



LITTLE ABOUT EVERYTHING AND NOT MUCH ABOUT ANYTHING

WE just as well acknowledge it now as further up the creek, and if it doesn't stop raining the creek will be further up) — that considerable damage has been wrought to the cotton and feed crops in Martin county the past week because of the continued heavy rains falling.

The fleecy staple had just begun to open rapidly and the growers were commencing to bring it to the gins, when the moisture, wafted on an easterly wind, was spread over this county, the fall varying from two to three inches. The feed had ripened and was being harvested, and now it is feared that much of it has been ruined. All work in the cotton patch has ceased, and if the sun should come out before this day, Saturday, closes and remain out, it will be several days before cotton picking will be resumed.

The check-up of gathering the cotton crop at this season of the year brings on the fear that an early frost is due, in which case, it will mean that the cotton yield in Martin county will fall short of its last year's yield of 20,000 bales. The next report of the government is almost certain to show a very noted decrease in the cotton yield as since the September report thousands of acres of cotton has been destroyed by flood waters, and many more will have "gone by the board" due to too much rain falling at a time when the harvest in West Texas was beginning to get under way.

This situation should have a telling effect on moving the price upward. It may be that the Martin county cotton grower will have the opportunity to sell his cotton at 10 cents, in which case, would mean that the loss of cotton would be equalized by the price paid.

That, however, remains to be seen. The "big boys" that manipulate the market have such a funny way of doing things.

In instances of major importance this department is permitted by Ellis Zimmerman, the sports writer and Touchdown, the sport columnist on The Reporter, to say a little in this column about football and other sport topics. Otherwise, he is instructed to keep hands off, which, if he will heed the admonition, he will have his hands full without meddling into the affairs of others on the Reporter's staff.

The instance coming up of which we are allowed to spout off about, is of so much import to Stanton that the two sporting imps have allowed Snooter to say what he darn pleases, is about the Buffalo-Bulldog football game to be played this afternoon on Lackey Field, Midland.

As an ointment to strengthen the muscles of the local fans that they may pitch brick bats at us with more force, we read sacred grounds by making the statement that the Bulldogs will do just as they have been doing the past two seasons — beat the Buffaloes.

We promised ourselves on our last voyage over to Midland to witness the Buff-Dog go, we would never again allow our enthusiasm to swell up in us as it did on that occasion. We were so sure that the Buffaloes would trounce Bary's Bulldogs into the earth up to their eyes as we were sitting in the bleacher's stand looking on.

The disappointment is too great for our physical make-up to stand up under, hence we are going over to Midland this P. M. with it fixed in our mind that the Buffaloes are going to suffer defeat — then if they should win — we 'shore' will be happy.

We can't believe a darn thing that Hankins says in his sports column, neither can we place any dependence on what Coach Barry gives out. Weeks before the game last year began their hard luck stories about the deplorable condition of the Dogs — if they win from Stanton it will be thru their own backs — the Dogs are handling the game like a cub bear would, etc., and had believing what they said.

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May Change Highway Route

Buffaloes All Set For Trek To Dog Kennels

BUFFALOES ENTER GAME THIS P. M. ODDS AGAINST EM

SQUAD YOUNG AND INEXPERIENCED AND DUE DEFEAT AT PAWS OF THE CLASS A MIDLAND BULLDOGS.

(ELLIS ZIMMERMAN) Almost by the time the reader gets his hands and eyes on this week's Reporter, the Stanton Buffaloes, a Class B aggregation, will be on their way to Midland to meet the Barry Bulldogs, a Class A eleven of football toters in a non-conference game as was announced in these columns several weeks ago.

The game is to be played at about 3:45 this Friday afternoon on Lackey Field, and it is to be the first tilt of the season for both squads.

Stanton defeated Midland in 1929 and again in 1931 played them to a scoreless tie, but were defeated last season by two touchdowns.

The Bisons are not showing up very well the last few evenings of practice due to the unexperienced men, and none of the squad feels the least over-confidence in the clash with the Bulldogs this afternoon.

The faces of Eubanks, Hogue, Maggart, Bloomer, Kelley, Sale, Springer, and Wilson, will not be seen this season, and Coach Hyde is finding it a hard problem to fill the places of these absent veterans.

Well, anyway, the better team will win this p. m. skirmish and here's hoping the Buffs will put out all they have from the first of the whistle to the last, win or lose.

A rough idea of Midland's strength:

were facts — then when the crucial moment came we sat on the bleachers stand confident the Buffs had the game sewed up — that even to play the game with the Dogs was a matter of courtesy. Then to see our Buffs go down before the yowling canine pack — well — we didn't cry but we did the next think to it — we cursed until our wife wouldn't speak to us for a week.

All that we expect from the Bulldog aggregation with Hankins and Coach Barry thrown in, is pop corn and soda pop and we pay for that. They are going to be the same way about giving the Buffaloes anything. What we get out of this game the local fan can put it in his pipe and puff away on it, we'll pay for thrice fold.

So our advice to the Buffaloes this P. M., is put your foot on the soft pedal all this hard luck story you hear coming from the kennels of the Midland Bulldogs. They are going to have their tails twisted in knots and their ears laid back and blood in their eyes, and if you Buffs come out with your hides whole you may thank your stars.

There are only six men on the Buffalo squad this year that have had any football experience, and that means there are five others who are yet to learn from getting hit in the face with the ball when tossed to them and what to do with the ball when they get it.

We doubt very much, after they have read this effusion, if Zimmerman and Touchdown will ever permit this department again to use this column to expose his personal views about what may be expected of the Buffaloes in their game with Midland.

We hope we are wrong but the indicator to our prognosticating apparatus points just precisely as we aim it.

Anyway, here's hopin' Buffaloes you come home with Dog hair in your teeth and Dog hides on your horns.

to be gleaned from their Class A landing last year, and with the most of their last year's squad back in the lineup this season, the Dogs are expected to have a 'letting' team that makes it look dark and dreary for the Buffaloes winning this game.

Coach Hyde will have his squad in the big city Friday ready for the game, although the Buffs will not be in the pink of condition due to the loss of practice caused by the heavy rains.

During the last few days the Herd has pranced through several scrimmages which revealed nothing sensational. The Buffs are a very light team, but that's nothing; I once saw a bee chase a cow all over the pasture. Dark Foreboding From Midland Sport Dopster

"We notice the writer on the Big Spring Herald says Midland should have no difficulty in winning another 12-0 verdict, the score of the last melee indulged in by Midland and Stanton. We wish we could feel the same way, but regret to say the words don't come so easily. For one reason, we haven't seen Stanton's club in action this season. For another we have seen Midland's. Assuming Stanton is typically the Stanton of other years, even though graduation has plucked a few of the Buffalo stars, and knowing Midland has lost the majority of its powerful men, we must confess that we shiver to think what may happen.

"We offer you the good omens, however; Midland has three coaches and Stanton only one. Three coaches should be able to make a greater showing with a green team than one coach, even if the one coach be named Rufus Hyde."

Following is the probable starting line-up of the Buffaloes that will go against the Midland Bulldogs this afternoon:

- J. Hawkins Left End
- A. Eubanks Left Tackle
- R. Ruggles Left Guard
- L. Metcalf Center
- S. Hamner Right Guard
- J. Jones Right Tackle
- A. O'Connor Right End
- Reid or Epley Right Half
- Nichols or Bridges Left Half
- Adams or Peters Quarterback
- Bridges or Adams Full

SWAP AD COLUMN TO STOP WEEK AFTER NEXT

The TO SWAP Ads the Reporter has been carrying for the past month will stop after the issue of next week. So if you have anything you wish to swap get the Ad in early next week.

The Reporter has been complimented by many who have taken advantage of Swap Ads, remarking they have made trades through advertising items they had to swap.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Verner of Corpus Christi spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, enroute to their home from a trip to California. Mrs. Verner is a sister of Mr. Hamilton.

Mrs. J. A. Bullock and Mrs. S. Jarvis of Tyler, are here with their brother Horace Hamilton who has been very ill for the last ten days.

His Model Plane Wins



Gordon Light, 17, of Lebanon, Pa., made a model airplane which set an international record of almost 6 minutes in the air to win the national contest at Atlantic City. He defeated three British entries trying to lift the Wakefield trophy.

STANTON IN LEAD WHEN GAME HALTED ON ACCOUNT RAIN

HEAVY DOWNPOUR OF RAIN STOPS CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF GAME IN FIRST ROUND WITH BROWNFIELD, SUNDAY.

(T. W. HAYNIE) Jupiter Pluvius stepped into the breach of a perfectly good golf game at Lamesa last Sunday and shut down all operations just as the first round had been played in the game with Brownfield that was to decide the championship in the Kat Klaw League.

At the time Old Jup opened his floodgates, for it was a cloudburst, the first round of golf had been played with Brownfield, Stanton was leading 22 to 13.

We don't know what decision will be rendered in this game by the League directors, but we had all played nine holes or more. It has been a standing agreement among teams that in case of rain nine holes shall constitute a game.

If this agreement is lived up to the golf season is over for Stanton and we will be presented with the winners trophy as champions of the Kat Klaw League. The ending of the game in this manner is very unsatisfactory to both teams, but as the season has lasted so long we are ready to quit and get to work at our fall business, (if there is any).

The first flight after 12 holes Woodard was 2 up against Woods; Gunter 1 up against Akers. Woodard and Glaser were 2 up on the low ball. Score, Stanton 9; Brownfield 2. The second flight after 10 holes Haynie was tied with Chancellor; King 1 up against Turner. Haynie and King were 2 up on low ball. Score, Stanton 7; Brownfield 2.

The third flight after 9 holes, Burnham was 3 up against Smith; Simpson 5 down against May. The 1 w ball was tied in this match. Score, Stanton 4; Brownfield 4.

The fourth flight after 9 holes, Parser against McGowan tied; Hard-

HIWAY PARALLEL T. AND P. RAILWAY THROUGH STANTON

INTENTION OF DEPARTMENT TO ELIMINATE PRESENT CURVE AS IT COMES INTO STANTON FROM THE EAST.

The intention of the State Highway Department, is to eliminate the curve in the Bankhead highway as it now comes through Stanton, at the eastern edge of the town and travel parallel with the T. & P. railroad and intersect the highway at the western edge of Stanton. This information is given the Reporter from a thoroughly reliable source.

That there will be considerable opposition arise over this intention of the highway department goes without saying.

All the gasoline filling stations are located on the present site of the highway.

The work of widening the Broadway of America Highway through Martin county under the supervision of the State Highway Department, is moving as rapidly as possible under the weather conditions. Four miles of grading has been completed from the east line of Martin county and grubbing, grading, and fence moving is going forward along the entire route. Thursday morning the county tractor and grader started work at the county line east of town.

Arrangements have been made for the caliche and crushed rock for the foundation for the extended highway through Martin county. When the construction work starts on putting down the base the traffic will start a detour at the railroad stop, Maretta, coming back on the highway after a distance of about three miles.

It is said that the intention of the State Highway Department is to build an entirely new highway through the town of Stanton, parallel to the T. & P. Railway. Wherever the State Department improves a highway it has been their policy to eliminate as far as possible all curves, removing the hazzard and shortening the route.

ing against Bailey tied. Brownfield had 2 low balls in the foursom. Score Stanton 2; Brownfield 5.

REPORTER TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS OLD WITH THIS ISSUE

With this issue of the Reporter its starts out on its twenty-seventh year.

There is nothing the present management can say that he will make a better paper out of the Reporter than he has the past two years, as he has striven about as hard as he knew how since he has been her to make a good average country weekly, and how well he has performed the task is left up to its readers and the business men who have supported the Reporter.

About the time we had it planned to make the Reporter a good spicy and interesting newspaper the depression came along and blocked our intentions. But we can assure the Martin populace we are going to do our level best in the future to give the people a better paper than we have the past two years. However, that will depend how soon the depression will lift and the amount of business we do.

We certainly appreciate the patronage given us by the merchants and only hope they will see their way clear to lend us support in the future.

Mrs. J. P. Boyd was a business visitor in Big Spring Saturday.

There's A Big Reward For The Rescue — By Albert T. Reid



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As I see it



By TOUCHDOWN

Coach Barry of Midland has been sending his Bulldogs through a secret siesta the past week. For the information of the Doggies' mentor it was not necessary he exercise them behind closed doors in order to beat the Buffaloes this afternoon. We don't figure it will take any new tricks, or many old ones, for the Dogs to win this clash. But we want to tell you that everything Coach Hyde does with his squad he does it in the open and before as many fans—don't care where they come from—as can get on the sidelines. There is not a Midland fan that would give away a trick that Coach Barry expected to play on the Buffaloes. If he did, it wouldn't matter for the Buffaloes have been coached in all the tricks that can be found in the football category. What is puzzling Coach Hyde is will his team forget them the minute they get in the clash? You know the Bisons at this present moment, is a very green and awkward specimens of the clove hoof tribe.

We advise Coach Barry and his dogs to be on the watchout as it is said "still water runs deep" and if there ever was a "stiller" piece of humanity than Hyde about his squad, then death itself is very much alive. We know Hyde so well if he were to relate an optimistic story about his Buffaloes before the game, we'd believe just the opposite. If he were to tell us the Amazon river wiggled itself through South America we'd have our doubts about it. Because Hyde won't tell anybody, anytime, anywhere, anything about what he really thinks the Bison Herd will do. That's that.

If this scribe can get as sidepartners at the game this afternoon such

fellows as Johnny or Willis Whitson and Paul Jones, we have little fear the Buffaloes will lose the game, provided the Herd plays the game as these young nobles dictates. On the bleachers stand these boys can tell you just how each player should have played to make the point, and we don't take any back seat on that proposition.

The only regrettable feature we will be confronted with should the Buffaloes win this afternoon's game, is having to attend the funeral of our friends R. C. Hankins and Coach Barry.

If you see a fellow this P. M. running around in the crowd outside Lackey Field looking like he had lost a fellow with the purse—it will be this scribe endeavoring to crash the gates behind some lady's skirt or under some fellow's coat. We may have to take this back next week as some Midland football official may hand us a comp. We can afford to apologize for a free admission into this game.

From a perfectly reliable source this department has received the information that the Stanton golf club has been voted on and accepted to become a member of the Sand Belt Golf Association next year. Such teams as Big Spring, Midland, Colorado, Lamesa, Snyder, and Odessa belong to this league. Colorado won the championship this year with 350 points to Lamesa, second, with 334 points.

In the game at Lamesa with Brownfield last Sunday to decide the championship of the Kat Klaw League, Stanton was ahead at the end of the first round when rain halted all operations. Whether the directors will decide the game in favor of Stanton or require the game to be played out at a future date remains to be seen.

Louise Cooper, the "Side Line Chatter" in the Colorado Record, remarks that the popular play the Woolves will employ this season is the "Double Wing" formation. Just what that is we don't know. We'll wait and see how it pans out in the Class A division. We're not very bright in anything, and know a dern sight less when it comes to introducing any new fangled plays in football, but Cooper says the Woolves are using it effectively, and that's all there is to worry about.

Last year the Buffaloes took the Wolves to a pretty severe drubbing and they'll have to show up better this year or they will get their double wings clipped.

But getting back again to the all-absorbing topic for this day. On the eve of the Midland Bulldog and Stanton Buffalo football clash this afternoon, Coach Hyde still has sealed lips regarding the outcome. He looks and acts as very pessimistic about the results, conveying to us through a dumb route that the afternoon's encounter will be just another football game where the Buffaloes come home with their tails behind them while the Bulldogs are chalking down the first victory for the year in their scrap book.

Coach Hyde has a gob of tricks up his sleeve he would like to unload on the Dogs but he's puzzled if the new recruits, inexperienced, can be trusted to exhibit them in an effective manner. We'll wait and see about

Golf Trophy Departs



C. Ross (Sandy) Somerville, 29, of Canada is the 1932 U. S. Amateur Golf Champion. He won the honor by defeating Johnny Goodman of Omaha in the finals at Baltimore, 2-1. This is the second time the title has been won by a non-resident of the U. S. in 36 years.

Classified Ads.

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World Series Baseball Again



The schedule has been completed for baseball's annual world series, first two games to be played at Yankee stadium, New York, September 28 and 29. Anticipating the triumph of the Chicago Cubs in the National League pennant race, the next two games are scheduled at Chicago on October 1 and 2. Photos show (left) Charley Grimm playing first-baseman manager of the Chicago Cubs and (right) Joe McCarthy, manager of the New York Yankees—former manager of the Cubs and the only manager ever to have won a league pennant in both major leagues.

that, too. Concluding this column this scribe believes the Buffaloes will give the Dogs a run for their lives—and the Dogs might lose their lives in the transaction.

THIRTY-ONE ENROLLED IN SENIOR CLASS THIS YEAR

The Senior Class of the Stanton high school began this year's work with an enrollment of 31. Soon after the school opened the class met and organized by electing the following officers:

- President—Pegues Houston
 - Vice-President—Bonnie Lee Hay
 - Secretary—Ocie Henson
 - Treasurer—J. W. Orr
 - Scribe—Addie Turner
 - Sergeants at Arms—Arlie Eubanks and Grady Hogue.
- The class enjoyed its first social of the year Friday night, Sept. 8, when it met with the members of the high school faculty on the lawn at the home of Miss Lamar, the class sponsor, for a watermelon feast. There were plenty of watermelons, which were thoroughly enjoyed by all. A few games were played and then Jay Ruggles entertained with some songs and guitar music.

THEY SEE FINE CROPS

C. J. Robinson and the writer spent Sunday and Monday driving over the country to the southwest of Jayton, going by the way of Clairemont, Snyder, Colorado, Big Spring and Stanton, returning by way of Lamesa, Tahokn, Post, and Clairemont. Crops all the way around the circle were good, better and extra fine, more especially the feed crops. Every town visited reported some cotton ginned and pickers in demand. Mr. Robinson made the trip to inspect his farming interests near Stanton which he found to be in a very satisfactory shape, the writer went along for the pleasure of the trip and for the satisfaction of viewing new country. If good crops will make a prosperous country, this should be the most thriving section of the entire world, for the crops are considerably better than just good.—Jayton Chronicle.

W. F. Whitley, assistant project engineer for the State Highway Department, with headquarters at Midland, has been in Stanton several days this week on business in connection with the progress for widening the highway through Martin county.

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INTRODUCING A TECH MATADOR
MILTON MOFFETT

(The following sketch appeared this week in the Lubbock Daily Avalanche, accompanied by a picture of the subject of the narrative. Milton Moffett is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Moffett of Stanton, spending the summer vacation here with his parents. He is also an excellent baseball player.—Ed. Note).

Home—Stanton, Texas. Position—quarterback. Age—21. Experience—Stanton High school and two years Texas Tech varsity. Weight—150 pounds. Nickname—"Speedy." Scholastic standing—Senior. Jersey number—13. Characteristics—intelligent, fast, shifty, pleasant, major domo of the whole team, with sharp, staccato voice, a crack signal-barker and a natural leader; a good blocker, good passer and receiver and fast runner.

The Reporter expects to hear a whale of a lot about Milton going places and seeing things on the Matador squad during the playing of the tough schedule the squad has to play this season.

Whipping Cream 30c a pint at Stamps Dairy.

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Ruth Tunes for Series



Babe Ruth is back in uniform and tuning up for play in the world series, starting September 28, following a mild attack of appendicitis early in the month. Chicago Cub players charge that the Yanks' famous slugger was "scouting" them in New York.

DEBATING AND PUBLIC SPEAKING CLUB MEETS

The Debating and Public Speaking club of the Stanton high school met Friday, September 23, and put over a program of entertainment. There were many visitors present who may in time become members. The club met again Tuesday, September 27, and discussed stories written by J. Frank Dobie.

The program follows:
"The Secret of the Guadalupe" by Harry Branton.
"The Lost Negro Mine" by Miss Lamar.
"The Story of Slaughter's Ranch" by Addie Turner.
Also there were stories of cattle and of the Davis Mountains.—Reporter.
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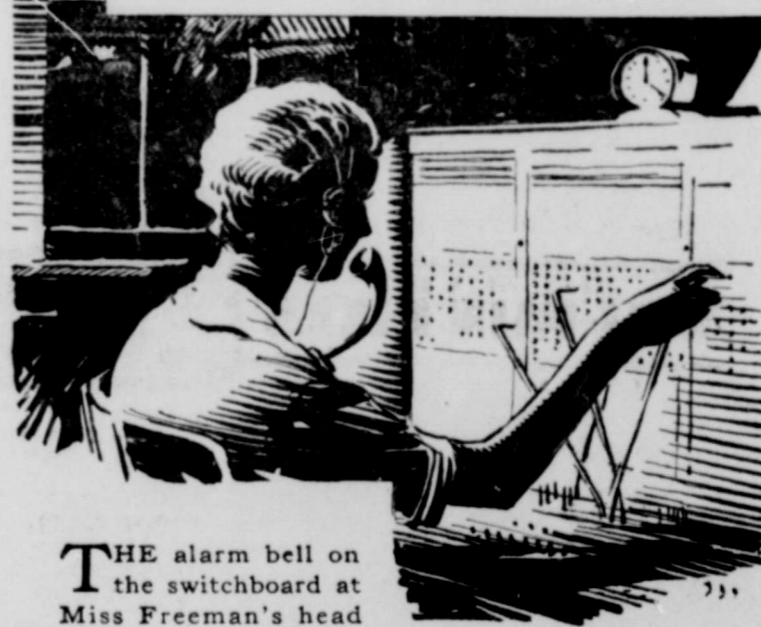
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Through the night comes a call for help



THE alarm bell on the switchboard at Miss Freeman's head tinkled as the hands of the clock reached 4 one morning.

"Operator? Send Dr. Palmer out right away. We live four miles west, you know."

Miss Freeman was ringing the doctor when she noticed a reflection against the sky. The doctor didn't answer. What was wrong? Was that a fire in the north of town?

She stepped to the window. That shed by the Black place was on fire. It was out by the road away from the house. It would burn before the firemen could get there.

As she tried to ring the doctor again, Miss Freeman realized that his telephone line had burned. Perhaps a life was in peril. She called a neighbor. No answer. At last a sleepy voice, two blocks down the street, said . . .

"Hullo?"
"Will you call Dr. Palmer, please. His telephone isn't working. An emergency call. The Bamberger home. Four miles west." *

Miss Freeman smiled at an item in the Hillsdale notes of the local paper the next week:

"Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bamberger are the proud parents of a 9-pound son, born last Friday morning . . ."

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HOOVER or ROOSEVELT . . . Which?



One of these two candidates is going to be president of the United States for the next four years. Which one will it be? No man knows, but the nation-wide straw vote by subscribers to weekly newspapers throughout the country will show pre-election sentiment in small town and rural America. This newspaper is conducting a straw vote in this territory. Clip the straw-vote ballot in this issue, vote for your favorite and send it to this newspaper. It is a secret ballot and incurs no obligation.

MRS. HOOT TOM STILL VERY ILL Th closets business man in America has been found. He asked the son of the fellow who conducts the information bureau of a newspaper to give him a note which read: "You need not try any longer to get my uncle's address in India. Please send me a three cent stamp in place of the two cent stamp that I left at your office. The depreciation occurred while the goods were in your charge."

Mrs. Hoot Tom, who is in the hospital at Big Spring suffering with peritonitis, is dangerously ill. Her husband and other relatives, including her father-in-law, George Tom, are in constant attendance at her bedside.

Mrs. Tom's determination to get well is very much in her favor.

Alas! the Father of COL. True is Revealed

For sometime past the Midland Reporter-Telegram has been carrying a double column "Swapping Yarns With Col. True," and the natives have been puzzled as to who on our Reporter-Telegram staff they could point their finger as the rightful author. To ferret out the guilty was a puzzle to this writer, though we knew full well the picture of Col. True was too handsome to be that of either Hankins or Editor Paul Barron. It is said of Hankins and Barron they have a standing offer to make the funny papers but they wouldn't permit of their faces to be copyrighted. They just wouldn't be able to groom their faces to the degree they would pass into the photo gallery of gentlemen so handsome as the one that hangs on the "side-wall" to the "Swapping Yarn" column.

Sunday's Reporter-Telegram came out revealing the true identity of the author in the following statement: "You say you'd like to know who this bird Col. True is?" "Fair enough. He is Duard Scott, linotype operator of the Reporter-Telegram and formerly foreman of the composing room."

"Synonymous with the announcement of the writer of the popular feature on the editorial page of this newspaper each day, there comes a letter from one of the largest feature syndicates in the country, making Scott a contract offer. Scott signed and mailed the contract Saturday."

"Scott has done little newspaper writing, but has worked on several large daily newspapers, in the mechanical departments chiefly. He recently received much publicity in state newspapers because of his staff photography in connection with the death of a transient under the wheels of a freight train."

"His idea for syndicating the Col. True feature apparently has 'caught' and he is receiving letters from an increasing number of newspaper publishers, asking that he release the feature to them."

It's the make-up of such young men as Duard Scott that make names which are hung up in the halls of fame. He never speaks unless spoken to, and when he speaks, he says something. He attends to his own knittin' and allows the other fellow to wield the needle to his own fancy—another fine trait of character. We expect to see Scott's name appearing along the side of Bruce Barton, O. O. McIntire, and our own Texas columnist Claud Callan. But his will be as the biggest liar in the World.

EB. DICKENSON TO ENTERTAIN SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

It is said if one wants to know the news of his town is to go away from home. Here's an instance that proves the statement. We had to go to Fort Worth and get in the "Chuck Wagon Gossip" with Frank Reeves in the Star-Telegram to learn about one of Martin county's prominent ranchmen.

Read about what Frank Reeves says about Eb. Dickenson, who owns a model Hereford ranch northwest of Stanton:

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of Hotel Scharbauer at a barbecue and ranch feed October 16. Dickenson has invited the families of the class members and will show the visitors over his ranch, which is said to be one of the best improved in West Texas. Dickenson travels 16 miles nearly every Sunday to attend the Midland class."

And what we want to tell you right here if some of that crowd who partakes to the food that Eb sits out escapes catching the gout we'll miss our guess for Eb 'shore do' believe in good things to eat.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the good people of the Tarran community for the many acts of kindness extended to us during the illness of our beloved mother and for the comforting words extended when death claimed her. We also thank the people of Stanton for their beautiful floral offering and courtesy to us, and especially do we thank Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Feuston for their assistance.

She is survived by five children and one grandson.

- Birtis Smith
- Lois Smith
- Woodrow Smith
- Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Jones of Tarran, Texas
- Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russell and son and her brother Bud Cox of Tarran, Texas.

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Big Spring, Texas

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BEAT THE MIDLAND BULLDOGS.

—and in the meantime think of that Overcoat or new Suit that would make you look swell and feel comfortable at the games this Fall.

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Plan to do your shopping before and after the game.

It will be a pleasure to have you see the New Fall Merchandise in all Departments.

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of the Season

HURRAH! FOR THE

Stanton Buffaloes

Get your Cosmetics at our Drug
Store and look your Best at the
Game.



J. L. HALL, THE DRUGGIST

Charles Chaplin Stirs Hollywood Interest



Hollywood film colony is buzzing again as Charles Chaplin, famous comedian, twice unsuccessful in matrimonial ventures, is seen about a great deal with little Paulette Goddard, blonde feature player—here shown together at a tennis match.

Mrs. J. E. Moffett and baby daughter Mary Sue, accompanied by Mrs. Nutter of Odessa, has returned from a visit to relatives in Henrietta and Wichita Falls.

Butter Milk 29c per gallon at Stamps Dairy.

Some Talk Has Been Going Around Town

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ROOSEVELT BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL LEAGUE ORGANIZED

OPENING GUN FIRED THIS WEEK IN TEXAS WITH APPOINTMENT OF HENRY LEE TAYLOR OF SAN ANTONIO.

The campaign to elect Roosevelt and Garner has now received added impetus by the nationwide activity of the Roosevelt Business and Professional League, which is in rapid fire succession, sweeping into every state, county and city with its perfection type of organization existing, training and marshalling the full active participation of even individual voter who desires the election of the Democratic President and Vice-President.

Headed at National Headquarters by Jesse Isidor Straus, this League has already organized in thirty-six states simultaneously, ever the entire nation its cause and work is being actively sponsored by outstanding Democrats who are captains of industry, leaders in business, and outstanding in professional fields. These officials, members and workers are the most active thinkers and doers of each state and city.

This week the opening gun was fired in Texas with the appointment of Honorable Henry Lee Taylor, prominent attorney of San Antonio, as chairman of the Texas Division. His appointment was by Jesse Isidor Straus, chairman of the National League, and with full endorsement of J. A. Farley, chairman of the National Democratic Committee. Taylor is promptly marshalling Texas Democracy forces under the banner "Elect A Texan Vice-President." He is per-

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MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS

VERY LATEST
"Be Patricia Now"

Despite the efforts of style designers to give a variation of fashion lines at the beginning of a new season, it is essential that new trends be emphasized so that their daring newness will not be overlooked. Again



this has proven to be the case in the first flare for big sleeves, but already in second showings, bringing modernization in lines.

This turn to smaller sleeves had to be in dresses and frocks, because it was necessary to get sleeves under control, unless all coats were to be designed along swaggy lines. Such not being the case, a distinctive turn in sleeve design is already noted, which perhaps makes for more graceful designing.

The new fall coat, shown in the sketch, is an example of moderation in the adaptation of the new style lines. Full of sleeve, but not too full, the shoulder line is maintained, yet suggests newness and chicness. Right breast the most popular styles. Even the fur refrains from exaggeration, topping off a conservative styled coat which many women will choose because of its trimness. In color, it may be gay, although the darker tones appear to be favored. It is of course one of the new broadcloths—an old—yet a very new material for

fecting his State Executive Committee to include such notable Texas Democrats as Albert Sidney Burleson of Austin; Thomas Watt Gregory of Houston, both members of the cabinet of Woodrow Wilson; R. E. L. Knight of Dallas, and Dr. E. H. Carey of Dallas. There will be others on the committee.

Taylor announced from State Headquarters, which are in the Gunter Hotel at San Antonio, that within ten days he will have a League unit functioning with an active committee of the business and professional leaders directing organization in every county and town of the state.

Explaining the functioning of the Roosevelt League, State Chairman Taylor said, "one of our chief activities will be to get all units assembled in each town at noon on Wednesday of each and every week until election to hear the personally delivered radio address of Franklin D. Roosevelt, which will specifically be delivered for these pre-arranged meetings to reach all voters in America simultaneously through these League unit meetings in each town of the entire Nation."

Continuing Taylor said, "This is the

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Let's 'Swap'

If you have something to "Swap"—a cow for a pig or a pig for a cow, or an automobile for a wagon, or a refrigerator for a gas stove, or anything to "Swap" it will be printed in this department FREE! There must be no money consideration involved—purely a "Swapping" affair.



Jersey heifer 20 mos. old for White Face heifer; 2 steer calves for 2 White Face heifer calves; 1 old cultivator for steel beam breaking plow; Jersey heifer for turkeys or hogs; modern house 5-room in Abilene, clear of debt for farm close to Stanton, clear or what have you? N. R. Ebbersol, 2 miles East on Highway.

New Perfection Oil Stove fixtures for fryers or canned goods. Mrs. J. S. Lamar.

WILL SWAP good new 50 lb. Refrigerator for Dresser, Chiffonbe, heifer calf, or anything of equal value. Mrs. Verdelle Wood, R. 1, Box 128.

I'll swap you a sign of any old kind For anything you've got to trade; A new cork screw I'll swap to you For a knife with "leven inch blade.

To swap for a sign just ring four-nine; We'll see just what we can do. I'll come to your terms or else eat worms.

And that's all that a mule can do. But while I'm in the skinning game—Another item pops up in my mind; this is no bluff; I'll trade it off, Depression for BETTER TIMES. —Hilton Kaderli

WILL SWAP 300 egg incubator for calf or shoate. H. J. Herzog.

TO SWAP some mules or Milk cow for a Model "A" Ford coupe or Chevrolet coupe. J. A. Murphy, 2 miles north of Valley View school.

TO SWAP two good mules in good shape and a paint Arabian stallion I will trade for Hereford or Jersey cattle, sheep, farm implements or what have you. Wesley Williams.

TO SWAP—12 or 15 cans of corn for the same number of tomatoes. Call 51W if you are interested in swapping.

TO SWAP—You need the Stanton Reporter and the editor's wife needs can goods or almost anything you have in that line will be acceptable at the Reporter office in exchange for the paper. This advertisement doesn't cost us a cent but we are not running it for fun. Come on in and swap with us.

TO SWAP—I have sheep what have you? If you will swap with me I'll swap with you. Have you a cream separator that you will swap for sheep? Earle Powell Bar X ranch Stanton Texas.

TO SWAP Fat hog weighing about 300 pounds for White Leghorn hens. J. F. Willingham, Lenorah, Texas.

TO SWAP—Windmill and tower also breakfast room set dresses and refrigerator for what have you. Dr. J. E. Moffett Stanton Texas.

TO SWAP good wind mill for hogs—Wilmer Jones, Stanton, Texas.

TO SWAP buggy or planter for wagon. Louise Wolf, Stanton, Texas.

One moulboard gang plow, 12 inch worth \$40.00. Will swap for yearlings or one good milk cow—R. D. Blalock Rt. 1 Box 29 Stanton Texas.

TO SWAP two good milch cows for hogs and pullets. Earl Baker.

To SWAP turkeys for hogs. E. D. Haynes, Stanton, Star Route.

To SWAP new \$135.00 Victrola for what have you?

To SWAP sy up for good bright syrup buckets. F. E. Atchison, Stanton.

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You can get your dinner already cooked on Wednesdays—
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most gigantic nationwide broadcasting schedule yet attempted in radio or campaigning, and Texans will be attending to their respective towns in fabulous numbers, because already we have received over 1200 membership applications from 27 different towns of the state, and this is before our Texas campaign even started."

Membership in the Roosevelt Business and Professional League is open to all men and women who desire to support the Democratic ticket and upon payment of the membership contribution of \$2.00, or more, the member receives a large portrait etching of Roosevelt suitable for framing, a window transparent sun shade, a bronze lapel button and subscription to the "Roosevelt Business Advocate," a magazine informing all members of details as propounded by National Headquarters.

"We will organize the Woman's Division, Medical Division, the Business Men's Division, Attorneys' Division, Farmers' Division, Ranchers' Division, Teachers' Division, and others, each with a State chairman, District

Chairmen, County and City Chairmen, to function as adjuncts to the general committee of the League in each city," Taylor said, "and when we are through there'll be no stone unturned to get Texans informed and active to see that we elect a Texan Vice-President."

Mrs. John Epley was a visitor in Big Spring Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Shortes of Pharr, has Mrs. Elmer Shortes of Pharr, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Epley.

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Silk Canton Crepe, with that new, dull, crepey weave that is so chic this Fall. Some of them combine fabrics—Velvets and Crepe, Satin and Crepe, White with Crepe. You'll adore their details—little capes, "butcher" cuffs, bows under the chin. A lot of smartness for this ridiculously low price!
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"Worth While"
It is easy enough to be pleasant
When life flows along like a song,
BUT THE MAN WORTH WHILE IS
THE MAN WHO WILL SMILE
WHEN EVERYTHING GOES
DEAD WRONG;
For the best of the heart is trouble,
And it always comes with the years,
And the smile that is worth the praise
of earth,
Is the smile that shines through
tears.
It is easy enough to be prudent,
When nothing tempts you to stray;
When without or within no voice of sin
is luring your soul away.
But it is only a negative virtue
Until it is tried by fire,
And the life that is worth the honor
of earth
Is the one that resists desire.
By the cynic, the sad, the fallen,
Who had no strength for the strife,
The world's highway is cumbered
today;
They make up the item of life.
But the virtue that conquers passion,
And the sorrow that hides in a smile
It is these that are worth the homage
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