

Churches

THE YOUNG MAN WITH AN AMBITION

The above subject at the Methodist Church at 8:30 P. M., next Sunday. Preaching at 11 A. M., also. Epworth League meets at 8 P. M. B. W. DODSON, Pastor

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary Society met Monday at 3:30 P. M. at the church. Song—"Saviour More Than Life to Me." Prayer—Mrs. Olive. Sisterhood of the Women in the Churches—Mrs. Dickey. Scripture—Mrs. Dodson. Prayer. Story—Mrs. Proctor. Bulletin—M. V. Brewer. Song—"Bless Be the Tie that Binds. Close by sentence prayers. We were glad to have with us as a visitor Mrs. McDowel, sister of Miss Ramsey.

W. M. U. PROGRAM

Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.
1. The School of Jesus—Mrs. Levret.
2. The Shadow of Things to Come—Mrs. Brooks.
3. Shall the Seminary Live or Die?—Mrs. Driver.
4. The Removal of the Seminary to Louisville—Mrs. Young.
5. Dr. John A. Broadus—Mrs. Catching.
6. We Sow What the Men of the Future Shall Gather—Mrs. McDonald.
7. The Gathering of Twenty-five years.
Relation of Southern Baptist Theological Seminary to Baptist W. M. U. Training School—Mrs. Tolver.
8. The Dream City; The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of the Future—Mrs. Collier.
Will meet with Mrs. McDonald.

BAPTIST CHURCH

"Sunday" School 9:45 A. M.—Paul Owens, Supt.
Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor. Sunbeams at 3 P. M. All B. F. P. U's at 7:15 P. M.
Preaching at 8:15 P. M. by pastor. The pastor will be in his pulpit both morning and evening hours after having been away attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Memphis, Tennessee.
Come and be with us in all the services Sunday. Let's have a bigger Sunday School than usual. The attendance has been averaging better than three hundred for some time, but we would like to have some more folks with us.
JNO. P. HARDESTY, Pastor.

A COSTLY JOKE.

Not compulsory automobile liability insurance but jail is the best cure for reckless automobile driving which disregards all rights of others. "Compulsory automobile insurance is a joke," said H. D. Wagner, Chicago claim adjuster for Employers Liability Assurance Corporation, "but under certain conditions it might prove to be a very serious joke. So far the legislators have had more sense than to begin such a dangerous experiment. No one knows the dangers of compulsory automobile insurance better than the claim adjuster. "Such a law, if enacted, would make accidents more numerous, would make them more difficult to handle, would produce ten claims where there is now one, and would make trouble all along the line. If compulsory automobile insurance is ever put into effect it should provide that the protection to be furnished must be insurance and not merely indemnification. The insolvency of the insured should not affect the liability of the company for loss; but there are many concerns issuing contracts of indemnification which would attempt to qualify under the compulsory liability act, and the results would unquestionably be very unsatisfactory."

GUARANTEED USED CARS AT LOW PRICES

One 1924 Model Coupe, new paint, 5 balloon tires, a dandy— \$450.00

One 1924 Model Touring, 5 new cord tires, Cozy Klosure, fresh paint, nearly as good as new— \$385.00

One 1924 Model Roadster, worth the money at— \$305.00

One 1924 Model Touring, new paint, a good car for— \$300.00

All with a guarantee on them that you can depend on.

Slaton Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Custer and sister, Mrs. A. L. Tudor, were in Floydada Wednesday, attending the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Elbert Bloodworth.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The public is cordially invited to all the services at the Presbyterian Church. The little Brick Church by the side of the road is a friend to every one— "Where the Handclasp's a Little Stronger, Where the smile Dwells a little Longer"—That's the First Presbyterian Church.—In the Community to serve 9:45 Sunday School—W. H. McKirahan, Sup't.
11:00—Morning Worship.
4:00 P. M.—Junior Endeavor.
6:00 P. M.—Senior Endeavor.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.
J. A. Owen, Minister.

W. E. Kelly, R. R. Hicks and T. C. Jewell spent Tuesday afternoon on the canyon, enjoying a fishing trip. They report a good catch of cat and bass.

Messrs. R. P. Jones and E. Brackene visited last Sunday in Snyder.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—One good Kimble Piano. Will take \$85. Will sell or trade—Brook Shoe Shop 28-tfc.

A BARGAIN—in a Chevrolet Coupe, for sale. Call at the Slatonite Office.

WANTED—Waitress, apply at the Harvey House. 28-1tc

For every purpose for which a liniment is usually applied the modern remedy, Liquid Borozone, will do the work more quickly, more thoroughly and more pleasantly. Price, 30c, 60c, and \$1.20.
Sold by—CITY DRUG STORE
John Dabney & Son, Props.

WANTED—a good milk Cow for feed and pasture. Have plenty of grass and will take care of same. See G. L. Sledge. 28-1tc.

\$10.00 REWARD—For traveling bag, lost Monday between Slaton and Lorenzo, by Badger Tire Salesman. Finder please call at McWilliams Filling Station. 28-1tc

We are after your business, any thing in the Drug line we have it—City Drug Store. 27-1tc.

FOR SALE—A five room house, well located to schools, churches and close to town, worth the money. Will take small payment down and balance like rent. Better investigate for some body is going to buy worth the money. Would take Ford for first payment. Call Rama Grigg at Rockwell Lumber Co. 281tc

Cenol Fly Destroyer makes homes "flyless." Just spray it around.—The CITY DRUG STORE, Cenol Agency.

FOR SALE—Complete fixtures for grocery store, including Scales, Register, McCaskey account protector, show cases, counters, scoops, oil tank, tobacco knives, etc. See or write J. W. Elrod, or Elrod's Furniture Store

Looking for a shipment of Class books in this week, for graduation present.—City Drug Store. 1tc.

ON TRADES DAY—One thousand bushels of half and half cotton seed for sale by U. P. Pace & Son, who live between Slaton and Aycock. Mr. Pace will be in Slaton on next trades day, June 1st.

For Graduation Present—4 Piece Ivory Set.—City Drug Store. 1tc.

Cenol Fly Destroyer rids any room of flies in a few minutes. Has pleasing odor.—The CITY DRUG STORE, Cenol Agency.

LOST—Pair men's trousers some where between the Sam McDonald home and Deacon Henry home west of Slaton. Finder please leave at Slatonite office. 28-1tp.

When your breath is bad, appetite poor, and you feel "blue" and discouraged, you need Herbine. One or two doses will set you right. It is a great system purifier. Price 60c.
Sold by—CITY DRUG STORE
John Dabney & Son, Props.

FOR SALE—Good cotton seed and sudan grass seed. Also come hay and a few pigs.—E. E. Wilson, Phone 9. 2p.

FOR RENT—Two suites of light-house-keeping rooms, well furnished and newly papered.—Mrs. E. P. Nix, Phone 23. 28-2tc.

Cenol Fly Destroyer kills flies the safe, sane way.—The CITY DRUG STORE, Cenol Agency.

A bad sprain heals slowly if not treated with a remedy that has the power to penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment is especially adapted for such ailments. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle.
Sold by—CITY DRUG STORE
John Dabney & Son, Props.

To Those Who Died



"The Dawn of Glory," by Pietro Montana, a monument at Highland park, as a tribute to those who served in the World war. This beautiful creation, full of virility, is the third monument to be erected in Brooklyn by the same sculptor.



How swiftly we forget the bitter past—
The past of other men—that past we swore
We would revere and honor evermore!
A little dust of years has blown between
Our snug, safe lives and all that din
of war—
And we forget already, as stocks
soar
Forget the price they paid, those gallant boys
Who left their shining youth on sodden fields,
Drab men, now, scattered through the rank and file
Of common drudgeries; plain men,
who earn
Their daily bread by dull prosaic tasks!
As though they'd never heard the screaming shell,
Or known the feel of filth, the foul trench smell
Such silent men they are today, yet kind,
Who listen absently while babblers
like myself
Discourse on beauty, poetry—or pain;
The place it holds in art, all unaware
That in the chair across the hearth
there broods
Not merely what one sees, a grave
young man,
But still, incarnate, deathless Memory!

The memory of ugliness, of filth,
Of biting cold, and ruthless naked
Fear—
That Fear which crouches, grinning,
by one's bed,
And polses, waiting, through the long
dull day
Like some foul, taloned, patient bird
of prey.

We have forgotten, we who did not
go,
What War must mean—not merely
death, for death
All men must face each day, not unafraid!
But callous; death is not the worst,
though we
Prefer our tidy life, cream in our tea!
The ill they fear is just remembering
The way foul recollection shifts and
drifts
Not only from gray ash of old days,
spalls
But from gay gardens in the summer
dusk,
From glowing flames upon the winter
hearth,
Or in the arms of love . . . They
never know
What moment the dead thing may
coil and spring!
So War endures to men remembering
—New York Times



All Worthy of Tribute
As we lay our tributes of gratitude and devotion upon the graves of those who gave their all, let there be no distinction made between them. Let us honor equally those who, as President Coolidge so aptly and so beautifully phrased it at a Confederate memorial service, "those who made their sacrifice in one way, and those who made their sacrifice in another way." It is sufficient to know that all were Americans and believed in America, and that "America claims them all; her flag floats above them and they all rest in the same divine peace."—
—Houston Post

Local Baptist Church Gets 5th Sunday Meet

WELL-BABY CLINIC TO HAVE MONTHLY MEETING 25TH

On May the 25th the Slaton Well Baby Clinic will have their monthly meeting at the City Hall. Do not fail to bring your babies. —Reporter.

51ST ANNIVERSARY SALE OF MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS PRICES CUT IN HALF.

Guaranteed Pianos at \$98, \$111, \$123.00.
Brand new Pianos at \$268.00
Player-pianos with 10 rolls, from \$325.00.
Exchanged Victrolas, from \$15.00.
Radiola sets with tubes, batteries and aerial outfit \$39.50.
Saxophones as low as \$40.00.
Cornets, from \$7.50.
We also have pianos stored in the vicinity of Slaton which will be sacrificed.

BUY ON SMALL PAYMENTS IF PREFERRED.

Write today for big list of bargains and our special terms. Please mention the instrument preferred.

THE KNIGHT-CAMPBELL MUSIC COMPANY, Denver Colo. 28-2tc

H. G. Stokes, of the Slaton Motor Company, is on a business visit in Dallas.

Friday and Saturday, May 29th-30th

Friday.
8:00 P. M. Devotional—T. D. Sawyer, Lubbock.
8:15—The New Testament Doctrine of Repentance—W. M. Money, Slaton.
8:45—The New Testament Doctrine of Faith—J. H. Agee, Lubbock.

Saturday.

9:30 A. M.—Devotional—C. B. Pendley, Lubbock.
9:45—Are the terms "church" and "kingdom" synonymous?—J. H. Hunt, Lorenzo, L. McHan, Levelland.
10:45—Song Service—Led by L. E. Payne, Lubbock.
11:00—The Lord's Supper: By whom instituted; and to whom given for administration.—W. A. Bowen, Lubbock, J. W. Hembree, Plainview.
11:30—The Lord's Supper: Who are eligible to partake of it; and what is its purpose?—J. T. Clinton, Lubbock; Jno. P. Hardesty, Slaton.

Lunch

2:00 P. M.—Board Meeting.
2:00 P. M. Ladies' Program.
Devotional—Mrs. J. H. Hunt.
Bible Study—Mrs. Carl Roberds.
How I teach a Mission Study Course—Mrs. W. M. Money.
Special Music—Lorenzo W. M. S.
Our Young People—Mrs. W. A. Bowen.

I. Slaton its the Slaton Slatonite.

WATCH OUR WINDOW SATURDAY FOR REAL SPECIALS



"WHERE YOU SAVE"



—Look at your old garden tools and see if you don't need new ones. You'll find that you do, and then come to our store. You will find just the things you want to make gardening a pleasure instead of hard work.

Our new tools will soon save you more work and worry than they will cost.

We have lots of good lawn and garden Hose.

Whenever you want Hardware of any kind, come to us for it, because—

OUR HARDWARE WEARS

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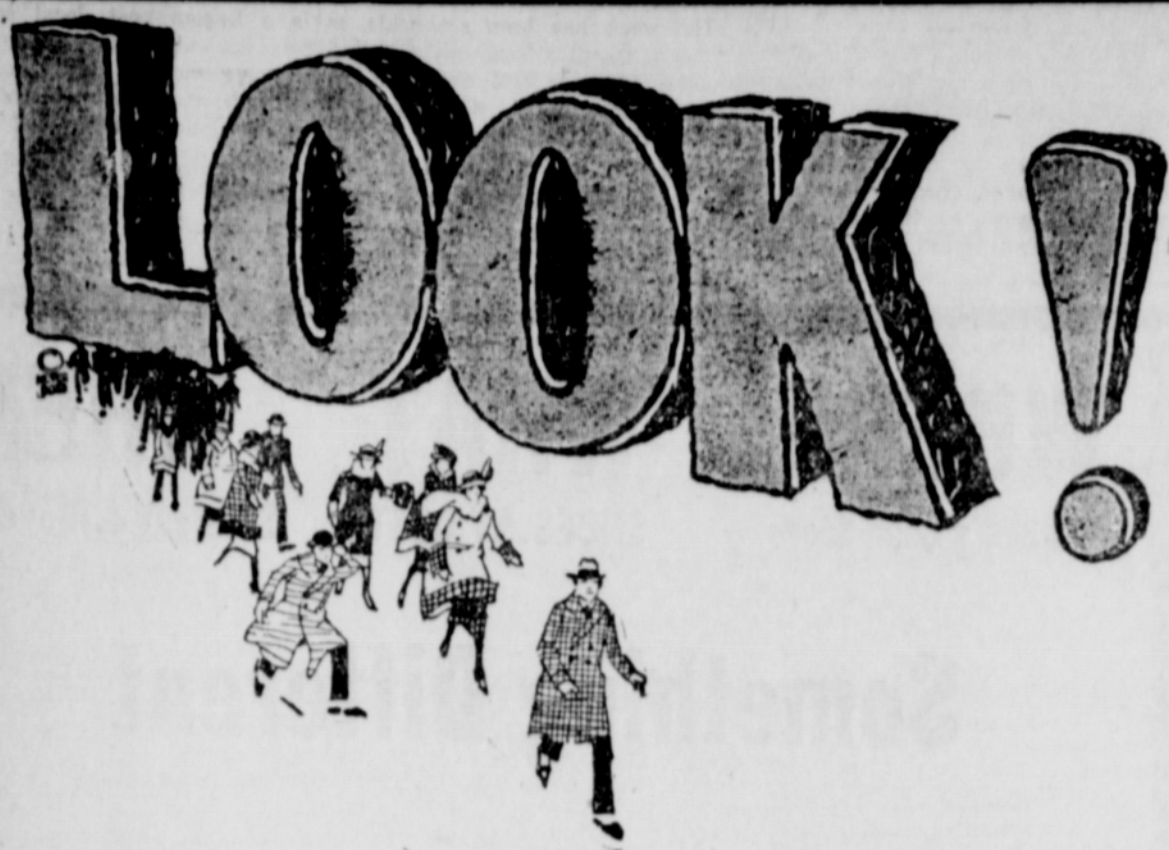
TOM MIX & MABEL BALLIN in "RIDERS OF THE PURPLE SAGE" WILLIAM FOX SPECIAL.

Friday-Saturday

MAY 22 and 23

Admission 20 and 40 Cents

Custer Theatre



PAYNE'S

Semi-Annual Clearance

SALE

Starts Saturday Morning, May 30th at Nine O'Clock
AND RUNS THROUGH TUESDAY, JUNE 16th UNTIL 6:30 P. M.

This gives the railroad people two pay days in which to make their cash count; it gives the farmers two days over three Saturdays in which to make their cash go a long ways toward their purchases for the long, drawn out, hot summer months that are to come; It gives the town folks every day for fifteen days to save money, for it is the money we are after for the next 15 days in which to make and save our June cash discounts in paying our bills.

Nothing Will be Charged During the Life of the Sale, Only at Regular Prices

LOOK at a few prices which will show you the old reliable store always means business when they put on a Sale:

Good Grade of 32-in. Gingham, 25c value for 16c
 Everfast Products all in with the rest of our dress goods, at greatly reduced prices. Nothing held back in our Dress Goods Department.

In our Shoe Department, we have grouped some of our Ladies and Children's Shoes to close out regardless of cost.

Group A Shoes at
ONE-HALF OFF

Group B Shoes at
ONE-THIRD OFF

Group C Shoes at—**ONE-FOURTH OFF**

Clothing Department!

Men's and Boys' Suits are to go. We do not want to keep them longer.

MEN

A \$22.50 and \$23.75 Suit for \$16.95, and on down to \$12.95.

\$25.00 Suits for \$19.95
 \$35.00 Suits for \$24.95

Boy's Suits

One among the many:
 \$12.50 value for \$8.95
 \$10.00 Suits for \$6.95
 —And the same ratio of reductions all through the line.

LACES

—All 7c, 7½c and 8c Laces for 4c



MEN

You will see some knock-out prices on SHOES both work and dress. A good work shoe that ordinarily sells for \$5, but which we are selling regularly for \$3.50, our sale price will be \$2.98

Now for another interesting feature of this sale: That is the FREE part of it.

We are going to fill our show window of the goods and cash we are going to give you FREE. Three different articles, your own selection, will be given free each day at 4:00 o'clock.

The first ten persons entering the store on the opening day, at 9:00 o'clock will be given \$1.00 worth of merchandise free. You will be handed a coupon entitling you to this. So hand the coupon to the clerk who waits on you, when you are through trading.

One other feature of this sale—the second week of the sale. That is June 8th to 13th inclusive, we desire to give 10 per cent of each day's sales to the different churches of our city. Each church will appoint a committee who will confer with us as to the day they choose, and each church will furnish a committee who will sell goods the day as selected by them, and the chairman of that committee will be given 10 per cent of the business of that day at the close of the day's business. All church

committees please meet with us not later than Friday, June 5th, at 2:00 o'clock to perfect the organization. We would like every church in town to be represented.

Another feature, we offer as new here. The child, boy or girl, from 5 to 15 years old, who brings us the most words gotten out of the word "Payne's," will be given \$3 in cash. The next nearest, \$2 cash, and the next nearest \$1 in cash. This is for the last day of the sale, June 16th, at 6 o'clock.

SPECIAL HOUR SALE—OF 5 yards of 25c Gingham for 35c (The hour 3 o'clock) 10 patterns only to go each day.

STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY FRIDAY, MAY 25th, TO GET THE STOCK READY TO OPEN AT 9 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 30th.

NO REFUND—NO EXCHANGE DURING THE SALE

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DRY GOODS

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Now, that the oil mill is assured, and in reality under construction; that renewed interest is being manifested in the hotel project; that our highways are to be hard-surfaced; that Slaton is continually building, and that everybody is optimistic and long faces are almost as uncommon as an afternoon matinee at the air dome, we would like to see the color, and the saying goes, of a paving contract. The streets of the little town of Lockney, with not over eleven hundred inhabitants, are paved with brick, and the citizens of the town are justly proud of it. The town of Roscoe, in Nolan County, with no more than half the commercial activities of Slaton, is boasting of a recently completed paving program. The streets of Snyder, Scurry County, the all-cotton country, are now being paved. Why shouldn't Slaton, with all its natural resources and commercial advantages, follow the examples set by these smaller towns, and pave its business streets? It would doubtless prove a paying investment.

In all kindness and respect to the management of the local telephone exchange, and to the different operators who are untiring in their efforts to give to their subscribers and patrons the very best of service, we suggest that one of Slaton's most urgent needs is a flashlight telephone system. We understand that other towns, even smaller in population than Slaton, are enjoying such system, and as a consequence, of course, their telephone service is more satisfactory. In this age of progress the public demands the best of service, and the average business man has neither the time nor patience to reach on the wall or behind his desk to "crank" the telephone one or more times. Let's have a self-starting system.

It was a wise boy who said that when it was dark and he was afraid, he always started a whistle. When he heard himself whistling, he was not afraid any more. It is a pretty good thing sometimes to whistle to keep the courage up.

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We who now walk the shining streets of life
And quaff the wine of friendship's blessedness,
Who know the final glamor of success,
Who feel the bliss of resting after strife—
Shall we forget those troops of foolish-wise,
Love-passioned lads who purchased this, our joy,
With youth's fine gold? To whom life was a toy

With which, quick-spent, to gain time's prize?
O God of peace, let not this heart-wound heal;
Let still a reverent memory stir our soul
May we be not so brutal as to feel
No thought for those who from the heathen stole
The prize they lusted for—the round earth's weal!
May we remember those who, failing, reached their goal.

WEST TEXAS NEWS SUMMARY

VERNON—The Vernon Chamber of Commerce held recently a reorganization dinner with more than 250 present. The reorganization was done by Hubert M. Harrison, Manager of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce. The work will be conducted in the future along the same lines as the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce.

LUBBOCK—The contract to build depots and section houses from Doud to the New Mexico line on the Santa Fe rail road was let to D. N. Leaver-

WHO IS THE HOME MERCHANT?

The home merchant, who is he? He is the chap who gives you credit when you are financially broke, and carries your account until you are able to pay. He is the chap who gives you back your money or makes exchanges when you are not satisfied with what you have bought. He is the chap who meets you at the door with a handshake and lets you out with a message to the 'kids' and a real "come again, goodbye." He is the chap whose clerks live in the home town and spend their money with you and other local people. He is the chap who helps support our churches and charitable organizations and talks for the home town and boost for it every day in the year. He is the chap who visits you when you are sick, sends flowers to your family when you die, and follows your body out among the trees and tombs, as far as human feet may travel with the dead. He is the home merchant—your friend—your helper in time of need. Don't you think you ought to trade with him and be his friend and his helper in time of need?

ton of Lubbock.

CISCO—The first meeting of the Executive Board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held in Wichita Falls, June 11th.

SHAMROCK—The Wheeler County Court House bond issue held here recently carried by more than 400 majority. The new Court House will be three stories high and fire proof. No wood will be used in the entire structure.

HEREFORD—T. D. Moss of Dimmit is the newly elected Secretary of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce.

ELECTRA—This city has ordered a car of poison to feed the grasshoppers.

ABILENE—Beginning last week, the Abilene Budget Committee has already raised more than \$8,000 of the \$21,000 budget for the year, according to Secretary T. N. Carswell.

MIDLAND—This city will soon vote on a new pavement law. If the law carries Midland will pave many streets including the bank-and highway through the city.

TAHOKA—The Commissioners court was presented recently with road bond petition asking for an election to vote on \$500,000 bonds for hard surfaced roads in Lynn County.

HASKELL—The new amusement park here will be opened to the public some time between the 1st and 10th of June. Ample bath houses and other conveniences have been provided.

MUNDAY—Munday trade territory will be very materially benefitted when the new bridge across the Brazos river north of here is completed.

MULESHOE—One farmer near here has the distinction of being the husband of an exceedingly industrious wife who owns 3,000 white leghorn hens.

MISS LOKEY CANDIDATE FOR BACHELOR SCIENCE DEGREE

DENTON, Texas, May 25.—Miss Pauline Lokey of Slaton, a senior at the College of Industrial Arts, is a candidate for the degree of bachelor of science at the graduation exercises to be held June 2. Sixty-six bachelor of arts degrees and 131 bachelor of science degrees have been applied for, according to the registrar.

CALL MEETING OF THE FAIR DIRECTORS

You are called to meet at the City Hall in the Manager's office at 2:30 P. M. Saturday, June 6th. Important business matters are to come up at this meeting. The time is close at hand when we must work out all necessary plans for the Community Fair Sept. 24 to 26, 3 days. Let each Director be present at this time.
S. E. STAGGS, President.
J. J. ROSS, Manager.

Policemen are now referees at Memphis, Tenn. Judge Clifford Davis, city magistrate, has ordered policemen not to interfere in street fights unless weapons or unfair tactics come into play.

Gas on Stomach Won't Let You Sleep

Gas pressing on heart and other organs sometimes causes a restless, nervous feeling and prevents sleep. Adlerika helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deep-seated causes. The QUICK action will surprise you. Because Adlerika is such an excellent intestinal evacuant it is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes.
G. J. CATCHING DRUG STORE

PEYTON

SWIMMING POOL

Mr. E. F. Payton has just opened his new Swimming Pool three miles west of town.

FRESH WATER RUNNING THROUGH THE LAKE ALL THE TIME

Ladies' and Gents' Bath Houses

Fees are 25c without Suits, and with Suits 40c.

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Day or Night.

Weak In Back and Sides

"Before the birth of my little girl," says Mrs. Lena Stanell, of R. F. D. 2, Matthews, Mo., "I was so weak in my back and sides I could not go about. I was too weak to stand up or do any work. I felt like my back was coming in two. I lost weight. I didn't eat anything much and was so restless I couldn't sleep nights. My mother used to take

CARDUI

For Female Troubles

so I sent to get it. I improved after my first bottle. Cardui is certainly a great help for nervousness and weak back. I took six bottles of Cardui and by then I was well and strong. Just did fine from then on. Cardui helped me so much. Thousands of weak, suffering women have taken Cardui, knowing that it had helped their mothers or their friends, and soon gained strength and got rid of their pains. Cardui should do you a lot of good.
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—All kinds of Money to loan to buy, build, improve or refinance homes. Payments \$12.50 per month on each \$1000.00 borrowed. This covers both principal and interest. Also 7 per cent brick building loans 10 years to pay. Six Percent farm loans, 32 years to pay.

No Commission Charged.
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Don't Trust to Luck!

—You've worked hard—and saved long for that home you are going to build—so exercise as good judgment in your choice and selection of materials that are to go into it.

When you buy lumber and other building materials at home—from a home dealer—you do not have to trust to luck in what you get.

Come to our yards and let us submit plans or go over the plans you have, and help you decide just what you want. All of our experience in materials is at your beck and call. You can personally inspect materials and have the right to exchange (without expense) all deliveries that do not please you.

Rockwell Bros. & Co.
LUMBERMEN

You Wouldn't Give a Lead Nickel

—for a razor that you couldn't sharpen or put new blades. So why don't you figure the same way when you buy a lawn mower?

It's necessary that a lawn mower be sharp to run easy or do a good clean job.

You can sharpen an Eclipse Lawn Mower so easily that you will always have a nice working machine and besides save a big lot of expense. Let us show you.

A. L. BRANNON, Hardware

PROTECTION and COMFORT VS SUFFERING and POVERTY

—It is a rare privilege to buy the prompt paying kind of Life Insurance at \$5.00 per \$1,000.00 with a small additional up-keep which is Life Insurance at COST.

Have You Provided Protection and Comfort?

He who neglects to provide while living is subjecting his LOVED-ONES to the danger of Poverty and Suffering. IS YOUR LIFE INSURED?

Our Motto is Service, You Serve One Another.

"Knockers Don't Win—Winners Don't Knock."

Lubbock Mutual Aid Association

ELMO WALL, Secretary
LUBBOCK, TEXAS
(A Local Mutual Aid Association)

TRADE DAY SPECIALS!

25 Per Cent Discount on all— **MEN'S SUITS**
 25 Per Cent Discount on all— **MEN'S STRAW HATS**
 25 Per Cent Discount on all— **LADIES' WASH DRESSES**

TOLIVER'S DRY GOODS

The Price is the Thing

U. S. PARTICIPATION IN EUROPEAN PACT ASKED

PARIS, May 25.—In a note to Germany replying to that country's proposals for a European security pact, France has expressed the hope that the United States may participate in any arrangement for safe-guarding European peace.

In making this gesture, the French government confirmed a suggestion which was contained in the German proposal. This is disclosed in the draft of a French note which replies, in the name of the allies to the recent German advances for a pact that would provide European security. The United News has obtained the text of this note, which was forwarded to England for study in the foreign office there before being dispatched to Berlin. The British government asked the French for further details on certain sections of the note. France has supplied this information and it is indicated here that the original French document will not be changed materially, if at all, before it is presented to Germany.

"It goes without saying," the note asserts, "that if the United States can associate itself with these accords, France will be happy to see the great American nation participate."

Most important, from the standpoint of the European situation, is the note's insistence that any peace pact must be kept within the framework of the Versailles treaty and must be conditional upon Germany's entrance into the league of nations.

The preface to the note states that

the French Government had the Allies have studied the suggestions in the German memorandum and "have seen in the demarche of the German Government evidence of pacific thoughts which are in accord with theirs."

In the main text of the note, it is pointed out that German proposals mention the league of nations only incidentally. Declaring that the allies are bound by the league, the note adds:

"An accord cannot be realized unless Germany assumes the obligation and enjoys the rights provided in the covenant of the league of nations. An accord can be formulated only if Germany enters the league of nations under the conditions outlined in the letter from the council of the league on March 14.

The French reply emphasizes that no security agreement can be a substitute for the treaties of peace.

"The accords to be concluded," the note says, "must not imply revision of these treaties nor in practice bring about modification of them."

The allies, the note adds, will not renounce the right to oppose any failure to observe the stipulations of the treaties.

The French also hold that the pact must not affect the clauses of the Versailles treaty having to do with the occupation of the Rhineland.

Garner Sorginer of Floydada visited with Mrs. W. E. Ivey last week.

TRY SLATONITE WANT-ADS.

MISS AUDREY MARRIOTT ENTERTAINS JUNIOR CLASSES

Miss Audrey Marriott entertained the two Junior Classes at the Santa Fe Reading Room, Saturday evening, May 23rd. A number of games were played on the lawn, after which we went into the Reading room and played a number of games with piano accompaniment. We then returned to the lawn where Ice Cream Cones were served.

Those present were: Cora Peeples, Mary Stout, Ethel Neihof, Lillian Williams, Eddie Belle Benton, Eva Landers, Beryle Able, Weldon Walters, Gibbard Tudor, Dale Watson, Charles Smith, C. W. Wilks, Hoyt Meador, Clifton Henry.

Every one left at a late hour, thus declaring Audrey a fine entertainer.

LEAVE ON OUTING.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Olive, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Whitaker and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitaker, left Friday for an outing trip below San Angelo. Before returning the party expects to visit in San Angelo and Corpus Christi. They will probably be away for three weeks or more.

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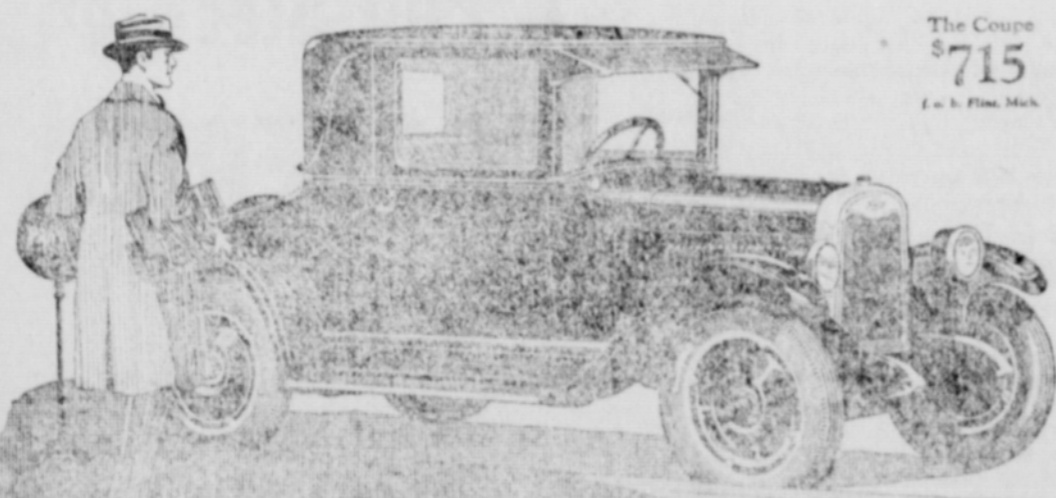
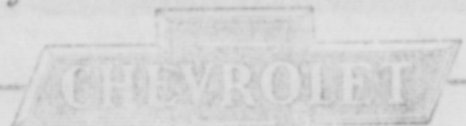
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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Lida Bert Hoople, local postal clerk expects to leave about June 1st for Spokane, Washington, where she will enjoy a vacation of about two weeks.

Mrs. A. G. Smith came in Sunday from Snyder, and is visiting with her parents, M. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith.

Miss Velma Griffith of Washington, D. C., visited in Slaton for a short time last Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Virgil Brazell and family. From Slaton she went to Lockney and is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Griffith, Mrs. Brazell and sons accompanying her.

R. F. Swafford and family moved this week into the new home they recently purchased in the northwest part of town.

Tony Burrus, of the Lubbock Morning Avalanche, was in the city Sunday, attending the organization of the local Knights of Columbus, and the big banquet held in the evening.

Ralph Johnson of Snyder was here Sunday visiting with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Smith.

Miss Dorothy Levey has returned to her work in the Lubbock National Bank. Miss Levey has been taking a short rest.

Misses Alberta, Alpha, and La Verne Johnson accompanied by Misses Wadie and Blanche Easley all of Lubbock visited in Slaton Sunday.

Miss Ho Ann Morrow was the week end visitor of Miss Melva Bourland.

Geo. Weatherall of Vernon is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. T. Brown of our city this week.

Judge Geo. W. Foster of Lubbock was in Slaton transacting business today.

Miss Inez Osborne of White Deer visited her Uncle Jim Osborne. Miss Osborne has been teaching in Gouldtown the past year.

J. V. Hollingsworth has accepted a position as pharmacist at the Catching Drug Store. Mr. Hollingsworth takes the place of J. E. Crews, who recently resigned and moved with his family to Fort Worth.

P. M. McDonald and wife of Lockney, and Floyd Gentry of Clovis, N.

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M. were in Slaton the latter part of last week visiting with relatives, H. J. Gentry and family.

Mrs. M. W. Uzzell and children, Minter and Elizabeth left Sunday for Baird, where they will visit about two weeks with Mrs. Uzzell's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Connors and Mrs. Ida Champion were business visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Jagers returned Monday to Sweetwater after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Easterling.

J. W. Chaney left Sunday for his home in Corsicana, after a visit here with his daughter, Mrs. J. K. Wood and family. Mrs. Chaney, who accompanied him here, will remain for a more extended visit.

Mrs. M. O. McDowell and children Jocile and Jeanice, returned Friday to their home in Timpson, Texas, after a visit here with her sister, Miss Jeanette Ramsey.

Miss Grace Bailey, local teacher of piano and violin, expects to leave this week end for Munday, Texas, where she will spend her vacation with home folks. Miss Bailey will return to Slaton, we are informed, for the next school term.

Miss Ramsey, who is at the head of the Fine Arts department of the Slaton schools, is leaving this week or the first of next week for Sweetwater, where she will visit for a short time. From there Miss Ramsey will go to Dallas and other East Texas points, where she will spend her vacation days, before returning to Slaton.

J. K. Wood and T. J. Overby were business visitors Monday afternoon in Lubbock.

Miss Margaret Whitaker, local expression teacher, is leaving this week for her vacation trip. She will spend the most of her time, we understand with home folks near Greenville.

Jess Swint was a business visitor this week to Paducah, Texas.

DO YOU KNOW?

THAT 21,000,000 letters went to the Dead Letter Office last year?

THAT 500,000 parcels did likewise?

THAT 100,000 letters go into the mail yearly in perfectly blank envelopes?

THAT \$55,000.00 in cash is removed from misdirected envelopes?

THAT \$12,000.00 in postage stamps is found in similar fashion?

THAT \$3,000,000.00 in checks, drafts and money orders never reach intended owners?

THAT Uncle Sam collects \$92,000. a year in postage for the return of mail sent to the Dead Letter Office?

THAT it costs Uncle Sam \$1,740,000 yearly to look up addresses on misdirected mail?

THAT 200,000,000 letters are given this service, and—

THAT it costs in one city alone \$500.00 daily?

And Do You Know?

THAT this vast sum could be saved and the Dead Letter Office abolished if each piece of mail carried a return address, and if each parcel were wrapped in stout paper and tied with strong cord?

MORAL: Every man knows his own address if not that of his correspondent.

Put It In The Upper Left Hand Corner!

I: Slaton its the Slaton Slatonite.

Civil War Fought by Boys

THE veterans of the Civil war are still fondly spoken of as "boys," "the boys in blue." Year after year for sixty years still "boys." It has become almost as specialized as a designation of the soldiers of the Civil war, as senator, as alderman. As age was supposed to mean wisdom, the highest legislative body of old was at first actually and later theoretically, at least, composed of old men. Senator, alderman, means simply, old man.

So the boys in blue, who were only boys when in that blue, have stayed boys in affectionate address ever since, says the Manchester Union. No succeeding war has carried that entitlement. In current conversation we hear the soldiers of the World war spoken of as "soldiers," "legionnaires," even as "veterans." But seldom indeed as "boys." Just why is this? How did the soldiers of the Civil war gain and keep the name "boys"?

Because they were boys, boys as the soldiers of none of our other wars were. That war was fought by boys. When the officer addressed them as "boys" he spoke a literal fact. When the general before a charge cried "boys" he addressed a body that might have been assembled from school and college yards, and were so assembled. There were majors and colonels under twenty. Charles Stoughton was colonel of a Vermont cavalry regiment at seventeen! Boys they were and boys they remained in name and spirit and are still.

There has always been a strange unaccountableness in the buoyancy of spirit of the soldier of the Civil war. It was the last great war that was also a great spectacle, fought over an immense territory, with imposing marches, immense rides, and it caught the imagination as modern wars do not. The dash of cavalry, the charge with the colors, has gone. The Civil war was a great sporting event, fought by boys with the high spirits that they would have fought a football game.

Animosity Forgotten



Still facing each other—but not in battle as they fought years ago in the Civil war—Maj. R. S. Anderson and Maj. James A. Abbott, doorkeepers at the senate, who have been faithful at their posts for more than a quarter of a century. Major Abbott, fighting for the Blue, and Major Anderson the Gray, faced each other at the Battle of Petersburg, Va. Now they are loyal friends and the old contention has been forgotten.

No Sectional Feeling in the Nation Today

There are days in America to celebrate and days to observe. One does not think of Memorial day as a time for celebration. Neither should it be given over to sadness because those for whom it has been set apart are the soldiers who have gone on to the greater adventure—to their final reward.

Memorial day in America came into being as a tribute to the men and the women who had made it possible for the Stars and Stripes to wave over all the land. It was a time for flowers to be strewn upon the graves of the fallen and in the waters that ran down into the sea, in memory of the sailors who lost their lives in the Civil war; it was a time for addresses and ceremonies, through which the memory might be kept green and the rising generation instructed in the debt owed those who had gone before. The time came when the old sectional bitterness passed, when the country reunited in spirit as well as in form. Then it was that the graves of the Confederate dead, whether in the North or the South, also received floral tokens. Across the years the sections joined hands, love in their hearts instead of hate; love of deeds of bravery and sacrifice, whether made in the cause that triumphed or the cause that failed.

JUNE 1ST TO 6TH IS LEGION ENDOWMENT WEEK

DALLAS, Texas, May 27.—Next week every citizen of Texas will be asked to do his part toward the establishment of a national \$5,000,000 endowment fund for disabled veterans and war orphans, sponsored by The American Legion. An intensive campaign to raise Texas' share of the

fund will be conducted throughout the state, June 1 to 6.

The week has been set aside as "American Legion Endowment Week" in a proclamation by Governor M. A. Ferguson. Sunday, May 31, was named as "Endowment Sunday" in the proclamation and ministers of the state were urged to point out the need of the fund to their congregations

that day.

In every community where there is a Legion post, local endowment fund committees have been organized and are ready to begin work at the "zero hour" Monday morning. They will continue the drive until the state's quota of \$225,000 is fully subscribed, according to Mark McGee, state Legion commander.

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(By Edmona Lovett) 1925

This night will hold a place in the heart of every graduate of the class of '25, as the night we lunched out onto the great sea of advanced learning. We are loathed to rush through these last moments, only lately realizing just how dear our youthful High Schools days have been to us. We linger over each memory tenderly and many times memories show us just how dearly we have paid for our experiences.

This beloved building will echo no more to our voices and laughter; for a while our places will be empty, but soon the growing young manhood and young womanhood our town will clamor joyously for entrance and every room will be seething with life, stretching out for the splendid opportunities.

And you, dear teachers, may God bless you in your vocations and may we realize some day just what you meant to us, a stronghold for slipping boys and girls always looking toward you for guidance and help; some one to whom we may carry all our difficulties. You have lightened our burdens and ah, how we will miss you at every turn of the road, especially will we miss the inspiration and love of our splendid Superintendent without whom our graduation would be incomplete. We want him to know that with reverence and respect he will always stand foremost in our estimation as efficient and sincere leader. His influence has been felt in our home and church life as well as in school.

To those who have worked so patiently and faithfully that we might be here to-night, OUR FATHERS AND MOTHERS, it is hard to find adequate words to express our appreciation for the loving sympathy and help so generously given us. No earthly riches can repay them but when "none but the Master shall blame and none but the Master shall praise" they shall receive their reward.

Students of Slaton High School we leave to you the dearest school in the world and the place where you will find riches incomparable. When you have finished your education here you will have received something that can never be taken away from you and will increase in value year by year. We sincerely hope that the high standards of efficiency and morality of our school, (obtained the students of past years,) will be preserved and may you

profit by their experiences and accomplish even greater things than they have accomplished.

Dear fellow class mates and sponsor (I include our sponsor because ever since we were Freshmen he had been as one of us ever ready to help us in our takings. He has said that this is his commencement of greater activities too), after working toward the same goal together, sharing gladness and sorrow alike, remaining untouched by glory or misfortune for years; we are parting. Fancy may lead us far away never to meet again, perhaps, but to say the least, the love and friendship we have cultivated here the wrenched apart, will be increasing comfort to us through our journeys of life. In all your problems of life may you have friends as true to help you as you have had here. Let us find joy and laughter in using over and over our queer jaunts and pranks together, our friendly rivalry in studies and in sport.

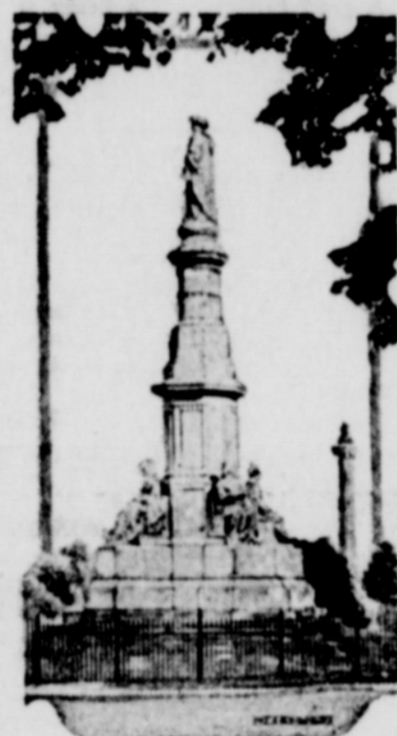
If our graduation will mean that we will never meet again; strengthen those ties with your class mates and make the class a thing worthy of memory.

Perhaps we are sad, but too, we are happy, inspired, our souls are filled with hopes and aspirations of what are held in store for us. As this is just the beginning we believe we are going on and on and finally reach the heights of success which is ever before us as our goal.

Early Swimming Tank

The earliest known English public swimming pool was advertised in London May 28, 1742, to be open and the "waiters attend daily to teach or assist gentlemen in the said swimming bath if required."

Spot Forever Famous



On November 19, 1863, President Abraham Lincoln stood on the battlefield of Gettysburg, just where the shaft of this national monument rises. On this spot the "Great Emancipator" made his immortal speech.

"Proud and Unafraid" Through the Years

The Boston folk last year were disposed to weep at what they thought a pathetic spectacle as they saw the splendid rearguard of the Grand Army marching in pouring rain through their streets. In point of fact the last thing these boys of Civil war days want is sympathy. They do not belong to the sob-stuff brigade. Like their Southern antagonists, they were men from the crowns of their heads to the bottom of their feet, and they still march on proud and unafraid to the last "rendezvous with death," says the Baltimore Sun.

Splendid old men are these on both sides of Mason and Dixon's line. Army life did not enfeeble them. Perhaps if they had not marched so much in youth they would not have been so hale and hearty now at an age when most men must do their marching in a rocking chair if they have been so fortunate as to live so long.

Three cheers and three times three for these sturdy survivors of both grand armies. They are of the salt that never loses its savor. Could some potent magician of life sprinkle them with the elixir of youth and set them before us in the radiant and splendid manhood that was theirs in the '90s, would the picked corps of any armies of the present rival them in dauntless courage, in unselfish devotion to principle? Of such are the eternal kingdoms of spiritual glory, of such the human sublimity that shines forever like the stars.

Lesson of Memorial

"Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori"—a sweet and proper thing it is to die for one's country; thus reads the eternal epitaph of the hero dead. In Arlington's great bivouac as elsewhere. But the sweetest and best time to die for one's country is when life has been fulfilled and the fruits of the task are ripe for the enrichment of that granary of ideal and achievement we call the nation.

Memorial day is a day of experience; it is a good thing to be thoughtful of the past; better still to learn from it.—Detroit News.

SECOND NATIONAL DEFENSE TEST TO BE HELD JULY 4TH

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The second national defense test will be held July 4.

President Coolidge today rejected the War Department proposal that the muster be held on armistice day, November 11, suggesting independence day as "being a more appropriate day" and preparations were immediately begun to comply with his preference despite the limited time remaining in which to arrange the demonstration.

Acceptance of the earlier date calls for extra-ordinary efforts to speed up the test machinery so that the muster will show the maximum results possible and the preparation of plans and instructions already is under way.

In his communication to Acting Secretary Davis, the president did not explain his reason for rejecting the Armistice Day suggestion, saying merely, "I do not approve your proposal that it be held on armistice day."

The president's action opened the question whether the need for a test this year justified an effort to prepare for it by July 4. Mr. Davis and his military advisors have felt that such a limited period for preparation would be insufficient for laying the ground work for a test as complete as it was intended to hold if the armistice day date had been approved, but they decided immediately that the educational value of the demonstration in promoting public understanding of the new military policy which requires nation-wide civilian co-operation warranted efforts to hold a creditable muster July 4.

Incidentally the president's suggestion of the July 4 date and its acceptance at the War Department will result in the test being held in the fifty third anniversary of his birth. An original muster last year, was first planned as a mark of special honor to General Pershing and was scheduled to be held September 13, his sixty-fourth birthday anniversary and the date of his retirement from active service. By his direction, however, the date was changed to September 12, the anniversary of the Battle of St. Mihel.

FREIGHT LOSSES IN PAST YEAR REACH \$48,000,000

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 25.—Freight losses cost American industry \$48,000,000 last year, the freight claim prevention division of the American Railway Association, in convention here, reported Monday. This represents a reduction of \$2,000,000 over the preceding year and \$52,000,000 since 1920, the committee announced. Since 1920, W. B. Kellett, Fort

Worth, Texas, chairman of the division, pointed out, the nation's railroads have made a record for economy, efficiency and service. Preceding 1920, and up until 1924, freight losses were amazingly large, he said, emphasizing the necessity for greater care and economy.

Kellett portrayed the railroads as the trail-blazers of commerce and industry and assailed the "political despots who prey upon them to attain personal ends."

The convention adjourns Tuesday night.

Misses Pauline Ross and Melba Bourland, and Messrs Carl Brown and Louis Ross drove to Munday the first of the week, where Miss Ross remained for a visit with relatives.

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The \$5,000,000 endowment fund to be raised by the American Legion to be placed as an arm of protection about disabled veterans of the World War, as well as the orphans and widows of the men who gave their life's blood in the protection of American ideals on European battlefields, will be given liberal support in Lubbock in the opinion of officers of the local American Legion post.

Lubbock's quota is \$1,080, and according to local legionnaires this amount will be subscribed.

Plan of organization is being worked out and the campaign to raise the \$1,080 will be launched June 1st, and continue through June 6th.

Mayor F. E. Friend will issue a proclamation declaring the week of June 1st to 6th as American Legion Endowment Fund Week, and observance of the week will be asked of all citizens.

All Texas is expected to participate in the endowment fund campaign, and while the state's quota might seem alarming to some, the fact that during last year \$333,000 was sent out of the Lone Star State for orphan children in foreign countries bespeaks success to the campaign to raise a lesser sum for the orphans of American World War veterans, disabled veterans and their dependent widows.

The great national influence the endowment fund will wield is appreciated by such men as President Calvin Coolidge, who has been named honorary chairman by the National American Legion.

No one will doubt the wisdom of raising this endowment fund at this early time.

While families of many World War veterans will be given aid thru the bonus insurance act passed by the last Congress, the immediate need of thousands of orphans of fathers who died in service or following the close of hostilities as a direct result of injuries received during the war commends the kindest patronage of all Americans, and the American Legion is doubtless taking one of the most important steps ever attempted by that organization in the establishment of the endowment fund.

No difficulty in raising Lubbock's quota is anticipated. The same plan of campaign organization will be employed as was employed in the hotel and railroad drives, and with the amount sought being just a small fraction of the amount raised in the previous campaign, success is anticipated.—Lubbock Avalanche.

**"DAD" CUTLER STARTS
ON SECOND MILLION**

"Dad" Cutler, who completes on May 29 eight years of "silence testing" at the Chevrolet gear and axle plant in Detroit, has approved during that time more than 1,000,000 axle gear assemblies.

His ear has been specially trained to detect noises in the driving gears of the Chevrolet axle.

"Dad", formally known as Joseph N. Cutler, is 60 years old but he has young ideas.

"Retire? Not me! I'm just starting on my second million. Besides I'm getting married in June."

Cutler has been a widower for 18 years. He is a veteran of the western oil fields and was in the Klondike gold rush.

In his "silence test" the gears on the rear end of the drive shaft are clamped into a machine which has two rear wheels, axles and brakes similar to those in the completed car. The forward end of the drive shaft engages an electric motor drive which "Dad" starts with a foot lever. Then he manipulates the brakes so that the gears revolve both forward and backward under all possible driving conditions. If his ear detects any slight irregularity in the purr of the gears, the assembly is rejected.

At adjoining test blocks are other men on the same work whose experience ranges from two to four years. But "Dad" is the dean of the crew.

"It requires one year of training before a man's ear is tuned to a point where he can judge the sound of a gear assembly," he said. "I don't hear any other sounds around me. I have learned to ignore them. All I hear is the gear murmur."

"The method is like that of a robin listening for earthworms crawling under the sod. The robin pays no attention to surrounding noise. His interest is centered upon the slight sound of worms crawling under the grass roots. The robin makes his living by hearing those sounds. I make my living by hearing the gear sounds."

The parts comprising the axle gears are subjected to numerous precision tests before being assembled. An electric load under which the axle gear is tested and gives the equal of road conditions. The "silence test" is made just before the gear assembly goes into the car.



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**FORD \$12,000,000 MISSISSIPPI
SUIT ADVANCED 60 DAYS**

JACKSON, Miss., May 25.—The \$12,000,000 penalty suit filed against the Ford Motor Company by W. J. Miller, state revenue agent for alleged violation of the anti-trust laws of Mississippi and scheduled to come up in chancery court of Hinds County today was continued for sixty days on agreement of both sides.

The extension was granted to give the parties upon whom writs of garnishment have been served additional time to complete their returns.

**Chimes in Tower of
World War Memorial**

Beauty to eye and ear is embodied in a carillon tower designed as a memorial to the sacrifices and ideals of the American people during the World war. Containing 54 bells said to be able to produce 270 tones, the monument is to be erected in Washington by the National Carillon association at



Monument to be Erected That Will Have Bells in Tower for Playing Chimes.

a cost of \$3,000,000. Columns near the top of the tower will provide openings so that the chimes may be heard at a considerable distance. It is planned to have masters in carillon performance give concerts on the set at appropriate occasions.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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