

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

**A Really Big Shovel
Down Goes the Pound
Ladies, Squaws, Fights
No More Revivals**

Machinery that makes manual labor less and less necessary is our big problem now. It is also the hope of the real civilization, which will come eventually.

Machinery will be a problem for a little while, then a great blessing, and meanwhile you admire the mechanical marvels that will some day set men free from physical slavery.

The Wall Street Journal describes a new shovel built by the Marion (Ohio) Steam Shovel company.

How many thousands of men working painfully with pick and shovel will this giant shovel replace? Operated by electricity, it lifts up fifty-four thousand pounds of earth at every bite, and the operator, with his shovel at the end of a long arm, can drop the earth two hundred feet from the shovel and on top of a seven-story building if desired.

This giant shovel will be used to strip the earth, seventy feet deep, from the top of a rich coal field, laying bare the coal, which will also be scooped up, steam shovels doing away with painful mining underground.

Britain discovers that there is danger in allowing the pound sterling to go where it will. It fell off four and a half cents the other day, dropping to \$3.28. The British stand it well. Can you imagine how we should feel if our dollar were worth only 70 cents?

However, there are things just as bad. Our dollar is worth a great deal more than 70 cents, and a great deal more than 100 cents. In consequence he who produces wheat, cotton or beef or coal, or daily labor, can't get much money for it.

A charming young lady, name omitted, says that she is a "prize-fight fan" because she enjoys it.

A number of other women say they go to prize fights because they like to see men fighting each other. And this seemed to them a satisfactory explanation of the presence of women at prize fights.

If those ladies could have gone to an Indian battlefield after the Apaches had finished a fight with some other tribe of Indians they would have seen Apache squaws bending low, each holding in her hand an ugly little weapon with which she smashed in the skulls of any fallen enemy that seemed not quite dead.

If you had asked those squaws why they did this, they would have said, "We are fans, we enjoy it," but that would not have made their occupation any more pleasant.

The Methodist Episcopal church of New York decides that "the old-fashioned camp meeting has ended its usefulness." It will use its camp meeting grounds at Ossining, formerly Sing Sing, for an orphan asylum or a home for the aged.

This means that religious enthusiasm, at least in its physical aspect, is waning. It was a cheerful sight in days gone by to see earnest Christians jumping up and down at a revival meeting, confessing their sins, professing their faith and enjoying themselves. Jazz and speakeasies are poor substitutes.

Doctor Rosenow, who works with the Mayo brothers, announces the discovery that different germs act differently in an electro-magnetic field.

Putting germs between the positive and negative poles of a magnet makes it possible to distinguish one from another of the various streptococci, looking much alike, that are found in cases of colds, sore throat, influenza and infantile paralysis. Electric tests show which germ is which and should help to prevent epidemics.

Mr. Medalie, United States attorney, says New York city's prison on Welfare Island possesses "an organized system for the distribution of narcotics." Some of the prisoners are profitably engaged in the selling of drugs to other criminals. Whether employees of the prison are drug dealers Mr. Medalie does not yet know.

A prisoner is paid \$1 for a "deck" of heroin or cocaine. If he is paid in goods taken from the prison workshop he is paid \$1.50.

A "deck" is a cigarette paper with a few grains of the drug wrapped in it. Heroin is the favorite.

When prisoners can buy drugs in

The Exterior Decorator



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Wm. L. Springs Is Killed in Plane Crash

William L. Springs, aged about 25 died last Sunday at Merchantsville, New Jersey, from injuries received in an airplane crash the day before.

Young Springs was well known to a number of people in Sterling City and vicinity. He spent two summer vacations at the U ranch as the guest of George H. McEntire and family. His last visit here was during last summer when he spent quite a season at the ranch.

As an aviator, deceased made quite a record as a coast to coast transport pilot. He crossed the United States in 34 hours and 25 minutes in a sister ship of the Lindbergh "Spirit of St. Louis"

He was a member of the Presbyterian Church. His manly bearing and moral conduct easily won the esteem of all with whom he came in contact. His untimely death is to be regretted most because he was cut down at a time when his life seemed to promise most to mankind.

P. T. A. Meeting

The P. T. A. met October 28 with about 45 members present. The chairman of the membership committee reported that 127 members had joined the P. T. A. this year. After a short business meeting, the following talks were given:

1. The Value of a Good High School Library—Louise Knight.

2. Good Books Rev. B. B. Hestir.

The subject for November will be "Helping Our Children Succeed in School."

1. Reading—Miss Mary Louise Ballou.

2. Teaching Good Habits—Mrs. Roy Foster.

3. Giving Help at Home—Mrs. Rufus Foster.

Mrs. George H. McEntire accompanied by her son, George H. McEntire Jr., and her daughter, Miss Virginia McEntire, flew to Dallas from San Angelo last Tuesday in George's ship to visit relatives. They returned in the afternoon of the same day with Miss Virginia as pilot.



10 BUSHELS OF CORN FOR DEMOCRACY

F. A. Rogers, Hunt County farmer and lawmaker, swaps 10 bushels of 10-cent corn for a \$1.00 Roosevelt-Garner Medallion at the Democratic booth at the State Fair. "It's the only way I can do my part towards getting Hoover out and a friend of the farmer in the White House," says Farmer Rogers.

Santa Fe Agent Presents Checks

Mr. F. L. Dinan, Agricultural Agent for the Santa Fe Railroad Company, will present checks to A. J. Biersch wale, coach of the team, Harold McCabe, Raymond Welch, Jerry Brown, and Herbert Mills who compose the livestock judging team who go to Kansas City, November 11th, covering the total expense for the trip, at a meeting to be held at the school auditorium Thursday evening November 10, at 7:45.

There will be a short program that will not last longer an hour and will be participated in by one of the officials from the State Department of Vocational Education at Austin, one or two of the officials of the Santa Fe Railroad Company, W. F. Kellis of this city, Supt. H. B. Lane, Malcom Black, Secretary of the School board, A. J. Bierschwale, Vocational Agriculture teacher, and the boys who have won these honors for our country.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend this program and encourage the boys to do their best to win out in the National Contest at Kansas City.

Mrs. H. G. Ratliff Is Dead

Mrs. H. G. Ratliff, mother of our fellow citizen, Oscar Ratliff, died at her home in Brownwood last Sunday and was buried the following day.

At her death, deceased was 72 years of age. She was a member of the Methodist Church and lived in Brownwood and vicinity 60 years.

She is survived by her husband, H. G. Ratliff, five sons and one daughter as follows: Ira Ratliff of Plainview, Texas, Noel and Paul Ratliff, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Homer Ratliff of Brownwood, Oscar Ratliff of Sterling City, and Mrs. Howlet of Corpus Christi.

Oscar Ratliff returned from Brownwood Tuesday where he had been on the occasion of his mother's death and burial.

Resolutions by Lions

Whereas, our President, Rev. B. B. Hestir following his own conscience, and we believe the leadership of the Devine Spirit, is soon to leave this town, and knowing that our loss in the going of this good and efficient president is someone else's gain, therefore, be it resolved, First, We regret to see Brother Hestir go, both as a man and as our beloved president. Through his wise thinking, planning and good leadership he has led our club to great achievements. Be it so resolved,

Second, that we commend Brother Hestir to any sister club as a man that will stand four square to every cause of civic improvement, and lend his influence for the right as he sees the right. Resolved Third,

That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Lion's Club of the city where he is going, if there be such a Club, and if not, then to any civic organization functioning in its stead.

Signed W. B. Everitt, M. D. Unanimously adopted by the Sterling City Lion's Club, Nov. 2nd, 1932.

W. F. Kellis Pres. Protem
Ted Norton Sect'y

Mrs. Henry Davis is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Bynum at Abilene.

Dr. P. C. Coleman Is Dead

Dr. P. C. Coleman, veteran pioneer physician of West Texas, died at his home in Colorado, Texas, at the age of 79, last Saturday.

Deceased came to Colorado soon after his graduation at the University of Kentucky at Louisville nearly 50 years ago, and engaged in the practice of medicine. At that time the country was sparsely settled, and he often drove, or rode on horseback 200 miles to attend the sick. He officiated at the births of 2000 babies, in one case he delivered the mother, and in time he officiated at the births of her eleven children.

Aside from his profession, he was always active in the civic betterment of Colorado specially, and West Texas generally. He was the father of the Texas Tech at Lubbock. He was the friend of education and all that pertains to civic betterment.

He is survived by his widow and four children as follows: Mrs. J. M. Thomas of Colorado, Dr. Reaves Coleman of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Roland Burchard, Wyoming, and Miss Mildred Coleman of Colorado.

He was loved by all West Texas. Perhaps no man ever did more for the upbuilding of Colorado and vicinity than Dr. Coleman.

Preachers to New Locations

Rev. B. B. Hestir, local Presbyterian pastor, left this week with his family for Mount Holly, Arkansas, to assume the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at that place. Rev. Hestir had had charge of the local Presbyterian Church of Sterling City for a number of years. Under his administration, the church prospered and he leaves it in fine condition.

All Sterling regrets the leaving of Brother Hestir. Both saint and sinner loved him for his splendid christian bearing. Not only was he esteemed in church circles, but all classes, irrespective of church affiliation, loved and respected him. He was foremost in all school and civic activities. As president of the Lion's Club, he was its life.

We join all Sterling in regrets for the leaving of Brother Hestir and his excellent wife and son, but at the same time they carry with them our good wishes to their new home.

Rev. W. S. Ezell, local Methodist pastor, was retained at his present post for another year by the Annual Methodist Conference which concluded its work at San Angelo last Sunday night. Brother Ezell is quite popular with the members of his church as well as the whole community.

Rev. J. D. McWhorter, the universally loved veteran Methodist pastor who has had charge of the church at Eldorado for the past year, was transferred to Los Fresno, a point in the Brownsville district.

Rev. O. M. Cole, former popular Methodist pastor of the Sterling City M. E. Church, was transferred from Rochelle and Melvin churches to Briggs.

Rev. Grady Timmons was returned to his old charge at San Angelo.

M. C. Stearns is the new Methodist pastor at Garden City.

C. C. Reynolds returned a few days ago from his old stamping ground in Northeast Texas where he had been to look after his land interests there.

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If you like the depression and want it continued, vote for Hoover.

An old joke: Once there was a Scotchman and an Irishman who —. The joke is implied like the pledge on the Tom Green County primary ballot.

If we were called on to design a campaign medallion for the jimferguson fans to wear, we could think of nothing that would be more appropriate than a double cross.

Bullington says that jimferguson offered to swing his crowd over to the republicans two years ago when Sterling defeated him for governor. Some of the boys are waiting to get their Forum to see whether it is so or not.

Will Rogers says that when he visited Washington last week, he found no one at home. He asked where President Hoover was, and they told him that he was out west on an electioneering tour. Then he asked where his old Injun friend Vice President Curtis was. Curtis was down in Kansas making Hoover speeches. After inquiring about a lot of the boys, he found that they were all out making speeches for Hoover. Will says that since they all left Washington, times are picking up.

Dear Uncle Bill:

Is "Ground Hog Day" the anniversary of the day sausage was discovered?

Dumb Reader

No, son, it was the much dreaded day when the sausage grinder discovered the kid who turned its crank until his arms ached to make ground hog. However, the kid rejoiced after that and celebrated many Ground Hog Days by eating nice, red hog for his breakfast. There is nothing that tastes better to a button boy than ground hog.

Brother J. B. Cranfil of Anti-Saloon League fame is shelling the woods again for Hoover. The Brother seems to like this Hoover prosperity that we have been enjoying for the last three years. Of course Brother Cranfil gets a good salary for being an Anti-Saloon Leaguer and it is likely the question of beans and britches doesn't trouble him like it does the boys who are kicking in his salary. He claims that the Hoover method of getting a glass of beer suits him better than the Democratic method. Be that as it may, Brother Cranfil is going to be lonesome at the big blowout next week. The great masses are tired of bootleggers and it is likely that they are going to lose their jobs in the near future as well as Brother Jabe.

Don't forget the Armistice Day program at Sterling Theatre.

Three rooms for rent. Apply to C. C. Reynolds. 4t pd.

JIMFERGUSON'S DEMOCRACY

"Ma" Ferguson says that she and jim have always been Democrats. As a matter of convenience, she is a dry and he is a wet.

Assuming that the jimferguson boys believe everything they read in the Forum, here are some of the things which that paper printed in the past:

"To hell with the Democratic party."

Speaking of President Wilson, jimferguson said:

"What interest has a democratic president ever shown for the welfare or even the rights of the Texas farmer or Texas ranchmen? Who wants to be a democrat anyhow? It is past history, present trouble and future disgrace."

Again jimferguson said:

"As the democrats got in power they made the corruption of the republicans look like thirty cents and we who have been members of that party (meaning the Democratic party) are truly ashamed of the record."

During the same year, speaking of the Democratic party, jim said: "It has betrayed the people and belied its principles."

jimferguson on the Pledge

Back in 1920 in the Forum of September 23, jim had the following to say about the Primary Pledge:

"There is a set of bulldozing politicians telling the people that if they go to the polls and vote the American party ticket after they have voted in the primary they will be prosecuted in the courts. By this means they expect to intimidate a lot of good people and either keep them away from the polls or threaten them into voting the infernal democratic ticket. Don't pay any attention to such threats. You are an American citizen, free and independent. Go to the polls and vote as you please regardless of whether or not you went into the democratic primary."

Well, all I know about jimferguson's Democracy is what I read in his Forum back in 1919 and 1920. jim was very strong on his democracy then. The pledge that he now calls sacred, in 1920 he said, "go to the polls and vote as you please regardless of whether or not you went into the democratic primary."

Uh, huh, I dare jimferguson to say that now. I dare him to say the "infernal democratic ticket," now. He wouldn't now say that the Democratic party "has betrayed the people and belied its principles." No, no, you couldn't get jim or any of his Fridays to say that now.

You boys who are swallowing everything the Forum prints, may I ask what do you think of jimferguson's democracy in the past? You who put such store by jim and don't believe that he was ever impeached and was never crooked and believe whatever he tells you, what do you think of jim's democracy? Do you think he is worth all the gloryfying you have bestowed on him? Sure, I'll eat that darned crow, but I am not hankering for it.

Veterinarian Coming

Dr. Boughton, a veterinarian from the Ranch Experiment Station at Sonora, will meet the ranchmen of the county in their next evening school meeting to be held at the court house in Sterling City, November 16, at 3:00 p. m. for the purpose of discussing and demonstrating the vaccination of sheep and goats for sore mouth. He will be accompanied by District Agent T. B. Wood. The ranchmen of Glasscock County who are interested in this problem are invited to meet with us at this time.

Every sheep and goat man should attend this meeting. Don't forget the time—Wednesday, November 16, 3:00 p. m. Place—Sterling County Court House.

Metal Detector Bares Rich Treasure Buried By Ancient Tribe

Centuries ago an Indian race buried its tribal treasure in the forbidding Cocol Mountains of Central America. Incantations were uttered to keep it hidden. Nature responded and the jungle covered the spot. The treasure was "lost," for the expeditions that searched for it returned home empty-handed.

Finally an engineer appeared. Across his shoulders were slung instruments more magical than the charms of the early tribe. Slowly and carefully he explored the district, driving stakes into the ground, turning dials, and listening with his earphones. Eventually he said, "Dig here." The pick and shovel crew burrowed down and the treasure was brought to light.

Uncanny as it seems, scientists can walk across country and tell you, "Dig here for mineral," or "Here is the place for an oil well." Their delicate instruments probe deep into the earth, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. With the aid of such instruments, Lieut. George Williams, who makes his headquarters in Panama, is turning the hunting of treasures into a steady business. He has unearthed hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of valuables in the last six years.

Panama has been the golden cross road of the New World for hundreds of years. Ancient Indians buried their hoards in the vicinity. Spaniards who delved in tons instead of ounces collected their cargoes there for trans-shipment to Spain. Returning '49ers from California tramped over the Cruces trail between the two oceans.

Much of the metal that crossed the isthmus is still there, having been buried in haste against the attacks of pirates and highwaymen. It is estimated that \$5,000,000 worth alone was concealed in the old city of Panama in 1671 to hide it from the buccaneer Morgan.

Williams had an audience of skeptics when he first tried out his machine. He chose the ruins of a cathedral in old Panama and set up his instruments. Treasure had been sought for years in the district and officials scoffed at the suggestion that any remained. But the machine gave affirmative signals and a hole was dug. Within a few feet the treasure hunter uncovered a heavy chalice of solid gold.

Since then Williams has prowled back and forth through the ruins, earphones on his head. Some of the public buildings of the old city are connected by underground tunnels, and in these Williams finds golden pitchers and bowls, drinking cups, sacred objects, and individual caches of gold and silver money.

More interesting is the exploration of ancient Indian graves and temples to which his instruments lead him. Less than a hundred miles southwest of the Canal Zone are the Cocol mountains, the former home of one of the few tribes that resisted the Spanish conquistadores. Here, for 2,000 years, the tribe panned gold from the streams and made it up into ornaments. But the tropic jungle, teeming with poisonous snakes and insects, is no place for white men. Only during a few weeks in the middle of the dry season can the jungle be entered. Every year Williams makes a hasty trip to Cocol, and his expedition returns each time laden with solid gold treasure.

On his last trip Williams discovered a sacred mountain, the whole top of which is carved out by hand to form an underground temple. The slopes of the mountain contain countless tombs of ancient warriors, each skeleton resting on gold plates and surrounded by gold ornaments. In Williams' opinion, it will require

Cookies for Ever-Hungry Youngsters



Home-made Goodies Delight Kiddies

SCHOOL days again. And hungry youngsters racing home and asking for "something good" to eat. If the cookie jar is kept well filled, mother will have no difficulty in satisfying the children, because these little cakes are substantial enough to satisfy the between-meal craving and still so light they will not spoil the appetite for regular meals.

While even plain cookies will appeal to nearly all children, try giving them something with a flavor they like. Cut the cookies in interesting shapes, such as stars, diamonds, and little animals! Or decorate the tops of plain cookies with some nuts, raisins, or small colored candies, and listen to the shouts of delight.

Add these to the school lunch, too, and watch the interest of the youngsters in that rather difficult meal.

Chocolate Cookies
2 1/2 cups sifted cake flour
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 cup butter or other shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, well beaten
3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
1 tablespoon cream
Sift flour once, measure, add cinnamon, baking powder, and soda, and sift together three times. Cream butter thor-

oughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, chocolate, and cream, and beat well. Add flour, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Chill until firm enough to roll. Roll into thin sheet on slightly floured board. Cut with floured cookie cutters as desired. Dredge with sugar, or decorate with nuts, shredded coconut, small colored candies, colored sugars, or dried fruits (raisins, currants, and thin slices citron). Place on ungreased baking sheet and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 9 minutes. Makes 2 1/2 dozen large cookies.

Chocolate Drop Cookies
2 cups sifted cake flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
dash of salt
1/2 cup butter or other shortening
3/4 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1 egg, well beaten
3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
1/2 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup almond meats, broken
Sift flour once, measure, add soda and salt, and sift together twice. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well. Add chocolate and blend. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla and nuts. Drop from teaspoon on greased baking sheet and bake in moderate oven (350° F.) about 7 minutes. Frost with chocolate butter frosting if desired. Makes 50 cookies.

years to excavate the graves and remove the treasure. Aside from the value of the precious metal that is recovered, the pottery objects are of high archaeological value.

Letter Written in 1846

Antioch, November 11th. 1846

My Dear Brother Co.

Sir, I Landed Home Tuesday night and found all well.

there is nothing knew I believe About Antioch Since I left here.

Dear Brother on consulting with my wife we have concluded to Let you have both Lots of our Land at what you offered for it; that is to Say, Vilet and one hundred Dollars.

and if Vilet wants to Stay at the mines She can do so until Spring and perhaps longer,

Come down forthwith and let us accomplish the trade

Done in hast Yours Truly

W. Hill

Note. Back of letter (which was folded and sealed, no envelope or stamp) read November 17th. 5 cents Antioch, p. o. South Carolina.

Mr. Coleman Ledbetter Sugar Hill, McDowell City, North Carolina.

The five cents is the postage which was based on mileage and was paid in cash by the person receiving the letter. It was called "Lifting the postage".

Violet, mentioned in the letter was a negro woman slave.

Geo. H. McEntire owns the original copy of this letter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Case returned from Seymour last week where they went on the occasion of the last illness and death of Mrs. M. C. Case, Mr Case's mother.

Have pasturage for 100 cows.

Philip Thompson 2t.

Pigs for Sale. See Tom Blair. 1f

THIS WEEK

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their jail you don't wonder that the ordinary individual can buy whisky at large under prohibition.

Suicides, more numerous in the United States now than they have ever been, continue their strange course.

Of two men that killed themselves in New York both had jobs, both were past fifty. One killed himself to join his wife. He found life not worth while without her, and wrote a poem saying she had gone to prepare a place for him.

Such a good example to other husbands should have lived. One girl, twenty, found dead, had not a penny left. Another, sixteen, would not say why she took poison. But you can guess. It is usually the same old story at sixteen. Of these four—and there are many others in the day's news—two inhaled gas, two drank poison. The young girl may live.

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Democratic Nominees

For Representative of the 91st District of Texas:

Penrose B. Metcalfe

For District Attorney of the 51st Judicial District of Texas:

Glen R. Lewis

For County Judge:

Pat Kellis

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

V. E. Davis

For County and District Clerk:

Prebble Durham

For County Treasurer:

Agnes Ainsworth

For Tax Assessor:

S. T. Walraven

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 1

Oscar Ratliff

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 2:

C. A. Bowen

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 3:

W. G. Welch

For Commissioner of Precinct No. 4:

W. N. Reed

Local Items

RAM FOR SALE—Large, smooth type, full blood Rambouillet. A bargain. Call at this office.

Let us do your ironing, at lowest prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.—Call or see Mrs. Bob Martin.

S. M. Greer was in from his Glasscock ranch last Saturday and moved his subscription another notch. Mr. Greer reports conditions in his county are improving.

J. R. Whitmire, who had been visiting relatives in East Texas, returned home a few days ago. Mr. Whitmire says the crops in that part of the state are from fair to good.

Dr. S. Kellogg, Osteopathic Masseuse, is located in the Hoover residence one block north of the State Hotel. Successfully treats most all kinds of diseases. Phone No. 177. tf.

Subscriptions taken for magazines and daily newspapers by the Ladies Home Mission of the M. E. Church. Profits will be used for church purposes. See Mrs. Rufus Foster. 2t.

Except for local news items, always try to get your copy for the News-Record not later than Wednesday noon. By doing this, your copy will always be printed.

Driving sheep from the west thru my pasture will be permitted, but sheep being driven from the east is strictly forbidden. I have spent a lot of time and labor in the last 11 years in ridding my pasture of grass and cockle burrs, and no sheep will be allowed to pass thru from infested ranges on the east. M. J. Askey tf.

R. P. Brown, who underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis at Temple about three weeks ago, in company with Mrs. Brown, arrived home last Sunday afternoon. While Brown's legs are a little wobbly, otherwise, he is all right and is as full of life as ever. His many friends rejoice that he is back at home once more with the prospects of good health.

MORNING TIMES OR EVENING STANDARD \$3.95 per year, daily and Sunday in West Texas only. Weekly Standard \$1.00 per year. Always first with the latest news. Let us send in your subscription. Cash must accompany each order. News-Record. 3t.

W. T. Mann came down from Big Spring last Monday and entered his son W. T. Jr., in our schools. After visiting the school last Monday and observing the "pep" that is being put into it by the Superintendent and the faculty, Mr. Mann was very much impressed with its efficiency. Will brought along his fishing pole and expects to thresh pecans until he gets tired and then fish while he is resting. He is almost a native of Sterling and is no novice in the game of harvesting pecans and fishing.

Postmaster Hal Knight returned last Friday from Washington, D. C. where he attended the National Postmasters' Convention. Mr. Knight visited many places on the trip that was of historical interest, including Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington, and the home of Robert E. Lee at Arlington. On his return, Mr. Knight came thru Missouri and Arkansas. As a souvenir, he brought home a jug of fresh, sweet apple cider which after it ages awhile is very good to drink. Much better than the roasting ear juice they make over in Coke County.

Lowest Prices In 20 Years

EVERYTHING ON SALE FOR CASH

Everything in the Store is quality goods, and not merchandise bought for the purpose of putting on a "Sale," and thereby reap handsome profits.

A genuine John B. \$4 Stetson Hat for . . .

All Stetson Hats on sale from \$1 to \$3 off

\$2.50 to \$8 Dress \$1.88 to \$6.00

Pants, on sale 75c to \$2.50 Work 60c to \$1.95

Madras stripe 54c shirt, fast color

Men's Suits, newest Fall patterns, with two pairs trousers \$16.50

\$1 to \$2.50 Dress 75c to \$1.88

Shirts, going at \$4 to \$10 Men's \$3 to \$7.50

Shoes, selling at

A good, warm Suede Cloth Coat for \$1.75

Leather and Sheep-lined Coats of many kinds

Three Silk Ties for \$1.00

Sale Prices For Cash, Only THE MEN'S STORE

A COMPLETE LINE OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES

We have a complete line of the latest, approved school supplies, at the lowest prices ever offered. Don't buy until you see our new line.

Drugs and Toilet Articles

We now have a good stock of drugs in original packages, and proprietary medicines. Also a selection of the best cosmetics and toilet accessories; shampoos, hair tonics and oils

Pay Us A Visit

CITY CONFECTIONERY

The Spooks were out in full force last Monday night. The kiddies had the time of their lives playing the conventional Halloween pranks, but so far as we observed or could learn their pranks were of the harmless sort. The absence of real damage or malicious mischief, shows that the average Sterling kiddie is entirely decent.

Good shows at Sterling Theatre.

F. M. Williams, proprietor of the State Hotel, while supervising the planting of shrubs in the hotel flower plat last Saturday suffered an injury to one of his eyes an accidental stroke of the diggers that may render him blind in that eye. Accompanied by Mrs. Williams he was taken to a specialist in San Angelo for treatment last Monday.

For home Laundry, phone 170.2t

E. E. Allen was a caller at this office last Saturday. He used a bucket of fine honey as coin to move his subscription up another notch. Then to cap the climax of the News-Record family's joy, he put in a couple of blocks of the nectar for good measure. Besides a lot of fine stock on the range, Mr. Allen keeps a lot of bees to gather the honey that would otherwise go to waste. The honey from the Allen ranch is quite a source of revenue, and being of good quality, there is always a demand for it.

Miss Virginia McEntire is expected to board an airship at Big Spring today and fly to Los Angeles, California, where she expects to study in a school of art.

F. W. Cole is at Christoval taking baths and undergoing treatment at that famous health resort.

Undertaker's Supplies

Ambulance Service
Embalming on short notice
Lowe Hardware Co.

Posted All persons are hereby forbidden to hunt, fish, gather pecans, haul wood, drive stock or otherwise trespass upon any lands owned or controlled by me.

GEORGE McENTIRE

ENGINE for pumping water for sale at a bargain—Larkin Longshore

J. L. Morrow Dies at Robert Lee

Louis Morrow died at the home of his son, L. M. Morrow, in Robert Lee last Wednesday night Nov. 2, and was buried in the Robert Lee Cemetery the following afternoon. Deceased with his family resided in Sterling City several years in the late 1890's and early 1900's.

He is survived by his widow, two sons and one daughter as follows: Jake Morrow of Fort Chabourne, L. M. Morrow of Robert Lee and Mrs. Bert Rogers of Ranger; and also one brother, J. F. Morrow, of Burnett, Texas.

Louis Morrow was well known to all the old timers in Sterling and was loved and respected by all who knew him. He was our friend and as such, we are with those who mourn his passing.

Two Big Spring Girls Killed by Automobile

Misses Rena Nabors and Fannie Hull were hit and killed by an automobile as they were walking along the pavement in Big Spring last Monday night. They were returning from a Halloween dance when struck.

R. O. Wright was arrested on charges of murder and negligent homicide as a result of the accident.

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THE SCHOOL NEWS RECEIVES A NAME

The staff met Monday at the regular period and chose the name "Eagles' Eyes" for its section of the paper.

Six girls were guests of the Home Economics III class in the classroom at the high school building at a dinner. The Halloween motive was carried out through the entire entertainment. The guests came riding brooms as they were instructed to do.

After the delicious dinner was served, the guests found that they were to become efficient dish washers and dryers; so they began their work then. They proved to be very good.

The guests were: Roberta Sanders, Louise Merrell, Belle Abernathy, Alice Fletcher Mann, Archie Marie Garrett, and Johnnie Bess Reed.

The Home Economics girls of class I divided their class into three groups: A, B, and C. Group A entertained group B with a Halloween breakfast. The menu consisted of orange, cocoa with marshmallow, buttered toast, and poached eggs. The table was appropriately decorated for Halloween. Needless to say the girls received pleasure as well as profit from the occasion.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Monday morning the high school pupils met in the study hall for an impromptu program. The unison readings used last year were led by Miss Garrett. Cicile Irene Reed, Rulene Foster, and Thyra Sparkman gave readings. The boys who attended the State Fair gave interesting talks about their trip.

PERSONALS

Mr. H. B. Lane's father and mother of Richland Springs and his sister, who is teaching in the Brady schools, are visiting in his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bierschwale and family spent the week-end in Junction where they attended Mr. Bierschwale's father's birthday dinner.

Mr. Aiken attended the football game between Midland and San Angelo in San Angelo this week-end.

Miss Lola Marie Walraven spent the week-end with a friend in San Angelo.

The high school pupils were sorry to lose Bluford Hestir from their midst. He has moved to Arkansas.

THE LIBRARY

The Wimodaughsis Club loaned the high school library fifty-eight books which may be read for credit in English. These books came to the library at a most opportune time and are highly appreciated. The high school library has received copies of most of the magazines ordered. These periodicals offer the students the opportunity of cultural recreational reading as well as information concerning current events.

Mary Helen: Mr. Lane, give us a scientific attitude.

Mr. Lane: A scientist believes an automobile fender can not travel without assistance.

LIFE'S COMFORTS, JOYS ENHANCED BY MOHAIR FLEECE



USE MUCH MOHAIR IN RAILROAD CARS

Rates as One Fabric to Withstand Wear and Tear of Continuous Service.

PERHAPS you have sometimes wondered why all railway seats are upholstered in the same material, the familiar mohair velvet that in our childhood days was invariably a bright red or green and always of one or two standard patterns. Today even train interiors have become color-conscious and soft greens and tawny and warm blues are seen but are still of the same mohair velvet to the extent, it has been estimated, of twelve million yards in the trains of the country.

The reason for this is that no other fabric has been found that will stand all the hard wear and tear that 24-hour service means. Made from the fleece of the angora goat, mohair velvet or velmo, is one of the most popular and serviceable of fabric materials. One hundred million yards are in use on automobiles alone and many more on motor buses and for the interiors of airplanes.

In addition to this, velmo is also used for upholstering furniture, for draperies and even for rugs and is especially in favor with the housewife because it is chemically moth-proofed in manufacture. It is also used for theatre curtains and chair coverings, because of the sound absorption the deep pile fabric affords, which is an important consideration in talking picture theatres. Like everything else, mohair velvet has "gone modern" and can be had in an endless variety of colors and patterns and weaves. Over five hundred shades of green alone are reported by one New England mill.

But an upholstering fabric is by no means the only service the mohair fleece renders. The finest indoor golf courses are made of a rich, deep pile mohair velvet. Lap robes and steamer rugs, lifelike stuffed animals, trimmings for house slippers and even wigs and transformations are made from this snowy fleece which more closely resembles human hair than any other known fibre.

Each fibre is much stronger than wool and due to its unique physical structure takes a fadeless dye. Because of its sleek surface, it does not readily retain dust and dirt and in

fact, the pile surface acts as a brush and makes the traveler's clothing actually cleaner at the end of the trip than it was before!

So great has the demand been for this fleece that within a comparatively few years, the industry of angora goat raising has been transferred from Turkey and South Africa to the United States, which now leads the world both in the production and manufacture of mohair fleece.

MOTHS WILL DIE RATHER THAN EAT TREATED MOHAIR

AT LAST science is making headway against the moth, that harmless looking little insect that causes damage to household effects to the tune of \$400,000,000 annually. In regard to at least one important fabric, mohair velvet, victory has been achieved.

All fabrics made from animal fiber which is largely protein, are normally attractive to moths. Exceptions, cleanliness, exposure to sunlight and the use of moth deterrents applied at some are sometimes helpful, but the thorough and scientific way to thwart the enemy is for the material to be permanently mothproofed with chemicals at the mill when it is being made. So successful is this process that mohair velvet, or velmo as the rich pile fabric made from the hair of the angora goat is called, once considered by housewives as the moth-heaven is now recognized as the Waterloo. It has indisputably been proved that moths will starve themselves to death rather than eat mohair velvet that has been so treated. The feature alone, aside from the long wearing qualities, easy cleaning and luxurious appearance of velmo, recommends it as the ideal fabric for furniture upholstery.

For other furnishings, frequent airing and plenty of sunlight will tend to reduce the breeding haunts of the house moth. Killing the moth on the wing will not do any good as by the time it has reached the flying stage it has already deposited its eggs and is ready for death. It is these eggs, larvae which, hatching out, seize the animal fibers which have not been chemically treated and eat them.

Dopesters Say New Congress Very Wet

Washington, D. C. Oct. 25 — A poll of candidates of all parties for Congress shows that the new Congress is to be very wet, as 553 out of 607 Congressional candidates favored immediate submission of the question of repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the States.

The poll, conducted by the Woman's Organization for National Prohibition reform, indicated the new congress, to be elected next month, would be overwhelmingly in

favor of repeal. Its poll showed eleven to one repeal sentiment among candidates for house and senate. The poll, while not conclusive, included more than half of all candidates in November's congressional campaigns.

Predictions already have been voiced by Republicans and Democratic leaders that the present congress will modify the Volsted act and legalize beer at the coming December session. It may go further and propose repeal next winter by approving the pending Glass resolution, which would submit the Eighteenth Amendment to a vote of the states.

The fight over repeal appears to be heading toward a difference over the method of submitting the question, rather than on the issue of submission. This was indicated in the organization poll. Out of the 533 candidates favoring repeal, 474 were outright repeal, which would restore to the states absolute control of the liquor traffic. But 79 candidates, while favoring repeal, qualified it with some provision to be included in the repeal resolution.

There was another really significant aspect to the poll. For the first time since prohibition was written into the constitution, a majority

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of the congressional candidates, responding to a poll, were recorded as favoring repeal in thirty six different states. The fact was significant, because repeal of prohibition would have to be ratified by thirty-six states.

The list included Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

This sentiment was indicative rather than conclusive, since in some of these states only half the candidates replied to the poll. But it was the first time the repeal sentiment was found to be on the ascendancy in thirty six states—the number required to ratify repeal.

The poll also disclosed the Democrats were far more willing to declare themselves on the repeal issue. On this score the poll showed:

Party—	1	2	3
Democrats	322	22	2
Republicans	135	56	47
Rep-Dems	7	2	
Other parties	29	1	3

Total 474 79 54

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