

In Memory

of all those who gave their all, we will be

Closed All Day

Saturday

Nov. 11th

Armistice Day



Four Years of Peace

have only started us toward a full appreciation of our sacred duty to those who gave their lives for

The Principle of Right

Be Particular

in buying your new Overcoat to get one that will give service and satisfaction.



Be sure you get the right style, the best quality of material and tailoring.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Overcoats are the best to be had at

\$35 and better
OTHERS
\$18 to \$30

J. & W. FISHER

ESTABLISHED 1882

Well Dressed Women

have long known the charm a bit of Fur Trimming lends to a garment.

Many of our Ladies Coats have this touch of fur and they are beautifully styled.

Handsome and unusual are the models.

The materials and tailoring are excellent, with a price to fit every purse.



Baylors candy...Try a box
Cunningham & Phillips.

Pitman leaves this evening
visit with friends in Sweetwater.

City Groceries and Meats Pool-
Company. Phone 145.

Purser, Steve Daily and R. L.
make a business trip to Stanton

Thompson and family of
are here for a visit with W. G.
and family.

through half nets...Double
two for a quarter...Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

Daily arrived last Friday from
Sweetwater for a visit with his bro-
ther, P. Daily and family.

Carpet and Rug
at 40 cents per yard. See MRS.
KINGREY, 511 West 4th St.

M. Crawford arrived Monday
from Okfuskee, Ark. Mr. Crawford's
brother, U. B. Crawford accom-
panied him to this city.

COUNTRY SCHOOLS: WE ARE
READY TO FURNISH YOU
WITH EVERYTHING YOU NEED
CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

We handle pocket handkerchiefs...
Cunningham & Phillips.

Jim Hubbard was here the latter
part of last week from his ranch in
Glasscock County.

Purses: We have the prices so low
that it wont break you to carry one
Cunningham & Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Costlow returned
Tuesday morning from a visit with
relatives in Houston and Fort Worth.

With sixty cents a dozen being
offered for fresh eggs and butter
bringing fifty cents a pound—poultry
raising and dairying looks good.

Croup: If your kid wakes up in the
middle of the night barking, what are
you going to do unless you have a
bottle of Penzlar Croup Remedy...
Cunningham & Phillips.

We had quite a high wind in evi-
dence here last Saturday and a slight
shower, but this same spell of weather
came in the form of a tornado and
severe storm at points in Oklahoma
and Nebraska. The death list was six
in Oklahoma and the property loss
amounted to over a million dollars.

"THE BALDWIN PIANOS"
See W. R. DAWES, Phone 318. Sole
Dealer for Big Spring.—Advertise-
ment 44-47.

Your favorite magazine...Cun-
ningham & Phillips.

R. C. Perry of Gaines County was a
visitor here Tuesday.

Let us sell you your razor blades
Cunningham & Phillips.

Hardy Morgan was here Monday
from his ranch in Dawson County.

Hit the pipe and cut down smoking
expenses...Cunningham & Phillips.

T. F. Grisham made a business trip
to Abilene the forepart of this week.

Ed Hatch was here from Lamesa
Sunday and Monday to visit homefolks

**"ITCH"...SEE US FOR THE IN-
SIDE DOPE...CUNNINGHAM
& PHILLIPS.**

W. W. Rix spent Monday in Colo-
rado. Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Etson ac-
companied him to this city from Colo-
rado, Monday afternoon

Mrs. F. M. Poffenbach after a few
days' visit in this city, the guest of
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix, left Sunday
evening for her home at Sweetwater.

There is quite a lot of cotton in our
county that is still growing and it is
going to require a frost to open the
big, well matured bolls, or a coup
of weeks more of summer weather

Figure on an Eversharp for Xmas
Cunningham & Phillips.

What's the serial number of the
current injunction?—Dallas News.

Folks back east, noting that the big
ranches in West Texas are being sub-
divided and sold as farms are begin-
ning to flock to our portion of the state

**WHITE PINE AND EUCALYPTUS
...THE COUGH SYRUP THAT'S
CHEAP ENOUGH FOR EVERY ONE
TO USE...CUNNINGHAM AND
PHILLIPS.**

Mrs. J. W. Gallaber of Fort Worth
enroute home from an extended stay
in Los Angeles, Cal., stopped over in
this city last Friday for a visit with
her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Inkman and
family.

Horace Hooper and Floy Neal of
Lorena who were the guests of Dell
Hatch and family left Saturday for
their home. While here they pur-
chased quite a number of bales of
Howard County cotton.

W. R. Purser, Will Gregory, W. S.
Clough, Bob Austin and R. S. McDon-
ald returned last Saturday from a
hunting trip to points in West Texas
and New Mexico and report anything
but a successful trip. They report
game mighty scarce on account of the
extended drouth in that section.

We deliver. Pool-Reed Company.
Phone 145.

Coca Cola with pep...Cunning-
ham & Phillips.

J. H. Shepard and wife of Missis-
sippi arrived in Big Spring last week to
make their home in Howard County.
They sold their farm in Mississippi
and expect to invest in West Texas
land. Mr. Shepard is a brother of
our townsman W. M. Shepard.

The Turkish Nationalist Government
is now in control of Constantinople
and the allied troops have been order-
ed to evacuate. The Turks seem to
have scrapped the Mudania armistice
terms and are advancing into the
Chanak area occupied by the British,
and other neutral zones.

M. D. Davis, W. R. Marlin, Bill
Bailey, E. L. Deason, Sam Barber,
Frank Sholte and Roy Jones returned
Monday from a turkey hunt in the
Llano section. They found turkey
plentiful, securing enough the first
two days to supply them with meat
for their entire stay in camp.

**GIVE US A TRIAL
SLAUGHTER'S FILLING STATION**
We Vulcanize Tubes
Corner Main and First Street
See What You Get—Get What You See
VICTOR VISIBLE PUMP

Long Horn No. 1 full cream cheese.
Pool-Reed Market. Phone 145.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Garrett return-
ed Tuesday from a business trip to
Lubbock.

Pete Johnson left Wednesday morn-
ing for a business trip to Sweetwater
and Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon J. Geer and baby
of Sweetwater spent Sunday and
Monday in this city.

**OUR PIPES CUT DOWN YOUR
SMOKING EXPENSE...CUNNING-
HAM & PHILLIPS.**

Mrs. B. J. Lindner returned Tuesday
morning from an extended visit with
relatives at Lorena, Texas.

Let us bake your wedding cake or
the cake for birthday and other an-
niversaries. The Home Bakery.

FOR SALE—A 1920 model electric
equipped Harley-Davidson motorcycle
in first class condition. See me at
the U. S. Experiment station, for price.
ROY GREEN. 8-47

Mrs. J. M. Coleman has had good
success in raising turkeys at her home
twelve miles south of town and will
have about eighty five fine big tur-
keys ready for Thanksgiving and
Christmas.



TEXAS CHILDREN PLAY FOR HEALTH

Here is how the Red Cross in Fort Worth, Texas, helped to keep the children of that town well during the summer. The Red Cross public health nurse put on a campaign of games, health stories and regular physical examinations during the summer which has resulted splendidly for the children and has sent them back to school this fall in fine condition to keep up in their classes and resist the usual winter ailments of school children.

The top left-hand picture shows the Clock Game. The top right-hand picture shows the nurse, Miss Edna L. Hamner, R. N., and one of her little health pupils. In the lower picture the health officer of Fort Worth is displaying the practically perfect set of teeth possessed by one of the children.

Two hundred and fifty children attended the play grounds throughout the summer and much interest has been manifested by the entire town in the work.



Practical example of the use of First Aid in accidents as taught by the Red Cross. The picture shows assistance being given a housewife who has been severely burned while cooking.

\$700,000 SPENT BY RED CROSS IN SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION IN A YEAR

Money Was Used in Relief and Rehabilitation Following Disasters in the District.

During the fiscal year 1921-22, ending June 30th, the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross expended \$780,988.70 in disaster relief. Part of this came from the National Red Cross funds secured from memberships, part from chapters and part from individual contributions. This money was expended in disasters in various parts of the division, especially in the flood areas along the west bank of the Mississippi, in Missouri and Arkansas, in Texas, around Fort Worth, and in the Rio Grande Valley, at Burlington, Kan., and at Pueblo, Colo.

The greatest amount of time and effort in any of these disasters went into the rehabilitation of Pueblo and of the district covered by the Rio Grande Valley flood of last June, according to a report from the Southwestern Division, American Red Cross, in St. Louis. Fifteen hundred and ten families were affected by that flood. The manner in which the Red Cross undertakes these disasters depends upon the conditions to be met. In some cases the local chapters and citizens' committees take charge and the division office goes in an advisory capacity. In others the situation is reversed, and in still others the work is handled jointly by the Red Cross and the citizens.

Relief work in the Rio Grande Valley flood, which was the last disaster of real importance in the division, has been practically closed and the auditing committee, as well as the advisory committee, with the Red Cross director, Henry M. Baker, are compiling their reports, to be submitted to the citizens and to the division. The wide area affected in this disaster has caused the work to be continued longer than would have been necessary, it is believed, but that it has been thoroughly done and has created friendship for the Red Cross among the citizens of the section is evidenced by the letters received at the division office.

MISSOURI JUNIOR RED CROSSERS GIVE CHILD SUNDAY CLOTHES

The Junior Red Cross members of Harrisonville, Mo., are very proud of the fact that they have enabled a little girl to go to Sunday School once more. The child had stayed at home for lack of proper clothes and the Juniors found it out and used some surplus funds, which they had earned at a bazaar, to purchase her the outfit.

This little girl now is the proud owner of a pink organdie dress, a pink ribbon, a blue gingham dress, hose and underwear. The gingham dress was made by one of the Juniors.

The children are enthusiastic over home work and tell the secretary that if ever she needs more help to "just whistle" and they will be right there.

TWELVE-YEAR-OLD GIRL WINS RED CROSS LIFE SAVING CERTIFICATE

Ruth Elberfeld, 12 years old, daughter of "Kid" Elberfeld, manager of the Little Rock (Ark.) Baseball Club, has just received a certificate in the Red Cross Life Saving Course, which is usually issued only to adults. Ruth took the course in a class of girls, but her work was so far ahead of her age that she finally was put in the adult class. One of the extraordinary feats in the course was the bringing in of a 160-pound man through the water for a distance of 50 yards, towing him and handling him in four different ways, according to the requirements of the course.

IN THE SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION, AMERICAN RED CROSS, THE LAST YEAR—

521 chapters carried on active public service programs.
740 loans, aggregating \$9,000, were made to ex-service men.
Compensation claims of 47,844 former soldiers were adjusted.
Many of these men also have been assisted in other ways.
8 Public Health Service hospitals and 11 Contract hospitals in the Division are manned by Red Cross medical social service workers.
Nurses in the Southwestern Division—
Have made 201,927 visits to cases,
Have inspected 381,683 children,
Have conducted 408 classes in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick.
First Aid and Life Saving is being taught throughout the Division.
There are 437,576 Junior Members of the Red Cross in this Division.
\$780,928.70 has been expended in disaster relief in the Southwestern Division.
The Southwestern Division comprises the states of Missouri, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico.



Do You Want Sell Your Property

Do you want to assist in bring home seekers to the Big Spring Country? If so list your holdings with a firm that has the facilities to insure quick action.

OUR PEOPLE WHO HAVE MORE LAND THAN THEY CAN UTILIZE SHOULD BE PREPARED TO OFFER SURPLUS LANDS AT REASONABLE PRICES AND ON EASY TERMS. OTHERS WHO HAVE FARMS OR CITY PROPERTY TO DISPOSE OF SHOULD LIST IT WITH THOSE WHO ARE GOING TO PLAN TO MAKE IT EASY FOR HOMESEEKER TO FIND JUST WHAT HE WANTS. WE PROPOSE TO ADOPT SUCH A PLAN. WE ARE GOING TO GET IN TOUCH WITH THOSE WHO DESIRE TO COME TO WEST TEXAS TO MAKE THEIR HOMES, AND WE WANT TO BE IN A POSITION TO BE ABLE TO OFFER THE PROPERTIES THAT WOULD MEET THEIR EVERY REQUIREMENT.

DO YOU WISH TO DISPOSE OF YOUR FARM, RANCH OR CITY PROPERTY?

IF SO, LIST IT WITH US FOR A SPECIFIED TIME, AND IF WE CANNOT SELL IT YOU ARE NOT OUTFITTED. THERE MUST BE SOME AGENCY TO MAKE IT EASY FOR BUYER AND SELLER TO MEET, AND WE WANT TO BE THAT AGENCY.

IN ADDITION TO AN EXTENSIVE ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN THROUGHOUT THE NEWSPAPERS OF NORTH AND EAST, WE PLAN TO ISSUE MUCH LITERATURE DESCRIPTIVE OF THE BIG SPRING SECTION. POINT REPRESENTATIVES AT VARIOUS POINTS AND BE PREPARED TO TRANSPORT PROSPECTIVE HOMESEEKERS ON TOURS OF INSPECTION WHEN THEY VISIT OUR COUNTY.

We Believe That During the Coming Year the Big Spring Section is Going to Make the Greatest Growth it Has Made in Years.

IT'S WORTH AS AN IDEAL AGRICULTURAL SECTION HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY ESTABLISHED. WE WANT TO LET FOLKS KNOW WHAT WE HAVE, AND HOW BOUNTIFULLY OUR COUNTRY WILL PRODUCE. WE WANT THEM TO VISIT OUR COUNTY, MAKE A THOROUGH TOUR OF INSPECTION AND IT WILL BE NO TROUBLE TO SHOW THEM HOMES AND FARMS.

IN ADDITION TO OUR LANDS BEING A GOOD BUY FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES, NO INVESTMENT IS WHERE IS SO SAFE AS LANDS IN THIS SECTION.

MOST PRACTICAL FARMERS SEEKING A FARM KNOW JUST WHAT THEY WANT. WHILE WE DO NOT PRETEND PERFECTION, OUR LONG EXPERIENCE IN BUYING AND SELLING FARM LANDS; OUR THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF THE BIG SPRING COUNTRY, AND OUR EXTENSIVE CONNECTIONS WILL ENABLE US TO SHOW THOSE IN SEARCH OF HOMES IN A NEW COUNTRY TO SECURE SOMETHING GOOD AT A REASONABLE PRICE. LIST YOUR PROPERTY AND ASSIST US IN BUILDING UP THIS SECTION.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL YOUR PROPERTY—LIST IT WITH US AT ONCE—CALL WRITE OR WIRE, REAL ESTATE DEPT.

Chase Oil Association
Chamber of Commerce Building
Big Spring, Texas P. O. Box 24 Phone No. 142

Registered Jack for Sale



Samson—a fine registered Jack—4 years old—15 hands high—with white tips—for sale or trade. Can be seen at S. P. ECHOLS' place, South east of Coahoma, Texas. 7-2pd.

House and Lot For Sale
3 room house at 204 Arlington street for sale or trade. See or address J. R. MASON, Big Spring, Texas. 7-2pd

Land For Sale
Best stock farm in Howard County one mile from good school, plenty of water, good grass, 120 acres rich land in cultivation; other improvements. See DR. G. T. HALL.

RUB SOME CAMPHORATED MUSCEROLE ON THAT SORE CHEST
.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Rev. Ben Hardy returned Tuesday from Quanah where he attended the annual conference of the Methodist Church for this district. Not only the members of the Methodist Church but our entire citizenship are indeed pleased to note that Rev. Hardy was reappointed pastor of the Methodist Church here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Coleman and son Fred arrived Saturday from Dallas to visit old time friends in this city. Mr. Coleman owns city property as well as a fine farm northwest of Big Spring and is here to look after this property. Mr. Coleman was indeed pleased to find prosperity reigning in this section and advises that we might just as well prepare for many home seekers. He states that West Texas is being talked as the coming farming country and that folks back East are planning to come to the West and secure land while the big ranches are being subdivided. With the boll weevil taking charge in Central and East Texas he states that West Texas will develop into the cotton producing section of Texas.

Shoria, Bran, and Chops. Pool-Reed Company. Phone 145.

Paint in small cans for any purposeCunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. Patty Beyers of San Dimas, California arrived Tuesday for a visit with the family of John Burns.

YOU CAN GAIN WEIGHT BY DRINKING OUR MALTED MILK
.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

With politics now out of the way we can begin to have time to think of Thanksgiving, Christmas and other important matters.

J. N. Cowan has secured the agency for the Apex Vacuum Cleaner and is now ready to demonstrate this practical household necessity to anyone who will phone 304.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Lewis and Mrs. Purcell were here Wednesday from the Slaughter ranch. Mr. Lewis is manager for the Hunt Brothers Cattle Company which has the Slaughter ranch leased.

MISS SAYLOR'S CANDY NEVER FAILS TO QUALIFY.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

Phone 142 for fancy Home Bakery.

The best pork sausage—Pool-Reed Company.

James Charlton of Springdale for the Gulf Production business visitor here Wednesday.

We are selling a new quarter that will interest you and it's a big bar too.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Mrs. W. S. Kenan from Ferris, Texas, who has been to visit her daughter Batchelor.

Miss Vivian Johnson of Texas Woman's College will spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mason.

WE ARE PREPARING NISH GLASS FOR THE AND THE PRICES ARE LOW
.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

When thousands of dollars are put into cultivation the Spring section you will find towns and communities prosper.

Radio May Solve Perpetual Motion

Perpetual motion has been classified as among the things theoretically impossible for centuries. Experiments by the hundreds of thousands have devoted a good part of their lives to disproving this theory—most of them, no doubt, with visions of a golden rain. Most novel and ingenious schemes have been devised and models built, some of them involving the work of a lifetime, only to be brought up short against the law that a machine will not run with its own momentum alone. Many of the machines have seemed to come so near to the dream of the inventor that it has needed but the smallest unit of power to throw the balance in the direction of success.

The individual, who thirty years ago, would have described radio as it functions today would have been promptly classed with the "nuts," and a dreamer, first cousin to the perpetual motion lunatic. It could not be done, so why talk about it? The idea of transmitting without wires, music and lectures and information vital to every day life, even across the street! To hear a concert two thousand miles away. Lunacy!

And now, in view of the accomplishment by radio of the seeming impossible, someone has dared to suggest that it will supply the actual power necessary to make perpetual motion machines operative. And even the chronic doubter is becoming conservative in his doubting. Who can say that radio will not furnish the force required to throw the ingenious machines that have been devised in the past into the operative.

Only Brains Remain Cheap

"The cheapest thing in all the world is brains—brains, the principal thing upon which everything in the world depends for success," declared Daniel Webster.

Several years ago Ruskin censured the English people for paying enormous wages to men and women who merely amused them and letting their artists and others who instructed them starve.

The days haven't changed much since the days of Webster and Ruskin. The big salaries still go to the film stars who furnish amusement, while the lesser lights who preside in the schoolroom and the pulpit and a few other places, must go content or discontented with a modicum of pay.

The situation is so familiar that we forget how discreditable it is. Appeals for the teachers and other workers, who must possess and exercise some brains, cannot go unheeded. The price will be too great that way.—Texas Commercial News.

Help Wanted

Lady to do general housework; must be neat, with good references. A good place for right party. If interested call or write, A. C. BASS, Coahoma, Texas. Tff

WE HAVE PUT IN A LINE OF CHEAPER WALL PAPERS. AVERAGE COST PER ROOM TWO AND ONE HALF.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Ollie Correll returned Sunday from a business trip to Dallas.

GET YOUR HEATER Before the Grand Rush Sets In

Choose An Oil Heater Wisely

Let us help you—for oil heaters are different—some are better than others. The one sure best for 20 years—the one that produces the most heat for the least cost, is the one with this trade-mark. Heats a cold room in a "jiffy"—to the remotest corners. The heat is clean and odorless. Costs only one cent an hour, to use—

Barler
IMPROVED-SMOKELSS Ideal Oil Heaters

Depend on that name for lasting satisfaction. You can only get genuine BARLER Ideal Heaters in this town of us. So come in, first chance you get, and examine one critically. You will not be urged to buy—it must sell itself. But come in soon.

Let Us Send You One on Trial



ROUND OAK DOUBLE BURNER HEATERS Save one-third your fuel. Guaranteed to hold fire for THIRTY SIX HOURS! LAST A LIFE TIME

Charter Oak Hot Blast Heaters

Lined with cast iron all the way up.

Let Us Show You about their Superior construction.

RIX FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING CO.
"THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION"
BIG SPRING LUBBOCK

Another Drive Against Railroad Worker

The petition of the Chicago and Alton Railroad to wipe out overtime pay evidently is the beginning of a drive to abolish the eight-hour day on all the railroads of the country. The first after the war offensive of the railroad gamblers to crush the labor unions in the service was repulsed. The offensive is now renewed and the Alton will certainly receive the support of the other railroad masters in this drive.

With the Railway Labor Board recorded in favor of a slave standard of existence for large numbers of railroad workers, with that body resorting to covert sneers at the idea of a living wage, it is certain that it will be sympathetic with this latest demand of the railroads. It has proved to be a cleverly disguised body, through which the will of the railroad gamblers is registered in the name of a "public" tribunal.

Many months ago The Call pointed out that the board apparently had been planning for the defeat of the workers. Its strategy is one of "deflating" the railroad workers one group at a time. It has "deflated" one group, while coddling all the others with soothing words, keeping them at work until the pockets of the first group had been rifled. When the first group had been "shaken down" another was brought before it, while soothing words were again offered to the remainder.

The railroad workers have been thus attacked in military fashion, one detachment at a time. Now it is the turn of the trainmen and yardmen, with the Chicago and Alton leading them before the board for the customary "deflation." With this outrageous decision in the matter of a living wage, is there any doubt what attitude the board will take toward the request of the Chicago and Alton? After this experience the trainman or yardman who expects the board to take any other position than that of an executive council of the railroad gamblers is indulging in moonshine.

At any rate the wage workers of the country are going to school and they are learning rapidly. The tuition is costly, but the education is valuable. They are learning the depths of abysmal greed that possesses the transportation masters of America and their associate masters in other great industries. The particular groups now summoned before the supreme tribunal of the railroad managers no doubt will stand adamant against the destruction of rules that have required a generation of sacrifice to win. For them to lose would be a disaster, a loss that would encourage other despoilers to wage other offensives against wages and hours in other industries.—New York Call.

The Home Bakery, successor to Bob's Bakery has good bread and pastries every day. Phone 142 or call at our bakery.

How about a Hughes Ideal hair brush.....Cunningham & Philips.

Semi-Political

Our official diplomatism at the Court of St. James, or in plainer terms the Hon. George Harvey, American Ambassador to Great Britain, appears to have made another faux pas. The habit of making faux passes is one which diplomatists should be distinctly discouraged from. When we send an apparently sane citizen to represent us in a foreign country, and right after he arrives at his post he begins to wear knee pants like a little boy and chatter animatedly like a grammar school girl, it is a sign that it won't be long until he will have to organize an explanation department and add that much burden to our already burthened taxpayers. This leads up to the latest indiscretion of our laqueous though ever genial George Harvey. Mr. Harvey, whose great office ought to make him as wise as a serpent and as taciturn as a terrapin, has several times been guilty of that common but reprehensible fault called talking too much with the mouth. His latest venture into the realm of the fanciful comes to us in the form of an address to the Author's Club in London—probably an organization similar to the Bonehead Club of Dallas. In that address Mr. Harvey, our Ambassador Extraordinary, chose for his theme the soullessness of women. He sought to prove by the Decalogue that women have no souls, which was, to say the least, undiplomatic. A professional diplomat must never forget that even things said in the utmost privacy may seep through the walls and percolate into the knowledge of the people. When talking about the ladies it is particularly incumbent on the speaker to hold his tongue in leash, for, although the ladies are not curious, they have a special instinct for hearing things. If our Ambassador Extraordinary now suffers an extraordinary embarrassment it is because his discretion was not equal to his garrulity, and in consequence he is on record as attempting to prove by the Ten Commandments that the ladies, bless them, haven't any more soul than a molly-cottontail. The Ten Commandments, declared our Minister Plenipotentiary, were addressed solely to men. From this postulate he argued that inasmuch as the Ten Commandments, as he interprets them, were addressed to the masculine half of the population, that alleged fact signifies that the women were not considered. Not being considered, their nonconsideration implied Moses' implication of soullessness to the fair sex. Such an argument is so specious as to win the disapproval of all Democrats. It was not the women, but the men, who were giving Moses trouble, and when he introduced the tablets of the law he may have had the men more than the women in mind. Laws are made for those who need them, punishments for those who deserve same. To contend for one moment that a lady has no soul because the Ten Commandments, or some of them, speak directly to men is no more en rapport with common sense or American gallantry than

would be an assertion that corsets are designed for women on the theory that women have no ribs. Of course such a claim would be laughed out of the court of first resort and hooted out of the court of last resort. The ribs of the ladies are invisible and it is to the ladies that corsets are mainly sold. Granting this, and likewise that the Ten Commandments are directed in the main to men, that the souls of the ladies are as invisible as their ribs, where is there a logician who would say that, taking all the evidence, and measuring the ladies up one side and down the other, it is the judgment of the arbiter that the daughters of Eve have neither souls nor ribs? It might be argued further that the Bible mentions Adam as being ribbed, but is silent on the subject of Eve's bony structure. Is that to be taken that Eve was a jellybeaness? Not at all, not in a thousand years! Ladies have souls, and we don't blame them for their indignation against Ambassador Harvey, who would picture them to the world as being hollow inside.—State Press in Dallas News.

"Life Seems Long Rut"

San Mateo, Cal.—America's oldest man is no more contented than most of the rest of us.

He has had 113 years in which to search for contentment and he is honest enough to admit today that he hasn't found it.

One would expect a man, upon his 113th birthday, to be both happy and philosophic.

Jacinto Florio is philosophic and happy after a fashion.

But major sorrows weigh heavily against minor happiness.

"Don't let the old folks home be your wife in your declining years," is his advice. "It's never too late to wed. For 70 years I've been without a wife, and I'd be far happier if I had one now. Then, again, I've always liked to feel that I would die on my native soil, which is Mexico, but I shall not. Very likely I shall die right here among strangers.

"Don't think that contentment comes necessarily with advanced years. Of course it's something to live 113 years, and I don't regret a year of it, but I've never found contentment.

"I've had money and I've been broke. I was employed 52 years by one man. I guess I was contented after a fashion but now it seems like a long rut.

"I don't want to be misunderstood. Life is very much worth while and being discontented doesn't spoil it. It helps keep you from going stale."

Let Us Do YOUR HARVESTING

We are in the market to harvest several thousand crops of whiskers, and also for keeping your hair trimmed and your scalp in a healthy and cleanly condition all the year around.

We guarantee first class tonsorial work

Less Thomas' BARBER SHOP

Chas. Eberley
UNDERTAKING
Motor Drawn Hearse
Service Day or Night
Lady Assistant
Day Phone 200 : : : Night Phone 261
Big Spring, Texas

W. CARROLL BARNETT JR
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Office upstairs in West Texas National
Big Spring, Texas
Bank Bldg.


Drs. ELLINGTON & WETSEL
Dentists.
BIG SPRING, TEXAS
Office Phone 261.

Advertising

A merchant in a neighboring town states his advertising thus far this year cost him 54 cents for every \$100 worth of goods sold. He used half a page of his local paper each week for his business announcement, and says that as long as people read newspapers he will continue to advertise. There's a man possessed of a good head. Just as soon as merchants begin to look upon advertising as a branch of their business which requires as much care as any part of it, then will advertising pay. Honesty, force, originality and persistency in advertising makes it a paying investment.—Merke Mall.

Of course, someone will say that the newspapers are great advocates of advertising because it means money in their pockets. Well, certainly, the newspapers have got to provide the means for the issuance of the newspaper. The public does not realize on the other hand how much free advertising the newspaper gives and for the small price at which it sold per copy, it being known by most of the public the great expense incidental to the issuance of a weekly newspaper and the different departments which must be maintained all at great expense. And be it said also that the majority of the business men realize that advertising is as much a part of their business expense as salaries of clerks, etc. In fact, most of the large businesses have regular appropriations which they set aside for advertising.—Abilene Reporter.

RAZORS: OLD TIMERS AND SAFETY.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS.



HABIT

The governor of lives is **HABIT**

Habits of Thrift build up the Bank Account and lead to Satisfaction and **COMFORT**

Habits of Extravagance tend to Unhappiness and Destruction.

If you have not started, you will be surprised how much pleasure you will get from saving by adding to a Bank Account.

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI. SAT.
		1	2	3	Save
		4	5	6	Save
		7	8	9	Save
		10	11	12	Save
		13	14	15	Save
		16	17	18	Save
		19	20	21	Save
		22	23	24	Save
		25	26	27	Save
		28	29	30	Save
		31			Save

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