

Knox County Herald

KNOX COUNTY HERALD FRIDAY APRIL 17, 1931

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Christian Church

Services for Lord's Day April 19 at the First Christian church in Knox City.

Bible 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Subject: "How the Jewish Educational System was conducted."

Come and hear this. It is a subject on which people in general have very little information. To prepare a message like this necessitates the readying of thousands of pages in history and literature dealing with this great subject. Don't fail to come and hear it.

Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Subject: "Being World Minded". This message is a "follow up" for the 11:00 o'clock message. Come and let us learn something new Why? because there is always "something new under the sun," all are welcome.

A. R. Caudle, Pastor.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS ATTEND GRAND COUNCIL

Sunday, the Camp Fire Girls were guests of the Wichita Falls Camp Fire Organization.

Although they were a few minutes late in arriving they witnessed part of the Grand Council Fire which is held semi-annually in Wichita Falls. The Camp Fire Girls celebrated this year their nineteenth birthday this year, and the principal study was world friendship. Each group of Wichita Falls selected a certain country to study. In doing this, each girl in the group wins an honor. Only one group of Wichita Falls had completed this birthday honor, but all of the rest were nearly completed. Two splendid talks, by Dr. Horst, and Mr. Creighton, boy Scout executive, were enjoyed. A great number of Wichita Falls girls were initiated. Camp Fire Girl songs were sung, and the group marched out of the circle singing "Now the Sun Is Shining in the West".

Then the girls spent their time viewing the city and then ate their picnic lunch and came home.

Those accompanying the Camp Fire Girls were: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wall, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Warren.

BENEDICT INSTALLS COOLER BOX

It will be seen in an advertisement elsewhere in this issue of the Herald that Benedict and Benedict Market and Grocery have installed new cooler box, in other words, a huge ice box, in their store.

This box is 8 by 6 by 10, with a capacity of 2100 pounds of ice and from 1500 to 2000 pounds of meat. It is a large, white, enamel box. A pretty thing as well as a useful, preserving box. It is located in the rear of the building, facing the front. Benedict's invite you in to inspect the box and will appreciate your comment there on. Read their ad in this paper.

IMPROVING ROAD TO CEMETERY

Under the supervision of Mr. William Griffith, county road commissioner of the Knox City precinct, the road at the Cemetery was improved Tuesday. The improvements consisted in smoothing the entire plot of ground north of the Cemetery fence. This is for the accommodation of car parking. Now cars can park, head in, double line, at the fence and all trouble of parking and turning around is over.

The girls debating team, Constance Browning and Sydna Virginia Edwards, went to Truscott Tuesday where they met Crowell in a practice debate.

NOTICE TO AUTO DEALERS

Under Senate Bill number 40 passed by the 40th Legislature, pertaining to the sale and transfer of motor vehicles, there are certain penalties attached which carry a fine of \$200 for failure to observe the rulings. Failure to file applications for transfer within ten days after the date of the sale and failure to give complete information are the two most frequent violations of this law. Miss Wright, Tax Collector asks all who have transfers filed them whether you wish to register the same now or later.

Auditors Report of City Records

To The Mayor and Commissioners Knox City, Texas Gentlemen:	
I have finished an examination of the City records commencing with April 1st, 1930. Closing March 31st, 1931.	
And wish to submit the following report in detail.	
Water Works (Book Value) \$40,000.00	
Sewer Plant 30,000.00	
Disbursements 12,630.12	
Cash In Bank 4-1-1931	
General Fund \$1,921.88	
Water 897.52	
Sewer 148.42	
Sinking 4,000.00	
Total 6,977.82	
Total \$89,607.95	
Refunding Warrents 1,000.00	
Water Bonds 40,000.00	
Sewer Warrents 26,000.00	
Water Receipts 5,447.58	
Sewer 1,850.37	
Tax (1930) 5,279.63	
Miscellaneous 269.09	
Court Locket 54.00	
Cash in Bank April 1st 1930 6,707.25	
Total \$89,607.95	
Disbursements Itemized	
Salaries (City Marshall and Secretary) \$2,670.00	
Labor 271.85	
Street 218.10	
Bridges 9.00	
Held Election 35.50	
Audit 39.00	
Night Watch 0.00	
Office Expense	
Rent 420.00	
Gas 36.46	
Lights 56.74	
Stationery and Postage 91.50	
Ice 7.73	
Phone and Western Union 117.08	
Supplies 0.00	
Water Department 447.97	
Street 162.00	
Fire Truck 299.77	
Well 47.65	
Miscellaneous 38.79	
Gas and Oil	
For Grader, Truck and Car 213.91	
Repairs	
Truck 76.69	
Grader 84.75	
Car 22.10	
Bridge Material 325.55	
County Grader (Employed) 115.00	
Prisoners (Meals) 12.25	
Killing Dogs 24.75	
Court Fees and Salary (Denton) 109.75	
Lights	
Street 378.00	
Alley 88.25	
Power for Well 582.60	
Fire Boys 158.75	
City Commissioners (Salaries) 120.00	
Cement Mixer 79.20	
Freight and Dray 19.75	
Insurance (Tower) 18.75	
Tax Refund 33.28	
Convention Fees (Secretary) 25.00	
Delegates to Gas Meeting 20.00	
Special Officer 54.00	
Charity (Donation) 10.69	
Interest, Sewer and Refunding Warrents 1,885.00	
Refunding Warrent (Paid) 1,000.00	
Interest, Water Bonds and Coupons 2,205.09	
Total \$12,630.12	
Water Works Bonds outstanding \$49,000.00 bear 5% per cent interest and it requires annually \$3,205.00	
Sewer and Refunding Warrents bear 6 per cent interest Annual requirements \$2,925.60	
Total yearly Bond requirements \$7,130.00	
\$7,500.00 Water Bonds have been retired. \$2,000.00 Sewer and Refunding Warrents.	
Source and amount of money collected April 1st, 1920 to March 31st, 1931.	
Water Receipts \$5,447.58	
Sewer 1,850.37	
Tax (1930) 5,279.63	
Court 54.00	
Miscellaneous (Shows, Street etc) 269.03	
Total Receipts \$12,900.57	
Total Disbursements \$12,630.12	
Difference Increased Bank Deposit \$270.55	
1930-Taxes uncollected \$3,286.67	
1929 Taxes uncollected \$1,540.29	
Total \$4,827.06	

The above figures gathered from a very neat kept set of records and same confirms my belief that every item of cash has been handled in a very efficient manner.

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Respectfully submitted

A. B. Reese

Acting Auditor

Hospital Notes

Patients in the Hospital this week are as follows:

Miss Edith Wilson and Mrs. Lilly West, both of Rule; Mrs. W. C. Hall of Benjamin; Mrs. Von Gifford and daughter, Ora Comell, of Haskell; Mrs. E. L. Draper of Haskell; Mrs. J. D. Hammit of Rule; T. L. Yates of O'Brien, Otis Pillow of the bridge crew; and Mrs. E. B. Flonroy of Rule.

Mr. Pillow of the bridge crew is doing well. He is able to sit up and wheel about in his chair. He was the victim of a broken leg, an accident at the bridge some time back.

Mrs. F. C. Lucas of the Knox City territory returned to her home last week. Mrs. Joe Brown has returned to her home in Crowell after a few days last week here.

Mrs. A. C. Travis of Knox City has sufficiently recovered to return to her home.

Leonard Saunders of Munday with a broken arm was the result of a pole breaking while Leonard was vaulting.

Mr. J. B. Hendrix of Knox City was in Tuesday morning with a broken arm. It happened when he tried to crank a Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Benge of Munday were guests here Sunday.

Miss Ann Pecal, nurse spent Sunday in Quanah with friends and relatives.

MARY ELIZA'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

Monday afternoon, Mrs. J. E. Clarke entertained the Camp Fire Girls honoring her daughter, Mary Eliza on her fifteenth birthday.

The party was all a surprise to Mary Eliza. She and another Camp Fire girl "accidentally" had to stay in after school, and they started to the Camp Fire Girl meeting. Mary Eliza went by her home to leave her books and she was met by a group of Camp Fire Girls.

Many interesting games were played and then delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and punch were served to Mary Eliza Clarke the honoree, Mary Howell, Faye McAuley, Wynell Edwards, Mary Lou Graham, Jonell Robbins, Rowena Wall, Addie Short, Frances Evans, Odell Thompson, Joell Russell, Mrs. Jones, the guardian, and Mrs. Clarke the hostess.

JUNIOR RED CROSS GARDENING

The Junior Red Cross of Knox City under the leadership of Mrs. C. C. Hoge, have accepted the garden project this year. The project includes both a Spring and Fall garden and also canned foods from each of the two. As an incentive to the children the Knox City Chamber of Commerce is cooperating with Mrs. Hoge and the Juniors in offering small awards in the project.

EASTERN STAR INITIATION SERVICE

Monday evening of this week Mrs. M. D. Metts was initiated into membership of the Knox City Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

The Star was pleased to have three guests present from Wichita Falls, also the District Deputy who made a most interesting and needful address. Following the ceremonies, refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cake, cream and iced tea were served.

The two ball teams, Junior boys and girls, were entertained last Friday night with a party in the home of Mrs. E. L. Huntsman. After playing several games of 42 the children entered wholeheartedly into play games led by Mrs. McCarty. A genial good time was had by all. Refreshments of sandwiches, doughnuts and hot chocolate were served to 42.

Mothers present were Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. Zac Hammock and Mrs. Huntsman, also Mrs. Cash and Mrs. Sweeney.

THE WEATHER RAINING

Three o'clock, the Herald is going to press, and one of the best rains known is falling.

Gardens and farms are at just the place where a good rain is needed. That falling is ideal.

WHAT BECAME OF THE DEBT PAYING CHECK

The question has been asked "what became of the debt paying check" that was soon to be in circulation in Knox City. Those sponsoring that check have tried faithfully to get it going but upon investigation it is learned that to circulate such a check is against the law forbidding the written law.

Article 536 Issuing bills to pass as money. If any person within the State shall issue any bill, promissory note, checks or other paper intended to circulate as money, he shall be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars for each bill, promissory note, check or other paper so issued.

The money raised here to be used this way was, in the beginning, to be given to the Christian Women's Association. Since it is unlawful to issue the checks as desired, the money is being turned over to the C. W. A. and the project no further continued.

SUNSET P. T. A.

The Sunset P. T. A. organized a few weeks ago with thirty members. This shows that the people of this district are interested in the welfare of the student body.

April 19th was designated as P. T. A. Clean-up-day. The school is very greatful to this organization for the work done in erecting swings, see-saws, basket ball goals and various other improvements.

At our next meeting the second and third grades, under the direction of Misses Grensted and Parks, will give a short program on health. There is much work that the organization may do. If you are interested in the school and its work, you are invited to meet at the school building at 3:45 on the first and third Tuesdays in each month. Come, we need your help.

—Reporter

SENIOR CLASS GETTING READY TO GRADUATE

The Junior Red Cross of Knox City of Knox City high school are beginning to really realize that there is a time of graduation for them. This week they placed the order for their invitations which are mailed to friend and relatives prior to the graduating exercises.

The class has also selected the speakers for their commencement exercise and Baccalaureate sermon. The latter will be given on Sunday, Mother's Day, May the 10th the Rev. Dr. Foote of Haskell, delivering the sermon. The date of the commencement exercise has not yet been announced, however, it is announced that the Mr. Bert Lowe of Abilene has been selected to make the address.

Seventeen Knox City Leaguers were in Haskell Saturday evening and Sunday attending the District League meeting of the Methodist church. The attendance banner was awarded to this League for this quarter, which is on display at the church house. The next District League meeting will be held here some time in May.

MICKIE SAYS—

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A PUP, HIRE A HOUSEMAID, RENT A GARAGE, TO STORE YOUR CAR, TRADE A SHOTGUN FOR A RADIO, SELL YOUR OLD ICEBOX, BORROW MONEY OR FIND YOUR LOST KIDS, JUST TRY OUR NEW WANT ADS AND YOU'LL GET RESULTS! YESIR!



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Oldest Paper In Knox County

PUBLISHED WEEKLY

Mrs. H. B. Sweeney, Editor
 H. B. Sweeney, Publisher
 One Year \$1.50
 Six Months .75

Entered in the Postoffice at Knox City, Texas for transportation through the mails as second class matter.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

You have been told on numerous occasions the value to be derived from newspaper advertising. Doubtless, it is a subject you tire of discussing, but as the same time, as you will also doubtless admit, one you should consider. Mr. Merchant.

Any town where a group of the leading stores are not advertising are hurting the town and hurting themselves. You may not be able to see the writing on the wall at this particular moment, but gradually your sales volume grows less, and you wonder what's the trouble; decide, in most cases, that business everywhere is on the toboggan.

Sometimes, perhaps, you may be correct, but in most instances you are wrong. Any firm supposedly a leader in its town, fails to make known what it has to offer for sale, and fails to draw people to the town, heading for the grave just as sure as anything. These same people will be attracted, as being shown daily to stores elsewhere who are after the business.

If you were considering the purchase of a piece of property and wanted advice as to whether you should invest, you wouldn't go to a poor man, but you would consider advice offered by successful men.

being offered day in and day out by the large firms who foster advertising their products is a mighty good advice? You wouldn't hardly call them "seekers" would you? After continuing such a policy year in and year out they could not hardly be classed as a group of "nutes."

If you are not advertising because you think it costs too much, then you certainly are afraid of yourself, afraid to tell the people about what you have to sell, or better still, you just simply don't have the stuff to

advertise, because if it be something the people want they will buy it. You don't compete with others, and when you are in that position, it isn't the cost of advertising that is holding you out of the paper, but it is because you are busy digging your grave, and can't take the time to write your ad or have newspapermen do the job.

But some of these days you will have to take time to write something or leave it to the newspaperman—it won't be an advertisement altogether, but it will be an epitaph informing the public "competition was to keen, and creditors had no mercy."

A MESSAGE TO MERCHANTS

When one is out motoring and comes to a steep hill, one does not shut off the gas and expect the car to climb the steep incline on the same power that we required to propel it along the level road.

Quite the contrary is true. In every instance of this kind the driver "steps on the gas" as we say, and furnishes the motor with the extra power required to carry it to the top of the hill.

The same thing is true of business as long as everything is rolling along and conditions are normal, business comes in a good volume without a great deal of effort, but when a depression comes, or hard times, as we say, it requires more effort, it takes more power to get the same amount of business.

"Stepping on the gas" in business is equivalent to larger advertising appropriations. When business is low, more pressure in the way of advertising must be applied.

Advertising is more important to business in times of depression than it is when all business is at a high tide.

The American buying public has become a race of newspaper reading people. They have become trained to read the advertisements and to look to the advertisements for guidance and information in the matter of their purchases.

That advertising increases sales has become too well proven to admit an argument.

When the readers of a paper pick up at a time like this and scan its pages and find no advertisements,

two reactions take place: No new merchandise is offered for sale, no descriptions of desirable food products or furniture or clothing greets the eye or tempts the appetite or awakens the desire to buy. The possibility of a sale is lost.

The other reaction which perhaps means more at this time than actual sales of merchandise, is, that if merchants are not advertising, times must really be hard and unconsciously the strings of the household pocketbook are tightened and expenditures reduced whether the individual conditions warrant it or not.

Now is the time to "step on the gas."

SOIL CONSERVATION CALLED IMPERATIVE GOVERNMENTAL DUTY

Austin, Texas, April—15 The futility of taking precautions for the welfare of future generations while allowing profligate waste of the nation's greatest asset was pointed out today by J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, in a statement urging serious consideration by the legislature and Texans generally of pending legislative measures for soil conservation.

McDonald declared that agricultural experience of the last twenty years shows incurably the direction agriculture is taking. In the last twenty years, he stated, statistics disclose the alarming fact that production per acre of Cotton on Texas lands has declined 60 per cent.

The rate of decline has grown rapidly as the soils are sapped of their strength, he asserted. Twenty years ago, all Texas cotton was superior in staple and quality. Today a large portion is undesirable which means that improper crop rotation is impoverishing the soils and owners of the soils.

"It is imperative," McDonald stated, "that we conserve our soil, using definite and positive means. Futility of the program we have been following, of educational efforts, has been demonstrated in the last fifty years by the decline, both in soil fertility and in the economic condition of our agricultural classes.

"In the past when we possessed a simple title to land, we considered it our privilege to do with that land as we pleased, allow it to erode and be washed away, drained of its fertility. It would be fully as logical under that out-dated conception to a land owner to render his land unfit for plant life by applying some chemical reagent, without being held responsible for his actions.

"In these modern days when men think of the future as well as the present, it is generally accepted that we are merely trustees of the soil, and should be held accountable for our trusteeship. It is also commonly accepted that it is the duty of the government to preserve society.

"To this end our legislatures establish schools and colleges for the education of future generations. The outer man, as well as the inner, should be considered.

"In House Bill 46, by J. J. Olsen and others, the legislature has under consideration a bill in which I am intensely interested. If passed, it will aid materially in the conservation of soils. If Texas leads, other states will follow. Even now Mississippi is marking time, waiting for the Texas legislature to act. Ancient prejudices should be forgotten and honest thinking brought into play when the Texas legislature takes up this measure for consideration."

Mrs. Elizabeth Myers, a teacher in the Benjamin school, spent Sunday afternoon here with Mrs. Louise Finley. The two were friends in Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston McReynolds of the Needmore community are the happy parents of a new baby boy, Gaston Junior. He came last Friday.

Texas spent \$82,000,000 on its public schools in 1930, 46 millions for teachers and 16 millions for main tenance, free textbooks. Fifteen years earlier the total spent was \$15,766,000 a per capita of \$12.19 against a per capita of \$43.70 in 1920. (Authority: Texas Weekly).

Texas produced \$11,805,000 worth of asphalt, \$6,000,000 worth of clay products, \$1,600,000 worth of bentonite, \$322,000 worth fuller's earth \$6,440,000 worth of gypsum, \$838,000 worth of lime, \$1,038,000 worth of miscellaneous minerals, including graphite, mercury, manganese, basalt and green sand, not to mention \$67,774,000 worth of natural gas, \$25,761,000 of natural-gas gasoline, \$122,540,000 worth of petroleum. (Authority: University Bureau of Economic Geology).

Ten Years of Suffering Ended By Crazy Crystals

I want to thank you for the benefit received from Crazy Crystals, as they have helped me wonderfully. I have had rheumatism for about ten years; I could hardly walk I had it so badly in my feet. I have tried all kinds of treatments but nothing helped before I started taking your Crazy Crystals. I can walk now.

Mrs. N. R. Marchbanks
 Route 1, Box 40
 Brownfield, Texas



CHILD CRY FOR

CHILDREN hate it as a rule, but every taste of Castoria. The preparation is just as good as bland and just like recipe reads.

When Baby's cry was few drops of Castoria keep asleep again in a jiffy. No tongue or bad breath will invoke its gentle aid to regulate a child's bowel children's diseases, you are to keep the system from

Castoria is sold in the genuine always by Fletcher's signature.

Fletcher's CASTORIUM

Draughn's College

Training is the difference between a job at near positions with opportunities. "Proof of Positions" shows we can train and place you in a minimum of time in the week. Mail Coupon today to nearest office, Dallas, Fort Worth, Abilene, or Lubbock, and find out about the opportunities in business.

Name _____ P. O. _____

Friday and Sat. Special

Compound, Swift Jewell 8 lb. Pail

Sugar, Pure Cane 25 lb. Sack 1.00

Coffee, Maxwell House 3 lb. can .80

Meal, Pearl 24 lb sack

Spuds, No. one per peck

Milk, Popular Brands Small Cans 6 for Large Cans 3 for

Pinto Beans, Number ones 10 pounds

Dry Salt Jowls per lb

Cocoanut, bulk per lb

Peanut Butter, Armours 2 lb qt jars 5 lb Bucket

Vegetables' New crop Red Potatoes lb Lettuce per head Cabbage per pound

Flour, 48 lb Big 4 Oriole

J. M. Edwards Self Serv Sto

YOUR TAILOR WORK

To those who do not yet know we have moved, we are glad to state that our tailor shop is now located in our home. We give first class tailor work at the following prices:

Suits Cleaned and Pressed	50c
Plain Dresses Cleaned & Pres.	50c
Suits Pressed	35c
Pants Cleaned and Pressed	35c

And don't forget, we call for and deliver. Phone 30

Press Clarke the Tailor

HOW EASY

How easy it is to drift---to let obligations go unpaid.

How hard it is to pull back up-stream---to catch up, once you have fallen behind.

Often the downstream course leads to the rapids of financial disaster. Keep abreast the current. Pay your obligations when due. Keep the confidence and high esteem of those who give you credit. It is the easiest way in the end---always.

**The First National Bank
 Knox City, Texas**

THE sunbeams
 cast to the meadow
 of the "cup test" to
 choice coffee,
 of course, but
 cannot make
 just one type of
 coffee
 drink
 the type of be
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See It Yourself

We are glad to announce that we have now installed a large cooler box, with a capacity of 1500 or 2000 pounds of meat, in our store.

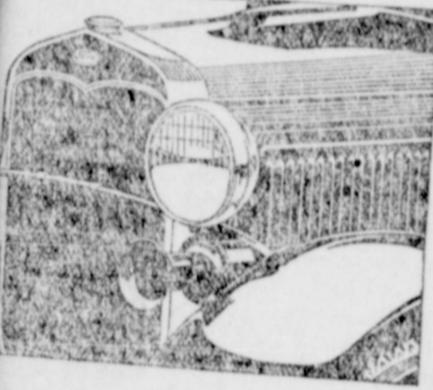
We can cool and keep all our meats with the best of sanitation and satisfaction to both our customers and ourselves.

We invite you to look at this new box; inspect it. We will be glad to show you and hear your comment.

Remember, telephone 150 when you want good meat. We have it also delivered.

Benedict & Benedict Grocery and Market

ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF FORD VALUE



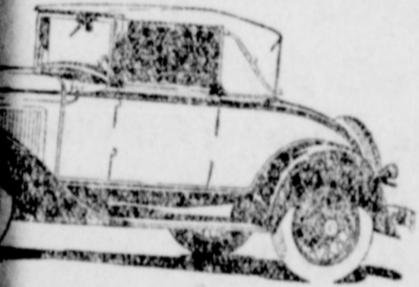
Bright, enduring
LESS STEEL is used
any exposed bright
parts of the Ford

BUY a Ford you buy enduring beauty. Steel is made to last for the life of the car. All exposed bright metal parts exposed are made of enduring Rustless

Rustless Steel has great tensile strength. Bright metal all the way through. A car to forty years' service under the most severe conditions failed to have any effect. It never requires polishing. All it needs is a damp cloth, as you do your

one of many features that show the worth of the Ford. In speed, economy and long life — in the richness and upholstery — it brings you what you want or need in a motor car at an price.

Phone for demonstration.



FORD PRICES to \$630

freight and delivery, Bumpers and license tax included. You can purchase a Ford on through the Authorized Ford Finance Universal Credit Company.)



Texas Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
April 17 and 18

THE COHEN'S AND KELLEY'S IN
AFRICA

Starring George Sidney and Charlie
Murray

Also Comedy

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

April 22 and 23

MARIE DRESSLER AND WALLACE BERRY IN
MIN AND BILL

Together for the first time

Also Comedy

FOR SALE: Bed Sted, Springs, and
Mattress used 4 months I Gas Range,
Clocks, Guns, Pistols, Violins,
Corona Typewriter, Pictures and
frames and etc.

Mr. Frank Davis, manager of the
J. C. Wooldridge Lumber Company
of Seymour, was in Knox City Tues-
day.

TODAY AND TOMORROW
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to communication by wire.

SMELL

Scientific research has developed the mechanical sensitiveness to touch. There are electrical and chemical devices which can discriminate between the taste of different substances. The only one of the five senses which hasn't been reproduced in the laboratories is the sense of smell. Nobody has yet invented a mechanical nose.

Smelling involves a very delicate chemical operation. The nose detects minute traces of chemical substances whose presence cannot be discovered by any other means. There is no odor which cannot be reproduced chemically, but so far science has been baffled in every effort to detect odors by means of any kind of machine or chemical process.

That is not to say that the mechanical nose is an impossibility. As yet, there is no apparent necessity for such a device. Once let the necessity arise, and it is better than an even chance that some chemist or electrical engineer will find a way to do the job.

Mrs. Sam Anderson is in Mineola visiting her daughter, Mrs. Adams.

DR. T. P. FRIZZELL
Physician and Surgeon
Knox City, Texas

T. S. Edwards, M. D.
Surgery and diseases
of women



WE'VE Moved

Into Our Spacious New Home on
the corner and invite our friends
and customers to visit this

One-Stop Service Station

featuring
Chevrolet Sales and Service

and

Firestone

Tires and Tubes
Brake Linings
Batteries

Come visit with us! We are anxious for you to see our new display rooms; have us explain our many new services and visit our modern mechanical department where only expert mechanics are employed to man modern machinery.

FREE

FREE
Saturday Only

FREE

To each customer making purchases of \$1.50 or more, we will give absolutely free one wash or grease job.

(The choice of one to each customer)

Ashcroft Chevrolet

One-Stop Super Service

THAT'S WHAT EVERY BOY WANTS TO BE

By Terry Gilkinon



Mr. W. E. Pyeatt of Aspermont spent Sunday here with his son Cleator.

Miss Mary Louise Bailey of Wichita Falls spent the weekend here with her cousin, Miss Wynell Edwards.

Mr. Coleman Devers of Waco, auditor for the Wm. Cameron and Company Inc., was in Knox City this week.

E. W. Holland has a new Chevrolet truck which he bought at Ashcrofts.

Get your fishing and hunting license at the Knox City Hardware. We also carry a full line of sporting goods.

Mrs. Doc Rose is in Perin Texas this week at the bedside of her mother who is very ill. Mrs. Rose was accompanied to Perin by her family.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for April 19

THE RICH MAN AND LAZARUS

Luke 16: 19-24

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Jesus kept on teaching by means of parables as he made His way through Perea, en route to Jerusalem for the Feast of Passover. Some had just "scolded at him" and He purposed to show them more about true and abiding values. The "Certain rich man" is without an indicated name. We call him Dives because therein we have the Latin word for rich. He was the kind to stir up class antagonism. He would not have given anything of value to help the man out of employment during the winter through which we have just passed. He lived to eat and made himself a candidate for gout by the way in which he "feared sumptuously every day." Though he did not invite even his fellow aristocrats to share in the banquets this selfish vagabond sat clothed in garments suitable for a king.

If he looked at the beggar who lay at his gate it was with disdain. There was Lazarus, the man full of sores and attended during the day by dogs only. This wretched bit of humanity eagerly hoped that crumbs be his portion, and he would have thanked Jehovah for even such limited food.

Death must come to all and in time both characters passed into the beyond. An expensive funeral was accorded the man of wealth, though his attendants were paid to mourn officially. Once ignored Lazarus had the angels to attend his spirit into the divine presence. When Dives beholds the beggar better off than he is, he thinks that he can have him as a servant to bring a cooling drop of water, for now the miseries of full retribution are upon the man who was rich in gold only. Facts concerning the future world should make every one meditate at length. We fix our place for eternity by the way we live in this world.

Melvin Jones spent the past week end in Benjamin.

Wit-Humor

"Mary, remember that you are only a servant; I don't want you to have so much company. Why, you have more callers in a day than I have in a week."

"Well, ma'am, perhaps if you'd try to be a little more agreeable you'd have as many friends as I have."

This notice was posted on a pleasure boat belonging to a certain steamship company.

The chairs in the cabins are for ladies. Gentlemen are requested not to make use of them till the ladies are seated."

One way to get unpleasant things out of one's system is to keep a secret dairy.

"At last," said the fellow with the mumps. "I'm having a gland time."

Speaking of men of vision don't forget the optometrists.

Would you call a stage star who failed to click in the movies a matinee idle?"

A tighthead reader writes in to know what the rate of interest the Grand Banks of Newfoundland are paying.

It seems that the upkeep of a pretty face is about as expensive as that of homely ones.

We read that America has the finest Swiss cheese plant in the world. Probably because we've got more raw material for the holes over here.

Americans are said to be radio conscious. Some of the radio programs make us wish that we were unconscious.

An educator says that college men forget half they have learned within six months after graduation. The other half probably was forgotten before they graduated.

Prohibition agents of Louisville discovered a bootlegger with liquor labeled as follows: "Pure old panther juice aged in woodshed: bottled in barn, guaranteed 36 hours old by the Moonshiners' Uplift Society."

The man who has designs on a girl is usually the architect of his own fate.

Dense Dorothy thinks that a game warden is the fellow in charge of the playground.

A British professor says our English is bad. And we might add that our Scotch is terrible.

See where a minor league team has signed a girl pitcher. Probably the manager thought his team needed more curves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Craft and son spent Sunday in Henrietta.

Mrs. H. E. Clonts arrived home Saturday night from Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Carl Davis is visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

McEvoy, the Jeweler will leave Knox City on or before April 25th.

Bunyon Cooner is in El Paso this week attending a Masonic meeting.

Ray Willis was in Fort Worth Sunday, returning home Monday.

Miss Lucille Robards spent the past weekend in Denton.

Mrs. Hayden Fortenberry and little daughter are visiting her mother in Stamford.

Mr. George Cannon of Long Beach California visited his cousin here last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Sweat.

Misses Jennie and Lizzie Keny were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Keny Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Robbins and daughter, Jonell, spent Sunday in Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Acker were weekend visitors with friends and relatives in Truscott.

E. O. Jamison was in Munday Wednesday morning. He also made a trip to Benjamin Wednesday afternoon.

The Baptist Sunday School is glad to announce that several new members were received into the Sunday school Sunday.

CONSTABLE'S SALE

The State of Texas County of Knox. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct number 1, Knox County, on the 14th day of April 1931, by M. F. Harbert Justice of the Peace of said Precinct for the sum of One Hundred Ninety Eight and no 100 dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgement in favor of J. H. McLain, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 592 and styled J. H. McLain, Plaintiff vs. M. M. Ward, as defendant, and placed in my hands for service, I Ab Stephens, Constable of Precinct No. 5 of said Knox County, Texas, did, on the 15th day of April 1931, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Knox Co. Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Seven (7) Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block 16 Original town of Knox City, Texas, as shown by the map or plat of said town on record in the office of the County Clerk, of Knox County, Texas, to which reference is herein made and levied upon as the property of M. M. Ward and that on the first Tuesday in June 1931, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Knox County, in the City of Benjamin, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and execution I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said M. M. Ward in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Knox County Herald.

Witness my hand, this 16th day of April 1931.

Ab Stephens, Constable of Precinct No. 5 Knox County, Texas.

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