

A Thought for Today.
Crookedness Always
Brings Its Reward soon
or Later.

Weather
West Texas Sunday
partly cloudy and warmer.

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HICKOX CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

Hotly Contested Legal Battle Reaches Climax When Case Turned Over At 9:55 P. M.

IS CHARGED WITH MURDER

Case Revolves Around Shooting Of Lamar Schrier at Rankin in July 1921—Much Interest.

The fate of T. F. Hickox went into the hands of the twelve jurors at 9:55 Saturday night when one of the stiffest legal battles in the history of the local district court reached its climax.

Hickox is on trial charged with the murder of Lamar Schrier at a dance in Rankin in July 1921. The case was brought to Sweetwater on a change of venue where a jury in a previous trial had given a lengthy sentence.

Both the state and defense rested late Friday afternoon after five days of steady examination of witnesses of which there were nearly 100 subpoenaed for the trial. It was one of the most largely attended trials ever held in Sweetwater, with crowds of people from Sweetwater and many other West Texas towns packing the district court room day after day as the two splendid arrays of legal talent fought steadily with the fate of T. F. Hickox hanging in the balance.

Immediately after the two sides rested Friday, court was recessed and trial judge W. P. Leslie retired to begin writing his charge to the jury. The lengthy charge was not completed until Saturday afternoon, although scores of people thronged the court room throughout the morning hoping that the charge would be delivered and that arguments of attorneys would begin.

It was 2:20 o'clock Saturday afternoon when Judge Leslie entered with the charge and the court room rapidly became packed with people as the charge was read.

The jury has the alternative of finding T. F. Hickox guilty of murder, or manslaughter, or acquitting him, under the charge. They were instructed to report the defendant no guilty if they believe he shot in defense of himself or his son, Tom Hickox, who was eluded in flight with young Schrier when the bullet was fired.

Arguments got under way at 2:40 o'clock when District Attorney Brooks of the prosecution made the first speech to the jury. Brooks' speech, which lasted one hour and ten minutes, reviewed some of the testimony of various witnesses.

J. H. Beall of the defense counsel, followed Brooks and spoke for one and a half hour.

A recess was given following Beall's address and argument began again after supper.

DIE IN FLAMES

Man and Wife Perish in Garage Fire Which Sweeps Their Second Floor Flat in Beaumont.

By United Press.

BEAUMONT, April 4.—Two persons perished and another was injured in a fire which swept a garage here.

The dead are Calvin Page and his wife Sadie, who occupied the second floor of the garage.

Mrs. Georgie McLain, also an occupant, sustained a broken ankle when she leaped from a back porch.

RUM RUNNER DIES

By United Press.

MISSION, April 4.—One rum runner chief is dead, another is dying and James P. Cottingham, border patrol inspector, seriously wounded following a battle here between immigration officials and a large band of rum runners today.

The rum runners attempted to fight their way out when they discovered they had been surrounded.

Cottingham was shot twice, once in the left lung and once in the right arm. The wounded rum runner and Cottingham were taken to a hospital at McAllen.

GERMANS KILLED

Striking Coal Miners in Silesia Attack Police—Two Die

Special to Reporter.

BERLIN, April 4.—Two were killed and several injured including three policemen when a crowd of 5,000 striking coal miners in Oltau, Silesia, attacked police.

Horse Derails Fast Passenger Train Near Waco

By United Press.

WACO, April 4.—Northbound H. & T. C. passenger train 63 was derailed late this afternoon about 3 miles south of Waco when the engine hit a horse.

The locomotive plowed out into a cotton field but did not overturn.

The baggage car and one end of a passenger coach left the rails. No one was injured.

CHURCH MEMBERS GIVE TESTIMONY

Fifty Members of Church Where Purdy Was Deacon Testify as to High Moral Character.

ADMIT LOVE LETTERS IN CASE

Hutchinson Correspondence With Mrs. Purdy That Resulted in Divorce Are Introduced.

By United Press.

TULSA, April 4.—Character building testimony featured the closing session of the week here today in the trial of Eugene Purdy, youthful church deacon and oil man, charged with the slaying of E. S. Hutchinson, wealthy lumberman.

Fifty members of Purdy's church testified to the moral character of the defendant.

Love letters written to Mrs. Purdy which are alleged to have finally resulted in a divorce were introduced as evidence by the defense today after a heated debate over their admissibility. The defense also sought to show that Hutchinson sought to alienate the affections of Purdy's young son who was awarded to the mother at the time of the divorce and that the tactics of Hutchinson finally made Purdy go temporarily insane.

USE MUCH WATER

Average Daily Consumption During March 695,000 Gallons—Many New Connections.

Sweetwater used 20,891,000 gallons of water during March, according to figures from the city Water Commissioner, Lem Musgrove. In connection with the construction of the filtration plant, a master meter was installed whereby the everyday flow of water from the lake is accurately measured.

The largest quantity used in any one day was 889,000 gallons on March 9. The average daily consumption for the entire month of March was 695,000 gallons per day.

Since the first of the year there have been 66 new connections tied on to the city mains, representing new homes in most cases. This represents the figure up to March 1, and shows the growth of the city to be exceptionally rapid and continuous.

SUICIDE OR MURDER

Coroner Fails to Solve Mystery of Chloroform Death

KANSAS CITY, April 4.—The suicide theory today appeared to be the possible solution for the death of Dr. Young B. Kelly, whose body was found in a local hotel room early yesterday.

A towel saturated with chloroform was wrapped about his head.

Verdict of the coroner threw no additional light on the case.

Kelly went to the hotel to meet a man named Pat Henderson, according to Mrs. Kelly. Investigation revealed that Kelly registered at the hotel as "Pat Henderson". Shortly after he registered a man asked the hotel clerk a number of his room. Police are seeking this man whose identity is unknown.

Kelly, according to police, recently took out a \$5,000 life insurance policy, which provided that the insurance would not be paid in case of suicide within a year.

PUBLISH MAGAZINE

Orient Railway Issuing Interesting New Publication of Activity

"The Orient Magazine" is the title of a new magazine being issued by the Orient Railway. The April number has just been received in Sweetwater.

The new publication is devoted to the Orient railway, its employees and the territory which it serves. It is well edited, well printed and full of interesting material.

CHAPMAN TO DIE JURYS VERDICT

Most Sensational Bandit of Day To Pay Penalty on June 25 Charged With Killing Policeman.

WILL FILE AN APPEAL

Mail Robber to Syndicate Story Of Life to Raise Funds for An Appeal From Death Sentence.

By United Press.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 4.—George Chapman, the most sensational bandit of the day, has played his game with organized society and lost. The jury that he helped select considered his case and then decided that Chapman was only bluffing, that all he held were duces and toys without a real ace in sight.

So the jury returned a verdict of guilty and the judgment awarded to organized society was Chapman's life.

The state will take its toll at sunrise on June 25. Chapman, expert poker player that he is, hardly changed expression as the jury brought in a verdict of guilty and the hand of the law swept the table clean.

If he can finance it, Chapman is going to ask the court to let him play another hand to see if he can't get even. He is hiked but he won't quit.

Up until today Chapman has been a center of interest. Everyone has been talking about him and of what he did and the few things he has said. He played a lone hand for all it was worth. He built up around himself a veritable romance of mythology that gripped the public and made of him a veritable trick hero.

"They didn't try me for murder" was Chapman's only comment made to his attorney. "They tried me for being a mail bandit and then they decided that is what I was and convicted me. That's all there is to it."

Judge Frederick J. Groehl, Chapman's attorney said that an appeal would be filed in less than two weeks. He intimated that Chapman might syndicate a story of his life—the first one he has written—in order to raise money for an appeal.

APPOINT HOUSE.

BIG SPRING, April 4.—Frank House has been appointed sheriff of Howard County to succeed Sheriff W. W. Satterwhite, killed at Merkel by Lopez Morales.

CABINET TO GO

President Millerand Predicts Downfall of Herriot Regime in Election Sunday in France.

By United Press.

PARIS, April 4.—Fall of the Herriot Cabinet of France was predicted tonight by former president Millerand who is a candidate for the Senate from the department of the Seine tomorrow.

The military and financial program of Herriot will bring about his down fall, Millerand stated.

BOND SET AT \$25,000

Garza County Ranchman Makes Bond On Murder Charge.

LUBBOCK, April 4.—District Attorney Patke N. Dalton and Deputy Sheriff Vernice Ford returned to Lubbock late Friday after spending most of the day in Post City in interest of the cases of the State of Texas vs. Will Luman and Ed Walker, charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Roy C. Dalton.

Luman and Walker are also under indictments on charges of violations of the prohibition laws.

By agreement with Merchison and Davidson, of Haskell, J. T. Price, of Post City and Vickers & Campbell, of Lubbock, attorneys for the defendant, the state set Luman's bond on the murder charge at \$25,000 and his bond on the liquor charge at \$3,000.

TO BURY WELK

Funeral Electrocuted Man to Be Held At Rowlett Sunday Afternoon.

By United Press.

DALLAS, April 4.—The body of Pete Welk, electrocuted Friday at Huntsville, for the slaying of Willis Champion, Dallas jailer, arrived here today. Burial will be held at Rowlett Sunday afternoon.

Schuyler Marshall, Dallas County sheriff, said he failed to find anything of value from details of the attempted jail break given him by Welk before the latter's death.

Invitations To Wine Party Are Not Acceptable

By United Press.

MILWAUKEE, April 4.—Two persons who were to have been among the favored guests at Senator Bernard Gettelman's wine party at his home here April 18 have declined it was learned tonight.

The prospective guests announced that they will not be present at the party. They are Wayne B. Wheeler, General Counsel for the Anti-Saloon League and Rev. E. Kenneth McKinnis, Milwaukee pastor and choir leader.

BROTHERS WHIP PRINCIPAL HELD

Charges of Assault to Murder Filed Against Three Coleman Men for Assault on School Man.

PUNISHED YOUNG BROTHER

Principal Novice School in Winters in Hospital Where May Die—Beat On Head With Hammer.

By United Press.

COLEMAN, Texas, April 4.—Three brothers were held here tonight upon charges of assault to murder in connection with an attack on R. W. Caster, novice school principal, Friday. Caster is in a hospital at Winters and may die, physicians say.

The brothers, Charlie, Willie, and Norman Aikin, 20, 22, and 25 years of age respectively, attacked the teacher for a whipping administered to their younger brother, officers said.

Caster was beaten with a hammer, officers said, and his skull was punctured in three places. Two operations today failed to give relief.

EXAMINE BODIES

Result of Analysis for Poison of Mrs. McClintock and Dr. Olson to Be Known Soon.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, April 4.—The result of the poison analysis of the bodies of Mrs. Emma McClintock and Dr. Oscar Olson probably will be known by Wednesday or Thursday, Dr. W. D. McNally, coroner's chemist, declared tonight.

State attorney R. E. Crowe says he will oppose every step in the proceedings.

The bodies of Mrs. McClintock, mother of Bill and Olson an old friend of the family were ordered exhumed to determine whether or not death was due to poison.

AMATEURS PLEASE

Saxophone Band and East Ward Pupils Each Receive \$5

Honors were equally divided among performers at the Palace Theater Friday night when the first of a series of Amateur Nights was staged under the R&R management in addition to the regular program of pictures. A packed house gave liberal applause to the three acts presented on the special program, and indicated that the great interest is being taken here in the Amateur night which is to be a regular feature at the Palace each Friday.

The Sweetwater Saxophone Band and the East Ward school pupils of Mrs. A. B. Chambers were awarded \$5,000 each, tying for first place. The applause of the audience was to have determined the winner, but the applause seemed equally divided between the two acts, and a prize was awarded each by Henry Rogers, R&R manager.

Several other numbers had been billed for the initial Amateur Night, but illness prevented several appearances. Because of this, an added attraction was presented by Mr. Sowash, popular organist of the Palace, in a short skit in which he showed unusual ability at the xylophone, and received thunderous applause.

MAY BUILD RAILWAY

Santa Fe Given Permission to Build Line From Doud West

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today granted authority to the Santa Fe railway company to construct a new line in Lubbock, Cochran and Hockley Counties.

The new line will extend from the present line at Doud in a westerly direction to a point near the west line of Cochran County for a distance of 65 miles.

ELECT NEW MEN TO RUN SCHOOLS

A. S. Kendrick, B. C. McCall, S. Edwards and E. E. Roy New Men Elected on School Board.

ELECTION STIRS INTEREST

McAdams, Boothe, McCurdy and Wright Issue Statement—Total Vote Is 530.

One of the most interesting elections for school trustees that has been held in recent years was staged here Saturday.

New trustees elected included B. C. McCall, E. E. Roy, A. S. Kendrick and S. Edwards.

The vote for the various names on the ballot follows:

G. E. Bradford, 197
J. H. Snell, 165
Noy Sheridan, 163
W. S. Chennault, 189
E. E. Roy, 299
Rufus Wright, 23
B. C. McCall, 345
R. K. McAdams, 21
S. Edwards, 295
J. A. McCurdy, 20
Walter Boothe, 45
A. S. Kendrick, 294

The men elected with W. S. Chennault were the only men on the ballot who had previously announced their candidacies for the position.

Presence of the other names on the ballot was discovered early in the day however, and a statement was issued jointly by Rufus Wright, R. K. McAdams, Walter Boothe and J. A. McCurdy as follows:

"We desire to announce to the voters of the Sweetwater Independent School District that we are not candidates for School Trustee in the election being held today. Our names were placed on the ticket without our knowledge or consent and we believe for the purpose of confusing the voters. We ask our friends not to vote for us but to select from the other names on the ticket the four men best qualified to manage our school system."

There were approximately 530 votes cast of which 10 were thrown out for mutilation.

As the result of the election, the School Board for the Sweetwater Independent School District will now be comprised of A. S. Kendrick, B. C. McCall, E. E. Roy, S. Edwards, with three holdover trustees, who include M. B. Howard, present secretary, Dr. A. H. Fortner and C. R. Simmons.

WHEELER PLANS FOR DEFENSE IN CONSPIRACY CASE

By United Press.

BUTTE, Mont., April 4.—Confidence that he can clear himself of charges against him in Federal Court, Senator Burton K. Wheeler was arranging for his defense here today with characteristic vigor.

The junior senator from Montana arrived in this, his home city last night from Washington to prepare for his trial, which opens in Great Falls April 16.

ASSAULTED GIRL CANNOT RECOVER

Indianapolis School Teacher Has Been Unconscious Since Brutal Assault in March.

FORMER KLAN HEAD INDICTED

Indictment Charges Former Dragon Klan With Kidnapping and Assault of Girl.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. April 4.—All hope for recovery of Miss Oberholzer, school teacher who was brutally assaulted on the night of March 19, has been abandoned.

TO HANG IN JUNE

Bill Lawrence Sentenced to Hang June 12 by Arizona Judge for Murder of Policeman.

MEXICO QUAKES

Several Houses Collapse and Population Thrown Into Panic by Earth Tremors.

DON'T WANT MONEY

Unable to Locate 600 Depositors Defunct Ranger Bank.

RANGER, April 4.—Many of the depositors in the Peoples State Bank of Ranger, which was closed by the state bank commissioner at the close of business January 31, last, do not appear to care whether they ever receive their money or not, A. W. Taber, special agent of the state banking department, having charge of the affairs of the Peoples State Bank, indicated, pointing to a great heap of letters returned from the post office because the addresses of those for whom they were intended could not be ascertained.

TRAINMAN KILLED

Another Fatally Injured When Denver & Rio Grande Is Ditched.

LOSERS IN FIRE

Bill Lagow of this city, who recently purchased an interest in the O'Donnell Motor Co. sustained losses when that concern was destroyed by fire last week. Thirty five cars burned in the blaze at an estimated loss of \$25,000.

MA WIELDS VETO AXE MERCILESSLY

Many Items Slashed From Appropriation Bills—State Colleges Suffer Heaviest in Slaughter.

CUT DEPARTMENTS DOWN

Salary Assistant Attorney General Removed—Governor Says She Expects Criticism from Veto.

By United Press.

AUSTIN, April 4.—Governor Ferguson today slashed \$767,338 from departmental appropriations and \$1,245,550 from the general educational appropriation bill by a Liberal use of the veto axe.

Virtually all of the educational institutions of higher learning in the state were affected. The original educational bill called for an appropriation of \$14,410,728. The total of the departmental bill was \$635,153 and it was recurred to \$4,502,815.

The principal item in the latter was an item of \$624 for vocational education.

An item was taken out of the Attorney General appropriations of \$8,000 which provided for a salary for an assistant attorney general. Attorney General Dan Moody had as yet made no appointment to this position.

Other cuts were Agricultural Department Division of Agriculture, \$45,000; Board of Health and Hygiene \$11,800; Game, Fish and Oyster Department, \$47,400; and \$30,000 for state parks.

In announcing the vetoes, Governor Ferguson said: "I realize that there may be strenuous and outspoken opposition and condemnation of my act in vetoing various items. However one who holds a high station and stands for economy must expect criticism from those who are more less interested in the appropriations. But in this connection I am sure the people will remember that I was elected on a platform of tax reduction and economy and my action in this instance is in obedience to that mandate."

Governor Ferguson today signed the bill passed by the recent legislature providing for the establishment at Dallas and Galveston of psychopathic hospitals for the treatment of nervous and mental diseases.

All the general appropriation bills have not been acted on by Governor Ferguson. She approved one for the eleemosynary institutions calling for an appropriation of \$4,491,300; not a single item being disturbed by the governor.

Possible repeal of the act creating the 11th District Court at Eastland was avoided when the House Bill No. 320 which sought the transfer of several counties from one district to others was vetoed.

PAL IS BLAMED

Second Oklahoma Convict Says First Shot Deputy—And Vice Versa—Both Caught Now.

TO MEET APRIL 10

West Texas Peace Officers Plan Big Session Here.

BROWNWOOD, April 4.—The next meeting of the Sheriff's Association will be held at Sweetwater, April 10. Secretary Carl Adams has sent out 50 cards of invitations to as many sheriffs and chiefs of police in the western part of Texas, that is the country of which Sweetwater is the center, inviting the officials to be present and take part in the proceedings. It is probable that some matters of more than ordinary interest will be transacted at the Sweetwater meeting.

INCUBATOR EXPLODES

Fire Department Makes Run to West Side Blaze—Damage Slight.

The Sweetwater Fire Department made a rapid run to the West Side where an exploding incubator set fire to a barn.

The loss was estimated at about \$30.

FREE TOURIST CAMPS GOING

El Paso's free camp ground for motorists is a thing of the past. It has been discontinued. El Paso is better off without it.

Its character had changed. Once it accommodated a good class of tourists, mostly. Latterly the desirable ones

had been in the minority. Most of the campers were flivver tramps, worthless drifters, parasites.

They came and settled in camp and stayed as long as they could; they and their wrecks of cars and rags and pans and half-wild children. A slovenly lot as to habits and a nuisance to have around. With some, the first thing was to get established in the auto camp and the next to inquire the way to the Associated Charities. Free food and free gas and maybe a little money "to have some work done on the car so we can get on" were what they wanted.

Slowly the conviction is taking root both here and elsewhere that people who haven't 25c or 50c to spend for space in an automobile park would best stop along the road somewhere and get a job and a house and put the

children in school. Free auto camps have done a lot to encourage flivver tramping.

Now that the free site has been abandoned county officers should encourage tin can tourists to keep moving, preventing them from making our road sides unsanitary and unsightly.—El Paso Herald.

Big Spring's free tourist camp was discontinued last year. It had become a nuisance just as El Paso's had and any other free camp will.—Big Spring Herald.

BUICK RUNS AWAY

Kids Experiment with Starter—Buick Starts and Keeps Going

Special to Reporter.

HAMLIN, April 4.—The power of a Buick is not yet known. This was demonstrated when the small children of Mr. McBride in southwest Hamlin, experimented with their car standing in front of their home. It seems the little fellows opened up the gas, set the gears in intermediate and stepped on the starter.

At least the car started off with a boom, pitched around and across ditches, dumped the kids out, never hurt a single one, then tore away down through the mesquite trees taking limbs and wire fences and posts along with it as it went.

It reached the open street running north of the ball park, got a "breath" and dived right into the high fence, taking plank, posts, soda pop stand, easy as you please, took a jump into the players dugout and began a victorious, but subdued gait across the park in the direction of the "famous" croquet grounds, and Sunday afternoon players. There the thing came, half covered with brush, plank and wire, the top was gone, the tires were punctured, but the old engine was pulling away with a determination to set a record for speed. There is always a right man in the right place. John Henry Wood was the hero. He made a dash for the car and soon had the liquid power shut off and all danger was over. So much for a Buick.

Accused



Mrs. Ida May Hendricks has been accused of infidelity with Joe Secakuka, Hopi Indian guide in Arizona by her millionaire husband, Clifford Hendricks. Hendricks has fled suit in New York, naming the Indian as co-respondent.

WELL NEAR SNYDER

Moors No. 2. Making 12 Barrels of Oil Daily

SNYDER, April 4.—The Moors No. 2 of the Northwest Co., located in the Ira field in the southwest part of the county, was drilled in pay. This well has a better showing than the Moore No. 1 or the Wellborn, both of which are located in the same field. Gas was encountered at about the same depths as in the other wells and it was cased off so that it could be used in operation of other tests to be drilled in the near future.

W. W. Lechner, superintendent of the company, stated that they would wash out and swab the well at once and it would be shot the latter part of this week.

INDICT MEANS

Former Department of Justice Agent Charged With Forgery

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Gaston E. Means, former Department of Justice agent and star witness of the Senate Daugherty Investigation, was today indicted by the Federal Grand Jury for forgery.

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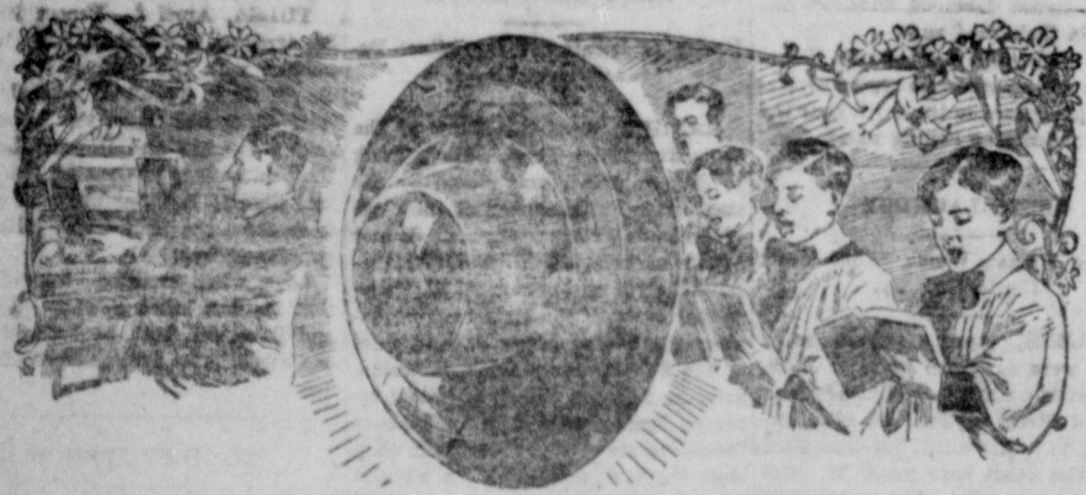
He has a long and rather stylish name, but, for all that, he is very practical and is a hard worker. He comes to the relief of business men after fires. While they can't scamp their stores, shops or factories and can't use their premises for money-making, brother USE AND OCCUPANCY repays them for their inconvenience. In this way he has kept many a business together during reconstruction. No wonder that he is popular!

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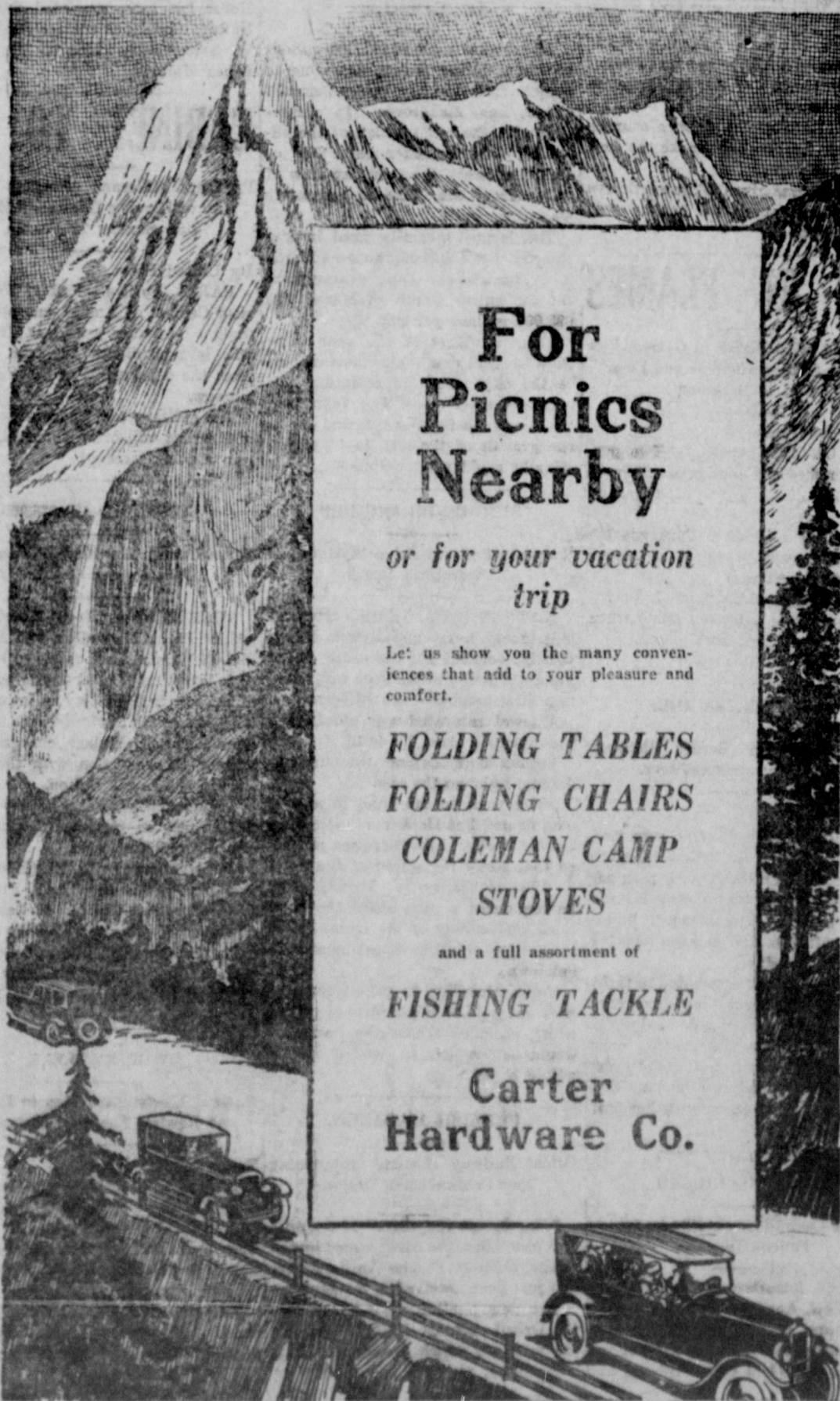
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Special Music

There will be special music at the First Christian Church at both services today. At the morning hour the following program is announced.

Doxology.
Hymn: "Like a Shepherd Leads Us"
Hymn: "Does Jesus Care?"
Communion: "Tis Midnight and on Olive's Brow"
Special by choir
"Invitation": "Just As I Am".
At the evening hour the hymn "He Lives Again" with special music by the High School and Invitation: "Who-soever Will" will be given. Mr. Sampson will play at both services.

Episcopal Church

10 a. m. Church school; 7:45 p. m. evening prayer and sermon by Rev. W. P. Gerhart of Abilene. Everyone cordially invited.

Guy Morris, Warden.

Presbyterian Church

At the Sunday morning service of the Presbyterian church, a quartette of school girls under the direction of Mrs. George Gray will sing: "In Heavenly Lovg Abiding". The girls who compose the quartette are Misses Lenora Bishop, Frances Lou Payne, Bernice Sheridan and Vera Elliott. At the night service, Mr. J. A. McCurdy will sing.

Mrs. John Hubbard, assisted by Mrs. Robert Edison, Mrs. S. N. Leach, Mrs. Walter Anderson, and Mrs. W. G. Davis, will be hostess Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hubbard, at a meeting of the Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church.

Men's Prayer Meeting

The men's Union Prayer Meeting will be held in the basement of the Presbyterian church tonight at 7:30. Mr. Garrick will be leader.

SAN ANTONIO—Construction has just been completed by the San Antonio Public Service Company of a high tension transmission line connecting all substations and distribution centers within the city limits.

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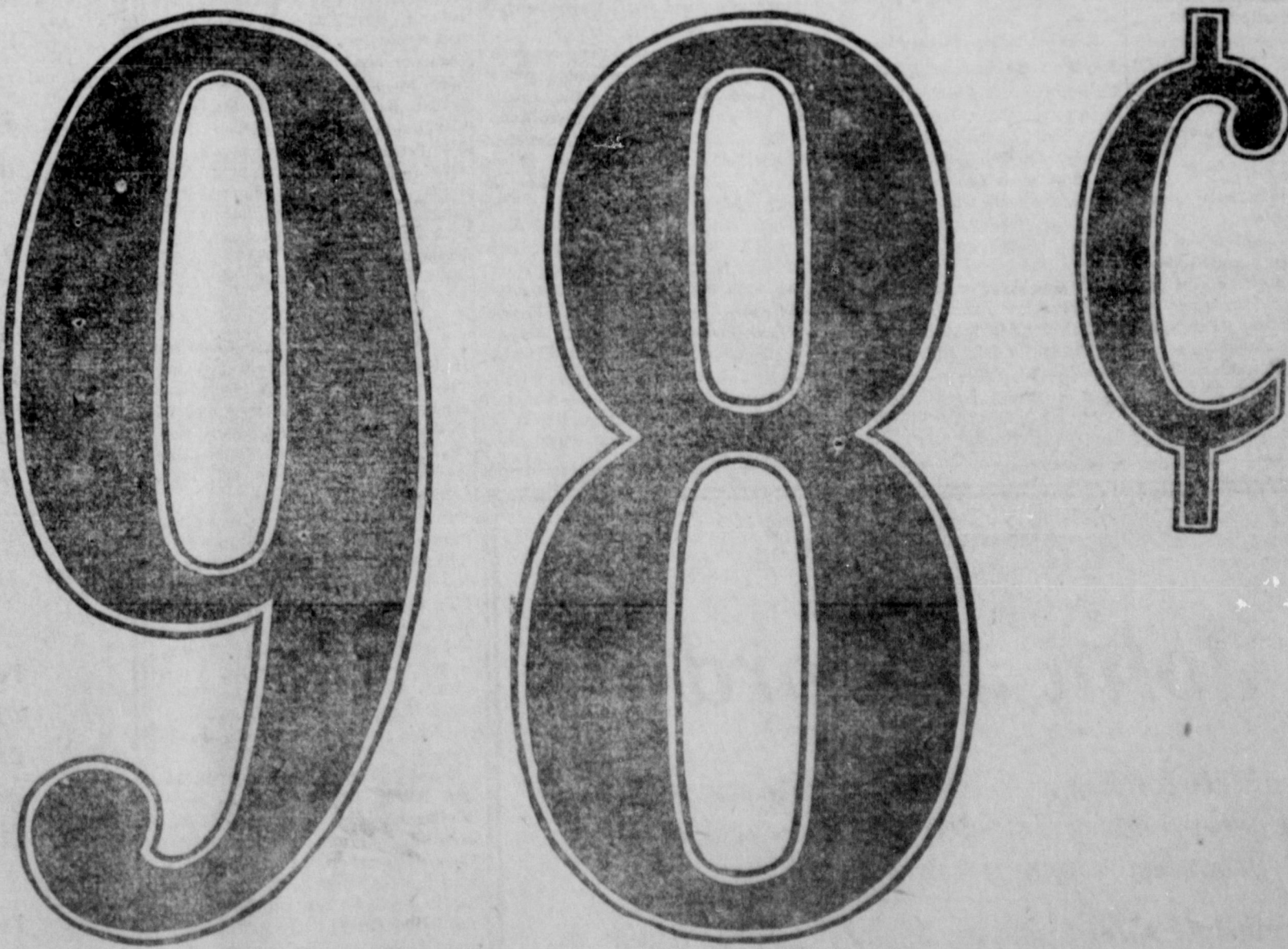
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Wesley Bible Class.

Mrs. Luther Watson was hostess Wednesday afternoon for a social and business meeting of the Wesley Bible Class. Mrs. F. J. Neal, president, led the devotional and Mrs. S. N. Davis led the prayer. A letter was read by Mrs. L. S. Focht from the Bible wo-

man at Sou Chow, China, who is supported by this class.

During the social hour little Miss Johnny Watson gave a musical reading, "At Dinner," with her mother at the piano.

Mrs. Watson served an ice course and gave Easter baskets of mints as guest favors.

Now a Madame X ~for Every Figure and Every Purse!

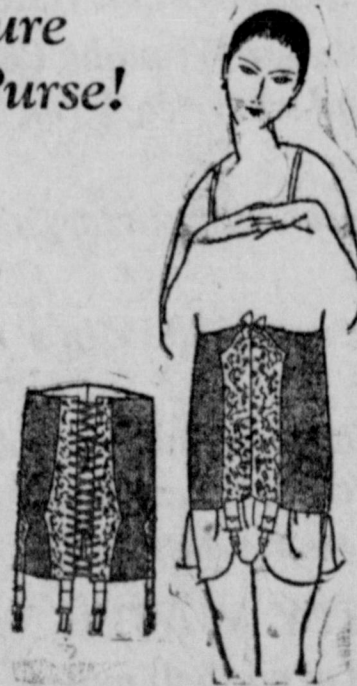
Famous rubber girdle makes you look thin and get thin and is so comfortable you hardly know you have it on. You can wear smaller dresses at once!

New Price Range
\$7.85 to \$12.85
8 Models

NO more waiting to get slender! No matter how bulky your waist nor how heavy your hips, there is a wonderful Madame X Girdle, specially designed to meet your needs—that will make you inches thinner the moment you adjust it!

From a perfectly plain reducing garment to an elaborate, silk trimmed, brocaded corset, dainty enough to wear with the most exquisite evening creation—there is now a Madame X to fulfill every requirement. In flesh or gray—in the popular clasp-front or step-in models. And all made of the highest grade, dry-heat cured, pure rubber! With back lacing to permit easy adjustment.

Gives perfect support. Has no stiff boning nor bulky elastic. Never loses its shape nor its slenderizing effect. Doesn't wrinkle, roll up or "ride up" on the figure. Health authorities and fashion experts recommend it. Come in and have a special fitting!



SPECIAL NEW MADAME X for the STOUT WOMAN

Made of extra-heavy flesh-tinted, brocaded rubber. Specially reinforced over the diaphragm and wherever there is unusual strain. Controls diaphragm bulge. Long enough to hold in and massage the thighs, waist and hips. Requires no stiff boning. Back lacing permits easy adjustment. Reinforcements prevent garters from tearing loose. Silk Brocade Trimmed, \$12.85. Coutil Trimmed \$9.85.

Madame X Reducing Girdle
Makes You Look Thin While Getting Thin

Max Berman
WHERE STYLE PREDOMINATES

(Political Advertising)

VOTE FOR PROGRESS

When you cast your vote for Mayor of Sweetwater, vote for the best interests of Sweetwater--for your own best interests. Weigh carefully the merits of the respective candidates, and if you think I am the best qualified, then I will appreciate your vote and your influence.

I believe thoroughly in this city. I have always given freely of my time to do what I could toward its advancement. My only thought in running for mayor, is a willingness to serve.

It is my desire to see Sweetwater keep up with and if possible, surpass the progress of other west Texas cities, and to make the most of the opportunities that the development of West Texas is bound to give.

From a business standpoint, if elected, I will give my best efforts to secure honesty, efficiency and economy in all departments. I will oppose waste and extravagance. I will not favor one individual or group more than another individual or group.

In other words, I assure you a clean, honest, impartial administration looking to the future progress and prosperity of Sweetwater.

Jas. H. Beall, Jr.

Candidate for Mayor, Tuesday, April 7

SWEETWATER IS WINNER OF MEET

Local Athletes Stack Up Total of 196 Points in Track and Field Events At Interscholastic Meet.

ROSCOE IS SECOND Wins Total of 101 Points--Many Participants in All Events--Large Crowds Attend.

A great increase in attendance and participants, introduction of new and novel events and unusual talent and ability in both literary and athletic contests were the features of the annual Nolan County Interscholastic Meet held here Friday and Saturday. The two day affair closed Saturday with the Senior Boys' track meet at Swatter Park during the afternoon, and a debate at the high school auditorium Saturday night.

The Sweetwater High School won the loving cup offered by the Farmers State Bank, Roscoe, when athlete from the local school ran up a total of 196 points in class A athletic events and clinched the honor of high point school for the meet. The Roscoe athletes were second with a total of 101 points. Merlin Toler, Sweetwater High School athlete, was the high point man for the day, winning five first places for a total of 25 points. A loving cup was offered by the Roscoe State Bank for high point man. Several other loving cups were awarded for various events, and every winner whether first second or third place winners, were awarded suitable prizes in addition to ribbons. The prizes were chiefly cash or merchandise, contributed by Sweetwater business firms. Many schools in the county were represented here by both students and teachers, and a splendid showing was made by every school represented. Among the county schools represented here during the two days of athletic

and literary contests were Roscoe, Dora, Blackwell, Blackland, Valley Creek, Mesquite, Ada, Collins, Nolan, and the four Sweetwater schools. Points were awarded to the first, second and fourth place winners in each event and were, respectively, 5, 3, 2, 1. Events, winners in their respective order, and school represented, follow: Senior boys' track and field events: 100 yard dash; Toler, Sweetwater; Risenger, Roscoe; Mitchell, Sweetwater; Blocker, Roscoe. Time, 10 sec. Class B. 100 yard dash; Bucklow, Dora; Raney, Blackwell; Lilly, East Ward; Oliver, Dora. 50 yard dash; class B; Bucklow, Dora; Cook, Dora; Raney, Blackwell; Lilly, East Ward; Mile run, class A; Willis, Sweetwater; Blocker, Roscoe; Hunter, Roscoe; Wood, Sweetwater. Class B; McLendon, Collins. 440 yard dash, class A; Toler, Sweetwater; Henderson, Roscoe; class B, Scott, Blackwell; Camp, Blackwell; Tatum, Blackwell; 880 yard dash, class

(Political Advertising)

John J. Ford

Candidate for Mayor, solicits your vote and influence and promises if elected a clean, honest, efficient, progressive business administration.

Officially I shall know no friends or foes. Rich and poor alike shall receive the same courteous, fair consideration and treatment.

I stand for a square deal for all.

(Political Advertising)

To The Voters Of Sweetwater And Especially The Ladies

In making my canvass for the office of street commissioner, I have endeavored to see each voter personally. I realize, however, that I have been unable to see each one and take this means of soliciting your vote, providing the following meets with your approval:

I do not ask you to vote for me merely because I am seeking the office but rather want you to first consider the interests of Sweetwater. Then, if you believe that my having made a success of my own business, and standing for good churches, good schools, and good streets where they will do ALL the people the most good, and you believe I can qualify, I earnestly solicit your support and vote. I will endeavor to get 100 per cent value for every dollar of city money expended.

M. C. MANROE

Candidate for Street Commissioner at the City Election Tuesday, April 7.

ings will be held every two weeks at 2:30 o'clock.

New Embroidery Club

Mrs. O. C. Cooper and Mrs. W. O. Cunningham were hostesses Thursday afternoon at the first meeting of the new embroidery club recently organized among the ladies of the south side. A definite name has not been agreed upon but it will probably be named the "S. E. S. Embroidery Club." Mrs. George Moody was the president and Mrs. O. C. Cooper the secretary. Meetings will be held every two weeks at 2:30 o'clock.

A refreshment course of fruit salad sandwiches and fruit punch was served to Mrs. H. D. Skeen, Mrs. Charlie Chitwood, Mrs. J. J. Waggoner, Mrs. Charlie Jones, Mrs. Caution, Mrs. S. Stall, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Brantley, Mrs. Dottery, Mrs. W. A. Stevenson, Mrs. Joe Davis, Bill Burkett and Miss Beasie Revel.

The Woman's Auxiliary, St. Stephens Mission, will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Zumwalt.

East Ward to Meet

The ladies of the East Ward Parent Teacher Association will meet in the auditorium of the school on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 for the election of officers and to attend to other business.

Mrs. W. T. Crowe of Abilene is here visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Crutcher and niece, Mrs. Carl Williams and Mrs. Mike Rogers. Her son, John H. Crowe accompanied her and left Saturday to visit his ranch at Midland.

(Political Advertising)

YOUR WATER COMMISSIONER SHOULD KNOW

*Number and location of all Gate Valves
Difference between Wrought, Cast and Galvanized iron pipe and where each can be used to best advantage.*

Location all city water meters and how to read them.

Proper operation of the city's new filtration plant.

As well as a large number of other technical points connected with the proper operation and maintenance of your water works.

YOUR CITY WATER WORKS

Is worth upward of one half million dollars.

It is a business enterprise that affects every resident of this city. It requires long training as well as ability to properly operate it if the city's interest, your interest, be properly safeguarded and you receive the service you are entitled to.

On the basis of my previous record in this office, I solicit your vote and influence at the coming city election on Tuesday, April 7, and at the same time, as a member of your city commission, I promise a careful consideration of the city's welfare and progress at all times.

L. E. MUSGROVE

A; Risinger, Roscoe; Costephens, Sweetwater; Witherspoon, Roscoe; Allen, Sweetwater; Class B; Wyman, Fairview. High jump; class A; Toler, Sweetwater; Adams, Roscoe; Risenger, Roscoe; Sheridan and Willis, Sweetwater; Class B, Raney and Hargrove, Blackwell; Oliver, Dora; Wallace, Dora; Broad jump, Class A, Toler, Sweetwater; Sheridan, Sweetwater; Herring, Sweetwater; Adams, Roscoe; Class B, Bucklow, Dora; Raney, Blackwell; Hargrove, Blackwell; Lilly, East Ward. Shot put, Class A, Purvis, Roscoe; Sheridan, Sweetwater; Beall, Sweetwater; Adams, Roscoe; Class B, Rogers, Dora; Wallace, Dora; Jones, Dora. 220 yard dash, Class A; Herring, Sweetwater; Mitchell, Sweetwater; Risinger, Roscoe; Sheridan, Sweetwater; Class B, Bucklow, Dora; Lilly, West Ward; Cook, Dora; Oliver, Dora; Mile relay, Class A, finish men, Oliver, Dora; Lilly, East Ward; Discus, Class A; Herring, Sweetwater; Younger, Roscoe; Henderson, Roscoe; Willis, Sweetwater; Class B, Blovom, Dora; Jones, Dora. Pole vault, Class A; Toler, Sweetwater; Risinger, Roscoe; Adams, Roscoe; Cate, Sweetwater; Class B, Cook, Dora; Cross, Dora; Bloxom, Dora.

Junior boys' events:
50 yard dash, Hope, high school; Johnson, East Ward; Young, Roscoe; Becktoe, high school. 100 yard dash, Hope, high school; Young, East Ward; Becktoe, high school; Wood, Dora; High jump, Hargrove, Blackwell; Johnson, East Ward; Oden, Blackwell; Connel, high school; 440 Relay, Becktoe, high school; Hicks, Roscoe; Ault, Blackwell; Johnson, East Ward; Chinning bar, Lindsay, East Ward; Ray, high school; Sanders, East Ward; Nance, Blackwell; Broad jump, Hargrove, Blackwell; Becktoe high school; Allen, Roscoe; Taylor, South Ward.

Senior girls' events:
30 yard dash, Melody Simmons, Sweetwater; Elizabeth McKissick, Sweetwater; Emily Arledge, Roscoe; Lucile Gordon, Roscoe; 50 yard dash, Lula Wells, Sweetwater; Emily Arledge, Roscoe; Melody Simmons, Sweetwater; Lucile Gordon, Roscoe; Relay, Nannie May Jones, Sweetwater; Daisy McCoy, Dora; Emily Arledge, Roscoe; Baseball throw, Lola Brinkley, Dora; Lela Bartlett, Nolan; Irene Harris, Sweetwater; Lona Keorth, Sweetwater. High jump, Lula Mae Wells, Sweetwater; Leona Keorth, Sweetwater; Priscilla Nolin, Sweetwater. Basketball throw, Lola Brinkley, Dora; Irene Harris, Sweetwater; Leona Keorth, Sweetwater; Weight, Roscoe. Broad jump, Melody Simmons, Sweetwater; Elizabeth McKissick, Sweetwater; Opal Allen, Sweetwater; Emily Arledge, Roscoe.

Junior girls' events:
30 yard dash, Vera Baker, West Ward; Clovis Cox, high school; Irma Davis, high school; Fern King Roscoe; 50 yard dash, Vona Jordan, Dora; Mildred Morgan, Roscoe; Stella Whitworth, East Ward; Vie Baker, West Ward. 200 yard relay, Irma Anderson, high school; Irma Baker, West Ward; Mary Webster, South Ward. High jump, Lisa Mae Nann, high school; Vona Jordan, Dora; Varbine Wilson, high school; Zone Shinn, high school; Base ball throw, Inez Snyder, Roscoe; Mary Cutcher, high school; Lucile Cautthen, high school; Edith McGowan, high school. Basketball throw, Daisy McCoy, Dora; Inez Snyder, Roscoe; Edith McCowan, high school; Lucile Cautthen, high school. Broad jump, Vona Jordan, Dora; Zelma Farris, high school; Beatrice Perry, Dora; Chinning bar, Doris Taylor, East Ward; Frances Homer, East Ward; Agnes Boyd, East Ward; Frances Neal, high school.

Literary events:
Spelling, Sub Juniors, Genevieve Holland and Zona Stewart, Valley Creek; Mildred Cook and Olan Emsminger, Dora; James Norris and W. A. Sloan, Roscoe. Junior spelling, Bertha Stewart and Glendon Franks, Valley Creek; Lory Robbins and Rawls Long, Roscoe.

Senior spelling, Helen Sawyer and Burton Herring, Sweetwater; Fred Williams and Tom Henderson, Roscoe; Jewel Hibbert and Eddie Taton, Blackland. Girls' declamation, Senior high schools, Wrieta Risinger, Roscoe; Helen Davis, Sweetwater; Thelma Hanna, Blackwell. Juniors, high schools, Willie B. Sloan, Roscoe; Margaret Hinson, East Ward; Josephine Coleman and Elizabeth Jobe, Sweetwater.

Rural declamation, senior girls, Jewel Hibbit, Blackland; junior girls, Nadine Jameson, Mesquite, Vera Barklow, Ada; Vera Schaffer, Collins; Boys declamation, seniors, Joe Roberts, Roscoe; Lewis Jobe, Sweetwater; Junior boys' declamation, Bennie Ester, Valley Creek; Perry Arnold, Fairview. Junior boys' declamation, Glendon Franks, Valley Creek; Guy Duffey, Maryneal; Dee Anderson, Blackland.

Tiny tots story telling contests, Jan. Boethe, East Ward; Katherine Moore, Valley Creek; Gladys Johnson, West Ward.

Tennis:
Boys' doubles, Harold Homer and Russel Henry, Sweetwater. Boys' singles, Harold Homer, Sweetwater. Girls' doubles, Anita Risinger and Emily Ar-



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Gray Lumber

Ask the man who has built or who is building as to which Lumber is the best. It is a certainty that he will recommend none other than

GRAY QUALITY LUMBER
MAY WE FIGURE ON YOUR MATERIAL NEEDS?

Seek Evidence in Tomb



Authorities have exhumed the body of Mrs. Nelson McClintock, mother of William McClintock, Chicago's "millionaire orphan," for whose death William Shepherd, foster-father, has been indicted. The body was removed after having laid in a tomb 16 years, in an effort to determine whether Mrs. McClintock died of natural causes.



Robert Chapin, Jr., adopted son of Robert W. Champion, millionaire feed manufacturer of Chicago, has disappeared from home. His foster-parents believe that he ran away in a fit of

PORT ARTHUR—An ornamental street lighting system is being arranged for the business district of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Coats and family of 507 Pine street will leave for New Orleans Sunday to spend two months before going to Canada for the summer.

NEW BRAUNFELS—Preliminary work toward construction of the five-million dollar power plant of the San Antonio Public Service Company near here will begin in a few weeks.

TYLER—A franchise has been granted by the city to M. Moorefield of Shreveport to supply this city with natural gas from the Waskom field. Election to approve the franchise will be held in April.

MARSHALL—The Chamber of Commerce shows that the public utility companies in Marshall show from thirty to fifty percent increase in number of customers since the 1920 census.

BALLINGER—An election is to be held soon in this city to vote on a proposed sale of the municipally owned electric light plant to the West Texas Utilities Company.

M'ALLEN—The large annual convention of the Valley Electric and Ice Company managers was held in this city March 9 to 12.

ORANGE—The Orange Ice, Light and Water Company contemplates extending its distribution system into southwestern Louisiana for irrigation pumping plants.

CLEBURNE—Proposed additions to the local Santa Fe Railroad shops will involve an expenditure of about a quarter of a million dollars.

MARION—A modern electric light and power plant is nearing completion in this city.

EL PASO—Tom P. Walker, manager of the El Paso Electric Railway, told the advertising club of this city that his company advertises extensively so the people may know about the equipment and organization behind the services supplied by the company.

CHILDRESS—Materials are on the ground for the construction of the brick, concrete and steel building of the Childress Electric and Ice company's new plant.

GAINSVILLE—Plans are under way here for a white way in the business section of the city including California Street and the courthouse square.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE



Choose Your Easter Ham for Tenderness and Flavor

At Easter only the most tempting and tenderest of hams will do! It must be a young ham—fine grained for easy slicing; just fat enough; with a mild, delicate cure—slowly smoked to bring out the flavor for which Wade's Ham is justly famous. In whichever of the ways you serve it, you'll like the flavor!

How to Bake Your Easter Ham from Wade's

Spiced Baked Ham. For serving the average family, choose a 10 to 12 pound ham. Plunge into boiling water, boil ten minutes, reduce heat and simmer three hours. Take from water, remove skin and bake ham slowly for 1-2 hour with fat side up, basting with a mixture of 1 cup vinegar, 1 cup ham liquor, and 1 teaspoonful of dry mustard. Sprinkle the fat surface with brown sugar, dot over with whole cloves and continue baking until done.

Wade Market

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YOUTH! It Slips Away Like a Melon Seed

The melon seed is between your fingers. Then it's gone. It just slipped away without your knowing it.

Youth, too, is in your grasp. Then it's gone forever after eluding the tips of your outstretched fingers.

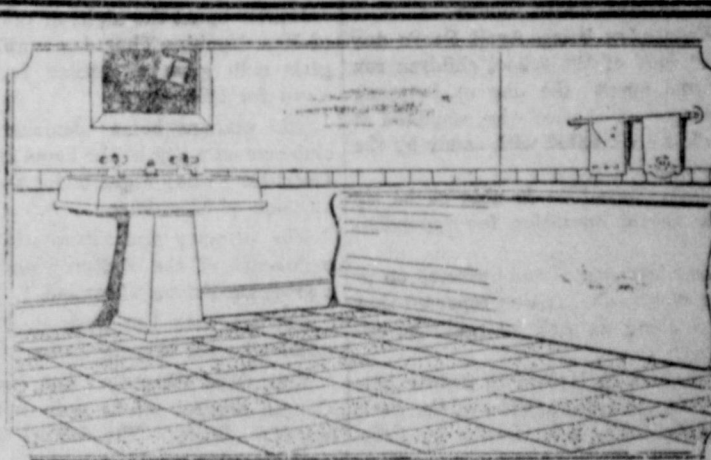
But you can detain youth—make it linger if you choose. For as long as your attractiveness lasts, as long as your health lasts, as long as you feel young, you are young.

You can't look young, or feel young, if you're tired. And what is more tiring than the family washing?

Our Laundry service will help you keep your youth.

For a small cost, everything is washed, ironed and returned. A phone call will bring our representative.

JUST ASK CENTRAL FOR **42**
Sweetwater Laundry Co.
EAST SIDE OF SQUARE



SANITARY CLEANLINESS Is SUPREME Cleanliness

The study of modern sanitary methods is a subject that should be of interest to every HOME OWNER or PROSPECTIVE HOME OWNER, for upon home sanitation, to a great extent, depends the health of the entire family.

CONSULT YOUR PLUMBER

upon this subject as you would consult your physician in sickness. He knows that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure and when it comes through sanitary plumbing he can surely give you the best ideas and suggestions from his study of the theme and his fund of practical experience.

We carry a complete line of the most up-to-date, sanitary fixtures for modern homes. Your bathroom and kitchen are the two most important rooms in your home. Let us attend to them for you.

We are always glad to assist you in the selection of the fixtures you want. Come in and see our display.

Our Prices Are Reasonable

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YOUR PLUMBER

403 Oak Street Phone 371

Pre-Easter Specials

On all Silk Dresses, Coats, Ensembles and Millinery

All During This Week

Here are hundreds of smart Easter Hats for which you usually pay \$5.00 to \$6.00 in all the desirable colors and styles. For our Pre-Easter Special priced..... **\$2.98**

Our famous \$6.85 hats, sold everywhere for as high as \$12.50, during our Pre-Easter Special..... **\$4.85**

All other hats in the house in a wide variety of patterns, materials and colors, priced as high as \$12.50 will be sold during our Pre-Easter Special at..... **\$7.85**

All \$7.50 and \$9.50 dresses in silks and satins and jumper styles, Pre-Easter Specials at

\$5.85

All \$11.85 and \$12.50 dresses in a wide variation of the correct styles and in the most wanted colors. Pre-Easter Specials at

\$9.85



All \$19.75 dresses in all the very newest printed and plain materials, good range of sizes, our Pre-Easter Special at

\$14.95

All \$28.50 to \$32.50 dresses, the last words in either dresses or the popular Ensembles, our Pre-Easter Special at the low price of

\$23.85

A SPECIAL BIG DISCOUNT ON ALL MISSES AND CHILDREN'S MILLINERY AND ON THE BETTER GRADE DRESSES, ENSEMBLES, Etc



Dinner Frock Is Charming



THERE is much charm to this dinner frock of white crepe de chine, draped slightly about the hips and fringed with white silk fringe. It has the ornate skirt and plain bodice that Fashion decrees.

for 1 cent, will now require 1 1-2 cents and it is for this purpose that the stamps were made. They bear a picture of the late President Harding and are brown in color. They will not be sold, however before April 15.

SHOW GAIN

Amarillo Postal Receipts Increase \$9,948.37 Over Past Year

AMARILLO, April 4.—Receipts for the Amarillo post office for the first quarter of 1925 showed a gain of \$9,948.37 over the corresponding period of a year ago, figures given out yesterday by Postmaster W. C. Kenyon show.

Receipts for the quarter were \$48,841.99, compared to \$38,893.62 a year ago. March receipts were \$13,667.52, while those in March 1924 were \$11,861.75. This shows a gain of \$1,805.77 for this year.

The receipts for the first quarter set a record for the Amarillo office, Mr. Kenyon said.

Mrs. P. T. Quast will be hostess Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at a business meeting of the Gleaner's Missionary Society.

Mrs. R. C. Ledford announces a meeting of the Episcopal Auxiliary at her home Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

It's a Bandoleer Necklace



THE new bandoleer necklace is being introduced in New York by Constance Delaney, one of this season's most popular debutantes and Junior Leagueers. It is worn in the over-the-shoulder and under-the-arm fashion that originated in Directoire days, and is decidedly new in this country.

MANY WILL ATTEND

Cisco, April 4.—Largest attendance in the history of the State Firemen's Association is expected at their annual convention which will be held in this city May 12-14 inclusive. For the first time in seven years it is announced, railroads have agreed to authorize free transportation to authorized delegates from each city.

Mrs. Albert Turner presented the Public Library with a package of magazines Friday and Mrs. Guy Morris donated "So Big," Ferber's new book.

P. T. A.'s To Meet.

The Parent-Teacher's Association of the city will hold meetings this week and will conduct the annual election of officers in compliance with the

rules and regulations of the organization. The South Ward will meet Tuesday afternoon at 8 o'clock; West Ward at 8:30 o'clock and High School will meet at 9:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired at all the three meetings.



ONE WEEK UNTIL EASTER

Easter calls for new shoes-- Let us show you the new styles.

Tucker Shoe Dept.

Where You See the New Styles First

Forget the Kidneys Just flush out all the poison

Don't worry about kidney trouble until you see what this does.

The kidneys may be clogged with wastes and poisons, just as the bowels often are. They may need help. Those symptoms which suggest kidney trouble may simply result from that clogging.

That's what so few understand. The kidneys need help just as well as the bowels. They become constipated.

Try this modern and efficient method. It has brought relief to countless people, and stopped their worries.

Drink plenty of water. Start before breakfast. To the morning glass add a little Jad Salts. That will give you a

pleasant, effervescent drink. Jad Salts is made from the acids of lemon and grape juice combined with lithia. Its purpose is to start elimination.

To remove the poisons which afflict. One hour usually brings results. The poisons begin to depart. You can see that relief is coming.

Continue for a week. Stimulate and flush the kidneys. Then note the result. If the pains disappear and the urine clears, be happy.

You owe this to yourself if you have kidney symptoms. And you should start at once. Your druggist has Jad Salts. Learn what it does.

HYLTON NEWS

Special to Reporter.

Mrs. Joe Dunnam is able to be up after several weeks illness.

Wednesday being April Fool's day about half of the school children ran off and spent the day at Dripping Springs. The ones who remained at school were treated with candy by the principal.

Clyde Robertson is able to be up after recent operation for appendicitis.

Grandma Smith was operated on again Wednesday. It was reported that he is doing as well as could be expected.

Everyone in Hylton is feeling better after the rain the first of the week. Rayburn Smith is visiting his father, who has just been operated on.

Mrs. Arthur Duncan returned to her

home in Winters Wednesday.

Miss Lera Hutchins went to Sweetwater Thursday to do some shopping.

Miss Mayme Lou Parr, county Demonstrator spent the night at the home of Mrs. Hutchins Thursday night. The girls club gave a chicken fry that night for Miss Parr.

The women's home demonstration club canned a hog at the home of Mrs. Hutchins Friday night under the supervision of Miss Parr.

The primary and intermediate departments of the Hylton school had a program Friday afternoon.

Jim Magnett has been in Sweetwater all week serving on the jury.

Mrs. Ollie Chastain has been in Temple several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Heck. The doctors report that Mrs. Heck will be able to come home soon.

GET NEW STAMPS

Dallas Postoffice Has Supply Now 1 1-2c Stamps

DALLAS, April 4.—"Did you ever see a 1 1-2c stamp?"

Postoffices in Texas will soon be supplied with them. \$30,000 worth, 2,000,000 of them, have been received by the Dallas postoffice and will be distributed in Texas to postoffices.

Parcel post packages containing printed matter and weighing up to 8 ounces, which were formerly carried



But before you are forced to swat him—prevent him.

Erect a barrier between the inside of your home and the garbage can—a barrier that not only will protect your family from disease carrying insects, but will at the same time permit the free circulation of healthy, fresh air.

Flies have already made their appearance this year, but you can wage a more deadly war against them if you will screen your home.

We will be glad to figure with you on the amount of screen it will take to fully protect your home—and our screen is the kind that lasts.

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT BUILDERS MATERIALS



Things We Cherish

Fragile bits of finger—fine perishable laces that must be handled with the utmost care!

One must have perfect confidence in the hands to which articles like these are entrusted.

Careless or negligent treatment will serve to ruin them. It is only the expert, sensitively trained in handling of dainty things who can successfully reconvert them to their first state of fresh loveliness.

Galbraith's take pride in their ability to satisfactorily clean the dainties; articles of women's wear.

GALBRAITH'S

East Side Square Since 1913

Our 13 Day Forced Sale

--Has been a gratifying success—but feeling that a successful year is assured due to weather conditions, we have decided to extend our sale for 10 MORE DAYS.

FOR EASTER

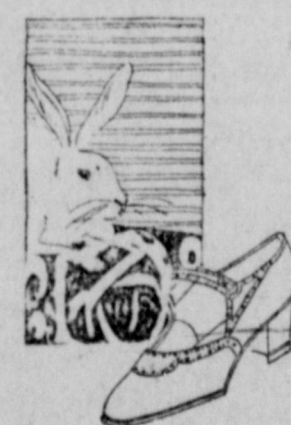
Monday Special

26 x 50 Extra Heavy

Turkish Bath Towels

each

59c



We are now showing the newest creations in footwear for Easter—going in this big sale.

Tuesday Special

Radium Silk

Teddies

regular \$2.95 Values

Only one to a customer at

\$1.89

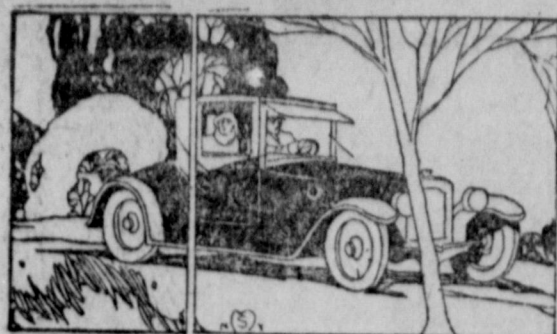
NEWEST CREATIONS IN EASTER MILLINERY

We have just received through the Express many of the very latest creations in Easter Millinery, which we have unreservedly thrown into the melting pot of this big sale. Here you will find hats in all the wanted materials, trims and colors to suit the season.

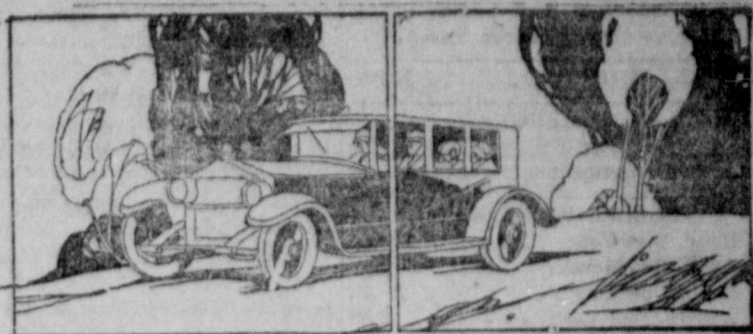
We have also received a shipment of dresses in Silks and Printed Crepes which are going in this sale. We have them in a good range of sizes, and we are sure that you will be delighted with their style and the surprising low price.

H. BERMAN

Where Your \$\$ Count the Most



FOR THE AUTOIST



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 means 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 keeping his present ones pleased.

PIOR TIRE SERVICE Federal Distributors

Vulcanizing Specialists Sweetwater, Texas

Much Interest Over Sale of Dodge Plant

USED CAR PRICE

Ford Adopts New Policy on Used Car Prices

One of the most important steps yet undertaken to protect used-car purchasers and at the same time place the handling of such cars on a more businesslike basis is the announcement by Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company that operating under a company plan Ford dealers will hereafter place a guarantee upon used Ford cars disposed of by them.

The Ford Motor Company is first large automobile concern to take steps in the matter of used cars. Inasmuch as there are about as many Fords in operation in the country as all other makes combined, it is apparent that the action of the Ford Motor Company will exert a wide influence on the marketing of used cars and in improving conditions generally in that phase of the automobile business.

"Every used Ford car represents so much unused transportation and is of value to someone," Mr. Ford said in his statement regarding the plan. "The Ford dealer through his position and intimate knowledge of the car certainly is the best judge as to the value of this transportation—the best to determine a price on the mileage the car may yet be expected to deliver—that's his business.

"If reconditioning is necessary he has the work done by trained Ford mechanics using improved equipment and genuine Ford parts, and with these economies and advantages he is able to offer the car to the purchaser at low cost and with a guarantee covering its mechanical fitness."

NEW YORK, April 4.—Chief interest in auto circles this week centered in the sale of the Dodge Company. Some of the country's most powerful financial interests will be associated with Dillon, Read and Company in financing the purchase of Dodge Brothers Inc., automobile manufacturers, for slightly less than \$175,000,000 in cash.

Although negotiations for control of the huge motor company were carried on single handedly by Dillon, Read and Company, the firm will have the support of a strong banking syndicate in underwriting the transaction and offering security of the new corporation to the public. Allied with Dillon, Read and Company in this connection will be Kuhn, Loeb and Company, the National City Company, Blair and Company, the Chase Security Company, and the Central Union Trust Company all of New York and the First Trust and Savings Company and the Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Company of Chicago.

More than \$100,000,000 worth of stocks and bonds of the new Dodge company will be sold to the public. Although bankers have not yet decided on the total amount of financing, it was estimated in the financial district that by applying part of the Dodge cash reserves to the purchase price, the public offering could be limited to about \$125,000,000.

Dillon, Read's winning bid for the Dodge properties involved the payment of at least \$50,000,000 for "good will," which is believed to be the largest price such an item has ever commanded in a cash transaction.

The General Motors Corporation, in its offer was understood to have valued the Dodge company "good will" at roughly \$34,000,000 basing its estimate on plans to make Dodge a unit in its combination of motor companies.

CHEVROLET TRUCKS SALE

Hold Third Place in Truck Production—Plan Increase

During 1924 the Chevrolet Motor Company was the third largest truck manufacturing concern in the world, being surpassed in the number of trucks sold by only two other automobile companies. Plans are now being formulated which, it is expected, will greatly increase truck sales during the present year and may place Chevrolet in second position for 1925.

There were nearly 24,000 Chevrolet trucks sold last year. These included both the commercial chassis and utility express types, the greater portion sold, however, being the latter type.

An analysis of 1924 sales, R. H. Grant vice president and general sales manager asserts, shows that farmers, dairymen, stock raisers oil dealers and urban business requiring medium weight delivery cars were among the larger buyers of utility express. A considerable number also were used for school busses.

CARS REGISTERED

Ten New Cars Registered With County Tax Collector Last Week.

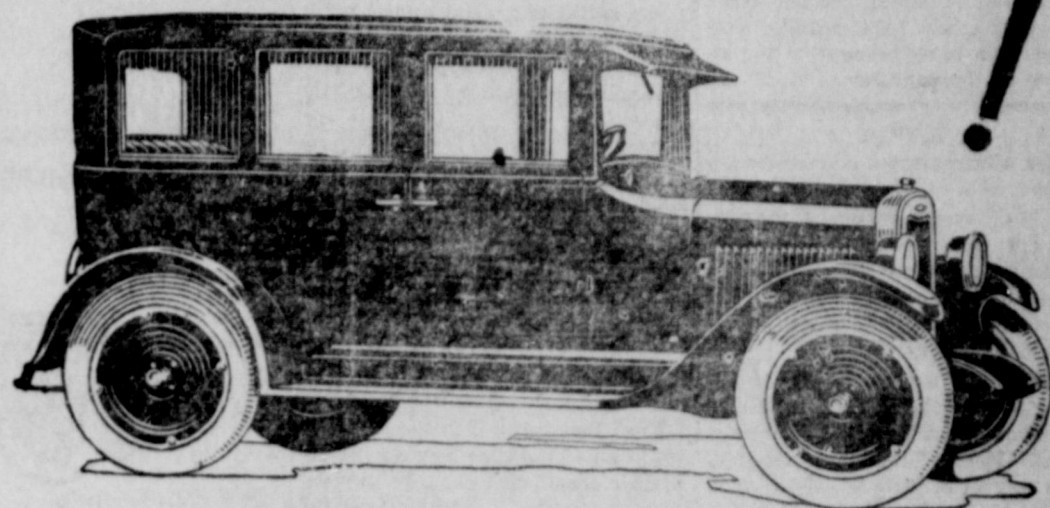
Ten new cars were registered with the county tax collector during the past week, in addition to 22 used cars sold within the city.

New cars purchased during the past week follow:

- Dabney Motor Co. to G. A. Robertson, Ford.
- Dabney Motor Co. to J. B. Sowell, city, Ford.
- Dabney Motor Co. to R. L. Witt, city, Ford.
- E. S. Hughes Co. to I. L. Herrin, Maryneal, Studebaker.
- H. B. Allen to W. E. Ramsey, city, Dodge.
- Dabney Motor Co. to M. D. Hampton, city, Ford.
- Dabney Motor Co. to J. W. Bibb, city, Ford.
- Jas. W. Allen to Miss Fannie Clack, city, Ford.
- Merkel Motor Co. to C. D. Hutchinson, Merkel, Ford.
- H. B. Allen to Fred B. Eldson, Lorraine, Dodge.

France and Germany can settle their difficulties. The stumbling block is their similarity.

Beautiful Fisher Bodies on all Closed Models!



In Our Salesroom Is One Of The New Coaches Ask To See It or Ride In It

THE new Chevrolet closed models have new Fisher bodies more beautiful, more sturdy than ever before. They possess new features of construction such as you find only on the finest cars built.

Streamline design with cowl lights and non-rusting airplane metal radiator—finished in beautiful colors of Duco—coupe and sedan have disc wheels and balloon tires—coach has special artillery wheels and balloon tires. You must see these cars to fully appreciate their unusual value. See them at your nearest Chevrolet Dealers!



for Economical Transportation

C. S. BOYLES
MOTOR COMPANY

416 OAK STREET

Quality at Low Cost

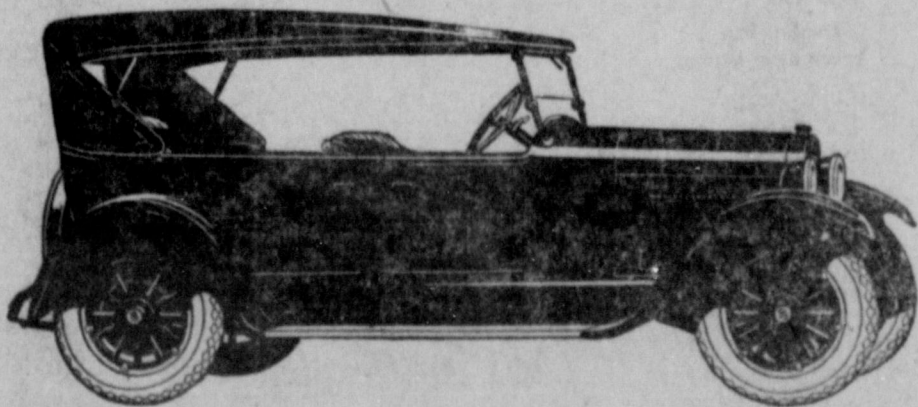
DODGE BROTHERS TOURING CAR

When summer invites you into the country, you will appreciate more than ever the advantages of Dodge Brothers Touring Car. Open to fresh air and sunlight the Touring Car is healthful and delightful to drive

Moreover, it is common knowledge everywhere that Dodge Brothers product is dependable, and will carry you on your way without annoyance—and at small cost.

The price is \$235 f. o. b. Detroit—\$1020 Delivered.

H. B. ALLEN
Sweetwater, Texas



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LIVELY
With a transplanted murder trial, a county wide interscholastic Track Meet and a school election, Sweetwater did not lack for items of interest Saturday. They all had their share of attention.

ELECTION
Perhaps the most encouraging feature of the School Board election Saturday is the fact that so large a number of voters of this town took enough interest in their schools to come out and vote. At that less than one third of the qualified voters of this town were among those present at the polling place.

But the duties of citizens are not ended. The men they have elected to take charge of the destinies of the Sweetwater schools need the continued support of the citizens. No matter how well qualified any man is for an office, if he does not have the wholehearted support of everyone his efforts will have been in vain.

And the Sweetwater Public School system is something that cannot have too much support from anyone.

CHAPMAN
The career of Gerald Chapman, mail bandit extraordinary, seems to have run its course. A jury in Hartford, Connecticut, gave him the death penalty on charges of killing a policeman at New Britain, Conn.

This sentence will save the government considerable of a board bill for Chapman had 23 years of a 25 year sentence at the Federal Penitentiary still to serve.

Chapman is one of the few who escaped from the Federal penitentiary.

Apparently Chapman was just an ordinary product of the New York slums. He was sent up several times for petty crimes of one sort and another until finally he reached Auburn prison, in New York state, where he fell in with one W. A. Anderson. Anderson was a graduate of several European universities and was extremely well educated in crime also. In the course of prison intimacy, Chapman learned all that Anderson knew, which with a native ability that Anderson never had, made of him a dangerous criminal indeed.

Following their release from Auburn, the two lived in New York, pulled several jobs and lived in very fashionable circles. Supplied with inside information, they learned when a mail truck would leave from the Wall street substation to the main postoffice in New York, loaded with valuable mail. From a holdup of this truck, the two secured loot in cash, bonds and jewelry valued at more than \$2,000,000. Passed several months and eventually Chapman and Anderson were arrested convicted of the robbery and sent to Atlanta. Atlanta could not hold them but eventually Chapman was recaptured following the murder of the New Britain policeman.

Incidentally Chapman is not this man's real name. But he has refused to reveal his identity, owing to a brother who holds a responsible position and who would be ruined by the connection.

With the brain nature provided Chapman, there is no telling what heights he could have risen along legitimate lines, had he chosen.

OPEN MIND COLUMN

I feel that I owe it to the people to put in all of my time here on the job in their behalf, and not take any vacation. Hence I shall forego the pleasure of spending the recess at home.

District correspondence relating to business of my constituents is voluminous at all times, and it requires my personal attention just as urgently during recess as it does while Congress is in session. It would surprise you to see the number of requests made: for hearings, extensions, and adjustments of income taxes; hospital treatment, rehabilitation, insurance, compensation, etc., for ex-service men discharged for minors from the army and navy; changes in rural routes; additional help and supplies for post-offices; passports and visas; permits for emigrant relatives; bulletins for farmers; data for students and teachers, etc. I am also examining various bureaus and Commissions. Of course, it would be far more pleasant to come home, and much more profitable to practice law these nine months as some are doing; or to junket with them to Europe, or the Philippines, or to Japan, or to Alaska, as some are doing. But I feel that my salary should be earned, and my entire time given to the people. Will you please

publish this letter for your readers' information so they may address me here, and not in Texas. Thanking you, I am,

Sincerely your friend,
Thomas L. Blanton.

Even a modern couple seems able to get along without a divorce if both parties have sweeties.

There are dreary moments when we think Americans have little in common except pyorrhea.

You can't dodge puzzles. If you don't care for cross-words there are the parking ordinances.

In a hard-boiled world ladies have not yet invented a way to make dimples look sophisticated.

E. L. Barrow of Fort Worth was the guest of Hubert Toler Saturday. He was an old college friend of Mr. Toler's.

ROCHESTER—This city is working for a creamery which is likely to be obtained. Strong efforts are being made to secure it.

Englishmen are not less lawless than Americans, they merely have fewer fool laws to break.

Let us be grateful for comparison; it is all that makes some of our great men great.

RANGER—More than 2,000 acres of Silica land have been found near here and a there is an abundance of cheap gas this section is very inviting to glass factories in that both railroad and highway connection with cities in all directions are already made.

ROBY—Roby is soon to have a new modern 14-room school building with a large gymnasium. Plans are being drawn for this purpose. The new \$30,000 high school building here is nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Parker and son Sam left Saturday night for a visit of several weeks at Shreveport, La., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Whitlatch.

Mrs. Silas George will be hostess Wednesday afternoon at a social meeting of the T. E. L. class.



WHY THERE ARE MORE THAN A MILLION

Buicks are As Good As They Look

By the distinctive appearance of Buick motor cars, you may judge their inner quality. The same engineering thought that developed the Valve-in-Head engine, Sealed Chassis, automatic lubrication, Buick mechanical 4-wheel brakes, and like factors of superior performance, is also responsible for the grace and the symmetry of Buick body lines.

Western Motor Co.

When better automobiles are built, Buick will build them



Even As Grass Before The Mower's Scythe

So man, slowly withering before the touch of Time, and reverting back to the clay from which he sprung, must bow sooner or later to the scythe of Death, the coming of which no one may forestall.

AMPLIFY PREPARING

for the inevitable is a duty which every man owes; FIRST to himself; SECOND, to his family; THIRD, to his creditors.

The Sweetwater Local Progressive MUTUAL ASSOCIATION

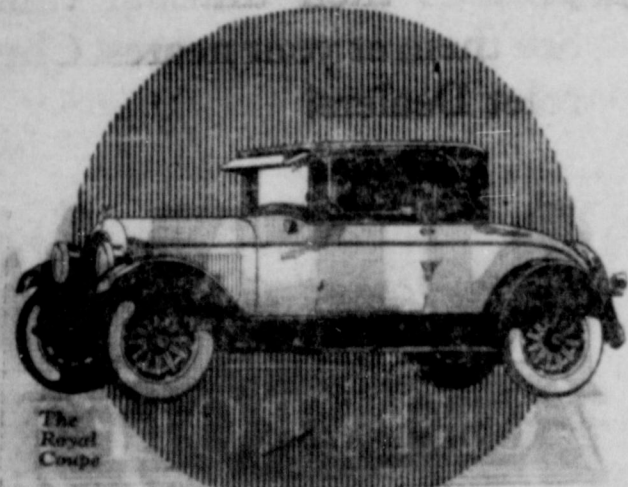
Offers you a cheaper and safe means of providing for your family against the day when you will no longer be able to provide the necessities of life for them.

Many of your friends and neighbors already belong to this Association—ask them about it. A telephone call will bring our representative to explain more fully to you the benefits to be derived from membership in this Mutual Association, or better yet, come into the office and talk to Mr. Davis about obtaining membership. He is always glad to take time to fully explain the BENEFICIAL plans to you.

"Do Not Put Off Until Tomorrow That Which You Can Do Today"

Policies Worth \$2,000. W. W. Davis, Sec.-Treas.

Nothing Like These Results A Year Ago or Now



CHRYSLER SIX

It is no trick to build a car that will go 65 or 70 miles an hour if it has a power plant big enough to haul a freight train.

It's a great achievement to get over 70 miles an hour out of a motor of 3-inch bore and 4 1/4-inch stroke, with gasoline mileage safely above 20 miles per gallon.

And that's the wonder of the Chrysler Six—a wonder so different and so superior that Chrysler was forced to build over 32,000 cars to meet the first-year demand.

Of course you don't want to drive your Chrysler over 70 miles an hour. In fact you may never go that fast. But there is something you do want that only a speed-ability of 70 miles can give.

That something is sure, steady power for steepest hill or deepest sand, a pick-up to flash you out of a traffic tangle, sturdy, dogged pull so you can throttle to five, even two miles an hour, on high without "bucking."

That's Chrysler performance in a nutshell. You surely must drive the car. It's the only way you can fully appreciate that it is the best built car you ever rode in. We are always eager to demonstrate the Chrysler.

- The Touring Car - \$1395
- The Royal Coupe - \$1895
- The Phaeton - 1495
- The Brougham - 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
DISTRIBUTOR

Is The Balloon Tire Here To Stay?

Many people are asking Dunlop, "Is the balloon tire here to stay?" The best answer to this question, in Dunlop's opinion, is that 90 per cent of the new automobile models, at the national shows, were ballooned-tire equipped. Such is the majority approval given by the nation's automotive engineers.

Dunlop's 37 years of world leadership, gained through building the first Pneumatic, the first Clincher, and the first Straight Side Tire, is carried through to DUNLOP BALLOON TIRES—already famous for their extra miles of comfort.



Every 2-1-2 Seconds
Somewhere in the world someone buys a

Dunlop Balloon Tires
—Dunlop has never done better.

DUNLOP
Built on honor to honor its Builders

DUNLOPS

Made by the Founders of the Pneumatic Tire Industry

SWEETWATER MOTOR CO.

"At Your Service"

for a premium.
Littlefield is fast becoming a con-
vention city and are planning to en-
tain 6,000 to 7,000 visitors at the
Plains-Plateau Singing Association.

merce at Strawn the city will close
its doors and the entire population
will go to Mineral Wells May 4-5-6
for the seventh annual convention of
the West Texas Chamber of Com-
merce.

"Wanted—a couple who will get
married at the R & R Palace Theater
Monday night.
If not Monday night, then Tuesday
night.
Many valuable gifts await the lucky
couple.

Henry Rogers, manager for the R
& R interests in Sweetwater, started
the ball rolling by advertising the past
week for a bride and bridegroom who
would get married at the Monday nite
performance—or possibly Tuesday nite
performance at the Palace. He offers
to pay the minister and for the license
and will furnish lights, music and a
very attentive audience.

But that is only the beginning of
the gifts offered by local merchants,
who are cooperating with the theater
management.

It is known that a number of local
engaged couples are figuring on the
proposition and it will be a topic of
conversation at the regular Saturday
night and Sunday authorides. One thing
certain, the wedding gifts will be nu-
merous and very much worth while.
But they must be claimed Monday or
Tuesday nights. The offer will be with-
drawn after that.

LYRIC

It's at the Lyric Theater and Wil-
liam Fairbanks and Eva Novak are
co-starring in the first of a series of
Perfection Pictures. The Battling Fool
has all the charm of a rural life mixed
with big town stuff. The story tells
of a young man who fights through
difficulties, his own father has turned
against him. Alone he fights to gain
the health and happiness of the girl
he loves and circumvents a rascal who
seeks to wed her and ruin her father.

PALACE

Mother love has been called the
most wonderful thing in the world. So
fierce is the love for offspring that
animals will attack intruders many
times their size, with a savagery so
intense as to be unaccountable.

"Her Marriage Vow," the screen
version of the famous play by Clyde
Fitch, revolves around this same mo-
ther love. It is coming to the Palace
Theater next week, beginning Monday,
and is being anticipated by all screen
lovers.

When Carol, the mother, driven
away from children and husband, finds
the situation unupportable, she braves
a blinding storm of rain, thunder and
lightning, first, with no other purpose
than to see her loved ones, but on an

Heading the cast of this Warner
Bros. Classic of the Screen are Bever-
ly Bayne, Monte Blue, Willard Louis,
Margaret Livingston and John Roche.

MRS. MEHARG BETTER

Secretary of State Recovering From
Appendicitis Operation

By United Press.

LUBBOCK, April 4.—Mrs. S. W.
Meharg, secretary of State, was re-
ported tonight to be convalescing from
an appendicitis operation here Friday
night.

Mrs. J. I. Payne will be in charge
of the missionary program to be given
Monday afternoon in connection with
the regular business meeting of the
Woman's Missionary Society at the
Methodist Church.

GIRARD—A meeting of road en-
thusiasts from Kent and Dickens coun-
ties will be held here on April 13th
for the purpose of perfecting plans
to vote bonds for the purpose of pay-
ing State Highway No. 18 popularly
known as the Central Texas Plains
Highway. This highway provides a
short cut between Central, North and
South Texas and the Panhandle, Cen-
tral and North Plains and Colorado.

caused here are underway. When
finished this will be another beautiful
structure for West Texas.

To San Antonio.

Murray Hubbard and J. M. Simms
left Saturday night for San Antonio
to attend a state meeting of the W. O.
W. lodge, as representatives of the lo-
cal camp. Mr. Simms' friends are run-
ning him for state delegate to the
National meeting this summer. Mrs.
J. H. Fultz attended as delegate from
the Woodman Circle. A Woodmen
special car came down from Amarillo
Saturday afternoon loaded with Pan-
handle and Plains delegates.

Dr. and Mrs. K. M. Hughes chape-
ronned five couples of young people
Friday evening on a picnic party at
Wight's Springs.

Local Musicians to Broadcast.

The Sweetwater Violin Choir has
been invited to broadcast from Station
WFAA Dallas News, on the even-
ing of May 8th from 8:30 o'clock to
9:30. A violin quartette from the high
school club will also render some spe-
cial numbers on this program.

Miss Lucy Cutbirth has resigned her
position with Mrs. W. W. Hudson to
assist her mother, Mrs. Lige Cutbirth
with violin classes.



When Distance Means Nothing!

THOUGH FAR FROM HOME, you are ever present in
mother's thoughts.

A photograph of yourself will help bridge the miles—
will banish the pain of absence.

What could be more pleasing to her than this expression
of your affection and consideration.

Make her Easter a happy one with an exquisitely fin-
ished likeness of yourself.

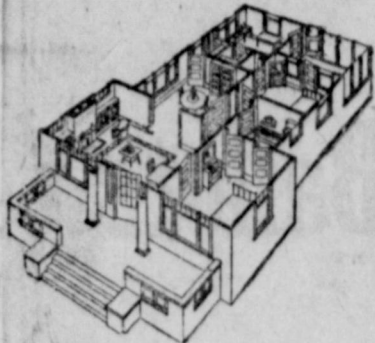
WILLIS ART GALLERY

Phone 214 for Appointment



Plan No. 230.

Make Your Dream of Home Come True!



Never before in the his-
tory of Sweetwater has
there been such a scarcity
of rentable houses and a-
partments. Property val-
ues are soaring higher
every day. Rents are go-
ing up with them! So the
logical thing for every sane thinking man to do is to

BUILD YOUR OWN HOME

You may think it will take "too much money" to build a home
like you want. It won't! We'll be more than glad to give you
the benefit of our years of experience, and we can offer savings
suggestions in the building of the kind of HOME you want.

Own Your Own Home This Spring

Burton-Lingo Co.

PIONEER HOME BUILDERS



Easter's Symphony

The Joyous Spirit of Easter is best expressed in music.

The BRUNSWICK always faithfully reproduces for you the inspired
performance of the greatest artists in existence—whether it be golden
voice, or superb instrument in sensitive hands.

Or sit down, and at a piano of exquisite tone, be your own medium in
interpreting the exultant mood of the season.

EASTER SHEET MUSIC

EASTER RECORD MUSIC

Geo. Allen Music House

SWEETWATER, TEXAS

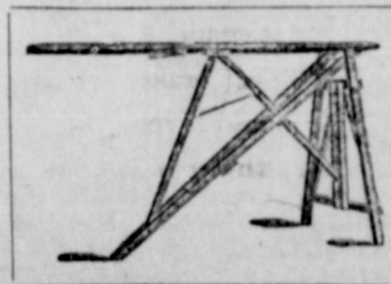
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS



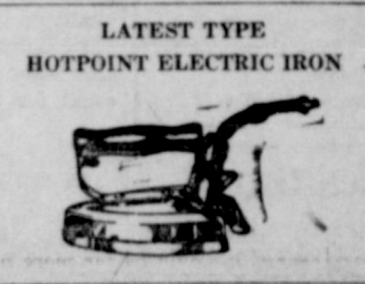
Extraordinary Offer

COMPLETE

Ironing Equipment



85c
Down



LATEST TYPE
HOTPOINT ELECTRIC IRON

Places This \$11.00 Electric
Ironing Outfit In
Your Home

You pay only 85c down, balance of \$8.00, \$1.00 per
month with your electric light bill

THE HOTPOINT IRON

is the most satisfactory iron. It is durable. A heavily
constructed heating element assures a maximum
heat without danger of overheating. It is easy to
iron with the highly polished nickel surface gliding
along over the cloth, smoothing wrinkles as it goes.
The gracefully pointed nose makes it easy to go into
ruffles. It has its own non-scorching stand to tilt
it back on.

THE RID-JID BOARD

Cannot wobble, wiggle, slip or slide. It weighs but
14 pounds and can easily be carried to and from the
storage closet. It folds compactly to only 2 1/2
inches thick and can be placed out of sight almost
anywhere. It always stands level, has conveniently
open end and will not fall unexpectedly.

Only one of these outfits to a customer on this
Special Offer

West Texas Electric Co.

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Announce the removal of their
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ted and Furnished.
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YES

—we are wrecking cars. All
standard parts for sale, new and
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North Side Filling Station
On Oil Mill Road.
Chas. Strainer

Did You Know?

That we have the most complete
stock of new and used auto parts
in West Texas? Come down and
see.

Auto Parts Co.
211 Galveston Street
Opposite Light Plant

**MAGNOLIA FILLING
STATION**
FREE
CRANK CASE SERVICE
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UNDERTAKERS

**WRIGHT
FURNITURE COMPANY**
Undertakers and Embalmers
Day Phone 549
Night Phone 423

**Cliff Richardson
Transfer**
Light or Heavy Hauling
Residence Phone 249
Business Phone 248

**Candidates Standing
Is Remarkably Even**

An appeal is made to the workers in the great circulation drive for the Daily and Weekly Reporter to consider that the splendid opportunity to win the highest vote by getting the most subscriptions for this week and up to Saturday night, April 11, 1925, so as to share in the awarding of the thirty prize ballots for the two weeks. This announcement is made in the most emphatic manner, that it is only going to require a comparatively small amount of subscriptions to win the prize ballots and those who win them will have a decided advantage to come out with the "most votes" at the final close of the drive on Saturday night, April 25, and be the winners of the three new model Chevrolet touring cars and all of the thirty valuable prizes.

The workers who do not pay attention to the rumors that are going around that it will require more or less money to win the automobile and the other prizes, and that there are certain ones who have put in some money for subscriptions, which is absolutely incorrect, and will make an honest effort to secure every subscription possible, will be the winners. It is very sure that those who have a very high vote at this time could possibly know that there are a number of subscriptions it would take to win the prize ballots, there are many who would get the necessary amount of subscriptions. Their friends would come to their aid at this important time and put them over for the highest vote so that they could win the highest prizes.

The free voting coupon is going down to a very small vote and will continue to go down to a smaller one. The big vote that has already been secured by those who have gotten a vote from the coupon as a protection with such a high vote and the odds are too great to invite anyone to spend money for the subscriptions.

The coupons will be published every day until Friday, April 10, when the last coupon will have been published. All coupons that are out will be good until Monday, April 20.

The last big opportunity is to win one of the thirty prize ballots.

All subscriptions sent in Monday, after which time each subscription will count for the third and last period vote.

STANDING OF CANDIDATES

DISTRICT ONE	
A	
Mrs. Ben H. Alden, 404 Elm Street	3,439,000
Miss Isabel Ayers, Mulberry Street	3,448,500
B	
Mrs. T. E. Baldwin, 208 Locust Street	3,425,000
Miss Audra Bell Brewster, Walnut Street	3,159,000
Miss Ethel Barry, 909 Pecan Street	3,427,500
Mrs. W. E. Barcus, 311 E. N. 2nd	3,425,000
C	
Mrs. H. G. Charles, 1095 Locust Street	3,428,000
Miss Pearl Conway, Lamar Street	3,436,500
Mrs. W. N. Crosthwaite, 311 Pine Street	3,452,000
E	
Miss Ruby Elliot, 111 Lamar Street	3,457,000
Mrs. J. J. Erwin, 1009 Elm Street	3,438,000
Mrs. T. A. Ezell, Mart Hotel	3,496,500
F	
Miss Minnie E. Fowler, 305 E. N. 5th	3,420,500
G	
Miss Edith Green, E. N. 2nd St.	3,417,000
J	
Miss Bessie Johnson, 400 E. S. 1st	3,236,000
M	
Miss Elizabeth McKissick, Trammell Hill	3,247,500
N	
Mrs. F. J. Neal, 400 E. N. 3rd	3,489,000
Mrs. Otis Neely, Crane Street	3,226,000
O	
Miss Nita Otey, 200 W. N. 5th	3,476,500
P	
Mrs. George Parker, 604 W. N. 3rd	3,487,750
R	
Mrs. G. D. Reiden, 808 E. N. 2nd	3,453,000
Miss Ernestine Roy, 213 Grape Street	3,238,000
Mrs. Mike Rogers, E. N. 2nd Street	3,423,500
Mrs. Myrtle Robertson, Pine Street	3,199,500
S	
Miss Sarah Steele,	

Locust Street	3,477,000
Miss Mildred Samms, 512 E. S. 2nd	3,205,000
Miss Edna Shook, 507 N. W. 6th	3,479,000
T	
Mrs. Jim Trammell, 204 Bowie Street	3,467,000
W	
Mrs. Louis Walker, Bradford Addition	3,237,000
Miss Lois Watson, Mulberry Street	3,478,000

DISTRICT TWO BLACKWELL, TEXAS	
Miss Allen English	3,237,000
Miss Edith Craig	3,186,000
HERMLEIGH, TEXAS	
Mrs. Dallas F. Whaley	3,435,000
HYLTON, TEXAS	
Miss Myrtle Lewellen	3,189,000
Miss Pearl McGinley	3,427,000
HAMLIN, TEXAS	
Miss Thelma Hooper	3,409,000
IRA TEXAS	
Miss Thelma Miller	3,250,000
LONGWORTH, TEXAS	
Miss Lois Davis	3,463,500
Mrs. Warren Strobel	3,249,000
Miss Lois Justiss	3,473,000
LORAIN, TEXAS	
Miss Faye Sykes	3,229,000
Mrs. Otha Thompson	3,238,000
MCCAULEY, TEXAS	
Miss Grace Journagin	3,247,500
Miss Jewell Hine	3,247,000
MERKEL, TEXAS	
Miss Minnie Ferguson	3,457,000
ROBY, TEXAS	
Miss Syble Lambert	3,365,000
Miss Ariena Edmondson	3,247,000
Mrs. Tom McWhirter	3,228,000
ROSCOE, TEXAS	
Miss Ione Haynes	3,456,000
Miss Johnnie Lee Adams	3,493,000
Mrs. A. J. Parker	3,489,500
Miss Areta Risinger	3,227,500
Miss May Younger	3,250,000
Miss Ouida Clemons	3,449,500
ROTAN, TEXAS	
Miss Elsie Hugel	3,496,000
Miss Eva Dry	3,250,000
Mrs. J. E. Day	3,179,000
ROYSTON, TEXAS	
Miss Linda Polk	3,487,500
Mrs. Jasper W. Stephens	3,247,000
SYLVESTER, TEXAS	
Miss Mildred Williams	3,236,000
TRENT, TEXAS	
Mrs. E. M. Braselton	3,249,000
Miss Dove Smith	3,489,000
Miss Gertrude Dowdy	3,455,000
Miss Opal Boone	3,237,500
WESTBROOK, TEXAS	
Miss Nona Lee Guthrie	3,243,000
Miss Anna Bell Bailey	3,217,000
Miss Lucy Norman	3,221,000
WINGATE, TEXAS	
Mrs. Josie Shafer	3,459,500
Mrs. Albert Hurt	3,405,000

DISTRICT THREE BLACKWELL, TEXAS	
Miss Clara Keating	3,074,500
Mrs. Leamon Stokes	3,429,500
Miss Myrtle Henry	3,436,000
Mrs. G. W. Cochran	3,467,000
Miss Alma Gore	3,468,500
Miss Velma Haggerton	3,455,000
DORA, TEXAS	
Miss Daisy McCoy	3,444,000
HAMLIN, TEXAS	
Miss Merle Eaton	3,248,000
Miss Grace Hill	3,179,000
HAMLIN, RURAL ROUTE	
Miss Elsie Riddle	3,467,000
Mrs. J. H. Bankston	3,297,000
HERMLEIGH, RURAL ROUTE	
Mrs. Guy Thrash	3,197,500
Mrs. Betty Dean	3,472,000
Mrs. Doss Manor	3,186,500
Miss Orveta Slater	3,228,000
ROUTE TWO	
Mrs. T. J. Weaver	3,469,500
Mrs. J. E. Mason	3,227,000
Miss Edith Drennan	3,465,000
Miss Annie Lee Jagers	3,467,000
INABALE, TEXAS	
Miss Alta Jean	3,463,000
IRA, TEXAS	
Miss Lydia Christian	3,471,000
KNAPP, TEXAS	
Miss Maybelle Treavey	3,250,000
LORAIN, RURAL ROUTE	
Miss Edna Netherlin	3,479,000
Miss Daisy Nurrell	3,475,500
Miss Florence Finley	3,176,000
Miss Thelma Black	3,468,000
MCCAULEY, TEXAS	
Mrs. W. H. Pickron	3,245,500
Miss Esther Young	3,448,000
NOLAN, TEXAS	
Miss Vandelia Smith	3,470,000
Miss Bertha McClure	3,235,000
Mrs. Jessie Oakley	3,475,000
Mrs. A. B. Seward	3,469,500
MERKEL, ROUTE FIVE	
Mrs. D. R. Snow	3,458,000
HYLTON, TEXAS	
Miss Bell Clack	3,472,000
PYRON, TEXAS	
Miss Elsie Shattles	3,481,500
Miss Ida Soules	3,463,000
Miss Topsey Britton	3,487,000
ROBY, ROUTE A	
Miss Gladys Witt	3,250,000
Miss Myrtle Carter	3,246,000
Miss Gladys McCrary	3,197,500

ROSCOE, TEXAS, ROUTE A	
Mrs. Chester Holt	3,486,000
Miss Ila Towe	3,484,000
ROSCOE, TEXAS, RURAL ROUTE	
Miss Mary Osborne	3,237,500
Miss Bee Paxton	3,475,000
Miss Lorene Rankin	3,472,000
Miss Lois Badgley	3,195,500
Mrs. J. I. C. Haygood	3,465,000
Mrs. Albert Gardner	3,477,000
ROTAN, ROUTE A	
Mrs. Lee Henson	3,489,000
Mrs. Aud Jerrald	3,207,000
ROTAN, TEXAS, ROUTE ONE	
Mrs. W. B. Royalty	3,456,000
Miss Hazel McCombs	3,471,000
Miss Jessie Mae Fox	3,475,000
Mrs. G. J. Acker	3,480,000
ROTAN, TEXAS, ROUTE TWO	
Miss Lizzie Lee	3,237,500
Mrs. Dolly Gabel	3,478,000
Miss Maude Molze	3,486,000
SNYDER ROUTE A	
Miss Lilla Casey	3,475,000
SWEETWATER, ROUTE A	
Miss Theta Nolen	3,218,500
Miss Vivian Carrell	3,243,000
Miss Cleo Fleming	3,477,000
Mrs. May Landers	3,481,500
Miss Almarina McBurnett	3,484,750
Miss Beatrice Carson	3,239,000
Miss Dovie Sanders	3,217,000
Miss Winnie Parsons	3,457,000
Miss Bettina Howard	3,476,500
Mrs. E. F. Smith	3,237,000
Mrs. Frank Hale	3,472,500
SWEETWATER, ROUTE B	
Mrs. Floyd Woods	3,481,000
Mrs. Gladys Brown	3,453,500
Miss Lelia Webb	3,487,750
Miss Ardona Pollard	3,247,500
Mrs. Ila Grant	3,500,000
Miss Helen Neblett	3,250,000
Miss Era Barnes	3,226,000
Miss Clara Mae Talley	3,498,500
Miss Mary Myrtle Nunn	3,485,000
SWEETWATER, STAR ROUTE	
Miss Ella Mae Boyd	3,448,000
Miss Velma Childress	3,451,000
Mrs. Grover Montgomery	3,494,500
Mrs. W. H. Bradberry	3,437,000
Miss Blanche Guthrie	3,472,500
Miss Hassie Price	3,475,000
SYLVESTER RURAL ROUTE	
Miss Mildred Cheatham	3,179,500
Mrs. Paul B. Murff	3,481,000
WASTELLA, TEXAS	
Mrs. Jim Gibson	3,475,000
Miss Susie Lindsay	3,186,000

WHITE POND NEWS

Professor and Mrs. Hendrickson took their baby to the doctor at Anson Monday afternoon.

Miss Lucile Galloway visited in the home of Miss Ina Galloway Monday night.

This community has had two schools to burn this term of school. About six weeks ago the four room school building burned. School books, etc., had been moved to the Woodman Hall and the session again started, when the building caught fire and was destroyed.

Mrs. J. W. Hendrickson has just received a shipment of pure Barred Rock baby chicks.

Mrs. A. B. Brown and little daughter Wanda, spent Monday with Mrs. Charlie Galloway.

A group of young people went skating at Plasterco Sunday afternoon.

A. B. Brown and family visited at Plasterco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Raney visited at C. M. Galloways Monday.

J. W. Galloway who received a dislocated knee while playing ball at Toby Saturday, is some better.

White Pond is observing "Clean Up" week, noted from the number of trash piles going up in smoke.

Miss Gertrude Brown and Ollie Lee were in McCauley Wednesday afternoon.

A number of young people attended the show in Hamlin Saturday night.

Horace Ford, telephone operator of Swenson, visited in the W. E. Rogers home Wednesday night.

The children had quite a bit of fun April 1st by seeing the professors trying to get in the school house, it was necessary to call the pupils in from recess with a whistle, as the children had hid the bell.

There are a number of Nainda pupils coming to White Pond since the school house in that community was burned.

Mrs. A. C. Galloway spent the afternoon with Mrs. W. K. Rogers Wednesday afternoon.

Albert Galloway began drilling for water on his farm Thursday.

Progress is being made on Mr. Peacock's house. The frame work is up.

Noah Miles of McCauley visited in M. C. Lee's home Wednesday night.

Preparations are being made by S. F. Myers to remodel his house.

The Senior boys were out with the farm level Thursday. They are preparing themselves for county agents.

Leonard Maberry came home from Fort Worth, where he went for an operation.

**Win The
Chevrolet Sedan!**

*Sweetwater Reporter Daily and Weekly Drive for
New Subscribers*

Offer Prize Ballots

Millions of Extra Votes to Be Awarded Workers

Thirty Prize Ballots will be offered for the most paid subscriptions for two weeks to the 30 workers residing in any of the districts. The district lines are withdrawn for this offer and the most subscriptions secured for the two weeks by anyone residing in any of the three districts will win the thirty Prize Ballots. This is competition among the three districts. To win the highest ballot, 3,500,000 votes, will no doubt cinch the Sedan car for the district that wins it. The offer will run for two weeks and end on Saturday, April 11th. On Saturday, April 11th, the second regular vote ballot will close to the last period, which will run until the end of the drive, April 27th.

A club vote of 240,000 for \$12.00 proportioned for over or under a \$12.00 club will be issued to all workers besides the regular votes for subscriptions during the Thirty Prize Ballot Offer for the two weeks.

1st. Prize Ballot	3,500,000
2nd. Prize Ballot	3,250,000
3rd. Prize Ballot	3,000,000
4th. Prize Ballot	2,900,000
5th. Prize Ballot	2,800,000
6th. Prize Ballot	2,700,000
7th. Prize Ballot	2,600,000
8th. Prize Ballot	2,500,000
9th. Prize Ballot	2,400,000
10th. Prize Ballot	2,300,000
11th. Prize Ballot	2,200,000
12th. Prize Ballot	2,100,000
13th. Prize Ballot	2,000,000
14th. Prize Ballot	1,900,000
15th. Prize Ballot	1,800,000
16th. Prize Ballot	1,700,000
17th. Prize Ballot	1,600,000
18th. Prize Ballot	1,500,000
19th. Prize Ballot	1,400,000
20th. Prize Ballot	1,300,000
21st. Prize Ballot	1,200,000
22nd. Prize Ballot	1,100,000
23rd. Prize Ballot	1,000,000
24th. Prize Ballot	900,000
25th. Prize Ballot	800,000
26th. Prize Ballot	700,000
27th. Prize Ballot	600,000
28th. Prize Ballot	500,000
29th. Prize Ballot	400,000
30th. Prize Ballot	300,000

Classified Section

All Classified Ads must be in the Reporter office not later than 11 A. M. on the day of publication. Rates 1c per word per insertion, minimum charge 30c for first insertion.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms, modern conveniences, couple without children. Phone 689-J. 7-tfc

FOR RENT—Building now occupied by Dahney Motor Co., possession June 1. Rufus Wright. 5tfc

FOR RENT—1 nicely furnished bedroom. Phone 688. 30tfc

FOR RENT—Four room unfurnished house, all modern conveniences, apply 500 NW 2nd St.

FOR SALE—Four room house, well built, all modern conveniences, corner lot, trees, good buy. Kendrick-Thompson Agency. 109 North West Third. 43tfdh

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom in modern home. Phone 686. Mrs. J. A. J. Bradford. 52-6tfc

FOR SALE—Tomato plants. McGee and Stone. Phone 691-J. 52t8p

FOR RENT—One large front bedroom, furnished, in modern house. Breakfast if desired. 307 East South 4th St. 53-3tdp

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping, modern conveniences. 104 Patterson St. Phone 284. 52-3tdc

FOR SALE—Good kitchen range, burns either coal or wood. Almost new. Phone 16. 53-3tfc

FOR SALE—1924 model Ford touring car. First \$225 gets it. Phone 581. 53tfc

FOR SALE—Airedale pups, three months old, \$5.00 each. See Elroy Welkie, Sweetwater, Texas. Phone 9024-F1. 1twp

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping, all conveniences. Phone 682. 54t8p

LOST—Between South Third and Musgrove St., Tuesday evening, a Stone Martin choker. Reward will be given for return. Phone 31. Mrs. Gus Behney. 53-3tdc

FOR RENT—Bedroom. 311 N. E. 2nd. Phone 106. 55t6c

FOR RENT—Good five room house with two lots in northwest part of town. I Lee Lusk, Real Estate & Insurance. 55tfc

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms; all modern conveniences. Jim Collins at T.P. Freight Depot. 55t6c

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms with sink and bath. 309 E. N. 5th St. Phone 643. 55t1c

FOR RENT—Four room cottage with bath and garage. \$35.00 per month. 903 Locust St. 55t8c

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping at 100 Hickory Phone 377. 54t6c

BOY IS BURIED

Funeral Charles Perry Held Saturday From Home Grandparents

The funeral of Charles Edward Perry was held from the residence of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shifflette, Saturday afternoon at 3:30. The funeral party arrived in Sweetwater Saturday morning from Casa Grande, Arizona, following the boy's death Thursday. The boy's parents were unable to accompany the body owing to the serious illness of other children in the family.

Rev. J. R. Henson pastor of the First Methodist Church had charge of the services and interment followed in the city cemetery.

Among those who attended from

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 Barwell

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

RESIDENCE in Slaton, Texas, to trade for Sweetwater property. I. Lee Lusk, Real Estate and Insurance. 53t8c

HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent. Apply Texas Cafe. 44tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

EXTRA LARGE Cabbage plants, tomato, sweet and red hot pepper. 300 El Paso St. J. J. Mundy. 52t4p

Sale of embroidery and beadwork. Nice selection to select from. Stamping done. 910 E. N. Third Street. Phone 516-J. 50t4p

REAL ESTATE LOANS—To buy or to build a home or to pay off indebtedness. Also farm loans. Investigate our plan. Kendrick-Thompson Agency, 109 W. North Third St. 24tfc

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper and stenographer; dictation necessary. Apply in person at Hotel Wright. 36tfc

FOR SALE—Two small bungalows; close in; just completed. Price and terms reasonable. Phone 616. 37-4tfc

SODA FOUNTAINS, carbonators, drug confectionery and restaurant fixtures, showcases, candy refrigerators, cases, new and second hand; low prices and easy terms. Southern Fountain and Fixture Manufacturing Company, Dallas, Texas.

FOR SALE—Real live minnows, 25c per dozen. Also registered Jersey bull. Davis Wagon Yard. 43t12p

WILL TRADE touring car in good condition for good vendors lien notes. Call 180 of 635. 49-5t1p.

LOST—Two horse mules, last heard of near Santa Fe lake. Both in bad condition and old, have not been sheared lately. One is black and one red. Phone 694 or leave information at McGinty Gro. Store. 54-1t1p

BABY CHICKS—Use Purina Starline (buttermilk feed) and Purina Baby Chick Chow (mixed grain) for better results. This is the best balanced ration feed in the world. Feed the Purina Way and watch double development. S. Edwards Grain Co. 55-1t1c

FOR SALE—Thrifty well rooted plants, postpaid; 200 cabbage 55c, 1000 \$2.00; 200 onion 40c, 1000 \$1.50; 200 tomato 65c, 1000 \$2.50; 100 big transplanted tomato 65c; beet collard, eggplant, pepper, pansy, pink, sweet William, carnation, verbena, and other flowers. Circular, Walton, Conroe, Texas. 55-3t4p

FOR SALE—1924 model Dodge touring car. Slightly used. A-1 condition. Phone 330. 55-3t1c

WANTED—Any kind of office or home work suitable for woman or girl. Call at 500 W. N. 3rd St. Phone 396. 55t6c

out of the city were: George Perry, Lamasa; Mrs. E. L. Busby, China Springs; Mrs. John Lacena and daughter, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Bartlett and daughter, Lanelle, Plainview; and Mrs. J. C. Moore and daughter, Wanda, Plainview.

Mary-Martha Class Party

A varied program was enjoyed by the members of the Mary-Martha Class who met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Otto Carter for their social and business meeting. Mrs. B. L. Clayton and Mrs. L. Roden shared the duties of hostess with Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Jackson occupied the chair and Mrs. Stella Pratt led the opening prayer following the song, "Work for the Night is Coming"; Mrs. Joe H. Boothe read a scripture lesson from 16th chapter of Matthew. The members had brought the spring wardrobe of Maud Murray, a little Waco Orphan Home Girl, who is dressed by the class. All of the garments were admired and will be sent to her before Easter.

A merry "April Fool" game was played and each guest was allowed to pass into the beautifully decorated dining room after fishing for Easter Novelties. Ms. M. E. Kyle drew the prize package and was given a knife to cut the big white cake centering the table, which proved an impossible task. Musical numbers were rendered by Misses Irene Harris, violin, and Miss Thornhill, mandolin, with Thelma Carter at the piano.

Sherbet and cake was served and all kinds of Easter emblems were given as favors.

Washington couldn't tell a lie. He would have been a poor witness in a divorce suit.

AN ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, that fishing in Lake Trammell, in the future, will be permitted upon the following terms and conditions, to-wit:

All persons who shall fish in said lake shall first obtain a permit to do so from the Commissioner No. 1, which permit shall be in printed form executed and signed by said Commissioner No. 1.

The following charges for such permits are hereby fixed, and shall be collected by said Commissioner No. 1, before the issuance of the same, to-wit:

For resident citizens of the City of Sweetwater, for one day, the sum of one dollar;

For any one residing outside the limits of the City of Sweetwater, for one day, one dollar and fifty cents;

For anyone residing outside the limits of the City of Sweetwater, for one year, the sum of fifteen dollars.

If such permits be issued to the head of a family, both husband and wife as well as all their children under the age of majority, shall be permitted to fish by reason of such permit;

Permits to fish in said lake may be issued to all active members of the Fire Department of said City of Sweetwater free of any charge; and such permits may also be furnished free of any charge to all active ministers of the gospel residing within the limits of said City of Sweetwater;

All such permits shall, before the holder thereof shall do any fishing, be exhibited to the Lake Keeper at said Lake Trammell;

Any purchaser of such permits shall when he or she shall make application therefor, state to the said commissioner No. 1 how many members there are in his or her family who have not reached their majority; and the number of members of such family shall be written in said permit;

It shall be unlawful to fish in said lake earlier than 5 o'clock a. m. or later than 9 o'clock p. m. of any day;

It shall be unlawful to fish nearer than 200 yards of the intake at said lake, and the line indicating such 200 yard limit shall be indicated by a sign erected or constructed by the City of Sweetwater under the supervision of said Commissioner No. 1.

It shall be unlawful for anyone to catch more than fifteen pounds of fish in said lake in any one day, i. e. between the hours of 5 o'clock a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. of any one day;

It shall be unlawful for anyone to camp or hold a picnic or other social gathering of a like nature on the water shed that throws or conveys water into said lake.

It shall be unlawful for anyone to wade, swim, or seine for fish or other things in said lake.

It shall be unlawful to fish with anything else than artificial or live bait, and no artificial bait consisting of meat of any kind, nor shall grasshoppers nor worms be used in fishing in said lake;

Any such permits may be, at any time on account of violations of these regulations, canceled by order of said Commissioner No. 1;

No pleasure boating on said lake shall be permitted, but holders of such permits may be permitted to launch their own boats on said lake for fishing purposes only;

It shall be unlawful for anyone to expectorate in said lake;

Should anyone catch from said lake any Crappie less than 7 inches in length, or any Bass less than 11

inches in length, such fisherman shall immediately throw such fish back into the lake;

It shall be unlawful for anyone to leave any fish or turtles, or the remains or part of the remains thereof on the water shed of said lake;

If anyone shall do any of the things herein prohibited, or fail to do any of the things herein commanded to be done, he or she shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars;

All ordinances and parts or ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Upon motion of Mayor Joe H. Boothe, seconded by Commissioner L. E. Musgrove, the foregoing ordinance was passed upon its first reading by a unanimous vote of the Commission on the 19th day of March, 1925;

Finally passed by a unanimous vote of the commission upon its second reading on the 2nd day of April, 1925.

Approved: Joe H. Boothe, Mayor.
Attest: W. H. Bartlett, City Secretary.

Moved by Commissioner W. T. Trammell seconded by Mayor Joe H. Boothe and carried by a unanimous vote of the Commission, that the following ordinance and emergency clause thereof be passed:

AN ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, that hereafter, it shall be unlawful for any one to operate or drive any tractor upon any paved street within the limits of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, if such tractor's wheels or any of them shall have thereon any lugs, spikes or other protuberances reasonably calculated to tear up or injure the pavement on said street, unless the wheels of such tractor shall have securely attached thereto some metal band so attached as to not allow such lugs, spikes or other protuberances to touch the paving.

Any violation of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars.

The fact that the City of Sweetwater has lately had some new pavement installed on some of its streets, and has contracted to have other streets newly paved at great cost to the said city and that if tractors were permitted to run or be run over or across said newly paved streets without pro-

tecting the street from injury done by such lugs, spikes or other protuberances on the tractor's wheels, such streets would be greatly damaged, creates and constitutes an emergency requiring that the rules providing for ordinances to be read at more than one meeting be suspended and reading that this ordinance be passed as an emergency measure, and all such rules and requirements are accordingly suspended, and this ordinance is passed in force and effect immediately from and after its passage.

Passed and approved this 2nd day of April, 1925.

Approved: Joe H. Boothe, Mayor.
Attest: W. H. Bartlett, City Secretary.

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REA'S RED BALL BUS LINE

WEST BOUND EAST BOUND

Lv. 7:30 a. m.	3:30 p. m.	Sweetwater	Ar. 2:25 p. m.	5:25 p. m.
7:55 a. m.	4:25 p. m.	Roscoe	2:00 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
8:55 a. m.	4:55 p. m.	Loraine	1:25 p. m.	4:25 p. m.
Ar. 8:45 a. m.	5:25 p. m.	Colorado	Lv. 1:00 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Lv. 11:00 a. m.	5:30 p. m.	Colorado	10:30 a. m.	3:45 p. m.
11:30 a. m.	6:00 p. m.	Westbrook	9:30 a. m.	3:45 p. m.
12:00 noon	6:30 p. m.	Coahoma	10:00 a. m.	3:15 p. m.
Ar. 12:30 p. m.	7:00 p. m.	Big Spring	Lv. 9:00 a. m.	2:15 p. m.

Arrival at Sweetwater 2:25 p. m. from the west gives six connections: Abilene, Rotan, San Angelo, Snyder, Lubbock, the Santa Fe southbound and the Orient northbound.

Abilene Stage connects with Northbound Wichita Valley. Rotan Stage connects with eastbound Katy.

RED BALL LINE SCHEDULE

SWEETWATER—LUBBOCK

NORTHBOUND:

Leave Wright Hotel 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.
Leave Snyder 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.
Leave Post 10:45 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.
Arrive Lubbock 12:00 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

SOUTHBOUND:

Leave Lubbock 8 a. m. and 2 p. m.
Leave Post 9:45 a. m. and 4:45 p. m.
Arrive Snyder 12 m.
Leave Snyder 1 p. m. and 7 p. m.
Arrive Sweetwater 2:30 p. m. and 8:50 p. m.

HEADQUARTERS:

Sweetwater: Motor Inn, Phone 709.
Snyder: Manhattan Hotel
Post: Algireta Hotel
Lubbock: Merrell Hotel

Stage meets T. & P. No. 5 (westbound) at 5:45 a. m. Sweetwater and leaves for Lubbock 7 a. m., so buy your ticket to Sweetwater and take stage to Lubbock and intermediate points to save time.

3:30 p. m. car to Lubbock makes connection at Sweetwater with Stages from Rotan, Hamlin, Colorado and Abilene.

E. G. ABBOT—Phone residence Snyder, 442.

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Arrive San Angelo 12:30 and 8 P. M.
Leave San Angelo 8 A. M. and 1:30 P. M.
Stop at Maryneal, Blackwell, Drente, Robert Lee enroute.

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Sweetwater - Abilene
LEAVES SWEETWATER LEAVES ABILENE
3:30 o'clock p. m. 7:15 o'clock a. m.
(Two Cars) 9:30 o'clock a. m.
6 o'clock p. m. 1:00 o'clock p. m.
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- Herndons Shoe Store—Pair Shoes.
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- M. D. Willis—One photo of couple.
- Sandwich Shop—One feed.
- Piggly Wiggly—One can peaches.
- Wade Market—Half gallon oysters.
- Sweetwater Transfer Co.—Cab to Palace.
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- Western Union—Service of messenger.
- Andrews Furniture—One broom.
- Hassen Co.—Souvenir.
- Quick Service Grocery—Sack flour.
- Yamini Drygoods—Pair silk hose.
- Paul B. Sorenson—Sack flour.
- Stiles and Allen—One pair socks.
- Max Berman—Silk Gown.
- Corbett and Hubbards—Bottle toilet water.
- Costephens Hardware—Piece aluminum.
- Covens Shoe Store—Pair socks.
- Robertson Cafe—One Cherry pie.
- Davis Drug Co.—One fruit bowl.
- Dr. Quast Music Store—\$10 to apply on New Edison Phonograph.
- Alldredge & Hattox—Pound of butter, pound cured ham.
- Whittens Shop—Pair red silk socks.
- Bullock Electric Co.—Pair curling irons.
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- ery—One pound sugar.
- rown Gro.—\$2.00 in groceries.
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Baptist Choir Surprised.
The members of the First Baptist Church Choir enjoyed a "surprise" Wednesday evening following their regular rehearsal. Mrs. William Fomby, Mrs. L. B. Roberts, Mrs. Jim Trammell and Mrs. C. A. Ingram were the hostesses and passed a "Mock Menu," which was as enigmatic as the modern "Cross word puzzle." After the fun was over they were "surprised" when their hostesses passed ice cream and angel food cake.
Miss Thelma Gordon gave a reading and a general "Sing Sing" closed the party.

Priscilla Club Enjoy Party
Mrs. M. B. Howard was hostess Thursday afternoon at a meeting of the Priscilla Club.
Mrs. J. D. Dulaney, Mrs. Roy Bardwell, Mrs. J. H. Snell and Mrs. Frank Murchison were present and enjoyed a lovely salad course with the following club members: Mrs. O. Stephenson, Mrs. C. W. Breeding, Mrs. George Parker, Mrs. S. Z. Williams, Mrs. L. M. Watson, Mrs. W. S. Chenault, Mrs. J. T. Hughes, Mrs. F. B. Perry.
Mrs. O. Stephenson will be hostess April 15.



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Sorosis Club Study Whitman

The Sorosis Club enjoyed an interesting study program Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. S. Kendrick, with Mrs. A. H. Fortner directing the program from "Walt Whitman." Roll call responses were bits of current news of interest. Mrs. Perry Brown gave a very interesting outline of Whitman's life and character; Mrs. A. S. Kendrick gave the analysis and read Whitman's poem "Out of the Cradle Endlessly Rocking"; Mrs. H. R. Bondie read two selections from his works; "Ready, Captain, oh my Captain" and "For You, Oh Democracy."

During the hour devoted to business the club voted to ask the new school board to furnish a Music Supervisor for the city schools; Mrs. F. J. Neal was elected delegate to attend the Sixth District of T. F. W. C. which meets in Alpine in May. Special guests who enjoyed the meeting were: Mrs. W. J. Robey of Coleman and

Mrs. Charles Rogers.

Mrs. Fortner assisted Mrs. Kendrick in serving an ice course

Surprise Party

For an April surprise a few of Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald's friends who are U. D. Cs. paid her a short visit Wednesday afternoon and danced the Virginia Reel for her, with Mrs. P. M. Daniels playing an old time fiddling tune. Before entering the house little black masks were put on and later Mrs. Piezgerald was given an opportunity to guess the identity of her guests. They wore their costumes of 1900 worn at the Fiddlers' Reunion. Those of the party were: Mrs. Walter Bothe, Mrs. Royal Headrick, Mrs. J. J. Erwin, Mrs. M. A. Belcher, Miss Minnie Fowler, Mrs. L. C. Vinson, Mrs. Ed Sinnott and Mrs. A. J. Wimberly.

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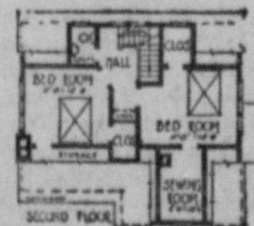
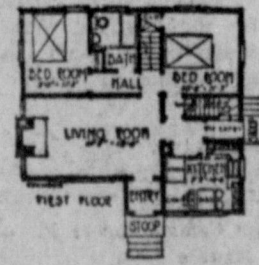
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