian Aid Society will entertain the older circle of members with a party in the church parlors, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This is a forfeit they are paying for their defeat in the recent "Quarter Contest."

**Special Music**  
The Violin Choir will render a program of special music at the evening services of the First Baptist

B. C. McLain of Lubbock is visiting his brother, Supt. B. H. McLain and family here.

**Hospital Notes**

Mrs. Ida Ferguson was operated on Friday. D. B. May is recovering from having his arm amputated above the wrist following an accident at the oil mill. His arm is also broken above the amputation. J. B. Nettleton is recovering from an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Williams has been dismissed.

**Missionary Society**  
The Federated Missionary Society will meet in the Baptist Church Monday at 3:30 p. m. The following program will be given:  
Topic: "Missions"  
Doxology  
Prayer, Mrs. R. C. Ledford.  
Minutes,  
Business report of committees.  
Solo: Mrs. L. B. Roberts  
Scripture reading: Mrs. S. L. Frost.  
Hymn: "O Zion Haste".  
Address: Rev. R. B. Hestir.  
Duet: Mesdames J. S. Schooler, and E. O. Collins  
Closing prayer: Mrs. N. L. Hall.  
Program committee for the next meeting: Mrs. Tom Farris, chairman, Mrs. I. S. Foelt, Mrs. Gus Farrar.

**WOODMAN CIRCLE**  
Next Tuesday night, March 31, we will have Sweetwater, Ira and Fluvanna Groves to meet with us. The Sweetwater team will initiate six candidates for us. Sweetwater has one of the best Woodman Circle teams in West Texas and they are always willing and ready to help other Groves. —Scurry County Times, Snyder.

**Christian Science Services**  
Christian Science services are held in the Odd Fellows' Hall every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Subject for today: "Reality". The public is invited to attend.

**Men's Union Prayer Meeting**  
Sunday, 6:30 p. m. basement Presbyterian church; Subject "Obedience", Jim Butler. Special prayers for Rev Rayburn's Quaker Meeting at Junction City, Kansas. Everyone welcome.

**To O'Donnell**  
Bill Lagow has purchased an interest in the O'Donnell Motor Co. at O'Donnell and has left to take up his new duties. He has been bookkeeper at the Texas Bank and Trust Company for the past five years. He is succeeded at the bank by E. H. Harkins.

Andrew McCurdy of Taylor Texas, is visiting his cousin, J. A. and Mrs. McCurdy in Sweetwater. He is a talented pipe organist and will appear in several numbers at the Presbyterian church this morning.

Mrs. Gus Farrar reached home Friday from Temple where she recovered from a successful operation for appendicitis.

# Society

## Federated Womens Clubs Of County Meet In Roscoe

**Wednesday Bridge Club**

Mrs. Clyde Payne was hostess Wednesday afternoon at a pleasant meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club, when three tables were in play. Mrs. Berry Bowen played a substitute hand, the other eleven guests were club members. When the games were over Mrs. Payne served a delightful salad course on the game tables.  
Mrs. Ed Patterson will be hostess, Wednesday, April 1, at 3 o'clock.

**Delphian Chapter Enjoy Meeting.**

Mrs. Royal Headrick was hostess Thursday afternoon when the Sweetwater Delphian chapter enjoyed a most interesting program on "German Drama and Conversation of the 18th Century." The members were divided into groups and the topics on the program used in conversational discussions, which were as interesting as they were diverting.

Mrs. R. R. Allen told the story of "Nathan and Saladin," by Lessing, the first writer to standardize the German drama.  
Mrs. Charlie Starr was a special guest.

John Childers, in town Saturday from his Bitter Creek ranch reports a first class rabbit drive on the Howe ranch with numerous rabbits and one coyote bagged. From all reports there was an ample supply of dinner.

**Birthday Party**

Mrs. L. C. Tatom assisted by Mrs. Tom Crutcher, Mary Crutcher and Melba May Tatom entertained fourteen friends of her little Doris Bell in celebration of her ninth birthday anniversary.  
The usual childish games on the lawn were enjoyed and a shower of gifts added to the honoree's pleasure. A big birthday cake was adorned by nine candles which were blown out with many good wishes for Doris.

An Easter egg hunt was one of the most enjoyable items on the program, unless it was the delicious ice cream and cake that was served the guests as follows: Margaret Cochran, Martha

Mrs. Sam Majors of Colorado presented Mrs. Broadus and her qualifications for filling the position as president of the Sixth District of T. F. W. C. and the Federation voted unanimously for her endorsement. Mrs. Willet Gibson was appointed delegate to the District meeting at Alpine where she will cast her vote for Mrs. Broadus, with the other Nolan County Club, who have already endorsed her candidacy.

Talk: "Co-ordination between the work of the county Farm Agent and the Home W Demonstration," W. C. Calvert; Reading: "The Master's Coming" Mrs. A. J. Parker, Roscoe; Talk: "Leadership" Miss Mess Edwards, Assistant State Demonstration Worker from College Station. She was introduced by Miss Mayme Lou Parr, Nolan County Demonstrator.

Mrs. McClary of Colorado gave a most interesting report of the work and plans being made by the County Federation. Mrs. P. T. Quant announced the coming Withersbee-Salisbury Concert for the library benefit and asked the co-operation of the county women in obtaining a good crowd.

The Blackland club won the \$1.00 prize offered by the Federation at the suggestion of Mrs. Bondies for having the most members present. It was voted to make the prize a permanent feature.

Mrs. E. O. Evans of Ada moved a vote of thanks to the Roscoe ladies for their hospitality and the Federation gave Miss Edwards a rising vote of thanks for her inspirational talk.

Mrs. Bondies named Miss Parr, Mrs. L. C. Vinson, Mrs. Sie Dennis, Mrs. M. L. H. Baze and Mrs. W. C. Odum permanent program committee and a permanent historical committee was appointed with Miss Minnie Fowler, Sweetwater, Mrs. J. W. Young, Roscoe and Mrs. C. H. Bolin, Blackwell, as members.

Mrs. A. A. Chapman gave a well timed talk urging the Federation to buy stock in the Nolan County Fair Association. She also made a plea for an educational exhibit at the fair especially for the work of the school children of the county.

Visitors present from Colorado, Westbrook, Floydada, Abilene, Baird, Merkel, Trent and one guest was present from California.

Decker's invitation for the May 27 meeting was accepted.



## Setting The Pace!

**Herndon's Spring Footwear**

Not only in brilliant style, but in wearing qualities and values, these smart-looking and long-wearing new Spring Oxfords are setting the pace.

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\$6 \$7.50 \$8.50 \$10

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Specializing in SELZ Shoes

McElrath, Mary Jane Dulaney, Tootsy and Margaret Henson, Virginia Stewart, Florine Bradford, Billy Risinger, Inez Bartlett, Joyce Whaley, Jimmie Beall Jr., Tommie and Bessie Headrick.

**U. D. C's. Fame Spreading**  
Mrs. Royal Headrick received a check for \$10.00 from an uncle who lives in California, who had read an account of the activities of the local Daughters of the Confederacy. He stated that if they were working to raise money for the Confederate veterans he wanted a small share in the great work.

Mrs. Hazel Doyle and little son of Dublin are here visiting her sister, Mrs. Sie Edwards and family on Lo- cast street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crosthwaite are enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. D. E. Hamlen of Dallas, who is en route to Colorado to spend the spring and summer. Their sister-in-law, Mrs. P. H. Wrye and W. M. and Henry Foster of San Angelo joined the party Saturday afternoon.

**Have Entertainment**

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall entertained an extremely well attended party at their Moodyville home Friday night. Music was furnished by Earl Harris, violin, Frank Debussk, guitar and Mr. Fry at the piano. There were games and numerous other diversions and everybody had a fine time. Guests were present from Capitola, Longworth, Plum Creek and numerous other communities.

# 6 More Selling Days In Our Great Sale

We have had a wonderful success of the first seven days of our FORCED MONEY RAISING SALE, and now there are only SIX DAYS LEFT in which you may purchase the biggest bargains you've ever been offered.

There are many, many bargains left in our store and you are sure to find just what you wanted though you didn't get here first.

**Monday \$1.00 Tennis Oxfords 69c**

Each day of the sale we are offering SPECIAL BARGAINS from the different departments of the store, bargains at prices that are slashed to the bone. It will pay you well to watch these and take advantage of them, for NOW is your opportunity. Some new goods are arriving and we are throwing them into this sale because we MUST HAVE THE MONEY.

**Tuesday \$2.25 Grade Ladies Slips \$1.39**

**Ladies' New Silk Dresses are Arriving Daily**

—And we are placing them on sale as they are unpacked. We have done a wonderful business in women's dresses and the bargains we have made on these new dresses are nothing short of marvelous.

**Don't Fail to Come Into Our Store Monday**

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Where Your \$\$ Count the Most

## Fashionable Footwear Inspired By Easter

COWEN'S Footwear now steps gaily into Easter. In Fashions they meet every requirement of the smartest trend.

These style leaders carry the inspiration of Paris, the atmosphere of Fifth Avenue, and the creativeness of our master designers.

**Cowen Shoe Store**

The Footwear Shop Supreme



# A Masterpiece In Merchandising

SIX MORE DAYS

OF

## BARGAIN VALUES

MONDAY

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Pay Cash and Pay Less

## An Ensemble For Spring



THIS attractive ensemble has a coat of beige jewel-tone hued with fox fur and lined with the same printed silk of which the dress is made. The dress is of beige with designs in green. It is a straight frock with long sleeves, and long ovvertunic.

### HIGHWAY BIDS (Continued from page one)

727.98; J. P. Hamer, Fort Worth, \$46,991.17; Burks and Corbett, Stephenville, \$51,176.96; H. J. Evans, Austin, \$47,531.84; Jordan Construction Co., Plainview, \$54,414.32; Womack Construction Co., Sherman, \$56,074.80; Peterson and Winder, Austin, \$45,659.07; C. C. O'Neal, Dallas, \$47,199.06; Abbott and Jenkins, Dallas, \$51,002.86; Hoffman Construction Co., Eastland, \$53,865.35.

State Highway No. 70: Bid for grading, small structures and surfacing: Tibbetts Construction Co., Fort Worth \$96,186.96; Jordan Construction Co., Plainview, \$104,394.07; Womack Construction Co., Sherman, \$104,379.07; Hoffman Construction Co., Eastland, \$100,164.66; C. C. O'Neal, Dallas, \$100,248.18; Abbott and Jenkins, Dallas, \$87,723.80; J. F. Hamer, Ft. Worth \$93,099.98.

Several large bridges are to be constructed on both the highways, to replace old bridges, or to bridge places encountered in the change in routings and bids for construction of these were entered separately by the various construction companies. Among the new bridges to be built on the two projects are 5 bridges on the Bankhead Highway, including a new bridge over Sweetwater Creek, 1 each over Bitter and Plum Creeks, and two others. 4 bridges are to be constructed on the Highway No. 70 project.

Companies who bid on large bridge construction, and amount of the respective bids, follow:

Highway No. 1, Tibbetts Construction Co., Fort Worth, \$43,781.05; Hannah Construction Co., Waco, \$43,375.49; J. F. Hamer, Fort Worth, \$45,043.96; Womack Construction Co., Sherman, \$66,074.80; Abbott and Jenkins, Dallas, \$50,747.70; Austin Bridge Co., Dallas, \$46,219.78.

Highway No. 70: Tibbetts Construction Co., Fort Worth, \$26,174.57; Womack Construction Co., Sherman, \$28,511.23; Austin Bridge Co., Dallas, \$30,497.42; C. C. O'Neal, Dallas, \$26,813.31; Abbott and Jenkins, Dallas, \$30,869.71; J. F. Hamer, Fort Worth, \$28,151.89.

If the State Highway Commission and the Nolan County Commissioners reach an agreement concerning the bidders, and award a contract at the Austin Conference, the companies selected will have two weeks in which to get men and material on ground and begin work, according to county engineer John Focht. Following that, the work will be considered started and the contractor's time will begin.

It is expected that work on the two highways will get under way at about the same time.

Several changes in routing will be made when the two highways are constructed. One of the most important changes, as shown on the engineers' plans, is the routing of the Bankhead Highway out of Sweetwater east, on the north side of the Texas and Pacific tracks almost to the Gypsum plant where the road will cross the railroad over a concrete bridge and come out on the present highway. Bids for construction of the crossing will be received at a later date, it was reported.

The bids received Friday for construction of the highway south of town, the 8 mile strip of Highway No. 70, call for surfacing or paving of the road, in addition to grading and bridge work. This paved road of 8 miles in

### Library Benefit Coming

Mrs. M. A. Belcher, president of the Library Benefit Board announces that all arrangements have been completed to bring the Withersbee-Salisbury Soloists and Entertainers to Sweetwater for a concert on April 24. The concert will be given in the banquet hall at the Hotel Wright, through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. Wright.

Mrs. Blanch Brown is manager for the company, which consists of soprano and baritone singers and a wonderful pianist. The members of the various clubs who are federated for library maintenance will sell tickets for the entertainment.

### Presbyterian Church

There will be special music at the Presbyterian church Sunday with Andrew McCurdy on the pipe organ and Mrs. E. O. Collins, soloist at the morning hour and a duet by Andrew and John A. McCurdy at the evening hour. Pipe organ numbers by Andrew McCurdy will include Prelude Summer Idyll by Rothleier, Offertory "Cavatina in B. Flat" by Lawrence and Postlude March in G, by Waghorne. Mrs. Collins will sing "The Hymns of the Old Church" by Selman.

Americanism: Lending money abroad at a high rate; trying to seem disgruntled about it.

## NEW DIRECTORY

W. L. Hunter of Retail Merchants Association Plans Publication This Spring.

Sweetwater will have a new city directory as the result of activity of W. L. Hunter, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association, under whose auspices the book is being produced.

Mrs. Louis Walker and Mrs. Hunter are making a house to house canvass of the city, assembling the necessary data for the book which will also contain a directory of the county. Residents of the city are asked to cooperate by giving the desired information to the ladies, who wish it emphatically understood that they have nothing whatsoever to sell.

Information to be contained in the directory will include the name and address of everyone in the city, over the age of 12, occupation, number in family and occupation.

The directory will be printed by the Commercial Printing Department of the Reporter and it is expected that copy will be in the hands of the printer by April 20.

### Self-Culture Club Met

Mrs. Rufus Wright was hostess to the members of the Self Culture Club Friday afternoon.

The program was on "The Race Problems of the United States". Mrs. R. D. Cox proved a well prepared leader of the program, which came in the following order: "The Basis and Nature of the Race Problem", Mrs. John Focht; "Race Segregation and Discrimination", Mrs. J. R. Henry; "The Education of the Negro", Mrs. I. S. Focht. Salient points of the problem were taken up in an interesting Round Table discussion.

The next meeting will be at the

home of Mrs. Jim Butler, on April 10, when Mrs. N. C. L. Hall will be teacher on "The Cause of War".

Mrs. W. W. Davis, president, occupied the chair during the routine of the business hour at the close of which Mrs. Wright assisted by Mrs. Sie Edwards, Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerriid and Mrs. Willard Gibson served plates of fruit salad and dainty sandwiches and ice tea.

Mrs. Hazel Doyle, Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerriid and Mrs. Sie Edwards were special guests.

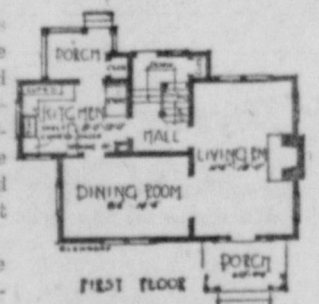
Charles T. Sowden and Tom Swain of Dallas are week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Davis.



The principles of correct design which are applied in this two-story home prove that a home may be simple yet attractive.

Horizontal lines on this type of design produce the most desirable effect and have been used here to advantage. The wide, overhanging cornice of the open type and the wide siding all tend to reduce the apparent height of the building.

The first floor contains the living room, dining room, kit-



chen and stair hall, with a grade entrance to the basement, also a roomy kitchen porch and porch closet.

The front porch is of the flat roof type and its slender square posts, latticed between with beams which have sawed pattern ends, all tend to give an air of refinement to the premises.

The basement, which is full size of the house, provides ample room for a heating plant, fuel, laundry and the usual storage and vegetable space.

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## Candidate For Mayor

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He promises his best efforts for a clean, efficient, and economical administration of the affairs of the City of Sweetwater, looking to its continued growth and development.

**TO THE WOMEN VOTERS:**

He respectfully requests their vote and influence, and if elected he desires their support and cooperation in the affairs of the city in which they are so vitally interested.

**HIS POLICY:**

Progress, based upon good business judgment. Honesty, economy and efficiency in all departments. Justice, courtesy and service to all without regard to race religion or politics.

**HIS AMBITION:**

To assist in making Sweetwater the leading shopping, wholesale and manufacturing center of West Texas, as well as a City of beautiful homes.

A VOTE FOR HIM

Is a Vote for

## Greater And Better Sweetwater

length will connect with the 12 mile strip of paved road now being constructed by C. C. O'Neal Co., working at present near the Nine Mile Hill.

Other projects that are expected to be taken up in the County's enormous road program are the paving of the Bankhead west to Mitchell county; construction of Highway No. 70 north, construction of the highway extending northwest from Roscoe, and paving of the Bankhead east to Taylor county.

Federal Reserve Banks" the statement said.

"The continued loan drop in the 11th district, however, has adversely affected the agriculture and livestock industry" the report stated, "and is causing serious concern as to its fin-

al outcome. On Sunday you will find it most convenient to drop by ROBERTSON CAFE for a splendid luncheon. Our food and service is unsurpassed every day in the week. 49-tlc.

## MORE DEPOSITS

Eleventh District Federal Reserve Bank Shows Gain—Decrease In Loans Made.

By United Press. DALLAS, March 28.—Deposits in Federal Reserve member banks in the 11th district increased 26 million dollars in February when substantial withdrawals are usually made, according to a monthly review made by the Dallas Federal Reserve Bank today.

"While there has been some increase in the demand for credit accommodation the demand has been lighter than usual, and commercial banks have generally been able to take care of their customers with only small loans from

## A Bed, a Roof, and a Meal

are not the greatest assets of life when "HEALTH IS A QUESTION."

Come down and talk to anyone of the fifty or more who take treatment at GROGAN WELLS SANATORIUM every day and you will find them all getting well.

If ill health is holding you back we would enjoy telling you of our work.

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## Our Get Acquainted Sale

We had a very good crowd Saturday and got acquainted with numbers of people—but we know there are many more who have not yet been in. We appreciate the patronage we are receiving and ask you to come again.

50 Envelopes given each morning to the first fifty women entering our store 5 \$5.00 in cash each day.

Be sure to be on hand Monday morning at 9:00 a. m. when the doors are opened.

## Yamini Dry Goods Co., Inc.

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# Prize Ballot Offer

**CLOSES MONDAY NIGHT AT 10 O'CLOCK**

**GET IN THE LEAD IN THE DAILY AND WEEKLY**

**Sweetwater Reporter's**

# Big Circulation Drive

In addition to all the other 30 prizes including Chevrolet Sedan and two Chevrolet Touring Cars

**EXTRA! - - - Seventy-Five Prize Ballots - - - EXTRA!**

*TWENTY-FIVE FOR EACH OF THE THREE DISTRICTS*

*To the 25 Workers who secure the 25 largest amounts in Paid Subscriptions for the next two weeks, prize ballots will be given according to the schedule below. This offer closes Monday, March 30.*

## THE PRIZE BALLOTS

### DISTRICT ONE

The following is the list of prize ballots for District One to be awarded workers who turn the largest amounts in paid in subscriptions up to Monday, March 30. Turn in subscriptions as you get them. Accurate count will be kept.

1st Prize Ballot	2,500,000
2nd Prize Ballot	2,400,000
3rd Prize Ballot	2,300,000
4th Prize Ballot	2,200,000
5th Prize Ballot	2,100,000
6th Prize Ballot	2,000,000
7th Prize Ballot	1,900,000
8th Prize Ballot	1,800,000
9th Prize Ballot	1,700,000
10th Prize Ballot	1,600,000
11th Prize Ballot	1,500,000
12th Prize Ballot	1,400,000
13th Prize Ballot	1,300,000

### DISTRICT TWO

The following is the list of prize ballots for District Two to be awarded workers who turn the largest amounts in paid in subscriptions up to Monday, March 30. Turn in subscriptions as you get them. Accurate count will be kept.

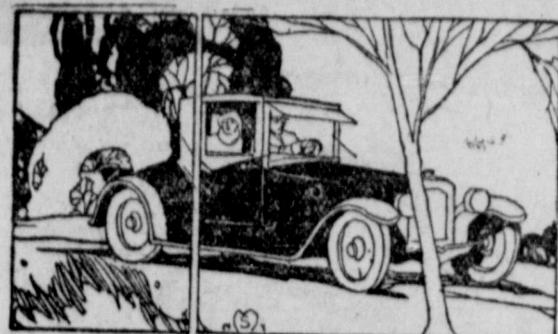
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11th Prize Ballot	1,500,000
12th Prize Ballot	1,400,000
13th Prize Ballot	1,300,000
14th Prize Ballot	1,200,000
15th Prize Ballot	1,100,000
16th Prize Ballot	1,000,000
17th Prize Ballot	900,000
18th Prize Ballot	800,000
19th Prize Ballot	700,000
20th Prize Ballot	600,000
21st Prize Ballot	500,000
22nd Prize Ballot	400,000
23rd Prize Ballot	300,000
24th Prize Ballot	200,000
25th Prize Ballot	100,000

### DISTRICT THREE

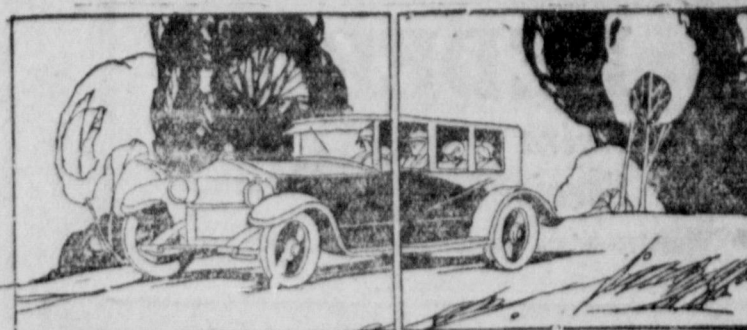
The following is the list of prize ballots for District Three to be awarded workers who turn the largest amounts in paid in subscriptions up to Monday, March 30. Turn in subscriptions as you get them. Accurate count will be kept.

1st Prize Ballot	2,500,000
2nd Prize Ballot	2,400,000
3rd Prize Ballot	2,300,000
4th Prize Ballot	2,200,000
5th Prize Ballot	2,100,000
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22nd Prize Ballot	400,000
23rd Prize Ballot	300,000
24th Prize Ballot	200,000
25th Prize Ballot	100,000





# FOR The AUTOIST



## WE HAVE MOVED

From our former location on W. N. 3rd Street to 202 Elm Street, first door north of Piers.

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We will be glad to have our friends call around and inspect the best radios on the market.

**MANROE & MORRIS**

Texas Co. Headquarters  
Phone 330

### Three Yankee Hurlers



Here are three "straightaway" pitchers with the New York Yankees, now in training at St. Petersburg, Fla. They are Waite Hoyt, Sam Jones and Bob Shawkey, shown in the above photo, from left to right, in the order named. Manager Huggins expects much from the trio this season.

Congestion of traffic on the highways leading in and out of big cities is helping church attendance on Sundays!

Far fetched as this statement appears it contains a direct relationship between Sunday touring and church going. It lies in the dread that has been developing among motorists of backing and the tie-up of automobiles leaving and entering their cities and in their decision to remain within the city limits.

As a result the church has been benefitted. Instead of packing a lunch and starting out early for a country trip, the motorist packs his family into a car and leaves early for religious services.

Whereas formerly churches followed the population into the suburbs in order to keep up attendance, especially of the original congregation, the

automobile is the deciding factor that has been keeping many churches in the downtown area fully attended on Sundays.

James J. Cole, secretary of the presbytery of Baltimore on the committee of national missions, points this out in an article for the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

"The downtown church has found it easier to remain with the coming of the automobile" he says. "The fight of the churches to the suburbs has by no means been stopped, but it has been noticeably checked."

"So far as attendance goes" Cole says, "a motor car facilitates attendance by the whole family."

#### CAR SALES INCREASE

New car sales increased slightly

during the past week over the number sold during the preceding week. A total of 8 new cars were registered with the county tax collector, and 14 used cars were registered.

Registration of new cars follow:

Dabney Motor Co. to H. C. Clark,

Blackwell, Ford.

Dabney Motor Co. to Western Windmill Co, city, Ford.

Dabney Motor Co. to A. B. Chambers, city, Ford.

Dabney Motor Co. to J. O. Aiken, city Ford.

Toler Motor Co. to J. M. Hitt, Roby Maxwell.

Dealer to J. B. Majors, city, Ford. H. B. Allen to W. D. Lewis, city, Dodge.

Toler Motor Co. to Byron Buck, city Maxwell.

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and

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AUTOMOTIVE ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT  
TESTED AND REPAIRED

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ELECTRICAL SERVICE CO.

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TELL 'EM YOU SAW IT IN THE REPORTER

# At Your Motor Service

## "Service Corner"

Has been established with the idea of giving the motoring public that

## Friendly Service

that is so hard to get at most service stations. Service that will make you want to come back again--service that you will remember though you travel through every state in the Union--service that we are glad to give.

The food you put into your stomach has a lot to do with the way you work and feel. The sort of energy you put into your motor car will have an equal influence on how it will perform.

## Start Looking for-- "SERVICE CORNER"

when

your motor is hungry, thirsty or tired. Here you will find the "peppiest" gas, the most soothing oil and other motor tonics. Free air and free water service--courteous attendants.

"From ponderous truck to Ford Coupe, we send them gaily on their way"

at

Drive Your Car Down to "Sweetwater Vulcanizing Co

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# "SERVICE CORNER"

The Place for Friendly Service

Read Reports

Weather Reports

Tourist Information

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Standard Auto Parts

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# FEDERAL Extra Service TIRES



To you this sign carries two definite guarantees—one of tire performance and one of tire service.  
You can be sure of performance because the Federal name has meant the most complete kind of satisfaction for many years. Service you will receive because the merchant selling Federals realizes that he makes new customers by keepink his present ones pleased.

## PIOR TIRE SERVICE Federal Distributors

Vulcanizing Specialists Sweetwater, Texas



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## PIERCE PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

C. E. ROGGE, Agent

# Exide BATTERIES

### It is Dependable

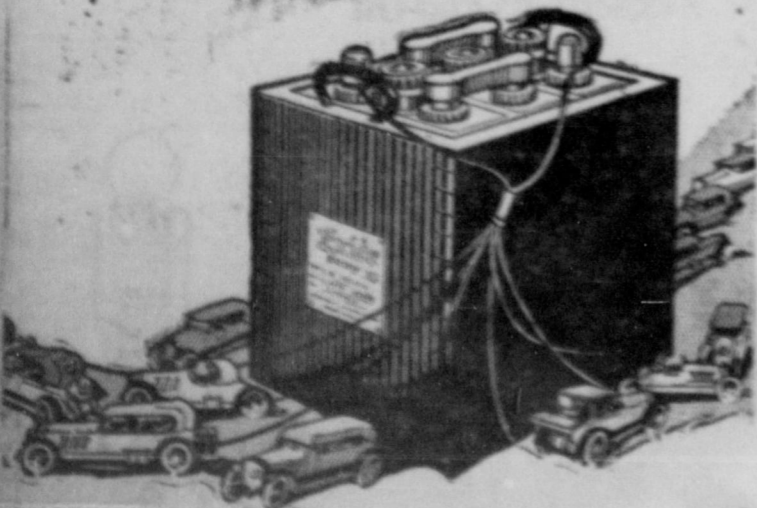
Dependability is one of the virtues of the Exide Battery soon appreciated by its users.

Its power is not only lasting, but it is always ready to spin your engine every time you step on the pedal.

You will be impressed with the dependability of the Exide. You will also be pleased with its economy—freedom from repairs. There's one designed especially for your make car. May we tell you more about it?

### EXIDE BATTERY STATION Harry Collins, Prop.

All Makes Of Batteries Recharged And Recharged At Reasonable Cost.



### WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Two active champions of the World War service man landed in the United States Senate as a result of recent elections. These are Rice W. Means of Colorado, elected Nov. 4 to complete the term of the late Senator Nicholson, and Hiram Bingham of Connecticut, chosen at a special election Dec. 16 to fill the vacancy due to Senator Brandegee's suicide.

Both Means and Bingham saw overseas service in the recent affair with Germany. Means as a Lieutenant Colonel, commanding the Fourth U. S. Infantry in the Meuse-Argonne offensive. Bingham as a Major in command of the great flying school at Issoudun.

Something of the attitude those two civilian fighters may be expected to reveal toward soldier legislation during their terms in the Senate was disclosed during the debate on a measure providing for retirement, with pay equivalent to that allowed regular army officers of similar rank and disability, of reserve officers who suffer 70 per cent or more disability in the service.

"We say to them: When we take you into the army we will give you the same rank, the same uniform, the same pay and emoluments of office—everything that an army officer has.

"But—if you go to the front and are wounded, you will not receive the retirement privilege or the compensation that will be received by the regular army officer.

"We are going to hold out something to you. We are going to hold out the retirement privilege."

"We have," says Means, "for the first time in the United States, a definite military policy. That policy is that there shall be a small standing army, and that in time of need we will depend upon our civilian soldiers.

"We are now urging civilians to accept commissions in the Reserve Corps. We are urging them to accept commissions in the National Guard. They are told that in time of emergency the outcome will depend upon them and their ability to lead men.

Bingham, championing equally with Means the proposal for disability retirement for reserve officers, equal with that of regulars, maintains further that officers retired because of equal disabilities, should have equal pay, regardless of their respective rank.

"Under the proposed retirement schedule," Bingham told his fellow Senators, "if I had been disabled while flying as a Major, and had lost two fingers of one hand, I would be entitled to be placed upon the retired list of the army and for the rest of my life receive a salary of \$2,250 a year.

But if my mechanic, riding in the front seat, having only the grade of sergeant, had been similarly injured, he would receive for that same disability only \$350 a year.

"Some of us were more lucky than others and got higher ranks. Because of my luck in having been commissioned a Major, I would have received, under the plan proposed, if disabled, seven times as much as my sergeant."

"That is not justice to the service man—at least it does not seem so to me."

The return of Frank Kellogg, Ambassador to Great Britain, to assume the job of Secretary of State, calls attention to the fact that the Court of St. James seems to be our best little training school for this Cabinet post.

Kellogg is the seventh Ambassador to England to graduate into the secretaryship of state. Four of these were later further promoted to President.

The first Ambassador to Great Britain to move up to Secretary of State and then to the presidency was James Monroe. Next came John Quincy Adams, Martin Van Buren and James Buchanan. Thomas F. Bayard and John Hay made the first step, but never achieved the second.

Representative John D. Clarke of Fraser, N. Y., admits he knows more about times and times than he does about quality.

His early ambition, however, ran

### The SECURITY BROTHERS are working for us



### Mr. R. V. SECURITY

He is becoming very popular with home owners. There is a big difference between owning a home that you can live in and owning a heap of ashes where your home stood yesterday. Even if F. I. SECURITY does promise you the means to rebuild, you must find a place in which to live in the meantime. That is where brother R. V. SECURITY is of help. He pays your rent.

Let us bring him around and introduce him.

### Kendrick-Thompson INSURANCE

Every Known Kind  
120 W. N. 2nd St.

toward the production of oratorical gems rather than iron, which, as assistant to the secretary of the Bureau of Mines of the United States Steel Corporation, was to become his life's work.

Clarke's oratorical ego was wrecked one day when, while driving a famous orator to Kingston, N. Y., for a speech, he ventured to re-

mark his own forensic accomplishments.

"Right over there," he said to his companion as they passed through one of the small villages in his district, "is the place where I made my first great speech."

"Humph!" granted the great speechmaker. "I see. And that, I suppose," pointing to the adjacent cemetery, "is the audience."

### AND LOOK WHO'S HERE!



## Imagine This Is YOU!

You know that anybody can hook a fish but it takes a FISHERMAN to land one.

A FISHERMAN never starts out unless he is fully equipped to LAND his fish, and he endeavors to be prepared for any emergency. We have everything that a FISHERMAN needs:

- SOUTH BEND QUALITY FISHING TACKLE
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- MINNOW BUCKETS MINNOW NETS HOOKS
- CORKS SINKERS STRINGERS LINES POLES
- INVINCIBLE CASTING LINE

A high grade, water proof, silk line strong enough to hold the big fish. Positively will not waterlog. COME IN AND LET US SELL YOU WHAT YOU NEED

## CARTER HARDWARE

Fisherman's Headquarters



Not the length of time your tires are on the car—but the mileage they register on your speedometer.

# Dunlops

deliver the goods on any car, over any road. Wear like iron, ride like riding on air.

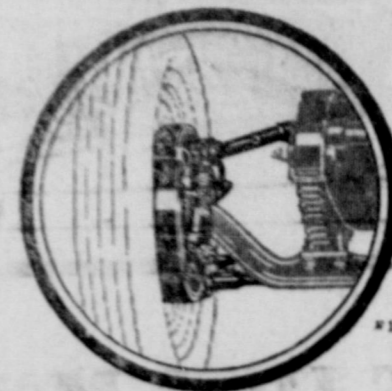
Get Yours Today

## Sweetwater Motor Co.

At Your Service



WHY THERE ARE MORE THAN A MILLION

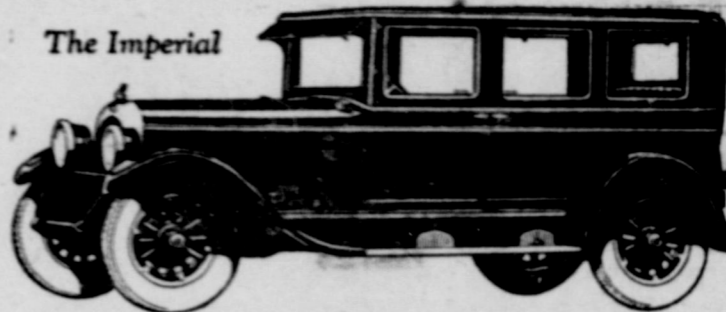


## Buick

### Four-Wheel Brakes

Of the more than a million Buicks in use today, the last 350,000 built have Buick mechanical 4-wheel brakes. On these 350,000, Buick 4-wheel brakes have proved their increased control and safety by faultless operation through nearly two years, in every extreme of weather.

## Western Motor Co.



### A Score of New Results Emphasize The Difference

If a year ago the Chrysler Six had been merely another new car, its first-year production of over 32,000 cars—the largest ever recorded—would not have been required.

But the Chrysler Six is an entirely new type of car, built on a new kind of engineering which produces results radically different from any yet registered.

The difference of Chrysler engineering is emphasized by the fact that its 3-inch motor develops 68 horse-power, a speed of more than 70 miles an hour and 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline.

The difference is further emphasized by the fact that you can drive comfortably at 60 miles an hour over cobbled streets, that side-sway is eliminated, that it possesses an oil-filter to cleanse all motor oil as the car runs and an air-cleaner for the carburetor.

Everything that Chrysler advanced design means in the operation, comfort and high quality of a motor car will be made clear in a half-hour's driving. We are eager to prove that Chrysler is the best built car you ever drove.

The Touring Car	\$1395	The Royal Coupe	\$1895
The Phaeton	1495	The Irvington	1965
The Roadster	1625	The Imperial	2065
The Sedan	1825	The Crown-Imperial	2195

All prices f. o. b. Detroit subject to current government tax.

We are pleased to extend the convenience of time-payments. Ask about Chrysler's attractive plan. Chrysler dealers and superior Chrysler service everywhere.

## HUBERT TOLER

MAXWELL-CHRYSLER Distributor

# CHRYSLER SIX





## **PINE STREET PAVING NEARLY COMPLETED**

*Monday or Tuesday of this week the Pine Street Warrenite Bitulithic paving project will have been completed. Go over and look at it. Drive over it. Examine the work closely. Note also the general appearance of the street. See how paving improves the situation--makes property more desirable.*

*Ask property owners on Pine street what they think of paving, whether or not they think it is worth the money to them. Price some of this property, see whether or not paving has enhanced the value. Ask real estate men whether or not paving adds to the desirability or saleability of property.*

*Paving can be purchased on easy terms. It is a very profitable investment--not an expense.*

*Sweetwater needs paved streets. Citizens who pave the streets whereon they reside are doing a big part toward the building of a greater Sweetwater.*

## **PAVING MEANS PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY**

**RED SOX**  
and  
**FAN-BOTTOM TROUSERS**  
at  
**Whitten's Shop**

**MA IS LIBERAL**  
Over 400 Pardons Already Granted by Texas Governor.  
By United Press.  
AUSTIN, March 28.—Three pardons issued by "Ma" Ferguson today brought the total for the week to 23, an average of nearly 4 a day.  
The number of pardons, paroles, furloughs, restorations of citizenship issued by Texas' woman governor has neared the 400 mark, surpassing all records in the state's history.

**COTTON IN WEST TEXAS IMPROVES**

Large Increase Shown in Crop of 1924 Over That of 1923 According To Figures.  
REPORT BY COUNTIES  
Department of Commerce Bureau Of The Census Issues Final Report For Texas.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The Department of Commerce, through the Bureau of Census, has announced the preliminary report on cotton ginned by counties in Texas for the crops of 1924. Large increases in cotton production are shown in the majority of the counties of the state.

The report for West Texas counties follows:

The State	4,851,878	4,212,248
County	1924	1923
Brazoria	9,551	3,347
Briscoe	10,625	(1)
Brown	16,162	16,103
Callahan	16,139	12,264
Childress	43,488	16,557
Coke	8,741	9,578
Coleman	41,601	28,485
Collingsworth	44,720	22,978
Comanche	15,028	14,113
Concho	12,903	8,538
Cottle	31,636	18,855
Crosby	40,996	23,571
Dawson	51,619	21,410
Dickens	26,977	17,142
Donley	15,967	13,704
Eastland	14,088	12,531
Fisher	33,115	34,318
Floyd	22,102	10,297
Foard	18,191	9,033
Galves	4,045	(1)
Garza	16,959	10,306
Gray	4,706	(1)
Hale	29,992	10,828
Hall	58,518	26,836
Hardeman	39,740	15,420
Haskell	47,071	29,928
Hockley	3,984	(1)
Howard	21,060	18,151
Hudspeth	8,211	4,001
Jones	57,297	56,711
Kent	9,254	9,411
Knox	47,622	28,484
Lamb	10,834	2,402
Lubbock	43,010	31,719
Lynn	38,215	24,492
McCulloch	26,557	12,256

Martin	6,326	(1)
Mitchell	31,171	30,418
Motley	18,927	9,239
Nolan	20,778	18,675
Padgett	2,621	(1)
Rungels	53,260	46,587
San Saba	12,836	10,736
Scurry	31,144	7,021
Stonewall	40,252	11,704
Swisher	5,030	(1)
Taylor	44,181	41,737
Terry	16,159	9,861
Throckmorton	6,795	4,109
Tom Green	9,194	5,476
Ward	5,982	4,398
Wheeler	23,494	11,112
Wichita	16,043	5,731
Wilbarger	58,170	25,604
Young	18,439	14,994

(1) Included in "All other counties" to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

**TRICK SOLUTIONS**  
Battery Man Warns Against Use of Unsafe Solutions  
"The action of the U. S. Bureau of Standards in exposing fake solutions for charging batteries will not only help the battery business," said Harry Collins, of the Local Exide Service Station, "but it will save the car owner a great deal of money."  
"In spite of the efforts of reputable battery manufacturers and their authorized agents 'trick electrolytes' continue to be offered on a large scale. These solutions are generally guaranteed to put life into the battery, some times in a few minutes."  
"Unless the car owner is an elec-

trical engineer or has had actual experience with storage batteries he may not understand what actually takes place.  
"The Bureau announces that changing the solution in a storage battery does not charge it. An investigation has recently been made at the Bureau of Standards of certain solutions which were said to charge batteries instantly, or in a short time as compared with the usual storage. These tests have shown that batteries containing these solutions, contrary to the claims made for them, behave in accordance with well-established laws of electrochemistry."  
"An analysis made by the Bureau reveals that these magic solutions are nothing more than electrolyte such as is used ordinarily in an automobile battery, combined with certain amount of sodium or certain amount of magnesium with coloring matter.  
"My best advice to car owners is to see that nothing but the highest grade battery electrolyte is put into their batteries when any electrolyte is required and that work done by a reputable battery man."

**WHITE POND HAPPENINGS**  
School is progressing nicely under the care of Prof. J. W. Henderson, and Mrs. Shields. The past week has been a week of examinations. Everyone was well pleased with their reports.  
A number of young people enjoyed a party at C. M. Galloway Saturday night.  
Mrs. J. E. Jackson of Wichita spent Monday.

F. M. Moore and family spent Sunday with J. W. Henderson.  
Mr. Jack Miles and family, Gary Miles and family visited at Big Spring the first of the week.  
John Mills and family of McCauley were here Sunday afternoon.  
The day with Mrs. A. A. Galloway

Quite a crowd was out at singing Sunday. A number of Neinda people were over. Their class meets each 1st and 3rd Sunday afternoons in each month.  
Mrs. A. B. Brown gave a birthday dinner Sunday honoring her mother. There were 49 guests there.

**If Your Heart Stopped Beating**

(it does--12 hours a day!)

The heart has a reputation for working 24 hours a day. It does. But it rests after each beat so that it is resting about half of the time.

**Wise heart!**  
Its lesson should be followed by those women who are always busy with heavy work, and wondering what's the matter with them—wondering why their charm and youth and health have disappeared.

Why not rest like the heart does; erase the worry of washday from your mind, for instance; cut 52 days of drudgery from the year? It's easy. Our Wash service washes, rinses, irons, and returns your laundry sweet and clean, ready to use.

A telephone call will bring our service to you, and prove it.  
....and the price is low, indeed.

**CALL 42**

**SWEETWATER LAUNDRY Co.**

**Your Chief of Police**

is expected to keep the peace, to prevent, insofar as possible, all crime, and to arrest those suspected of crime, when the evidence warrants.

**But That Is Only Part Of The Job**

Hundreds of strangers visit this city every week. It falls to the police department to deal with many of these visitors. Some desire information. It is up to us to supply it. Some of them require other things; some times they are ill or in distress. One of the first requirements of my administration have been strictest courtesy in dealing with strangers, to take care of them so that they will have nothing but a favorable impression of Sweetwater insofar as their dealings with the police department are concerned.  
In this connection we would like for you to read a letter from the son of a woman taken ill in Sweetwater that required temporary care from the Police Department:

**APPRECIATES SERVICE**

Mr. Buck Johnson,  
Sweetwater,

Dear Sir:—I am writing to thank you for your accomodation of us during the illness of my wife's mother while in Sweetwater. We surely thank you very much and think it very kind of you to accomodate us in the way you did. You could not have done any better by us for you did all you could. We will never forget the favor you have done us and we appreciate it very much. I will close wishing you the very best of luck.

Sincerely, J. E. GRAY.

The foregoing letter is only one of many expressions of appreciation received showing that your police department has been capably administered in this respect.

I will not of course have an opportunity to see all voters before the election April 7 and I want to take this opportunity to say that I will very much appreciate your support, if you see your way clear to give it to me.

**W. R. "Buck" JOHNSON**



**In a Hurry!**

CLOTHES slightly soiled — an engagement — and unable to wear what you like most.  
No reason to storm — have them cleaned!  
In forty-eight hours that once soiled garment will be again be fresh and new in appearance.  
Merely telephone or write a postal. We will call at your convenience.  
— and deliveries are promptly made.

(Dry Clean and Laundry)

**GALBRAITH'S**  
"East Side Square Since 1913"



**"Of Course, Our Home Made Candy Is Best to Express Easter Greetings"**

A box of our delicious candy that you select to send your Easter Greetings will more than carry your message. In splendid array, you may choose from tasty chocolates, luscious bon bons, and many novelty assortments.

**Sweetwater Candy Kitchen**  
Next to Palace Theater.

**The Guardian of the Home**

Flies, mosquitoes and other disease carrying insects are kept away! SCREENS are the barrier!

They protect the sleeping infant and the home from relentless little creatures—yet allow fresh, clean air of the outdoors to bring relief on hot days.

Guard the health of your home. Screen every window, screen in the porch, and don't put this off until after the insects have made their appearance—

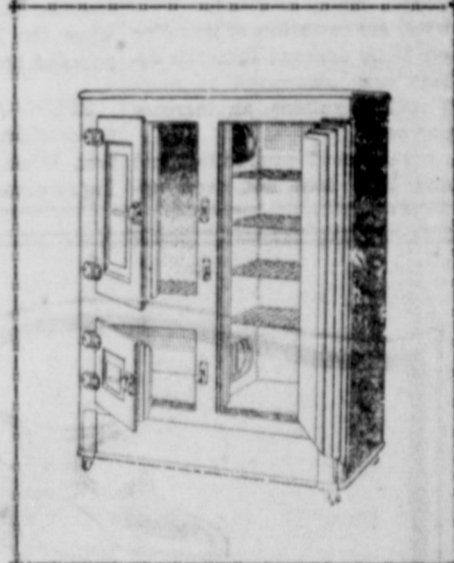
**Screen Them out—Not in!**

We will be glad to figure with you on the amount of screening necessary to fully protect your home—and our screening has the LASTING QUALITY.

**BURTON-LINGO CO.**

Pioneer Home Builders.

**"LEONARD"**



**The Popular Refrigerator at a Popular Price**

Buy your refrigerator now, at our store. We feature the Leonard Cleanable in many styles and sizes at money-saving prices.

Come and let us show you the latest Leonard refinements and the famous features that have made this the world's most popular refrigerator.

Ten walls, Polar Felt insulation, One Piece Porcelain food chamber, round cornered for easy cleaning.

**Costephens Hardware Co.**

West Side of Square.


**LADIES**

## Coats and Ensembles

At A Big Discount

**MONDAY & TUESDAY**

## Dresses



We are offering a big collection of ladies' and misses' dresses in printed sports and plain materials, regularly priced up to \$19.75, now going at \$15.85.

A large assortment of dresses and jumper dresses are being sold at \$5.85.

You should see these nice values in dresses.

**What About Your Easter Hat?**

Shipment after shipment of beautiful new hats are arriving daily, bringing to us the last word in stylish millinery.

Come in and see what we can do for you in the way of a new hat. Now is the time for your Easter purchases.

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## AMUSEMENTS

### Palace

The beauty and grandeur of Biblical stories is at last being recognized by screen producers, who in time promise to transfer the glory of all the great old testament narratives to the screen. In "So This Is Marriage" a photodrama of modern life at the Palace Theater, introduced the story of King David and Bath-Sheba done in Technicolor.

"Treated with proper reverence and with due regard for historical accuracy" says Mr. Henley "the stories of the Bible afford the supreme material for the photodrama. Here are the stories upon which our whole civilization is founded; here are the sources of all our best thoughts and aspirations, and here is glowing dramatic force that has never been surpassed."

### Lyric

Dorothy Dalton as the fiery leader of an apache band.

Dorothy, the girl thief, robbing the safe of the man she loves.

Dorothy, more charming and vivacious than ever.

See her in "The Moral Sinner" at the Lyric Theater. It's her latest and best for Paramount, a Ralph Ince production.

You'd better! You never saw anything like it in your life! It's better than even the "Law of the Lawless" and that's going some. There's drama, pathos, humor and everything else you can think of, with the action hopping right along from one breath-taker to another.

See Dorothy as a hardened girl crook, rob a safe, rescued from a fire, captured by a prominent member of the French Chamber of Deputies, lead the police a merry chase over the house tops of Paris, and in a hundred and one other scenes we haven't room to mention here.

And then she decides to reform. It's a great climax for a picture that keeps you guessing what's going to happen from one minute to the next.

And the cast—James Rennie plays opposite Miss Dalton in the principal male role. Then there's Alphonz Ethier, W. I. Percival, Florene Fair

## PUPS LOSE GAME

Rotan High Takes 14-1 Session In Sweetwater Friday Afternoon At Park.

Unable to halt the slugging of the Rotan nine, and seemingly unable to connect with the ball for more than four clean hits, the Sweetwater high school Salty Pups scored 1 long tally in Friday's game here and the Rotan high school nine romped off with the victory with a total of 14 runs.

The game Friday evening the standing between the two nines, as the local team was the victor over the Rotan team last week in a thrilling 11 inning game.

Slow fielding, numerous errors, and a noticeable slump in hitting seemed to be with the Pups throughout the game, and they were unable to stage a rally or slow up the opponents at any point in the game.

The lone score came in the second in-

ning when Schuhmann second up, singled, and was advanced when Underhill of Rotan walked Sheridan and Roy in succession and gave a single to Webb.

Rotan opened the scoring in the first

with two runs, and scored in every other inning except the sixth and seventh.

Underhill gave four hits while Webb and Fitzgerald of Sweetwater were ricked for a total of 18.



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## SO THIS IS MARRIAGE

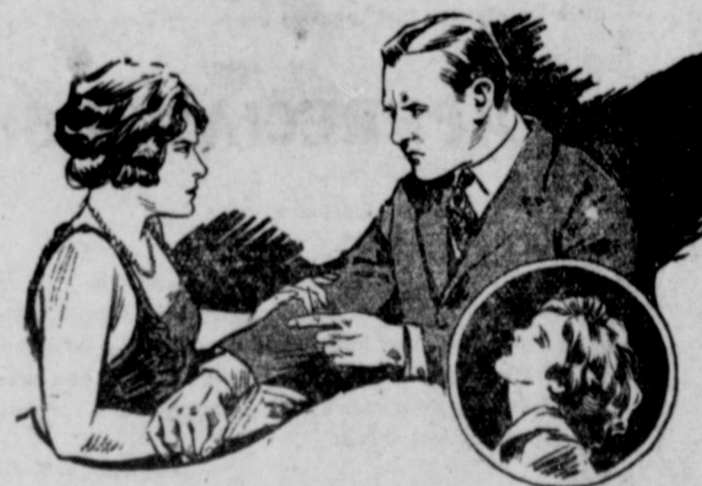
with ELEANOR BOARDMAN LEW CODY and CONRAD NAGEL

"If the woman pays and pays and pays, why is the man always broke?"—Beth believed in living within her husband's means, even if he had to borrow money for her to do it.

Beth was a flapper, and a flapper she remained. Even when the marriage tie had her ball and chained. She was the most extravagant woman he had ever heard of, and to make it worse, she was his wife.

"Why Don't You Earn More Money?—Other Men Do!"

Don't Change Your Husbands When Crossing the Stream



See the spectacular Biblical Sequence in Natural Colors

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and Comedy

## "Step Fast"

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Admission

-40c

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MONDAY and TUESDAY Presents a Story of

## Love and Lawlessness



## DOROTHY DALTON

in "The Moral Sinner" A RALPH INCE PRODUCTION A Paramount Picture

The story of the regeneration of a girl thief in the Paris underworld through the medium of LOVE.

Also Showing

"A RADIO RIOT" No Static—Clear, Clean Fun

10c-

Admission

-25c

### GASOLINE.

Production of gasoline in the United States last year amounted to eight billion, nine hundred and sixty million gallons, the largest output in the history of the industry.

This exceeds by about a billion and a half gallons the previous high record mark, made in 1923.

Likewise, consumption of gasoline increased. Daily average domestic demand last year amounted to more than 21 million gallons, an increase of 16 per cent.

Still, with record production and a demand that does not even ap-

proach the supply, gasoline prices go soaring. One reason is that foreign countries are buying lots of it—and paying big prices.

STAMFORD—Thousands of people from various sections of Jones, Haskell, Stopewall, Fisher and adjoining counties thronged the streets recently when the Longhorn University Band paraded the streets here.

SPUR—A contract has been let for the installation of a new sewer system. When completed the cost of the improvement will amount to \$50,000.

### ODD.

Life offers stranger coincidences than fiction. A Cleveland Judge, placing a wreath on Washington's tomb at Mt. Vernon on Washington's birthday, turns around to see his wife drop to the ground, dead.

Heart failure, said the doctor.

Thus the Judge, paying homage to a dead man in the name of Ohio Masonry, remains to mourn his own dead.

You read this and are interested. But it is not death that is interesting. It is how you die and where. Floyd Collins was an example.



## Easter Steps Forward In Entrancing Footwear

Most women's minds are now turning to Easter—and most of their feet are turning towards Tucker's for the correct and smartest Footwear.

And Tucker is prepared with gorgeous new styles, fit for feet of admiration and airtiness. Pictured above is "The Daisy," a new arrival, but only one of dozens of good styles now on display here.

Easter selections featuring styles and materials that are correct.

Blonde Satin Patent Leather  
Black Satin Black Kid  
White Kid Two Tones

## Tucker Shoe Dept.

Where the New Ones are Seen First.