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MAKING GOOD CITIZENS

In a bulletin recently issued by the Bureau of Education of the Interior Department we read "The United States is prosperous * * * but only half of our eligible voter actually vote even at the presidential elections; five millions of our people over 10 years of age are illiterate; ten millions of our children of school age are not attending school; we spend more for tobacco, cosmetics and chewing gum than we do for education; half of our young men were found physically unfit for unlimited military service; our wage earners lose wages amounting to over two billion dollars a year because of preventable sickness; in 1917 there was 1 divorce for every 18 marriages; last year there was 1 divorce for every 8 marriages."

These are some of the problems confronting the State. It needs to help more of its people to become good citizens. The fewer the number of ill and privations of life, and the greater the happiness of humanity, the nearer we approach the social ideal. A progressive school is a miniature of society. Not only is it instructive, much the same but it carries on many of the same activities. It seeks to promote the welfare of the pupils through the best methods in use in society. What are some of the school tasks confronting 730,000 teachers? The school should give every child an equal opportunity to develop fully his inactive and ability. It should assure to him healthful conditions for mind and body. It should imbue him with the principles of personal honesty and a strong sense of his obligations to his family, his community, and his nation. It should give him the education and training necessary to support himself and to bear his just share in maintaining a community with high American ideals. It should develop his capacity for the wholesome use of leisure time. It should inculcate a broad and understanding patriotism which insures our country's highest good.

TAKE BIG CAVE

United States National Park Service To Exploit Big Cave At Carlsbad, New Mexico

WASHINGTON, April 29.—One of the most marvelous caves in the world, far surpassing anything hitherto known in the United States, is the property of Uncle Sam. It is known as the Carlsbad Cavern, near Carlsbad, N. M.

The dimensions of the underground chambers are immense and the formations found within are of amazing variety and dazzling beauty.

Long stalactites hang from the ceilings of the chambers in dense forest-like clusters. Some defy gravity, growing downward a way, only to branch out at right angles, then perhaps turn upward again. Others tie themselves into knots.

Most peculiar of all are the "cave pearls," tiny alabaster spheres moulded by Nature in shallow subterranean pools. Delicate stone lace, coral-like fans, even limestone corn cobs are turned out in this weird factory.

The government has taken over the caverns and made of them a national monument under the direction of the National Park Service, which is developing plans to make the wonders easily accessible.

Brooks Bell, Jr., left last night for Dallas after being called here on account of the illness and death of his uncle, R. L. McCaulley. His mother, Mrs. Brooks Bell, remained to visit Mrs. McCaulley for a few days before returning to Dallas.

A TALK ON RELIGION

By E. L. W.

CHRISTIANS

The name Christian was first given the followers of Christ in derision because of their intense efforts to be like Christ.

At last when the superiority of Christians over others in living Clean lives made for its self a mark, many sought the name Christian for the prestige that it gave.

True Christians are men who have been transformed to walk in a newness of life with higher and nobler desires.

Christians possess the spirit of their example, Christ, and are to be above the thing of this world because they have their affections set on things above and are, by faith, laying up for them selves treasures in heaven. "Where moths doth not corrupt neither do thieves break through and steal."

A true Christian will follow the Christ to the helping and uplifting of the helpless and down trodden; to the suppression of unrighteousness and greed; to the feeding of the hungry and ministering to the sick as did the Good Samaritan.

Do you possess these brands of the Christian? "Be not deceived, God is not mocked; for, the Lord knoweth that are his. And let everyone that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity."

WANT HOLIDAY

Colorado Indians Ask Legislature To Designate Day In September As Indian Day Holiday

DENVER, Colo April 29.—Indians in Colorado, led by Chief White Eagle Craig, a descendant of the San Juan nation, have started a movement to have the fourth Friday in September designated as Indian Day by the state legislature with the ultimate view of making it a national holiday.

On that day Chief Eagle Craig addressed the legislature and urged that the United States be taught Indian ways, folklore and traditions in order that the illusion now surrounding that race be dispelled.

Chief White Eagle, an official in the American Indian Teepee organization has made several speeches over the West, each time appearing in the full regalia of his tribe. He wears a huge eagle feather headdress and the customary blanket with beads and fanciful embroidery. He carries a stone tomahawk.

In a recent speech to the Colorado legislature, the picturesque Indian chief bitterly denounced American manufacturers who made cheap Indian products and sell them over the country as the genuine articles. The United States government, he said, should forbid such practices.

Present methods of schooling Indian children do not meet the approval of the San Juan tribesmen.

"Why relegate the Indians whom President Coolidge last year admitted to the franchise, to special Indian schools?" he asks. "Why permit them the white man's education and then ostracize them from the advantages and social relations of white children?"

Talking against current Americanly vehement. He pleads for the preservation of the primitive Indian dances, which, he says, are among the sacred traditions of the Indians. All of them are of a religious nature he says.

"If any dances should be forbidden," he insists, "they should be the American chicken-yard dances. I ask you if any American buck would dance all night without a 'jane on his arm'?" Indian bucks and squaws always dance by themselves, he said.

MERKEL NEWS

Special to Reporter.

The Merkel Luncheon Club held its bi-monthly meeting Tuesday night and an interesting meeting was the result. R. O. Anderson was toastmaster and following is the program: Invocation, Rev. C. H. Little, Merkel, 1925, Mayor N. D. Cobb, Bankhead Highway No. 1 Carlos D. Speck, county judge, Legislation, Representative E. S. Cummings, Lateral roads built and to be built, Henry Frazier, Sidewalks and Curbs, 1925, Dr. Armstrong.

Mex Mellinger is opening a new Mrs. George Coker and little son, stock of dry goods in the Rose building on the west side of Edwards st. Billie George, have returned to their home at Dallas after a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. N. D. Cobb.

Mr. Barker, recently from Memphis Tenn. has purchased the residence now occupied by E. M. Elliott on Marion street in northeast Merkel and will occupy the same about June first. Mrs. D. C. Grover of Kansas City is here the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Sandifer, and Mrs. S. W. Johnson.

Mr. Beaty a former citizen of the Merkel community, but now of Bronte was a recent visitor to Merkel. Little Billie Woodrum is suffering with a broken arm.

Mrs. L. A. Arrington has returned from her visit to Midland.

J. C. Mason and Lee Harrell are back from their trip to the plains country.

Mrs. B. H. Howard is here on an extended visit to her son, Dr. J. P. Howard.

Mr and Mrs. Thos. Durham and daughters attended the district league meet at Anson Saturday.

Fred Latham has purchased the City Cafe from Thompson and Newberry.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs celebration which was scheduled for Sunday afternoon, was postponed until some future date on account of the threatening weather.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Winters have returned to their home at O'Donnell after a pleasant visit here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jack Durham is visiting her mother in Dallas.

Noodle Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slater were here.

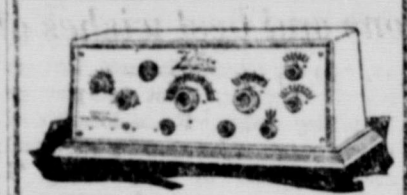
There was a community singing at Sunday afternoon from Clyde the guests of friends.

Mrs. M. J. Bankhead is at home from a visit to Tipton, Oklahoma and Lubbock, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morris of Dallas county, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns.

The infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. Bullock was buried in Rose Hill Cemetery Monday afternoon.

Merkel's next trade trip will be staged ten miles north of Merkel Friday night, at Comper, and an unusually interested program has been arranged.



THIS IS BOYS' WEEK—NATIONALLY BUY HIM A ZENITH LONG-DISTANCE RADIO AND KEEP HIM AT HOME NIGHTS. THINK ABOUT IT.

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TO BUILD ON THIRD

Manse Wood Announces Construction New House on Third Street

Manse Wood announces immediate construction of a new residence on Third street just east of the East Ward School. The house will be 32 x 60 feet and will contain six rooms, bath and breakfast room. It will be of brick or stucco depending upon cost estimates still to be obtained from contractors.

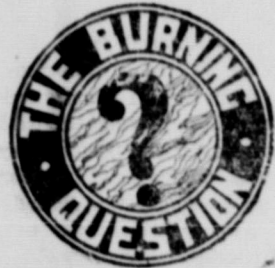
Mrs. Tom Moore will be hostess Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at a meeting of the Sorosis Club. William Dean Howell will be the subject of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Bommer of Roby were Tuesday guests of his sister, Mrs. Peyton Bommer and family, while returning home from a visit at Abilene and Merkel with relatives.

YOU HATE TO LOOK AT A PIMPLY FACE

There is perhaps nothing more distressing to people who are bothered with them and surely nothing as displeasing to others to see them, as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, scurf, eczema, "breaking out" and similar skin disfigurements.

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MAN ATTACKS WIFE

Charge of Aggravated Assault Filed Following Trouble Between Local Man and Wife

A charge of aggravated assault was filed against Lonnie Baker in County Court Tuesday following an alleged attack upon his wife here and the case will be heard by County Judge A. S. Mauley Thursday morning. County Attorney R. D. Cox stated. Baker, who was jailed following the trouble, is alleged to have struck his wife while intoxicated and while she was attempting to keep him from leaving home to go up town.

The woman is said to have received bruises about the face and a broken nose.

Picnic Postponed

The Presbyterian Sunday School picnic scheduled for Thursday has been postponed for one week.

Mrs. Dwight Day of Wichita Kan. will arrive tonight to spend several days here with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Williams and family.

Mrs. Roy White and son of Temple and Elge Cutbirth, Jr. of Dallas are here at the bedside of their father, Elge Cutbirth, who remains ill at the local hospital.

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Mrs. R. C. Ledford has returned from Amarillo where she attended a joint meeting of the Council of Advice and a field committee of the Missionary District of North Texas, of the Episcopal church. While in Amarillo Mrs. Ledford was the guest in the home of Bishop and Mrs. E. C. Seaman.



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Everybody has a lawn, but very few people have good ones. Now is a good time to start a real one.

The first requisite is good seed, seed from a reliable seed house that will contain good perennial grasses free from weed seeds, which will take hold and make a velvety surface to increase in beauty with each year. Much of the difficulty with lawns may be traced to poor cheap seed which contains a large proportion of annual grasses which will make a fine show the first year and then will leave a thin and beragged stand of perennial grasses which will need to grow for some time to cover the bare spots where the annual grasses have died out.

Lawn seed is now prepared and mixed to suit various soils and situations and a description of the charac-

ter of your yard will bring you the proper mixture for best results. Many seed houses will mix your grass prescription if you ask them.

There are grass-seed mixtures for shady lawns, for sunny lawns, for light soil, for heavy soil, for sweet soil, for sour soil, seed that will give sod to stand hard usage, and for every purpose and situation likely to arise. It is a matter of consulting a catalogue of a dealer of recognized standing to get the right sort of seed.

A lawn is a garden for grass. The soil needs fertilizing just as much if not more than the garden proper, for it must support a heavier and denser plant life. Fertilize the lawn. Use pulverized sheep manure, shredded cow manure, nitrate of soda or the balanced commercial lawn fertilizer.

PLUM CREEK NEWS

Special to Reporter
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Parker entertained their friends with a forty two party Friday night.
Olive Bain from the Moody community and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reed and children and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Reed spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peabworth.

Catherine Scott of the Bitter Creek community visited Eva Peabworth Friday night.
Mrs. B. B. Scott spent Saturday with Mrs. H. C. Scott.

The shower that fell in this community last week was highly appreciated by all of the farmers. Most of the farmers will start planting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Smith attended church in this community Sunday morning and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Boyd.

Crutcher Scott who is attending school in Fort Worth is visiting his mother, Mrs. H. G. Scott, for a few days.

Miss Adrianna Comer visited in this community Sunday.

Plum Creek played baseball last Friday afternoon with Gannon only to be defeated. The only ex-professionals fought hard to hold high the honors of their home, but being out of practice they failed.

Wesley and Juanita Lynch, Jane McReynolds, Adrianna Comer, and Earline Bennett took dinner with Mr. Ted and Misses Lola and Ruby Norton Sunday.

Louis Williams was reported real sick Sunday.

The Plum Creek School will close Friday with a picnic.

Mrs. John Boyd is on the sick list this week.

Lonnie and Calva Montgomery and Lee McReynolds spent Sunday with Ozella Brown.

Ione Boyd spent Saturday night with her aunt, Miss Ella Boyd.

Sam Witt was in this community Sunday morning.

S. P. Boyd has moved his well drill to his brother's G. W. Boyd, who lives in the Bitter Creek community.

Mr. C. C. Rogers was in Abilene Wednesday.

J. A. Peabworth and family visited Ray Reed and family Sunday.

Ted and Misses Lola and Ruby Norton spent Tuesday night in the McReynolds home.

Henry Bennett, the 8 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett, fell from a tree Tuesday afternoon, breaking his left arm a few inches above the wrist. Dr. A. A. Chapman was summoned and set the broken bones. Henry is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Grovey Montgomery of the Bitter Creek community spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Boyd.

Mahala and Myrel Land were guests of Ione Boyd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Williams entertained their friends Monday night with a forty two party.

We have just received a large shipment of Graduation Hats. Mrs. Hudson 74-5de.

Euzelian Class Notes

The Euzelian Class of the First Baptist church held a meeting at the church Monday evening at eight o'clock. Officers elected were: Madeline Neblett, president; Velma Joe McClure first vice president; Lenora Bishop, second vice president; Ella Robertson, third vice president; Ruth Tuttle secretary and treasurer. and

Gladys Stephens, reporter.

After the meeting the following members enjoyed a delightful buffet dinner: Madeline Neblett, Ruth Tuttle, Ethel Elliott, Ella Robertson, Gladys Stephens, Lenora Bishop, Frankie Bishop, Zelma Shoak, Alvie Moody, Velma Joe McClure and Mrs. McClure.

Let the girl graduate select her hat from our new shipment of commencement hats. Mrs. Hudson 74-5de.

Mrs. C. S. Boyles, Jr. left Tuesday afternoon for Brownwood to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Embry.

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The Reporter is deeply grateful to everyone who by their co-operation, made this drive the great success that it was

Orders on the respective merchants from whom prizes were purchased have been mailed each prize winner along with the congratulations and best wishes of this newspaper.

The prize awards were made only after the ballots had been most carefully checked—and then rechecked by the judges, Rev. J. T. McKissick, J. A. McCurdy and Roy W. Thompson, who announce the result as follows:

DISTRICT ONE	DISTRICT TWO	DISTRICT THREE
SWEETWATER	TOWNS OUTSIDE SWEETWATER	RURAL DISTRICT
1. Chevrolet Sedan, from C. S. Boyles Motor Co. won by Mrs. W. N. Crosthwaite	1. Chevrolet Touring Car from C. S. Boyles Motor Co. Miss Davie Smith, Trent.	1. Chevrolet Touring car from C. S. Boyles Motor Co. won by Mrs. Ha Grant, Route B, Sweetwater.
2. Sellers Kitchen Cabinet from Wright Furniture Co. won by Mrs. Geo. Parker.	2. New Style Columbia Console from Dr. Quast Music Store, Miss Johnnie Lee Adams, Roscoe.	2. Singer Sewing Machine won by Miss Edna Neatherlin, Route A, Lorraine.
3. Electric Universal Coffee Urn Set from West Texas Electric Co. won by Mrs. T. A. Ezell.	3. Complete bookkeeping set San Angelo Business College, Mrs. A. J. Parker, Roscoe.	3. Bookkeeping or shorthand course San Angelo Business College, Miss Hassie Price, Star Route, Sweetwater.
4. Wrist watch from Majors Jewelry Store won by Miss Nita Otzey	4. Wrist watch from J. P. Majors Jewelry Store, Miss Sybil Lambert Roby.	4. Wrist watch from Majors Jewelry Store, won by Miss Alma Gore, Blackwell.
5. Fine silver plate knives and forks, from Costephens Hardware Co. won by Miss Pearl Conway.	5. Bavarian china set, Carter Hardware Co., Miss Minnie Ferguson, Merkel, Texas.	5. Coleman Reading Lamp, Carter Hardware Co. won by Mrs. G. W. Cochran, Blackwell
6. Electric percolator from Carter Hardware Co. won by Mrs. F. J. Neal.	6. Nickled vacuum bottle, Costephens Hardware Co., Miss Ione Haynes, Roscoe.	6. Bavarian china set, Carter Hardware Co. won by Miss Lella Webb, Route B, Sweetwater
7. Choice Ladies Hat from Mrs. Lindley Millinery won by Miss Lois Watson	7. Choice hat, Mrs. Lindley's Millinery, Miss Ouida Clemons, Roscoe.	7. Choice Hat, Mrs. Lindley Millinery, won by Miss Almarina McBurnett, Sweetwater.
8. Manicure Set from Davis Drug Co. won by Miss Sarah Steele.	8. Manicure set, Davis Drug Co., Miss Myrtle Henry, Blackwell.	8. Manicure set, Davis Drug Co. won by Miss Bell Clack, Hylton.
9. Fine casserole from Costephens Hardware Co. won by Mrs. Ben Alden.	9. Casserole, Costephens Hardware Co. Mrs. Dallas F. Whaley, Hermleigh.	9. Casserole, Costephens Hardware Co. won by Miss Ha Towe, Route A, Roscoe.
10. High grade kodak from Bowens Drug Store, won by Miss Zelma Shoak.	10. High grade kodak, Bowens Drug store, won by Miss Lois Davis, Longworth, Texas.	10. High grade kodak, Bowens Drug Store, won by Miss Velma Childers, Star Route, Sweetwater.

Cash Prize Awards

DISTRICT ONE—Mrs. T. A. Ezell, \$10; Mrs. F. J. Neal, \$5; Mrs. Geo. Parker, \$1; Mrs. Ben Alden, \$1; Mrs. W. M. Crosthwaite, \$1; Mrs. Jim Trammell, \$1; Miss Ethel Barry, \$1.
DISTRICT TWO—Miss Sybil Lambert, \$10; Mrs. A. J. Parker, \$5; Miss Lois Davis, \$1; Miss Myrtle Henry, \$1.
DISTRICT THREE—Mrs. Ha Grant, \$10; Mrs. G. W. Cochran, \$5; Miss Almarina McBurnett, \$1; Miss Edna Neatherlin, \$1; Miss Lella Webb, \$1; Miss Alma Gore, \$1; Mrs. Grover Montgomery, \$1.

Checks for commission due have been mailed qualified workers who did not receive a prize.

Classified Section

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For Rent: Two furnished light housekeeping rooms, just newly papered all conveniences; on paved street. 310 Pine St. 73-13p

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FOR RENT: Two furnished rooms with bath and sink at 309 E. N. 5th. Phone 643. 76tc

FOR RENT—New four room house, close in, modern conveniences, N. R. Otey, phone 531-M. 75-3tdp

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms 903 Oak Street. 75-2tdp

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms furnished, modern conveniences. 104 Patterson st. Phone 284. 73-3tdc

For Rent: Three room furnished apartment with water in kitchen and bath, at 911 Locust st. Phone 660. 73-13c

For Rent: Three room furnished apartment on Lamar St. Phone 642. 73-3tdc

FOR RENT—two furnished light housekeeping rooms, Mrs. Mary Bowen, 409 Hightower St. 73-3tdh

FOR RENT—four room house close in. Phone 123. 72tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

1924 FORD COUPE—For Sale. Equipment tires are still good. Has double Hasslers, bumpers, motorometer cut-out, seat covers, and new paint. Looks and runs like a brand new one. Western Motor Company 59-fc

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FARMERS READY TO KILL HOPPERS

Carloads of Arsenic and Molasses Now Available in Sweetwater for Making Grasshopper Poison

SHOULD BEGIN FIGHT EARLY

Farmers Advised to Start Poisoning Crusade While Hoppers Are Hatching—Give Directions

Recent rainy weather has encouraged grasshoppers as men as anybody else and active steps to prevent their damage to crops by liberal use of poison is urged.

A carload of arsenic is available at the Jobe Warehouse at wholesale price and a carload of molasses is also available in making the bran mash poison according to the formula supplied by A. & M. College.

Last year farmers would have saved much more had they commenced fighting the hoppers sooner. This year, being prepared by warnings and profiting by previous experience, they should be able to save all of their crops and at least cost. Instead of fighting them as they attack the cotton, farmers should poison them where they are found hatching in low grass land and along stream banks. The places where they are observed congregating in large numbers during August and through fall months, furnish an indication where eggs were being laid and where the small hoppers will hatch this spring.

During the first three or four weeks after hatching, the small hoppers range only a few feet from the place where they were hatched. Because of this fact, and because the hatching period will be extended over several weeks, poisoning should be delayed some time. Farmers are advised to watch closely the place just mentioned where hatching may be expected to occur, and to poison over these restricted areas about three weeks after the first small hopper hatch in any considerable numbers. If all farmers cooperate in this poisoning promptly and if all hatching places are found and poisoned, it is believed that one or perhaps two such local applications will protect the cultivated crops for the remainder of the season.

Poison bran mash is advised in the control of hoppers. In spite of some report to the contrary, this gave excellent result last year where properly mixed and applied. Failures were found due to the departure from directions in some particular.

Experience last year indicated that amyl acetate used in place of lemons gave better results, and it is advised this year if it can be obtained. The formula recommended is:

Wheat bran (avoid shorts), 25 lbs; White arsenic (or Paris green) 1 lb; Amyl acetate, 1 ounce; cane molasses (avoid cane syrup) 2 quarts; water in quantity as suggested below. Thoroughly mix poison and dry bran. Dilute the molasses and amyl acetate with about two gallons of water and mix thoroughly with the bran. Add more water and mix, until a thoroughly wet mash has been obtained, yet not sloppy. It should fall apart easily when sowing so that it breaks up into particles not larger than the small finger nail at the largest. A good test is to squeeze a handful tightly together; if of the proper consistency the water will ooze out between the fingers, but should not run out in streams.

It is important to thoroughly mix after each addition of water to secure an even distribution of all the materials. After one or two batches have been mixed the farmer will learn how much water to use, so that no further

additions need be made. Only high grade amyl acetate should be used. Avoid bronzing liquids, which contain so great a portion of other substances as to be repellant to the hoppers. Where high grade amyl acetate cannot be obtained, use six lemons, or oranges with the twenty-five pounds of bran. Squeeze the juice into the water, grind the rinds through a finemest chopper and add to water also and then mix. It is important to include the rinds and to chop finely as advised. Merely cutting up with a knife will do. The quantity named in the formula should cover five acres.

Do not put this out in piles. The mash should be sown broadcast like sowing seed.

The hoppers feed in the morning, and the bait is more attractive when wet, it should be sown in the morning, before eight o'clock. Where the acreage to be covered is too great, sowing in late evening may be resorted to. An ideal procedure is to make up the mash in the evening, let stand over night and sow in the early morning over the places where the hoppers are hatching, or if poisoning has been delayed until damage has been done to the crop the crop area should be sown well beyond the place where damage is being done, as well as a fair margin of the grass land from which the hoppers are migrating, to kill others that may later move on to the crops. The flakes of bran will take up moisture during the night, and one sowing should be effective for a number of days.

Dead grasshoppers will not be found in great numbers for two or three days after sowing the mash.

Sown broadcast, as advised there is no danger to stock, and very little if any danger, to poultry and wild birds. Animals may be endangered where it is put out in piles, however, and of course great care should be used to keep batches that have been mixed out of reach of stock, before it is sown. Common sense will direct that ordinary care be used in handling this substance about the house and barns.

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Mrs. W. S. Chenault will be hostess Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at a meeting of the Priscilla Club and she insists that every member be present. 74-5tdc

Notice is hereby given, that at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 7th day of May, 1925, the Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas will receive and consider sealed bids for the following improvements:

The laying of approximately 3800 feet of water mains, consisting of 4-inch cast iron, class "B" pipe; and approximately 1800 feet of 2-inch galvanized pipe and four 4-inch gate valves; four inch Tees and three 4-inch Fire Plugs. Such improvements to be made in the southwestern part of the city of Sweetwater. The contractor to furnish all labor and material. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a good and sufficient indemnity bond, as well as a bond for the proper completion of the improvements, and the Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids. L. E. Musgrove, Water Commissioner. Sweetwater, Texas. 74tfc

WHITE FLAT NOTES
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Smith and Miss Alma Lester motored to Sweetwater Monday.
Miss Dovie Mae Smith spent Saturday with her aunt at Anson, Mrs. Bessie Lelis.
There was a large crowd at the services Sunday afternoon.
Marvin Freeman, Miss Dovie Smith, Miss Ola Duncan and P. B. Cooper, motored to Merkel to see Miss Opal Harris.
Cliff Smith and family Miss Reatha Freeman and Marvin Freeman went over to Mr. Nugent's to listen to the radio.
Mrs. E. B. McGowan has been sick but is improving nicely now.
Mr. and Mrs. Shannon have announced the arrival of an 8-1-2 pound boy. The mother and baby are doing nicely.
Mr. Jay Casseaux has his new filling station in now.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blankenship motored to Merkel Thursday afternoon. The school is a great success this

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Mrs. H. L. Lester is the purchaser of a new Overland car.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Daniels are visiting relatives in Waco and Belton.
Elmer Bray, Hubert Kegans, Pete Howell and Jean Cade had a car wreck Thursday night. They were not injured seriously.

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