

The Big Spring Herald

BIG SPRING, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 1922

BY JORDAN & HAYDEN

VOL. XVIII, NO. 37

ACTIVITY INCREASING

Drilling Contracts Closed for Wells and \$93,000 for Leases

Another drilling contract on a 2240-acre tract of land and the sale of \$93,000.00 of oil leases in the C. D. Read section in the east part of the county is the record for the past ten days. A number of real oil companies have purchased acreage, and with each well sold there is a provision that a well must be started on each section of land within sixty days after a commercial well is brought in on this tract. The first well is to be drilled by the Fenland Oil Company on section 27 within the next thirty days, and is to be completed within one hundred days.

The companies securing oil leases on the C. D. Read ranch the past ten days are: New Domain Oil & Gas Co., Fenland Oil Company, Fenland Oil Fields Association.

In addition to the contract for a drilling contract on the C. D. Read section another test will be drilled on a tract of land about two miles northeast of section 27, on a tract owned by J. B. Johnson and others. Maxwell and Johnson are independent oil operators of Fort Worth and will make this test. Maxwell Johnson has also entered into a contract to drill a test well on section 27, one mile northwest of Istan and one mile west of the Coleman ranch. Mr. Johnson is now at Mexico arranging to have some tools and machinery shipped from Mexico to this section.

The Read ranch is about six miles from the Morrison well No. 2 of the Underwriters Oil Co., and adjoins the section on which is located the Foster well No. 1 of the Colorado-Texas Oil Co.—both these wells producing on the pump.

It is indeed encouraging to note the number of companies entering this field, thereby indicating that the chances for a big oil discovery are good.

Drilling on McDowell No. 4 to Start

J. B. Litter returned Monday morning from a business trip to Houston where he had been to confer with the owners of the General Oil Company relative to resuming operations on the No. 4. McDowell ranch. Judge Litter was successful in having the district court order the receivers of the General Oil Co., or their assigns, The General Petroleum Company, to resume drilling operations on McDowell well No. 4, on or before June 17th and to continue drilling operations diligently and continuously. A failure to comply with such order would authorize a cancellation of their lease on the 15,000 acres owned by them. It was further ordered that they must start another test after the completion of No. 4 within ninety days or forfeit lease. In case a well is brought in less than twenty-five barrel daily production is secured the company can claim 40 acre lease around such well unless they carry out the continuous drilling program.

H. D. Conley is to be in charge of operations and will arrive in the next few days as he is now purchasing a pump and a few other needed supplies to start work.

The McDowell No. 4 is near the spot at which oil was found in McDowell No. 1, nearly two years ago and which well continues to produce from seven to nine barrels daily on the pump. It is believed that big production will be encountered at a lower depth.

It is most encouraging news indeed to know that drilling operations are about to be started south of our city, as well as east.

Oil Activity in Sterling County

The Chicago-Texas Company has suspended operations on their Durham well No. 1, southwest of Sterling awaiting the arrival of casing. They expect to start in a very short time and when casing is resumed they expect to keep drilling humming until this well is completed.

A large block of acreage has been secured just east of the Chicago-Texas Co.'s holdings and operations on same are to be started at an early date.

Geo. W. Murray and associates are setting up for their test on the Brentwood ranch, northwest of Sterling City, on their Breanard No. 1 well to be spudded in by June 5th. W. J. Redman has the contract to drill this well. He has an excellent reputation as a driller, having brought in some big wells for the large oil companies and Mr. Murray is to be congratulated upon securing this contract. Mr. Redman is moving in a number of tools and will be equipped to complete this well in record-breaking time.

The Sterling County section is getting some big oil people interested, and as all the geologists are convinced that big wells are going to be brought in in that section it is certain that a thorough test will be made by a number of companies.

At the McCauley Test Well

J. S. Meriwether, trustee for the Co-operative Lease and Development Co. was here Tuesday from Sterling City enroute to Beaumont where he will be detained ten days on business connected with his company.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR HERE

Fred S. Rogers of Bonham Addresses Large Audience at Lyric Theatre Tuesday Afternoon

One of the largest audiences ever gathered to hear a political speech was in evidence at the Lyric theatre at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at which time Fred S. Rogers of Bonham, who is making the race for the Democratic nomination for governor delivered an interesting address in which he outlined the principle planks of his platform and told the folks what they could expect of him should he be elected governor of Texas.

Judge James T. Brooks in introducing the speaker stated that he was a native Texan, the son of a Methodist minister, an attorney by profession and that during the World's War he served as a Major, volunteering for service at the outbreak of the war.

In his address which appealed to his audience from the very start, the speaker stated that the main planks in his platform were improvement in the rural school system and economy in conducting the business of our state.

He outlined the deplorable conditions which exist in the rural school systems due to the fact that Governor Neff cut off the funds which our rural schools so badly needed. As the schools must have only short terms on account of a lack of funds the boys and the girls of Texas pay for this short sighted policy. Not only in connection with rural schools but in every other matter affecting the welfare of the farmer and the working man he was going to be found on the side of the workers and against the special interests. He stated that he had believed in organized labor and had always been friendly to same.

He favored the establishment of a West Texas A. & M. College in West Texas and would give the proposition his hearty cooperation. He criticized Governor Neff's handling of the prison system and the penal farms, asserting that it would be less expensive for Texas if Neff would close up the prison farms and lease the Adolphus hotel and house and feed the prisoners at the regular hotel rates. He stated that if elected he will take the politicians from the management of the penal farms and place real farmers in charge and make these farms self-sustaining. He also stated that he will restore the board of pardons so he can devote his time to studying the affairs of state instead of a study of convicts.

In discussing Neff's veto of the Women's minimum wage law, he stated the governor may have been justified in vetoing same because he thought it unconstitutional, but he should have prevented the repeal of the former minimum wage law when he vetoed the proposed law.

He stated that while he did not claim to be a farmer, as many candidates claimed, he would if elected, make it a point to confer with real farmers whenever any legislation affecting the farmers' welfare came up for consideration. His remarks found the majority in sympathy with his views if the frequent and generous applause were any indication and there not a doubt but that Mr. Rogers won many warm supporters as a result of his visit to Big Spring. The audience had representatives from all portions of the county and many women were in attendance.

Conditions Ideal

Conditions in the agricultural portions of our county could scarcely be more promising than at present and the only complaint we hear voiced is that the weeds seem determined to make as rapid growth as the crops despite all that can be done.

The sunshiny days held on until all crops were planted and then when a few began to complain because a crust was being formed on the surface of the ground, showers appeared to eradicate this complaint. Truly more favorable crop weather could not be desired than the brand we are having so everyone is in an optimistic mood.

Nice showers fell in most sections of our county Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—the rainfall being just sufficient to moisten the ground and keep crops growing at a great rate. Cool weather was ushered in with the damp spell but no damage was occasioned on account of the cool spell.

Just let the showers keep coming occasionally and old Howard County will certainly come to the front.

Mrs. J. R. Copeland returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Baird.

Letter From Geo. H. Sparenberg

Below we reprint a letter from our former townsman Geo. H. Sparenberg, now postmaster at Austin, Texas; and a communication from the office of Representative Hudspeth's office relative to a Federal building for Big Spring: Washington, D. C., May 20, 1922.

Hon. W. W. Rix, President, Chamber of Commerce, Big Spring, Texas.

Dear Friend: I received a letter from Mrs. Sparenberg a day or two ago in which she spoke of the telegram sent by the Chamber of Commerce and other friends congratulating me upon my appointment.

You may be sure that among all those I have received none is more deeply appreciated than that from my old time and faithful friends in my old home town. I shall never forget their loyalty and good will to me and mine, shown in such a generous way through the passing years. What I am and what I have achieved I owe largely to the good people of Big Spring. God bless them.

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD MAY THIRTIETH

American Legion Conducts Memorial Services Tuesday Morning and Decorates Graves of Soldier Dead

Big Spring and Howard County paid tribute to its soldier dead Tuesday, Memorial Day, when joining with the members of the William Frank Martin Post No. 185, American Legion, in the memorial services at the Lyric theatre at 10:30 o'clock. All business houses in the city remained closed from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. in order that everyone might have an opportunity to attend the services.

Veterans of wars in which our nation has taken part were requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce and from there they marched in a body to the Lyric, where the following appropriate program was observed.

A short address by Post Commander Pitt Gardner.

Invocation—Rev. C. P. Bass.

Musical—Vocal Solo—Miss Mabel Ricker, accompanied by Mrs. H. H. Hurt, pianist.

Address—James T. Brooks.

"One minute silent tribute to the dead. Song—"Star Spangled Banner"—audience.

Benediction—Rev. Ben Hardy.

The address by Judge Brooks was an especially appropriate one, in which he paid a high tribute to the boys who gave their lives for their country. Not only to those who made the supreme sacrifice on the field of battle but also to those who died of sickness or accident in training camp, on the sea or in the air—is due all honor for they as well met death while serving their country. He pointed out that since it was to make our country a better place in which to live, and banish war from the world, their sacrifice should not be in vain, and the things for which they fought and for which the American Legion stands must be perpetuated. He stated that the American Legion was going to see to it that those who gave their lives, whether or foreign soil or in training camp in the homeland were not forgotten and that Memorial Day and Armistice Day were going to be days our people would be reminded to observe. Not only did he have words of praise for the heroes of the World War but also gave due praise to Confederate and Union soldiers of the Civil war who fought for the right as they saw it, and to those who gave their lives during the Spanish and American war.

At the close of the services the members of the American Legion and friends repaired to Mt. Olive cemetery where a short service was held and flowers placed on the graves of all soldiers and sailors of the Civil, World and Spanish-American Wars. While it was impossible to locate every ex-soldier's grave—the Legion hopes to by next year. The following graves were decorated: John Hasey, Calvin McKee, W. E. McWhorter, J. P. Green, J. Wilson, A. E. Edmonson, J. P. Jackson, L. P. Cosby, J. J. Phillips, T. G. Fletcher, John Williamson, C. D. Davenport, E. C. Vaughan, Jas. Fannin, A. Hamilton, Geo. Sparenberg, Sr., D. Penrod, L. H. Canada, J. T. Sutton, Fern Allen, Z. R. Porter, Fee Buchanan, A. J. Pritchard, J. M. Fairchild, Aron Taylor, B. F. Black, J. C. Stephens, W. H. Gartin, G. T. Walker, T. L. Benson, T. A. Porter, J. T. Bronough, C. W. Carroll, A. B. Perkins, D. C. Everley, J. H. Echols, Dr. J. W. Barnett, F. M. McKinney, J. A. Frost, M. J. Purser, John F. Pike, Cecil Earl Larmon, J. L. Atwood, J. B. Tyler, Jesse D. Allred, William Frank Martin, Claude M. Crayton, Jack Cross, Ben Amos, R. D. Harris, R. B. Zinn, J. A. Scarlet, David Akin, C. J. Robinson, W. A. Bynum, Captain Banker, James Windham.

Auto Accident

B. Bell, Glenn McNew and Arnold Jackson may well consider themselves fortunate for escaping serious injury in an automobile accident last Friday afternoon. The auto belonging to Mr. Bell left the road while going at a fast clip, at the curve two miles south of town, and after striking the embankment is said to have turned over three times. Bell was caught under the car but the others were thrown clear and while they were all badly bruised it seems miraculous that they escaped serious injury. The car was pretty well smashed up.

Quite a few oil men state that Big Spring is losing out because our roads to the eastern part of the county are in such bad shape. With good roads to the oil field many would make their headquarters in Big Spring.

Every human heart is human.

3 Baseball Games Assured

The Big Spring Baseball team have four games of baseball lined up for next week, at the baseball park in this city.

A double header for next Monday afternoon—the first game to start at 3 p. m.—with the fast Hermleigh team and a game with Hermleigh at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Lamesa's team will be here for a game Wednesday afternoon—game to start at 4 p. m.

In the series at Hermleigh last week each team won one game. Big Spring won the first game—a fifteen inning contest by a score of 3 to 5 when our pitcher rapped out a home run. Hermleigh took the second game 11 to 1.

Big Spring now has another A pitcher from the Western Association and they say he is the hotstuff.

In order to encourage the home team the following business firms of Big Spring have offered the following prizes for Monday's game:

The B. S. player making the first single will be given a cartoon of cigarettes by John's Confectionery.

The Elite Confectionery will give the B. S. Player making the first two-base hit, a box of Robt. Burns cigars.

The Big Spring Bargain House, will give a shirt, for the first three-base hit.

Harry Lees will clean and press a suit for the player making the first home run.

The City Barber Shop, gives a haircut and shave for the first stolen base.

Cunningham & Philips will give a Gillette razor to the B. S. player securing the most hits.

The Palace Cafe will give a box of chocolates to the player making the most runs.

The Empire Confectionery will give a carton of cigarettes to the player making the first assist.

A. P. McDonald will give 2 pairs of socks to the first B. S. player securing his base on balls.

The Wigwam restaurant will give one meal to the player making the first put out.

To the Big Spring player making the greatest total of base hits—one week's pass to the R. and R. Lyric.

Cullen Thomas Here June 8th

The Herald is in receipt of a communication from Hon. Cullen F. Thomas' headquarters announcing that Mr. Thomas will be in Big Spring, Thursday June 8th and will address the citizens at 8 o'clock Thursday evening in the interest of his candidacy for the United States Senate.

State Highway Engineer Visits City

Captain J. D. Fauntleroy, State Highway Engineer and D. E. Manigault, district engineer, were here last Saturday to inspect the roads in this county and to confer with the county commissioners and citizens relative to the maintenance of the highways.

Captain Fauntleroy expressed himself as pleased with the road program of Howard County and urged that the roads be properly maintained when completed. He approved the plan to have a man constantly employed to fill chug holes and make repairs promptly after every rain.

He urged the commissioners court to see to it that heavy, overloaded trucks were not permitted to destroy the roads, and pointed out that the court had all needed power to prevent this destruction.

A visit was made to the gravel-pit just southeast of town and it was decided that plenty of gravel was available to complete the Bankhead Highway thru Howard, Martin, Midland, and Ector counties.

A woman's tongue is sometimes long enough to cut her throat.

Flag Day Exercises

The Elks Lodge is planning to hold Flag Day exercises on the courthouse lawn, Wednesday evening June 14th and are going to ask all the children to attend these exercises.

See that you can repeat the pledge to the flag by that date.

We despise the fellow who is all the time letting people feel of him.



THE DEMONSTRATION OF

**Barton
Dyanshine
Shoe Polish**

IS NOW GOING ON!

Learn to use this shoe polish that produces the magic results.

Austin & Jones

Witnesses Ready in Cox's Hearing

Houston, May 30.—Stockholders from Hollywood, California, to Cambridge, Mass., and from Grand Forks, N. D., to Galveston who invested in the S. E. J. Cox company and saw the prices of their stocks crumble were waiting today to be called as witnesses when the government opened its testimony against the oil promoter.

All preliminaries had been concluded with the reading of the indictment yesterday.

It charges Cox with making false statements and using the mails to defraud in selling stock in three companies whose capital on paper amounted to \$41,000,000.—Ablene Reporter.

Subscribe for The Herald now.

English Language Most Vital to World.

Maurice Donnay, French academician and savant, who has recently returned to his home country after a short visit in America, said:

"When one sets foot in America he is confronted by the fact that our country has not yet comprehended how indispensable it is to study the English language. I assure you that I felt this inferiority from the first day. It is what struck me most. Our professors and notables of all kinds have gone to America and have been invited to universities and clubs. They must have remarked on this inferiority. Why haven't they told us about it?"

"English is spoken in two-thirds of the civilized world. Why don't we speak it? What do we know of English literature? Who can read the masterpieces in the original? We must learn English. It is imperative and a patriotic necessity."

Foreigners generally believe that English is a difficult language to acquire. In its spelling, idioms and slang, its complicated grammar (which at that is less cumbersome than German or French grammar) and its enormous range in synonyms it undoubtedly is. But a speaking and writing familiarity with its fundamentals is not necessarily a life study. If evidence were needed to prove it, one S. Dabinsky, a Polish immigrant, can offer it. Mr. Dabinsky has been in this country one year. When he arrived he knew no English. The National Society of Colonial Dames has just awarded him its annual bronze medal for the best patriotic essay.

If a Polish immigrant can learn our language well enough in a year to win a prize, it is obvious that English cannot be considered to present insuperable difficulties for the average foreign student.

Concrete Sidewalks and Curbing

Now is the season to have concrete sidewalks and curbing constructed. Will be pleased to furnish you estimates on this work. **JIM WINSLOW.**

Ferguson's Wife Files for Place on State Ticket

Secretary Joe W. Hale, of the State Democratic executive committee has received the application of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for a place on the democratic primary ticket as a candidate for United States senator. Mrs. Ferguson is the wife of former governor James E. Ferguson of Temple who is also a candidate for senator.

Mr. Ferguson has not applied for a place on the ticket but secretary Hale has received a petition signed by 50 qualified voters of Bell county, asking that his name be placed on the ticket. Mrs. Ferguson is the only woman so far to apply for a place on the ticket for senator.

If the name of James E. Ferguson can be printed on the official ballot Mrs. Ferguson's name is to be withdrawn. If not and Mrs. Ferguson makes the race and wins Mr. Ferguson is to serve as her private secretary, according to present plans.

Do You Need Glasses?

The Clough Jewelry Co., barring none, has the best equipped place between Fort Worth and El Paso to meet your needs; and fourteen years experience at the business.—Advertisement.

After being bed-ridden for five months, Will Fahrenkamp was able to be down town a short time Tuesday afternoon. Will's many friends were indeed gratified to see him able to be out once again and hope he completely regains his health in a short time.

For Sale

All Vendor Let's notes in amounts of \$500, \$1,000, \$2,000, up to \$20,000, bearing 8 per cent interest. **J. L. WARD.** Hyman's bulk pickles, 20c dozen. Pool-Reed Co.—Advertisement.

Business houses as well as the homes in Big Spring should display the United States flag on Flag Day, June 14th.

You can see but little when your eyes are filled with tears.

Railroads Ride for a Fall

The railroads and the government are deadlocked again, and as a result the farmer is to be the victim. Experienced in contests with Washington, the railroad magnates flatly declined the proposals of President Harding, and on the heels of the decision, comes the Interstate Commerce Commission's order, lowering freight rates an average of ten per cent. The roads may now test the order in the courts, and so another long wrangle will begin. The reductions ordered will not affect farm products, and passenger tariffs remain as they are; so old High Cost of Living wins again.

The great wall of poverty from the railroad men, backed by figures to show that lower freight rates will be ruinous, was expected. It is always possible to make out a case of this kind. The packers, with millions on hand, plead poverty and fractional profits so tiny that they actually turn into losses at times. It is amazing where they get their millions out of their losses. Railroad bookkeeping systems are intricate and possibly misleading. If the railroads cannot stand a reduction below their present rates, which spells death to the farmer and high living prices to the public, then they must be very badly managed. We are prone to boast of our railroad systems when those of other nations are discussed, but the truth is, the cost of travel in this country is so outrageously high, that it is a serious handicap to business. So far as the freight rates are concerned, they are hardly open to discussion. They are a millstone around the neck of the producer. It is true the stockholders are entitled to a fair return on their investment, but summed up, either railroad management is incompetent, the valuation of the roads is excessive, or the roads are looting the public. The latter does not seem to be the fact if figures are to be accepted on their face appearance. The chief trouble seems to be that it is impossible to reach a fair valuation of the railroad systems because by the time the compilation is completed, the values have changed. And so the merry whirl goes on. The railroads are riding with a high hand again and unless they come forward with some much clearer explanation than they have to date, they are riding for a fall, and most likely will drop into the maw of the government.

Capper Tears off The Mask

Senator Capper is making a gallant fight for the farmers in connection with tariff legislation, tearing off the mask of the American valuation plan, which he describes as a cloak to hide the enormous tariff imposed in the interest of certain manufacturers. These manufacturers, Mr. Capper explains, want still higher duties and the only way they expect to get them is to have them appear in the guise of higher values. Thus in one fell swoop, the Kansas Senator has punctured the spurious patriotic cry for an "all American tariff." The cheap appeal, he says, must not influence the decision of the lawmakers. There have been too many blunders made as a result of popular clamor aroused by some catch phrase. American valuation by increasing the height of the tariff wall, would limit the exportation of American agricultural products in exchange for the manufactured goods bought in foreign countries. It is the old battle—the manufacturer against the farmer—the battle that has been won by the manufacturer for years, because the farmers were unorganized. Conditions, however, seem to be changing. Senator Capper appears as a new Richmond in the field and unless all signs fail, he will win a victory for the men who produce the wealth of the nation. If American valuation is to be used as a method of concealing increases in protective tariff rates, then it is clearly inimical to the farmer and should have no place in our government system.

The largest stock of Eversharp pencils and Fountain pens in Big Spring at **CLOUGH JEWELRY CO.**—Advertisement.

A No. 1, King of the Hoboes, was a visitor in Big Spring, Tuesday. A No. 1 is traveling from New York to San Francisco and return and is to make the round trip without spending one penny and to have \$1,000 when he completes the trip by next January. While he admits the trip is being made as a result of the wager he refuses to disclose his identity. He claims to be a graduate of five colleges and has visited India, England, Canada, and all the principal cities of the United States.

Miss Kithryn Thompson of Fort Worth who has been the guest of Miss Lillian Frances Gary left Tuesday evening for her home.

Chas. Morris was here Sunday from Pioneer for a visit with homefolks.

Jones Lamar returned Sunday from a visit with relatives at Cross Plains.

Accept conditions but do not be mastered by them.



A year ago—
almost unknown
Today—a leader

10¢

A sweeping verdict for QUALITY

JOE B. NEEL

Feed and Transfer

WHILE the baby chick is in the shell the white and yolk of the egg supply all the food needed to develop the chick. That is why chicks, when fed these white and yolk making elements after hatching, will grow twice as fast as chicks raised on unbalanced grains.

Purina Poultry Chows

make double weight chicks because they supply every element needed to feed the whole chick. These Chows will be delivered to you on a positive guarantee of double development the first six weeks or money back. Order Purina Chows today.

Purina made the difference



Good Red Top Cane Seed for Planting

Day Phone 79

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Night Phone

TAXI FLAPPERETTE MAKES HER BOW



Miss Katherine Gilgore—who is she? No matter, she startled even Atlantic City, N. J., when she appeared in her black and white knickerbocker costume and was immediately dubbed "The Taxi Flapperette," as she strolled the famous boardwalk.

Men blush over things they are not ashamed to do.

One's final judge is one's self.

A Day for Patriotic Observance

Annual observance of Memorial Day calls to mind that time does not dull the nation's regard for those who fought and died. The honors paid to the public to the warriors of a past generation are more extensive today than 20 years ago. More organizations take part. There is more painstaking preparation for the observance of the day by a larger number of people.

Nor is the Memorial Day spirit less fervent than it used to be, although happily the sectional bitterness that lingered after the civil war has died out. This is primarily the day to honor those who fought to preserve the union, because of whose gallant endeavor we have had handed down to us the United States of America in its entirety, but we can honor also those who in sincerity and devotion fought on the other side. And the day has become sacred to the dead of all American wars—an "All-Patriots' Day" as truly sacred as the All-Saints' Day of the churches.

In the celebration of this day the army and navy unite with veterans of the Spanish-American war, the Philippine Insurrection, the world war, civic organizations, the federal, state and municipal governments, and all citizens tribute to our defenders in arms, regardless of race or creed to realize

It is a day also for fostering patriotism for the future.—El Paso Herald.

Keep what you have and reach out for more.

Make the most of today; it may be the last.

Shed Your Worries!



And one of the quickest ways is to wear cool and comfortable clothing—the kind that you can secure at the Grand Leader at most reasonable prices.

The future looks bright—we can all expect a greater measure of prosperity thruout the Big Spring Section this year. We don't have to save and squeeze every penny any longer—deny ourselves necessities in the way of needed and comfortable wearing apparel—for prosperity is surely in sight. Big crops seem assured—and big crops at good prices means prosperity for our section.

Celebrate the coming of prosperity by buying the folks those needed new clothes. You can get any and everything for any member of the family at our store. Our prices are **LOWEST**. If you doubt this statement make it a point to price goods elsewhere and then compare those prices with ours.

Everything for Summer Wear

**HIGHEST QUALITY — LOWEST PRICES IS OUR MOTTO
WE APPRECIATE YOUR PATRONAGE**



READY TO WEAR - DRY GOODS - BIG SPRING

The Funeral of a City
 A city that had once been lively, prosperous and prosperous, suffered an attack of civic anemia and declined until it reached that condition where it was generally referred to as "a dead city."
 It was on its way to the cemetery. Hiram Hogtall, who motto, "Get it While the Gettin's Good." is sufficient evidence of the city's grave.
 The firm of Pinhead, Pessimist & Granger embalmed the remains.
 The firm of Selfishness & Swines, who had always been so busy gathering their own nest that they never had any time for the city's affairs, donated the city's shroud.
 Pincham & Pennysqueezer, who never offered in advertising furnished the coffin.
 Old Pompous Pursesprout, who never gave a penny to a public enterprise, gave the hearse.
 A select quartette from the Cliquo sang the Doxology.
 The Rev. Mr. Mossback preached the funeral sermon.
 Mr. Home Town Knocker donated the undertone and old Billy Bellyacher served the epitaph.
 Messrs Doolittle, Croaker, Puttyhead, Warback, Wetblanket and Whata-the-ye acted as pallbearers.
 The only person who had no official part in the obsequies was Mr. Live Wire, who got off the train by mistake and attended the funeral because there was nothing else to do between trains.
 Editorial in The Corpus Christi Evening Times.

Traveling Hazards
 The department of the traveling public has a greater influence on railway safety than is generally known, and the safety section of the American Railway Association in an appeal for the conservation of human life and health gives some illuminating facts on the subject.

Of the 200 fatalities occurring in railway passenger travel during the year 1921, about two-thirds were cases in which the individual himself was in some way involved in the chain of circumstances. For example, 28 persons were killed by falling from coach steps, 64 by falling from moving trains, 64 by being struck or run over, and 10 by their death by deliberately jumping from trains while mentally deranged or to escape penal servitude. More startling still is the fact that 64 passengers were killed and 1,200 injured by getting on or off moving and stationary trains.
 Once seated inside a railway car the traveler is in about the safest place in the world, and it is generally his own fault in gaining or leaving such position that create any substantial hazard. Notwithstanding the wonderful safety of passengers on the railways of the country, it is in the power of each of the million travelers carried annually to make himself still more safe by being careful.

Sweet Potato Plants For Sale
 Very finest Porto Rico and Dooley sweet potato plants now ready. Price \$50 per thousand in small quantities. Larger quantities cheaper. Have many coming on and can supply almost any number on short notice. S. M. MERRICK, Big Spring, Texas.

Honey Philosophy for 1922
 A few weeks ago twelve o'clock was twelve o'clock. Now twelve o'clock is seven o'clock. Everybody says so, and that makes it so. A dollar bill is a dollar bill because everybody says so, and it's changed into ninety cents as soon as everybody says so. It can be changed into two dollars if everybody says so. "Everybody's" the doctor that can cure all the ills of the world if everybody'll tackle the job. Everybody can be happy if everybody says so—an' prosperity? why, is up to everybody like everything. Ain't it funny how so many people want to join the nobody ranks instead of the everybody ranks?

Watch and Jewelry Repair
 Our repair department is in charge of skilled mechanics. High class work at our motto. Watch Inspectors for F. & P. By. CLOUGH JEWELRY CO.—Advertisement.

If a bitter Republican of 1920 had been suffering from sleeping sickness for two years, and had waked up only in time to read last Saturday's paper, he would have read of the President of the United States saying in a public address: "The world can never be set right unless America plays her part." His instinct would have been to exclaim: "More of Woodrow Wilson's monkey and unpatriotic internationalism." But it happened to be Warren G. Harding. Coming trippingly from his good Republican tongue, the sentiment he received with approval and applause, though it is the same one which, when uttered by President Wilson, drove his partisan opponents to furious protest. "The snorer's mouth," gravely observed President's Jovial Father, "this doctrine would be orthodox." The Republicans are now happy in another mouth—New York Times.

Established 1882
 Big Spring, Texas

J. & W. FISHER

Established 1882
 Big Spring, Texas



Copyright 1922 Hart Schaffner & Marx

NEW STYLES IN CLOTHING
 WITH SPRING COLORING AND LIFE

A stylish new suit will look good on you, make you feel like a different man and you will go at your business with new life. Try one of our new Hart, Schaffner and Marx Suits in one of the new styles and see if we are not right. They are here ready for you, so come in and try yours on today!

Dress Materials

FOR MOTHER AND SISTER

This store is now offering for your selection an assortment of pretty dress materials in

Silks and Woolens

We have colors and patterns that are suitable for Ladies, Misses and the Small Tots.

To wear with the Sport Sweaters and Blouses one should have a Sport Skirt. We have some beautiful woolens for Sport Skirts at \$2.75 per yard.



Special Sale on Tumblers

Thin Glass Grape Design
 75c for Set of Six

Only One Set Sold to Each Customer

Why not be a Customer of Fisher's?

We give Dependable Service

Quality and Satisfaction Guaranteed



A CATCHY THING

I run across a puzzle in the paper, 'other day, and though I never try 'em, I read 'em anyway. . . They get 'em up so artfully, to catch a feller's eye—with a premium for the answer, if you want to make a try. . . They put a string of letters, with a third of 'em left out, which all would spell a Statesman that we all had heard about. . . By fillin' in the vacancies which they had hid away, I could earn a hundred dollars, which they'd be glad to pay. I found it mighty easy to complete the statesman's name—in fact, it was so easy I considered it a shame to take them feller's money in an underhanded way—but I sent 'em in the answer, to see what they would say. . . Well, they fired me back a circular, which said I guessed it right, but a hundred other fellers had beat me out of sight. . . They said sech wondrous talent ort to make a feller rich—an' offered me the agency of salve to cure the itch!

PAINT IN SMALL CANS FOR ANY PURPOSE.....CUNNINGHAM AND PHILIPS.

DON'T LET THE FLIES EAT UP YOUR COW...WE HANDLE "COW EASE"....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Nothing can harm you but yourself.
 Post mortem kindness brings no cheer
 A man in a shallow well don't need a long rope.
 Putnam dyes. They dye "right"..... Cunningham & Phillips.
 Because necessity ignores every law anarchy is not therefore right.
 Alarm clock "Big Bens." Get one.....Cunningham & Phillips.
 Deep in your heart the one you despise is greater than yourself.
 W. O. Kent, editor of the Stanton Reporter was a visitor here Tuesday.
 We have stationery at a price that will suit you.....Cunningham & Phillips
 Tanlac makes people—strong, sturdy and well by toning up the vital organs. J. L. Ward Jewelry & Drug Co.—Advertisement.
 Mrs. W. W. Whipkey and baby after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Buchanan, left Sundry for her home at Colorado.

YOUR DENTIST AND OUR TOOTH BRUSHES MAKE A HEALTHY PAIR FOR YOUR MOUTH.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Luck is in knowing when your hour strikes.
 Gainsborough hair nets...Look good.. Stay good.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Prof. Blake Vanleer, a member of the faculty of the University of California, arrived Sunday from Berkeley, Calif. for a visit with J. W. Ward.

Mrs. F. H. Etheridge returned Sunday morning from an extended visit in Macon, Ga., New York and other points in the north. Her grandmother, Mrs. N. B. Largent, who has been visiting relatives in Fort Worth accompanied her home.

Though some whopping big oil leases are being secured in this section by the big oil companies—indicating that a big development may be undertaken in the near future—our folks are not becoming excited and seem to be of the opinion that big development is assured but there is no use getting impatient or excited over the proposition.

Beans are becoming popular again, according to the restaurant men. Since war days they have been shunned by the millions of men who got enough of them to last for a while in the days when they were serving in the army or navy. But this dislike is passing away and "a thousand on a plate" is again becoming favorite restaurant order.

Wall paper at reasonable prices. Figure with us before your order is sent in.....Cunningham & Phillips.

MULFORDS BLACKLEG VACCINE YOU VACCINATE BUT ONCE.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Why drag around feeling half sick and no account all the time when you can get Tanlac? J. L. Ward Jewelry & Drug Co.—Advertisement.

One of the most noteworthy features in connection with Tanlac is the large number of men and women who have reported an astonishing rapid increase in weight as a result of its use. J. L. Ward Jewelry & Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Jno. Notestine and Mrs. J. D. Biles and son, Louis, left Thursday for a visit in Fort Worth and College Station. They will attend Commencement Exercises at the Texas Agricultural & Mechanical College, as Edmund Notestine is to be awarded a diploma at that institution.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson, Miss Rose and Aron Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Ellington and Miss Dorothy Ellington plan to leave next Monday for an auto trip to Corpus Christi, where they will spend a month enjoying the ocean breezes, fishing, etc.

Services at Christian Church
 J. M. Manuel, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will conduct the services at the Christian Church at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning.
 All are tendered a cordial invitation to attend.

Everything is its own excuse for being.

Pray not for comfort, but pray for combat.

Character is the product of antagonisms.

The backbone of character is made in the home.

Uncertainty is always an element of weakness.

Because we are free we are therefore responsible.

Genuine love is the highest form of unselfishness.

An oppressive religion is never more than skin deep.

Some men get fanaticism and faithfulness all mixed up.

Riches are of far less importance to the man than character.

Mankind has been on the bum ever since Eve ate that apple.

If you were really rich you might die of capital punishment.

You are no less a grafter because the other fellow beats you to it.

Be neither a fogey nor a Bourbon. This is no age for that.

Screw worms: We have the "killers".....Cunningham & Phillips.



See How Ironized Yeast Clears Complexions

And Grows New Firm Flesh on Thin, Pale, Nervous and Run-down Folks

Are you troubled with humiliating skin blemishes? Are you thin—or do you feel the need of more energy or "pep"? If so, mail coupon for the amazing Three-Day FREE Trial Treatment of the wonderful Ironized Yeast Vitamine Tablets. Try these remarkable tablets—two with each meal. Then get ready for a surprise!

Watch The Results!
Pimples, blackheads, boils, etc., begin to disappear almost "while you wait." You will feel an almost immediate increase in your ability to tackle hard work. And as for putting new, firm flesh on your bones—thin folks report gaining five pounds and more on the first package of Ironized Yeast!

Yeast Best With Iron
Ironized Yeast is pleasant to take and will not cause gas or in any way affect the stomach as it contains a specially cultured yeast which is grown under the strictest supervision for medicinal purposes. The reason it brings such splendid results is because it supplies thin and run-down folks with the three vitamins, which though vitally essential to health, are lacking in the modern diet. But more than that, it supplies your blood with the iron needed to make it rich, red and strong. Vitamines alone are fine—but when taken with iron, as in Ironized Yeast, they bring their good results just twice as quickly, in many cases.

Try Ironized Yeast Today!
If you want to banish skin eruptions and quickly acquire a fresh, youthful, clean-looking skin—if you are thin and run-down and want to fill out your figure with firm hard flesh and increase your energy so that work will be a pleasure instead of a tax—then try Ironized Yeast at once.

Just mail coupon as directed above for the wonderful Three-Day FREE Trial Treatment. You will very likely be amazed at the improvement just three days will show in you. Test it absolutely FREE! Mail coupon today.

FREE!
Amazing 3-Day Test
Mail this coupon with your name and address to The Ironized Yeast Company, Atlanta, Ga. By return mail you will receive absolutely FREE our famous 3-Day Trial Treatment. Watch the Quick Results!
Dept. 611

Fine Sewing Machines AT A BARGAIN!
\$90.00 WHITE SEWING MACHINES TO SELL FOR... \$60.00

We expect to quit handling Sewing Machines and are closing out our line of White Sewing Machines. Only a few left. Better call at once if you want a real bargain.

Stokes-Hughes Co.
The People That Want Your Business

Are You Sick?
My Chiropractic Massage treatment will make you well and keep you well. Chiropractic Massage is merely a treatment for spinal troubles, some people think, that is absolutely correct, but any disease can be caused from a spinal trouble. A Chiropractor can trace your trouble to your spine and show you how it causes your trouble, whatever it may be.

If you are sick of being sick, try Chiropractic Massage and get well. Examination and consultation absolutely free.

GUY. E. LONGBOTHAM
Chiropractic Masseuseur

Office Phone 40
Lady Attendant

Residence Phone 205
Big Spring, Texas

Sterling County Oil News
Four new test wells have been contracted for within the past week in the Iatan-Westbrook fields. Three of the rigs have already been ordered out. The Westbrook well is making 200 barrels daily 36 pump.

W. L. Foster will go to Iatan Monday to arrange for the location of another well in his pasture by having the lines and corners of his lands fixed and established. W. F. Kellis, State Surveyor, has been engaged to do the work.

A syndicate is securing leases on 50,000 acres of land beginning a few miles south of town and extending south and southwest. They propose to drill five wells on their holdings in the near future. The headquarters for operation will be located here.

J. S. Meriwether says the drill in the McCarley well is nearer its destination at the close of each day. Except for a few hours delay in making minor repairs, the drill on this prospect has been going continuously since operations were resumed.

Casing was put back in the Cushing well this week, and it is expected that connection will soon be made with the lost tools.

We learn that a California syndicate invested \$100,000 in leases in the Westbrook field this week. This property is located about 15 miles from present production. Work of development will begin soon.

The rig on the Brennan lease is nearing completion.—Sterling News-Record.

Notice
A stray dog half stag and half greyhound, supposed to belong in Nolan County has been taken up by me. Owner can secure animal by describing size, marks, color, age, etc., and by paying me \$10.00 for trouble I have been put to. Address R. L. HOLLY, Box 225, Brownfield, Texas. 37-2

Take a Kodak with you on your vacation—autographic Kodaks \$12.50 up; Brownie's \$2.50 up. Ward's.

Committees for Celebration in 1892

The following is reprinted from the Big Spring Pantagraph, date of June 4, 1892:

WORK OF THE MEETING
At the meeting in Union hall last Saturday evening it was decided to have a barbecue and ball on the fourth of July. The following committees were appointed:

General Arrangements
Col. Ed Hart, chairman; Wm. Keefe, Dan Painter, I. D. Eddins, Steve Tamsitt, G. W. Hysaw, J. W. Ward, R. B. Zinn, B. Chambers, Dr. J. E. Prince, Chas. Ruhrop, Jas. Blair, W. Bennett, Dr. Joe W. Barnett, J. T. Sutton, Dr. Jno. H. Hurt, Col. T. H. Bowman, J. H. Brynart.

On Contributions
Wm. Keefe, chairman; Steve Tamsitt, R. H. Kemp, H. C. Read, Geo. Tamsitt, Jas. Barry, E. O. Nicke, R. H. Jack.

Selection of Grounds
Jas. Blair, chairman; W. Y. Tennyson, H. C. Read, Ben Boydston, H. Covert.

Music for Grounds
Mrs. Laura M. Hart, chairman; Mrs. J. W. Ward, Mrs. M. F. Bressie, Miss Maude Leeper, Miss Ella Prince, Mrs. Goodman, Miss Gussie Brack.

On Barbecue
J. J. Cole, chairman; C. E. Frye, R. L. Slaughter, R. K. Manlon, L. S. McDowell, J. C. Smith, R. C. Sanderson.

On Arrangement of Tables
A. D. Oliver, chairman; E. A. Wright, G. W. Lees, R. H. Jack, Dan Painter, Chas. Willis.

On Orations
S. H. Cowan, chairman; S. H. Morrison, Col. T. W. Bowman, T. L. Benson, F. O. Vaughan, J. T. Sutton.

On Decoration
Messrs Ed Aikin, chairman; Fred Leeper, Geo. Callan, Binney Jones, Harry Homan, Ed Connors, M. Moylette, Misses Jennie Hays, Eva Courtway, Josie Jack, Lola Read, Ellen Hodges, Ray Frey, Ida Semler, Mammie Beall.

On Refreshments
Messrs F. L. Lindner, chairman; J. B. Young, A. C. Walker, J. S. Cherry, Harry Dawson, W. Y. Tennyson, W. G. Birdwell, L. F. McKay, H. Cochran, R. W. Walker, H. L. Levy, J. H. Ewing, Judge Walthall, M. J. Dugan, Messdames Walthall, Jas. Blair, Wm. Keefe, R. W. Walker, Harry Cochran, J. H. Ewing, I. N. Cook, D. C. Everly, R. H. Jack, J. B. Young, J. B. Ellis.

On Soliciting Beef, Sheep, etc
Jno. Snoddy, chairman; Dr. J. W. Barnett, L. S. McDowell, Mark L. Moody, Wm. Fisher, Will Evans, James Currie, Wm. Girdwood.

On Games, Contests, etc
E. J. Hadlock, chairman; Jesse Incke, W. Bennett, Frank Lester, Tom Vollva, I. H. Park, Jos. Bird, L. C. Solden, D. C. Everly.

Judges
Jos. Potton, chairman; A. T. Snoddy, W. H. Vaughan, J. B. Paul, J. W. Ward, Dr. J. W. Barnett, Jas. Costlow, I. D. Maxwell, Geo. Tamsitt, J. B. Ellis.

Marshals
W. G. Birdwell, Henry Dearing, Col. Ed Hart, F. B. Evans, Steve Dally.

On Printing
R. W. Walker, chairman; J. W. Ward, B. G. Turner, Miss Hattie Curd.

On Ball
J. I. McDowell, chairman; James T. Conklin, H. S. Urch, Howard Stephenson, Will Crawford, R. C. Sanderson, Will Evans, J. T. Sutton, Geo. Tamsitt, Harry Homan.

On Finances
Chas. D. Read, chairman; J. B. Spearman, G. W. Hysaw, Jos. Fisher, J. D. Birdwell, J. T. Deats.

Road Beds Wanted
STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard
Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, will on June 12th at its regular meeting in Big-Spring receive bids for the position of patrolman for the various Road Sections of Howard County as heretofore laid out by said court, said work to consist of maintenance work as required by law.

The map showing the various sections can be seen at the County Judge's office.

The sections on which contracts were awarded at last letting are not included in this letting.

All information desired will be furnished by me or by County Judge.
J. B. SHOCKLEY,
Road Supt. Howard County, Texas

Real Estate Deals
The T. H. Johnson Real Estate Company report the following real estate deals closed the past few days:
3 lots owned by B. G. Bly in the East part of the city sold to T. J. and J. A. Price.
3 lots in the east part of Big Spring owned by C. H. Wooster of Fabens to T. J. and J. A. Price.
J. B. Hill purchased a four-room house and 20 acres of land, known as the Hillside place, just north of town.
Mrs. Lela Gillean purchased a six-room house and two lots in Breckenridge.

W. A. Tunstall of Fort Worth who was a business visitor in Big Spring Wednesday stated that we need not be surprised to hear of big oil development in the eastern part of Howard County in the very near future.

Let Us Do YOUR HARVESTING
We are in the market to harvest several thousand acres of wheat, and also for keeping your hair-trimmed and your scalp in a healthy and cleanly condition all the year around.
We guarantee first class tonorial work
Less Thomas' BARBER SHOP

Miss Maud Estes who has been attending Baylor College at Belton is expected home in the next few days.

Miss Bettye Travis, one of the teachers of our schools who was reelected for another year has declined to accept the place.

The planning of your meal is solved when you visit our store. Try it. P. & F. Co.—Advertisement.

Mrs. W. E. Carnrike and daughter, Miss Louise Wheelon, will leave tomorrow for College Station to attend Commencement exercises at the Texas A. & M. College. Harry Wheelon is a member of the 1922 graduating class and will be awarded a diploma in Chemical Engineering.

For Sale
A \$600 Bush and Lane piano. Will sell for \$400 cash. Telephone 574 or call at 211 W. Houston St. 37-2-p

For Rent
Ideal bed room, southeast exposure, beautifully furnished, adjoining bath, to one or two gentlemen. Convenient to business district.—Also two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping to couple 1t-pd

Honoring Misses Sullivan and Miller
On Monday night, May 22nd, Mrs. L. L. Freeman gave at her home, 608 Johnson St., a "Backyard" camping supper, honoring Misses Frances Sullivan and Ruth Miller for their victory in the debate at Abilene.

A goodly number of guests being present, all of which were members of the High School Public Speaking Club.

Mrs. Freeman had lights strung over the yard with signs that represented a modern tourist camping ground.

The supper was prepared by the members of the party who enjoyed very much the unusual kind of entertainment. Everyone expressed themselves as having had an unusually good time.

Money to Loan
Plenty of money to lend on ranches in amounts from ten thousand to a hundred thousand dollars. Quick service. G. B. HARNESSE, Colorado, Texas. (Advertisement-33-6t)

Investigate Before You Invest

You may be thinking of investing the earnings of a life time, and you may be making a wise investment

BUT—Investigate before you invest. We are always at your service when you want suggestions or advice concerning your investments. Our business is to help you make your money earn more money.

And while you are getting ready to make an investment, deposit your earnings in this bank.

**TWO KINDS OF INTEREST—YOURS AND OURS
WE PAY FOUR PER CENT INTEREST ON TIME DEPOSITS**

LET US HELP YOU!

West Texas National Bank

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

"THE BANK WHERE YOU FEEL AT HOME"

CARDUI HELPED REGAIN STRENGTH
Alabama Lady Was Sick For Three Years, Suffering Pain, Nervous and Depressed—Read Her Own Story of Recovery.

Faint Rock, Ala.—Mrs. C. M. Stigall, of near here, recently related the following interesting account of her recovery: "I was in a weakened condition. I was sick three years in bed, suffering a great deal of pain, weak, nervous, depressed. I was so weak, I couldn't walk across the floor; just had to lay and my little ones do the work. I was almost dead. I tried every thing I heard of, and a number of doctors. Still I didn't get any relief. I couldn't eat, and slept poorly. I believe if I hadn't heard of and taken Cardui I would have died. I bought six bottles, after a neighbor told me what it did for her.

"I began to eat and sleep, began to gain my strength and am now well and strong. I haven't had any trouble since. . . . I can testify to the good that Cardui did me. I don't think there is a better tonic made and I believe it saved my life."

For over 40 years, thousands of women have used Cardui successfully, in the treatment of many womanly ailments.

If you suffer as these women did, take Cardui. It may help you, too.
At all drugists. E 35

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

DRS. ELLINGTON & WITSEL
Dentists.
BIG SPRING, TEXAS
Office Phone 281.

DR. E. H. HAPPELL
Dentist
Office Over West Texas National Bank Big Spring, Texas.

Honoring Charles Raymond Leese
Mrs. G. L. Brown gave an informal dance at her home on Aylford St. in honor of Charles Raymond Leese, winner of highest honors among the boys of the 1922 graduating class of the Big Spring High School.

The members of the Senior class and a few intimate friends took part. Music for dancing was supplied by an Edison, and from the "Grand March" to "Home Sweet Home," every number on the program was truly enjoyed.

Punch, candy and "wax" made up the list of refreshments, the serving table being decorated in purple and gold with the big punch bowl occupying the center.

A more delightful occasion could not have been planned, and hosts and honor guest were assured that this was one of the happiest occasions of the many of graduation week.

Notice in Probate
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Howard County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Howard County, a copy of the following notice:
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To all persons interested in the estate of J. L. Atwood, deceased; Ralph Dean, wife of T. J. Dean; Amy Atwood and Ethel Atwood, said T. J. Dean joining his said wife, pro-forma, have filed an application in the County Court of Howard County, on the 18th day of May 1922, for probate of the will of J. L. Atwood, deceased, and for Letters Testamentary, to said petitioner, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 5th day of June 1922, at the Court House of said County, in Big Spring, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so. Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Big Spring, Texas, this 18th day of May 1922.
J. I. PRICHARD, Clerk.
35-2t. County Court, Howard County, Texas.

Six applications to attend the Citizens' Military Training Camp at Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas, by Howard County young men have been filed thru J. F. Hair. Of these applications that of Thos. B. Hoover has already been accepted. The training camp opens July 27th.

We want your Jewelry business, that's all we sell and all we claim to know thoroughly. See us before you buy. W. S. CLOUGH JEWELRY CO.—Advertisement.

Memory of Edith Cavell

After King George and Queen Mary of England had left the grave of the murdered nurse, Edith Cavell in Brussels last week, there remained at the foot of the memorial erected to the immortal memory of the great martyr, shot to death by the Germans, Mlle. Marguerite Blauckaert, who was sentenced to death with the British nurse, but whose sentence was commuted. Mlle. Blauckaert is photographed as she is placing her silent tribute on the grave of her friend.

Scottish Rite Masonry

After four days of feasting upon the spiritual bread of life, emanating from the Sanctuary of God's Holy Temple. After the beautiful and impressive lessons which must have been deeply indented upon the trestle-board of every heart. After being lifted higher and higher into the rose colored ether of the Spirit world, listening to the teachings of the great sages, and Holy Men of the past, Confucius, Moses, Mohammed; and the lowly Nazarene; after having assembled the most Sacred vows ever taken by mortal man; and having witnessed that marvelous panorama of pictures painted upon the canvas of our immortal souls. And hearing the words of truth and soberness I wonder if we are ready at this time to turn from those Holy things to delve in thoughts of Mirth and Jollity; or if it were better to allow these Sacred lessons and all they mean to sink deeper into our heart of hearts. I've had men of all walks of life, doctors, preachers, bankers, judges, lawyers, business men, mechanics, farmers, and laborers, 465 candidates, all promising to live better lives for the honor and glory of God. Do you think that I profited after feeling as I do.

Fraternally,
John Clarke, 32°
Scottish Rite Mason.

Mrs. M. C. Hyden Dead

The announcement of the death of Mrs. M. C. Hyden brought sorrow to the many friends of the family throughout this county. She died at the family home in the Luther community Sunday night May 28th. Her death was due to an attack of paralysis following an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Hyden was aged fifty-two years and fifteen days and had been a resident of our county for more than fifteen years. She was a good Christian woman, a true friend and neighbor, loved and esteemed by everyone who knew her and many deeply mourn her death.

Funeral services were conducted at the graveside in Mt. Olive cemetery by Rev. J. Thos. Brown at 11 o'clock Monday morning.

To the husband, two sons, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Boatler of this city and brother and sisters, Henry Boatler of this city, Mrs. W. M. Reed of Luther and Mrs. S. P. Reed of Stanton and other relatives who grieve for one dearly beloved is extended the sincere sympathy of our entire citizenship.

Approves Agricultural Exhibit

That our good friend Jno. C. Wells, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Kerens, Texas, is still interested in Howard County and ever thoughtful of its progress and prosperity is expressed in the following letter to the editor of The Herald:

"I strongly endorse the suggestion in the last issue of The Herald, that you place an agricultural exhibit in some of the larger fairs this fall. If you want more settlers and have more land to sell I do not think you could do better advertising.

"An exhibit in Texas is valuable, but if you could go into Danville, Ill., Indianapolis, Ind., and Nashville, Tenn., with an exhibit from your county it will bring many times its cost. The trouble about going in connection with other counties is that it becomes too general in the minds of the public.

"Assuring you that I rejoice in the coming of rain and good times to your section, I am,

"Respectfully,
"J. C. Wells."

Resolution of Respect

Whereas the Angel of Death has visited Big Spring Review No. 45 and taken from us our beloved sister, Flora Sholte, whereas we remember well, the loving service, the friendly council and the cheering smile of our sister who has passed beyond, and whereas, we do mourn deeply the loss from our fraternal circle of these our sister's many virtues, while we believe that our Father who has seen fit so to bereave us doeth all things well, be it resolved that we, the members of Big Spring Review, Woman's Benefit Association of the Maccabees at Big Spring do hereby tender to the family of our deceased sister sympathy in this our common loss and resolve that in token of our sorrow and sympathy our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days and resolved that these resolutions be spread upon our records and a copy sent to the bereaved family and a copy sent to The Big Spring Herald.

Signed:
Mrs. F. N. Brown.
Mrs. Ally Cowan.
Mrs. B. G. Bly.
Mrs. L. P. Upshaw.
Mrs. Josie Larmour.
Mrs. Charles Koberg

Reward for Lost Dog

A brown Collie pup—about 2 months old strayed from home May 31st. Any information as to his whereabouts will be appreciated. Phone 619 or see O. G. LOUDAMY. 11-pd.

House for Rent

A nice 5-room house at 403 Bell St. for rent at once. Phone 55.

First State Bank

Guaranty Fund Bank
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Statement of the Condition as Reported to the State Bank Commissioner at the Close of Business May 5, 1922

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$458,698.35	Capital.....\$ 35,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Certificates..... 25,353.78	Certified Surplus Earned..... 35,000.00
Banking House..... 7,000.00	Undivided Profits..... 20,131.94
Int. & Assn. in Guaranty Fund..... 17,308.12	Borrowed Money..... NONE
CASH..... 266,270.43	DEPOSITS..... 684,498.74
\$774,630.68	\$774,630.68

THE DEPOSITS OF A BANK SHOW THE CONFIDENCE OF THE PEOPLE OF THE COMMUNITY IN THE INSTITUTION

Your attention is called to our large Cash Reserve which enables us to take care of our customers' needs and also to take on any desirable new business

Deposit Your Money Where You Can Get Accommodations When You Need Them. We are prepared at All Times to Grant Our Customers Accommodations.

For Safety and Service Do Your Banking With Us.

Tourist Garage

PETE KING, Proprietor

NASH

five years has advanced from twenty-fourth to eighth place in Dollars and Cents value of sale

New Nash Owners in Big Spring:

E. Price J. Y. Robb R. L. Price
B. Hodges J. N. Blue

Nash leads the World in Motor Car Value
\$1,565.00 F. O. B. Big Spring

TOURIST GARAGE, PETE KING, Prop.

WHY THAT LAME BACK?

That morning lameness—those sharp pains when bending or lifting make work a burden and rest impossible. Don't be handicapped by a bad back—look to your kidneys. You will make no mistake by following this Big Spring resident's example.

Mrs. J. P. Green, 216 Pecan St., says: "I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills highly because they did me a great deal of good. I was troubled with my kidneys acting irregularly and suffered from pains in the small of my back. I say Doan's relieved that trouble and I recommend them to anyone troubled with kidney disorder."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Green had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement-8

Luther J. Smith, J. G. Arnett and R. L. Boswell made an auto trip to San Angelo Wednesday accompanying Fred S. Rogers, candidate for governor of Texas, who has speaking engagements at San Angelo and other points in that portion of the state. They state that the section between here and San Angelo is dressed up in its Sunday clothes as a result of the fine rains.

BUY A FORD—
and spend the difference
Henry Ford.
—Advertisement.

A. W. Flaniken and daughter, Miss Corinne, returned Wednesday evening from Lamesa, where they had been called by the death of Mr. Flaniken's father, J. C. Flaniken; Mrs. A. W. Flaniken, Mrs. J. C. Flaniken and J. F. Flaniken arrived from Lamesa Thursday evening; Mrs. J. C. Flaniken and J. F. Flaniken leaving this morning for Corsicana.

The Baptist Ladies invite you to eat Dinner with them Saturday, June 3rd. They will serve dinner at J. R. Creath's store building in the Bauer block. You will get one of the best dinners you've enjoyed in many a day. Come and bring a friend or two.

BUY A FORD—
and spend the difference
Henry Ford.
—Advertisement.

O. G. Loudamy states that only light showers were in evidence from Big Spring to Luther the forepart of the week with the moisture showing to be much heavier between Luther and Gall.

E. R. Watts who arrived Thursday morning from the West reports only a sprinkle of rain at Toyah, Wednesday, but good showers all the way from Barstow to Big Spring.

FOR SALE—or will trade for other cattle—Good milk cows; also maise for sale. A. C. BRIGANCE, Rt. 1, Box 83, Big Spring, Texas. 37-1p

The Blue Weed and its Eradication

The blue weed (Hellanthus ciliaris) is the worst weed pest of a considerable section of west and southwest Texas, western Oklahoma and in New Mexico and Arizona. Mr. R. E. Karper, Superintendent of Substation No. 8, Lubbock, Texas, recently completed a series of experiments in the eradication and control of the blue weed; and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has issued a Bulletin No. 292 describing Mr. Karper's experiments and conclusions, together with directions for the control of the pest.

The bulletin is illustrated and the reader will be enabled to easily identify the weed under discussion. A copy will be mailed free upon request to B. Youngblood, Director, College Station, Texas.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our wife and mother. Only those who have suffered the loss of a loved one can appreciate what such kindness means in time of sorrow. We shall ever remember and appreciate your kindness to us, and ask God's blessing on each and every one of you.

M. C. Hyden.
A. E. Hyden.
C. H. Hyden.

Rook Club Notes

The members of the Rook Club enjoyed a most delightful meeting Thursday of last week at which time they were the guests of Mrs. Travis Reed.

In the contest for the honor of making high score of the afternoon Mrs. Wm. Menger was victorious among the visitors while Mrs. C. E. Shive and Mrs. C. W. Davis tied for club high score; Mrs. Davis winning in the cut.

Six tables of players took part in the games, and enjoyed the delicious refreshments provided by the hostess.

Notice

There will be preaching at the Evangelical Baptist Church on East Third and Gollad Streets every 1st and 3rd Sunday, morning and evening; and Singing every 2nd and 4th Sunday evening.

Everyone cordially invited to come and hear and get acquainted with our new pastor, Bro. W. D. Green. Come and hear some real singing every 2nd and 4th Sunday evenings.

His Passing Fancy

There was a man who fancied that, By driving good and fast, He'd get his car across the tracks Before the train came past;

He'd miss the engine by an inch, And make the train hand sore, There was a man who fancied that . . . There isn't any more.

—Carnegie Tech. Puppet.
You will like to trade with P. & F. Co.—Advertisement.

No Charge!

There are a lot of things we do here at no charge, without regard to whether your battery is a Willard or not.

There are other things, such as repairs, recharging and so on, that we have to charge for, but even with them we throw in a good measure of service that we never ask you to pay for.

We're Battery Headquarters—and we give the same careful attention to all makes of batteries. Come in, and get acquainted.

The Only Exclusive Battery Station in Big Spring

We can now furnish you with both A & B Radio Storage Batteries—especially adapted to Radiophone work.

West Texas Battery Co.

PHONE 220
First Door West of Lyric Theatre HEADQUARTERS FOR NEW

Representing Willard Storage Batteries

CLYDE E. THOMAS

ATTORNEY AT LAW
Office in Courthouse Big Spring, Texas

JAMES T. BROOKS

Attorney at Law
Practice in District Court, only Conveyancing
OFFICE IN COURT HOUSE
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Y. M. C. A.

BARBER SHOP
P. S. WILKINS, Proprietor.
BEST SERVICE
GIVE US A TRIAL

Big Spring Transfer

IN ESTES MARKET
For Local and Long Distance Hauling
Office Phone 682
L. E. CRENSHAW, Res. Phone 544
B. H. SETTLES, Res. Phone 435-E

RYZON

BAKING POWDER

Not merely baking powder but increased leavening power. The special process of manufacture is the reason.

RYZON is an improvement over old-fashioned powders. It has more raising power, is a slow, steady raiser. It retains its full strength to the last spoonful.

Order a can today. Have rich, brown, fragrant RYZON biscuits for every meal.

TOURIST GARAGE

PETE KING, Proprietor

NASH

Sales and Service

TIRES, ACCESSORIES AND REPAIRS

A Buick and Chandler Used Car for Sale



Texas Granite

The beautiful red and grey granite can now be sold at the price of marble.

We invite you to let us show you the work we have erected.

Bluestone Paste for Watermelons

Members of various watermelon associations have been instructed in the protection of the melons by the use of bluestone paste. Individual growers will need the same form of protection against rot if they ship their produce or find the movement through local markets slow.

Until a remedy was discovered for soft melons, due to stem rot, approximately 15 per cent of the melons shipped were damaged. It is now possible to protect melons, and the remedy is simple and inexpensive.

In treating melons, cut the tip of the stem off and apply to it a paste of bluestone. This must be done thoroughly and with care in order to be effective.

To make bluestone paste, place three and one-half quarts of water in an enamel kettle; to this add one-half pint of bluestone; bring to a boil; while boiling add four ounces of starch dissolved in one pint of cold water; stir slowly and continue boiling for two or three minutes until the mixture thickens into a thin paste. If the paste becomes too thick, it will be difficult to apply. It should be about the consistency of paint.—Farm and Ranch.

RIX Furniture & Uad'g. Co.
BIG SPRING LUBBOCK

Chas. Eberley

UNDERTAKING

Motor Drawn Hearse
Service Day or Night
Lady Assistant

Day Phone 200 : : : Night Phone 261
Big Spring, Texas

REPAIRING — REPAIRING

Am prepared to make any and all kinds of repairs on
Guns — Bicycles — and Auto Pumps
Bring your troubles to me or
Phone 169
Jesse Hoffmann
20-tf
Big Spring, Texas

SLAUGHTER'S FILLING STATION

Quick Service—Satisfied Patrons
ANY TROUBLE PHONE NO. 2
Corner Main and First Street
34-tf.

Nathan Newman of Atlanta, Ga., has been here the past week looking after property interests in this city.

Mrs. T. E. O'Keefe and daughter, Miss Irene, returned last Friday night from a visit with relatives in Toyah.

Mrs. B. O. Jones and daughter, Miss Clara, left last Friday morning for an extended visit with relatives at San Diego, California.

Mrs. T. E. Paylor and children returned Thursday of last week from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Abilene.

H. Hinman and family left Saturday evening for Evansville, Ark., in response to a message announcing the serious illness of his father.

MONUMENTS, MARKERS AND CURBING

I have the agency for Texas Grey Granite and am prepared to furnish the finest monuments at fair prices. With ten years of actual experience in that line of work I can give good service. I guarantee that when monument is erected it will remain in position. If you will phone 379 I will be glad to show you designs and quote prices. 16-tf
J. M. MORGAN, Contractor.
Big Spring, Texas.

Cabinet Work and Furniture Repairing

I am now prepared to do all kinds of Cabinet work and Furniture repairing; also prepared to fix your screen windows and doors; porch swings, and other things made to suit you. Have your work done in a Union Shop. Call at 400 Bell St. or phone 533. BLACKIE HATCH. 35-tf

Desirable Property for Sale

Residence lots in College Heights addition—the ideal residence section of the city for sale—at reasonable prices. See or address J. F. HAIR, Big Spring, Texas. 35-3tf

Hail Still on the Ground

Drifts of hailstones which fell on the M. J. Askey ranch twelve days ago are yet two feet deep. Ice can be had free in that vicinity, and people are hauling it away in wagon loads. A path a mile wide was swept so clean that not a twig or leaf was left, and the country looks as if it had been swept by fire.—Sterling Cows-Record.

There is a fire every minute, day and night, in the United States. There are five school fires each day of the year. Fires cost twenty thousand lives a year, and cause a property loss of \$300,000,000.00. And the chief cause of fires is carelessness!

Mrs. and Mrs. P. A. Miller were here from Ira, Texas, last week to visit their sons, C. D. and Chester Miller. Little Claudine Miller returned home with them for a ten days' visit.

J. L. Lancaster of Dallas, receiver for the Texas & Pacific railway company, was a business visitor here last Saturday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcement Fees:

District offices.....\$20.00
County offices.....\$15.00
Precinct offices.....\$10.00
City offices.....\$5.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 22, 1922:

For Representative 91st District:
W. D. RISER
(of San Angelo)

For County Judge:
JAMES T. BROOKS.

For County and District Clerk:
W. F. COOK.
J. I. PRICHARD.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
R. S. McDONALD.
L. S. PATTERSON.
ANDREW J. MERRICK.
H. T. LANE.
M. W. HARWELL.
BOB DORWARD.
J. W. McCUTOHAN.
W. W. SATTERWHITE.

For County Treasurer:
E. G. TOWLER.
G. E. McNEW.
C. T. (CLIFTON) TUCKER.

For Tax Assessor:
ANDERSON BAILEY.
LUTHER J. SMITH.

For County Attorney:
CARROLL BARNETT.

For Hide and Animal Inspector:
J. W. ALLEN.
JOE B. NEEL.
JESS SLAUGHTER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
O. C. BAYES.
C. A. MERRICK.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
J. G. ARNETT.
J. S. McCRIGHT.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
I. B. CAUBLE.
GEORGE WHITE.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
W. M. FLETCHER.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
T. W. ANGEL.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:
J. A. STEPHENS.

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 2:
J. S. SULLIVAN.

For Constable Precinct No. 2:
J. S. SULLIVAN.

For Public Weigher—Precinct 2:
ARCHIE THOMPSON.

S. H. Cowan's First Case in High Court

Judge Sam H. Cowan of Fort Worth was a resident of Big Spring when launching out on his career as a lawyer and tells the following on himself, which was a humdinger in its day. It went so far as to be published in the "Green Bag."

"It was my first case in the Court of Civil Appeals. Judge Hurt, one of the ablest lawyers Texas has ever had, was Chief Justice," the pioneer Texas Judge began. "He had a habit of asking greek lawyers all the questions he could think of to nonplus them and show them up. As it happened I didn't open the case, so I had opportunity to see what was going on as he willed down young lawyer after young lawyer. I figured out a way to save myself from this serious embarrassment and I tell you it was serious. I decided that I would play greener than I really was, to be the most timid and the most ignorant young fellow that ever stood before the Chief Justice. So when my time came to argue my case I assumed this role.—It wasn't so much of a role either," he said laughingly.

This is what happened when Judge Cowan stood before the dreaded questioning Chief Justice: "Your Honor, unless I am allowed to present my short argument in my own way I will be unable to speak at all." The sympathy of the Chief Justice was aroused.

"You may go on just as if you were before the Justice of the Peace back there in Big Spring," the Judge said feelingly.

"Your Honor, I will not be able to do that in this court. It has been my custom to make the Justice of the Peace keep his damn mouth shut," young lawyer Cowan retorted.

Among those present who have related the incident down the years were: Bill Crawford, Seth Shephard, Sawnee Robinson, A. M. Carter, L. L. McCall, and Bob Seay.

"I got more publicity out of that than anything that ever happened in my life before or since," Judge Cowan said.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Furniture Repairing

Send your furniture to a union shop to be repaired by an experienced cabinet maker; also prepared to fix your screen windows and doors, or build you a porch swing. Shop at 400 Bell St. Phone 533. BLACKIE HATCH. 35-tf

Base ball supplies. Blue Drug store, phone 402.

Fordson

TRADE MARK

Nothing Like This Low Price Has Ever Been Known Before

No farm tractor ever offered more money value, or more value, than the Fordson Tractor at this astounding new low price.

No farm power unit you can possibly buy will do more for little—and no farm, regardless of size or location can afford to be without a Fordson Tractor.

Place your order now—there is no time for delay or comparison. Price alone makes your choice the Fordson. After that, performance will prove to you, as it has to 170,000 owners, that this light compact Fordson is the most efficient power plant ever hitched to farm tool.

Let us prove it to you. Write, call or phone today.

4th and Main St. **Stokes Motor Co.** Big Spring, Tex.
PHONE 6-3-6 PHONE 6-3-6

\$395

F. O. B. Detroit

Letter From an Old Timer

The Herald is in receipt of a letter from an old time railroad man who worked for the T. & P. Ry. here in 1883. The writer is Will A. Robinson, who is now a citizen of Milwaukee, Wis. His letter follows:

"I am a retired railroad man after forty years of active service and have time to reveal old memories of 'Down on the Rio Grande in 1883,' when Big Spring was a little frontier village, even though it was the divisional headquarters of the Rio Grande Division of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. The Division Superintendent was Geo. Clinton, a descendent of the old Colonial Governor of Kentucky, and a man that we all loved. He had been a Civil War veteran and officer and a railway man of ability. He had formerly been connected with the Chl. & St. P. Ry. up here in Milwaukee and when he went to the T. & P. I followed him. I went in the hope of benefitting my health which was very bad due to an accident which laid me up for a long time. I arrived in Big Spring weighing 132 pounds and my weight went up to 185 pounds in nine weeks. I took a run out of Big Spring the first week going to El Paso, then an old adobe town, with a population of only 2,000. The old hotel there received \$600 a month rent for one room for use as a room for Faro, Roulette and all the old games for recreation, as the old frontier 'suar' old comrades could not live on good air alone I suppose, and that was part of the religion of the frontiersman when they wanted a change from work.

The Howard County Union Store

IS NOW OPEN WITH A FULL LINE OF

Satple and Fancy Groceries

And will appreciate your patronage. Put your order in earls if delivery is desired.

PHONE 131

First Door North of the First National Bank.

Shriners Special Here June 6th

Fort Worth, May 30.—Mosiah Temple's de luxe special train will arrive in Big Spring June 6 about 9:10 p. m. where a short stop will be made for the purpose of getting acquainted with the Shriners here.

Aboard the special train will be over 150 Shriners and their families, who are making the trip with Mosiah Temple band and patrol to the 48th Imperial Council session at San Francisco which opens June 13.

During the stop in Big Spring Mosiah band and Patrol will serenade and drill.

While there are several features to this special train, among the more prominent are the fact that it carries a radio outfit, valet service and shower baths. The radio outfit is being carried in order to pick up all the latest news enroute from Fort Worth to San Francisco.

Stops are being made enroute at Weatherford, Ranger, Eastland, Cleco, Baird, Abilene, Sweetwater, and Big Spring, while the day of June 7 will be spent in El Paso. Leaving there the train will stop at Albuquerque, Grand Canyon and Los Angeles, arriving in San Francisco about noon, June 11th.

Among those on the train are: E. E. Edwards, Potentate; H. T. Pangburn, Chief Rabben; Frank Taylor, assistant Rabben; Jake Zurn, Past Potentate, and W. S. Cooke, Past Potentate of Mosiah Temple.

The train will be very tastily decorated upon leaving Fort Worth and will be pulled by engine 713 which has been especially painted and decorated.

PHONE 389 FOR PURE MILK

We can now supply you with milk from tested cows. To insure absolute purity we have a Clarifier which removes all matter from the milk. Get fresh from now on our price is 4¢ per quart and 10 cents per gallon. THE BIG SPRING DAIRY Co. Parrish, Proprietor.

Services at Catholic Church. Mass will be held at the church on the first, second, and Sunday of every month at 9 o'clock.
S. Klister, Priest.

If you want a marble monument figure with J. J. before you buy. No agents here. Resident phone 303.—Advertisement.

S. P. Echols was here Tuesday his home in the Concho valley. This is the first time he has been in this city since he was injured in an automobile turning over many months ago. He states that one of the time has been a painful wrist broken.

USE VITRIFIED PAVEMENT

It costs less than any other pavement for upkeep or repair. Thurber Brick Co. Ft. Worth.—Advertisement.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. L. [unclear] Thursday morning for a visit in Los Angeles and Pasadena, Salt Lake City and [unclear].

HAVE YOU TRIED ONE COCA COLAS LATELY?
NIGHTINGALE & PHILIPS



Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

\$348
F.O.B. DETROIT
NEW PRICE

You have never before had the opportunity of securing as much motor car value at so low a price. Take advantage of this opportunity and place your order now when you can obtain prompt delivery.

Terms if desired.

Stokes Motor Co.
4th and Main St., Big Spring, Tex.

France, England Join in Paying Tribute to Hero Dead of United States

The 40,000 American war dead buried in France were visited by groups of their comrades Memorial Day while the bodies of 24,000 have been taken home and most of those remaining have been gathered in the six permanent American war cemeteries, some remaining in the scattered spots where they were first buried, and where they were left in accordance with the families' wishes.

To each of these places—great cemeteries and lone graves alike—their comrades of the American legion and representatives of the French people today took flowers.

French troops, groups of French veterans, organizations and school children attended the principal services and many of the smaller ones, and the government was reported at almost all of them. The Americans in return, made a pilgrimage to the tomb of the "Unknown Pollu" at the Arc de Triomphe, where ambassador Herriek delivered an address.

London, Eng., May 30.—Great Britain joined with the United States today in honoring the American soldier dead. At Brookwood, 28 miles from London, the great plot of Gorse-studded ground in which rest 450 American soldiers and sailors who gave their lives in the allied cause, was dedicated as a national cemetery for the American illustrious dead.

The cemetery also contains bodies of soldiers from Great Britain's overseas possessions. Most of the American dead are those who died in English hospitals from wounds received in France and those whose relatives wished that they might rest in the soil of Britain.

Brig. Gen. John Biddle, who commanded the American forces in the United Kingdom during the war, eulogized those who had given to America all they could give.

At Plymouth wreaths were placed on behalf of the American legion in the church and the grave yard of Princeton in memory of the 280 Americans who died as prisoners of war in Dartmoor prison in 1812-14.

County Recreation Grounds

General approval should be given to the proposal of the County Planning Commission of a system of public recreational grounds throughout the country. With the development of good roads and the growing popularity of the family excursion by motor car, the need grows apace for picnic grounds on lake shore beauty spots with boating facilities.

The commission has caught the vision of this need and has decided to act upon it. But no time should be lost. Most of the lake shore property has passed into private ownership and a number of resorts run for profit are open. These meet the need only in part. It will be much easier and cheaper to acquire well-located grounds today than ten years later, when the city, pushing out in all directions, has increased values greatly.

Even if the country's finances do not permit of immediate improvement, the wisdom of acquiring the lands as soon as possible is plain. They can be developed later as opportunity offers. To get them now is the first and important step. Even undeveloped, they can be used by the public under proper supervision.

The park system of Minneapolis was developed in just this way. The Park Board reached out and acquired urban lake shores well in advance of any conscious demand from the public. It developed them in later years, and today the realization of their vision wins the admiration of citizen and visitor alike.

It is a day of many changes. Good roads and the automobile are breaking down the barriers of isolation. The once remote countryside is only a few minutes' ride from the city. Parks, once an ideal applicable only to city, are spreading to the country. The love for the outdoors is growing. Minnehaha Park, once an all-day trip for any family bent on a picnic, no longer suffices. Today the country is the thing.

To make trespassing unnecessary, to provide suitable places for family excursions and to hold the beauty spots of the country for the benefit of all the people is a worthy program. The County Commission is on popular and solid ground.—Minneapolis Journal.

DR. CAMPBELL HERE EVERY SATURDAY

Dr. M. E. Campbell of Abilene, will be in Big Spring every Saturday to treat eye, ear, nose and throat, and fit glasses (50-1f) Office at Biles Drug Store

Nice Rooms For Rent

Have three nicely furnished rooms, suitable for gentlemen—one block from court house, three blocks from depot. Call at 301 Runnels St. or phone 294. 36-4t.

Cheese, bologna, weenies, minced ham, boiled ham, cured ham, always on hand—good, fresh, clean.—Pool-Reed Market. Phone 145.—Advertisement.

Dale Johns Josh

I WONDER, WHEN DARWIN WAS YOUNG DID HE EVER THINK OF MAKING A MONKEY OF HIMSELF



Finding Ourselves

President Harding said a few days ago that the country is again about to find itself. It is a popular belief that this nation which was a few years ago almost lost in the fog of unpreparedness very quickly found herself, under the Wilson administration and in a surprisingly short time mustered a force of men and munitions to withstand German aggression supported by forty years of intense preparation and training. The American people knew then where they were, and soon impressed their presence on the nations of Europe.

There were no doubts at Versailles as to the location of American power, responsibility and influence in world affairs, but unfortunately a Republican Senate saw fit to refuse to recognize the position of this country. The landmarks were dimmed, the waybills were destroyed, the lines of direction were messed up and the country became befogged in a maze of partisan prejudice and the progress toward world peace and international good will, so nearly achieved, was crucified on the altar of politics.

Of course the country became confused. There was no certain objective in view, and nothing has been done within the past three years to give hope of attainment of the ends for which American soldiers fought and the end of uncertainty is not yet in sight. The country may indeed be now finding itself, but not in the Washington Conference, for the agreements there made cannot be effective until all the signatory nations shall have put them into practice. Not in the cessation of wars, for wars are still being waged. Not in international confidence, for there is as much political and economic suspicion as before and nations heretofore allied are now openly antagonistic toward each other.

The country is finding itself in a state of turmoil and discontent, due largely to the idea that we could hold aloof from other nations in the promotion of Christian virtue, humility and practical democracy.—Amarillo Tribune.

6,000,000th Ford Built May 18th

The six millionth Model "T" Ford Motor was produced May 18th, in the Ford factory at Detroit. In other words, from the time back in 1908 when the Ford Motor Company began marketing the now famous Model "T" Motor car until May 18th, 1922, a total of six million Ford cars and trucks have been produced. Out of this total 5,517,956 were delivered to purchasers in the United States alone, and according to the latest statistics, 4,478,248 of these Ford cars and trucks are still in daily service.

Thus, it will be seen that out of every five Ford cars and trucks sold to retail purchasers in the United States alone during the past fourteen years, four are still in actual daily use, which is really remarkable when the hard service of commercial cars is taken into consideration. This seems to forcibly confirm the popular knowledge of the longevity of Ford cars.

That Ford products have been quite evenly distributed throughout the United States is borne out by the fact that through the sparsely settled communities in the West to the densely populated cities in the East, practically the same ratio of Ford cars and trucks to population exists.

Ohio leads with a total of 290,769 Ford cars and trucks in daily use; Illinois comes second; Pennsylvania third, Texas fourth, and Michigan fifth, with a total of 234,081. New York, Iowa and California follow in the order named, each having more than 200,000.

An idea of the important part played by Ford cars and trucks in the daily transportation of goods and persons in the United States can be gained by realization of the fact that with the Ford cars now in operation, averaging a minimum of 5,000 miles per year each, they would pile up a total of twenty-five billion transportation miles—



So extra delicious With fresh fruits

No other food has such an appeal on a hot day as Kellogg's Corn Flakes! They win fickle appetites, they satisfy hungry folks! As an extra-summer taste thrill, eat Kellogg's with the luscious fresh fruit now in season. Such a diet is not only ideal from a health standpoint, but it is refreshing!



You can eat Kellogg's Corn Flakes liberally at any meal because they digest easily. Let the children have all they want.

Insist upon Kellogg's Corn Flakes in the RED and GREEN package that bears the signature of W. K. Kellogg, originator of Corn Flakes. None are genuine without it!

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and krumbled

Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

THE MEASURE OF A MAN



is the way his cloths fit him and become him. You will look and feel every inch the man, as the poet puts it, when you wear our tailor-to-measure garments. Our Clothes are in a class by themselves. We are prepared to take care of all

CLEANING AND PRESSING

until our modern equipment arrives, so just phone 420, when you want satisfactory work. All work called for and delivered.

HARRY LEES

ANYTHING IN TAILORING
Phone 420—195 E-Second Street
Suits Made to Measure Dry Cleaning and Pressing

FOR SALE!

5-acre Oil Lease near McDowell No. 1; 5 acres near Read No. 1; 5 acres near Sand Hill No. 1; 5 acres near Neal No. 1; 5 acres near Roberts No. 1.

Make Me An Offer
WM. F. SULLIVAN
228 5th Ave., McKeesport, Pa.

GET MY ESTIMATES ON CONCRETE WORK

Sidewalks, steps, curbing or any old thing in concrete. All work guaranteed, Phone Wyoming Hotel or see me. **BOB BOWEN**

equivalent to more than a million trips around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Ashley and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moon, Mrs. Jno. P. Watkins and Raiford Roberts enjoyed a fishing trip at Iatan last Sunday.

Insect powders. In spray guns for a dime.—Cunningham & Phillips.

W. P. Edwards made a business trip to Midland Wednesday.

E. P. Teale of Garden City was a business visitor here Tuesday.

George Hatch left the first of the week for a visit with relatives in Waco and Lorena.

Pierrette: The fastest selling face powder... You know why... Cunningham & Phillips.

We make prompt delivery to any part of the city with grocery and fresh meats. Pool-Reed Co.—Advertisement

For Taxes

of Texas vs. O. P. Heldell et. al. L. Lemmons, Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas, will sell at public sale at the Court House door of said County in and on a judgment entered in cause No. 257 for delinquent taxes, in amount of \$11.97 and for costs hereof, and make deeds to purchasers of said land. 34-4t

W. L. LEMMONS Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas.

For Taxes

of Texas, vs. J. R. Hastings, et al. L. Lemmons, Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas, will sell at public sale at the Court House door of said County in and on a judgment entered in cause No. 258 for delinquent taxes, in amount of \$47.25 and for costs hereof, and make deeds to purchasers of said lands. 34-4t

W. L. LEMMONS Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas.

For Taxes

of Texas, vs. E. E. Willingham, et al. L. Lemmons, Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas, will sell at public sale at the Court House door of said County in and on a judgment entered in cause No. 259 for delinquent taxes, in amount of \$46.25 and for costs hereof, and make deeds to purchasers of said lands. 34-4t

W. L. LEMMONS Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas.

For Taxes

of Texas, vs. J. H. Jones, et. al. L. Lemmons, Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas, will sell at public sale at the Court House door of said County in and on a judgment entered in cause No. 258 for delinquent taxes, in amount of \$46.25 and for costs hereof, and make deeds to purchasers of said lands. 34-4t

W. L. LEMMONS Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas.

of sale issuing out of the District Court of said County in and on a judgment entered in cause No. 257 for delinquent taxes, in amount of \$11.97 and for costs hereof, and make deeds to purchasers of said land. 34-4t

W. L. LEMMONS Sheriff of Glasscock County, Texas.

The public knows that we don't advertise a remedy unless we know it's GOOD

LAX-SPIRIN

the LAXATIVE Aspirin is the best Aspirin you can take.

Cunningham & Philips
In Business for Your Health

Day Phone 291 ; ; Night Phone 92

DR. OTTO WOLFE
LICENSED VETERINARIAN

East Second St. Big Spring, Texas 9-12t-pd.

Mrs. F. Wynan returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where she had been to accompany her daughter, Mrs. Owen Jones and daughter, Clara Lee, to their home after a two weeks' visit in this city.

Quite a few who had been wishing for showers to moisten the surface of the ground and aid growing crops had their wish granted Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson of Eastland have been visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Gordon Phillips returned Wednesday morning from a visit with relatives at Baird.

R. B. Hood of Coahoma was here Tuesday to attend Memorial services.

Sheriff W. L. Lemmons was here Tuesday from Garden City.

Claud Houston of Stanton was a visitor in our city Tuesday.



Wiped Out!

Such a report after a fire has a frightful sound. Home owners have no excuse for negligence in insurance matters.

Service plus a policy in the Hartford Fire Insurance Company means fair and full payment of losses.

CALL ON THIS AGENCY

Piner & McNew
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

De Molay for Boys

Teachings—Not to use profane language; respect for parents; pay honest debts; defend the virtue of young girls. De Molay teaches mighty good doctrine. The true De Molay's word is just as good or a little better than his bond. De Molay teaches it's votaries to be good, upright, just and true, not only in the letter but in the spirit of the understanding in dealing with all mankind.

The De Molay's held a splendid meeting Sunday afternoon. About fifty-two young men were present. The following speakers made splendid talks to the boys, Rev. Ben Hardy, Judge J. T. Brooks, and Mr. Holmes. Brother Clarke gave them instruction that he received in Dallas. We will meet again next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. We want every boy that wants to become a De Molay to be present. All Masons and Ladies of the Eastern Star are cordially invited to attend our meetings.

Revival Services at Church of God

A Home Revival started at the Church of God in Jones Valley Wednesday night with a good attendance. This meeting will continue on thru Sunday week according to present plans, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. W. S. Hancock is in charge of services which are held each evening at 8 o'clock. Day meetings may be arranged for next week, announcement to be made at the church Sunday. Come and bring some one with you.

Eat Dinner With Baptist Ladies

The Ladies Aid of the First Baptist Church will serve a big dinner at the Creath Mattress factory building in the Bauer block Saturday June 3rd. Dinner will be ready at 11 a. m. and from then until 1 o'clock you can find a fine meal ready for you.

Bring the folks and enjoy a dandy dinner Saturday and help a worthy cause.

Miss Minnie Bellah left Tuesday evening for Colorado to take charge of an apartment house she recently purchased in that city.

BUY A FORD—
and spend the difference
Henry Ford.
—Advertisement.

A Surprise

'Twas with a deep sense of gratification I noticed from last week's issue of The Big Spring Herald that Decoration or Memorial Day, May 30th, would be observed in our city this year.

Ever since coming to the place I had grieved that no attention was paid to the day, and now hailed with real joy the opportunity to go and join in doing honor—primarily to soldiers, but also to all others who have finished their task of contributing in one way or another to the improvement of the country or the uplifting of humanity.

May 30th dawned clear and bright with the air cool and balmy enough to entice many out of doors.

Surely the Lyric would be thronged and later the cemetery filled with loyal friends, to hear, or sing, or help decorate graves. Although starting reasonably early I feared that there would not be standing room to hear the programme. Imagine then, the surprise, at finding only a mere handful of people present! How the mind traveled back over war days of the near past, when "our boys" were in training or "over there" enduring hardships, heartcrushing loneliness, or illness, and waiting, or fighting bravely for the loved ones at home. How eagerly we watched for news from the front and how we pledged to love and honor those boys throughout life! Were we, on this day set apart to honor them, remembering our pledge of those stressful days? In his speech Judge Brooks modestly emphasized the point that they were paying homage to the memory of the ones who did not live to get back. No doubt the audience in general felt that homage was due as well to those who returned, and 'tis to be hoped that on the programme next year will be someone in position to pay a just tribute to the splendid Captain Brooks and all the rest who went or longed to go.

Are we not, in failing to take the children and fittingly join in honoring Memorial Day, missing a fine opportunity for teaching some of the greatest lessons of life? In his Chautauqua lecture a few evenings ago Dr. Hagerman told us the littleness and falseness of the idea which some have that "This world owes me a living." We owe a vast debt to God and humanity for the freedom of our beautiful land and the wonderful privileges and opportunities we enjoy. These things were bought with a great price and each person living owes it to our predecessors to pay the debt of gratitude by remembering what has been done and each contributing his best to the advancement of his country. All wish to be loyal and patriotic, no doubt. Some were unable to be out and were quite justifiable in remaining away. Some have not become accustomed to the observance of the day, and do not realize what it may mean in the way of character building. I am only an unpretentious citizen, yet deep down in my heart is a strong conviction which must be voiced, that our country will be stronger and better and richer in its life if we properly observe Memorial Day each year. The children will take pride decorating or clearing off a grave or in some other way honoring the memory of some one who has lived and wrought and this will inspire them to a nobler living and the emulation of worthy examples.

Why not all be ready and make a great occasion of the day hereafter. Do you not think we should fear fellow citizen?

A Homelover.

Last Day of Chautauqua

The big Chautauqua program which we have been enjoying the past week comes to a close tonight—at which time Laurant, the great Magician, will be the entertainer.

The program by the children this morning was one of the pleasing features of the Chautauqua program.

C. D. Read has been a business visitor in Wichita Falls the past few days.

Chautauqua This Week

The past week has been Chautauqua Week in Big Spring and large audiences have been in evidence at the Chautauqua tent each afternoon and evening to enjoy the fine lectures, readings, singing, and music, the delightful plays and other attractions. Many out of town people are to be noted attending this year, quite a few from adjoining counties, indicating that the Chautauqua spirit is reaching out. More and more are becoming aware that we are fortunate in being able to secure such great lecturers and such high class entertainments; but it is only possible by reason of the cooperative Chautauqua plan. Chautauqua is said to be the most American thing in America. Chautauqua is intended to be a community builder—to bring the people closer together. It's up to us to make Chautauqua popular. If we let jazz and dog fights become popular, our young people will flock to jazz and dog fights. But if we make Chautauqua popular, our young people will be guided by the high standards they strive for, and get higher aims in life. Good, clean attractions, men and women with a message to the real people—programs that feed the mind and heart, are the class that the Chautauqua presents.

It is to be noted that our Chautauqua goes over bigger each year and with less effort on the part of those who guarantee its coming. The present Chautauqua is certainly pleasing the audiences—of course not every program will please everyone—but taken as a whole this year's program has been one of the very best according to the general opinion.

As a result of Chautauqua it may be possible that the Chautauqua Committee may be able to make a donation of something like \$800.00 towards securing an auditorium and swimming pool for Big Spring—so you see it has been worth something to the old home town in addition to providing good, wholesome entertainment for our young folks and older ones as well.

In Honor of Prof. Blake Vanleer

J. W. Ward entertained a few friends with a picnic supper at the City Park, south of town, Tuesday evening, in honor of Blake Vanleer, assistant Professor of Electrical and Hydraulic Engineering of the University of California at Berkeley, California, who was here for a few days visit with Mr. Ward. Mr. Vanleer is a former resident of Big Spring and a graduate of our High School and this delightful occasion was arranged by Mr. Ward as a little reunion in honor of Blake.

Thirteen spring chickens were barbecued to a turn, and with Worcestershire sauce, toast, pickles, olives, cheese, fruit salads, cake, ice tea, and lemonade as fillers, a feast fit for a king was enjoyed. It was indeed a happy event and one that host, honor guest, and all attending will pleasantly remember for many a day.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Shick and daughter Lillian, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Northington and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hurt, Misses Mabel Ricker, Nell Hatch, Mary Johnson, Spencer Leatherwood, Lillian Frances Gary, Reba Orenbaum, Louise Wheelton, Kathryn Thompson of Fort Worth, Miss Daphne Barnes of Corsicana; Prof. Blake Vanleer of Berkeley, B. E. Horton of Brownwood, J. W. Ward, E. C. Sanderson, Rupert Ricker, Robt. Middleton, Dr. G. T. Hall, W. G. Hayden, enjoying this occasion.

For Rent

Ideal bed room, southeast exposure, beautifully furnished, adjoining bath, to one or two gentlemen. Convenient to business district. Also two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping to couple. It-1d

Eggs—Eggs—Eggs

We pay cash for them. P. & F. Co. Rev. J. W. Harrison returned Thursday from a visit to points east.

Baptist Notes

We had a good Sunday school last Sunday although quite a number were absent on account of its being the beginning of the summer vacation. We hope that by next Sunday all these absentees will be rested enough to come and fill their places in Sunday school and also in the church service.

Some of our teachers and officers are leaving town and some who have been away are returning. Mr. and Mrs. Reid are among those whom we will miss. Mr. Reid's splendid work has been mentioned. Mrs. Reid also is a valuable worker and has won many warm friends among us. Having a big, loving heart and a high sense of duty she sees things to do and sets about doing them. Whether the task at hand be waiting upon the sick, visiting strangers, teaching, or presiding over a meeting she does it with ease and grace, pleased that she can be of service. Capable, sympathetic and consecrated she will add to the working force of the church wherever she goes.

After an absence of some weeks, spent in Georgia, Mrs. Gary, Superintendent of the Juniors, is to be with her department next Sunday. Now Juniors, come, one and all, to S. S. Greet Mrs. Gary with good lessons and let her know how glad we are to have her at home again. Mrs. Holmes has been acting Superintendent during Mrs. Gary's absence and her splendid talks and well arranged exercises have been indeed profitable.

Mrs. Reagan is welcomed back by her class, and into the various phases of the work after a protracted visit in southern Texas. While away she attended the Organized Class Convention at San Antonio.

At the eleven o'clock preaching hour last Sunday the Pastor brought a great message, taking as his text Jno. 20:22, "What is that to thee? follow thou me." Miss Ricker sang by special request Mr. Excel's hymn "A Little Bit of Love."

At the conference which is to immediately follow the prayer meeting next Wednesday evening a S. S. superintendent is to be chosen, and other matters are to be attended to, so a full attendance is urged. How truly happy all church people should be that with the frequent going and coming of members, the Lord is ever present and we may always honor Him with our best efforts. Upon the church is the responsibility of carrying on His work—let each one be ready to do his part.

The Ladies Auxiliary will hold their regular business meeting next Monday at 3:00 o'clock at the church.

Remember the Sunday school at 9:45 Sunday morning, and the preaching service at 11 a. m. and again at 8 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all not attending elsewhere, to be present.

Methodist Notes

Last Monday week our W. M. Auxiliary met at the "Y" and while the attendance was not nearly so good as usual, it was still a very pleasant Circle meeting. We had a good program, and were served a delicious salad lunch. The fourth Monday is always Circle day and we meet that one Monday at the "Y." It would save the leaders of the various groups of the Circle quite a lot of phoning if every one would remember to come without any further invitation than the announcement each month.

Our Sunday school had 356 present the past week. The Men's Bible class continues to grow. Mr. Mannel has extended an invitation to the women to visit the class this Sunday, for a joint lesson period, and needless to say it was immediately accepted. We urge both men and women to make an extra effort to be present in this class—held in parsonage.

Our District Conference meets at Sweetwater on the 7th and 8th. If you are planning to go, even for one day, let Bro. Hardy know. This is the meeting that was postponed in April. Our Auxiliary District meeting will be held here about the 27th of June.

Monday at 4:00 the Auxiliary will meet in business session at the church. Let all the women who possibly can be in their places. Bring some one with you.

Men wanted to represent one of the largest poultry farms in America. Work in your home territory. Splendid position yearly for the right party. We small towns; loafers and city slickers prefer men who live in the country or need not apply. State paper you saw ad. Address Beatty's Red Farms, Box 212, Fort Wayne, Indiana. 31-1f (Advertisement).

Mrs. Roy Pharr visited Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Jackson this week, enroute to El Paso where she will make her home.

Don't do without your drugs. Phone 25. We are at your service. We deliver. Ward's.

Mrs. W. P. Kerschner of Palestine arrived Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Copeland.

Watch repair work done at Ward's, the Rexall store.—Advertisement.

It's A Dandy

Everyone Will Enjoy

"Marion of the Lady Letty"

A George Melford Production with

Rudolph Valentino
And Dorothy Dalton And A Great Cast



Monday and Tuesday
JUNE 5 AND 6



Dorothy Dalton and Walter Long in the Paramount Picture "Moran of the Lady Letty" A George Melford Production

This is a sea tale where a girl finds herself in a crew of cut-throats.

A tale of slant-eyed smugglers, roving Pacific seas! A daredevil man-girl who beats them. A soft society dandy, shanghai and made a man.

See the murderous mutiny! See the burlesque schooner race with death and blow into the bay! See the battle for love and treasure in Magdalena Bay! Then shimmering over this age background, see the fashion, lure, and beauty of a world that lives on pleasure until—

A picture that sails thru a thousand theaters also showing

Aesop's Fables and a Snub Pollard Comedy

You are assured your money's worth and then some

Admission 10 and 35 cents

Cheer up! Talk cheer!

Mrs. L. T. Fletcher and children of Lamesa are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. R. C. Strain left last Friday for Cherokee, Kan., where she will spend two months on a visit to her father.

Miss Fae Fletcher returned Tuesday from Abilene for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fletcher.

B. A. Troutman who has been working as electrician in wiring the T. & P. shops here since October, 1921, left last week for Dallas.

R. L. McCamant of El Paso a business visitor here this week.

Mrs. Anderson Bailey left for the week for a visit with her father.

Don't want it all you can get your grocery and produce from F. & F. Co.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Nettie Cottle and family of San Jose, California arrived for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Holmes and family.

A train consisting of about 100 cars with cattle enroute from New Mexico to Wichita Falls thru this city this morning.

Do You Want To Sell Your Property?

If you list your property with HERBERT H. SLAUGHTER to get quick action. We are in a position to handle farms, ranches, city property and oil leases and royalties.

We are in Touch With People Who Are Able to Buy Your Property!

If you have property you wish to sell fill in the following to get quick returns.

I herewith list the following described property with Herbert H. Slaughter to be sold at price and terms stated herewith, and agree to pay five per cent. of the sale price for his services.

City No. _____ Block _____ Trp. _____ County _____
 Number Acres _____
 Improvements _____
 Price _____
 Terms _____
 Signature of Owner _____

FILL OUT AND MAIL TO

HERBERT H. SLAUGHTER
 LAND AND LIVESTOCK COMMISSION BROKER
 BIG SPRING, TEXAS

Are You Dressed for June?

June, July and August—the hot months—call for clothes that keep you cool.

Genuine "Palm Beach" Suits

are preferred by good dressers everywhere for summer wear. Stylish in every line, wonderfully tailored, made to give long service; these suits are extremely moderate in price.

The Newest Spring Straws: Sailors, Panamas, Bankoks. Knit Ties, Soft Colors. Athletic Underwear. Make your selections now while our stocks are complete.

IF IT'S NOT GOOD, WE'LL MAKE IT GOOD

GARY & SON

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES & GRAIN

BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS

BIG SPRING HERALD

BY JORDAN & HAYDEN



\$2.00 A YEAR IN HOWARD COUNTY
 \$2.50 A YEAR OUTSIDE COUNTY

Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice, Big Spring, Texas, under Act of Congress, March 8th, 1897.

Big Spring, Friday, June 2, 1922

Business Again Normal

As a whole, business is normal. We have reached the bottom of the abyss. Now for a steady and determined ascent. Pluck, perseverance and an honest effort will win; it always has and it always will. Conditions are with us and a good crop will see us over the top.

We thought we were worse off than we were. Is not that often the case? Some may think today we are worse than we actually are. It is time to stop dwelling on what might have been and think more of what shall be. Planning and work accomplish wonders. Only be sure that the energies are properly directed and then drive ahead.

The great prosperity of this country led the people to dizzy heights. They became intoxicated with their abundance. It is said that continued excessive speeding brings on auto intoxication. Perhaps the people, because of the fast pace they are traveling, got a sort of auto intoxication. Anyhow they became possessed with the idea that they could continue indefinitely at the fast pace they were traveling and when they ran up against a stone wall they got quite a jolt and had to come down to earth with a thud. That is really what made them feel so badly, for they were not really so very bad off. They just suffered a shock and it took a little time for them to recover their equilibrium.

The anticipations of the people were too great; they expected too much. They knew that millions of people in the world were suffering privations, but could not realize it because prosperity in this country appeared so firmly rooted that it could not be overcome. It is said that a certain man in New England was so prosperous that his wealth became a burden to him and he prayed to have the burden removed, and it was. He died in poverty. The wealth of the people in the time of their great orgy may not have become a burden to them, but it was used wastefully and so Providence called a halt.

The recent depression did not affect Texas as it did other states. Texas indulged in a certain amount of fast pacing, but kept their heads comparatively well. There was less unemployment in Texas cities than in industrial centers elsewhere. The merchants appear to have been generally rather foresighted and, while they had to take losses just as did others when prices slumped, yet they had looked ahead sufficiently to keep those losses to the minimum. And now prosperity has again appeared and the people are sane and sensible and the world smiles brightly.—Fort Worth Record.

Secretary Robstown Chamber Resigns.

Robstown, May 28.—B. H. Meskimen, secretary-manager of the local Chamber of Commerce for the last fifteen months, recently tendered his resignation, effective June 15, after which date he will move to Rosenberg, Texas, where he has accepted a position as secretary-manager of the Rosenberg Business League. His successor has not been chosen, but directors of the local chamber state every possible effort will be made to continue the work of the organization with the least practicable delay. Much good work has been accomplished by the local organization under the efficient management of Mr. Meskimen, and local citizens are very reluctant to see him leave for other fields.

Readjustment of the wages of approximately 400,000 maintenance of way employes of the railroads of the country, effective July 1st in accordance with decreases in the cost of living and wages in similar outside employment since the decision of the board last July, was provided for in a decision by the United States railroad labor board the first of this week. The decision is expected to reduce railroad payrolls about \$48,000,000 per year and to reduce the pay of the majority of the maintenance of way men 5 cents per hour, but other classes of employes were given a smaller cut.

Mrs. A. M. Evans and granddaughter Miss Ada Lingo, Miss Dorothy Lomax, R. L. Price and Edmund Price left Saturday for Dallas, making the trip via auto. R. L. and Edmund Price returned Tuesday in R. L. Price's new Nash touring car.

Miss Fairy Shafer of Vincent was a business visitor here last Friday.

Poultry Fine for All West Texas Farms

West Texas is an ideal country for the poultry industry. It should be, and is fast becoming, one of the main crops. Drouth does not affect the poultry industry. You have an ideal climate, produce your own feed and have plenty of range. Because of your wonderful range turkeys should be raised in herds and a herder employed to care for them. This alone will yield the country thousands of dollars. You have some railroads already, and others in sight that insure quick transportation to market. The Fort Worth & Denver railroad saw the splendid possibilities of the poultry industry in this section of the state when they "stood at attention" and granted practically every request and suggestion of its agricultural agent, when he organized and featured the special poultry demonstration campaign last January and February. This was one of the most systematically conducted agricultural campaigns ever promoted in this state. The fact that a railroad company spent several hundreds of dollars on a poultry campaign is sufficient evidence that the poultry industry has passed its infancy and is worthy of the attention of the best business brains of the country.

All up and down the Fort Worth and Denver-Wichita Valley line, bankers were ready with various propositions to promote the poultry industry.

Just last year in the city of Plainview, the Hub of the Plains, there was shipped out \$600,000 worth of poultry. This was \$100,000 more than the aggregate of the wheat crop.

If I understand the work of the Chamber of Commerce it is not only to promote the various business interests of the city, but its responsibility reaches to the boundaries of the country in which the city is located. In agricultural states such as ours the success of the business man depends altogether upon both the yield and marketing of the farm crops. Since it has been proved that poultry is a cash crop, ranks with other crops you cannot do a greater work for your city and county, and one that will yield as great a per cent of gain for the amount of money invested than to encourage and promote campaigns that will stimulate this industry.

A successful poultry winning campaign is composed of links. Each link represents a seasonable campaign. Since a chain is no stronger than its weakest link each link should be systematically planned and efficiently promoted. The links or campaigns might be a "swat the rooster" campaign, "infertile egg," "culling" campaign, a "more and better poultry" campaign, "community and county egg poultry show." Perhaps an appropriate motto would be "Say it With Poultry."

A "Swat the Rooster" campaign, an "Infertile Egg" campaign at the present season would mean a saving of thousands of dollars to West Texas. This should be followed by a strenuous culling campaign in the fall. Weed out the "star boarders" and keep only the producers for the breeding pen next year. Culling campaigns in the various states have done more to interest people in standard-bred poultry than any other one thing. It is a winner every time.

A "More and Better Poultry" campaign should be launched in January and February. A plan to furnish standard-bred eggs to everyone interested should be operated.

The climax both financially and educationally will be the county and community fairs which include exhibits of both eggs and poultry. That is where we learn what is a good or bad product. Sales are made and interest stimulated for next year's poultry crop.

But some one or more organizations must assume the responsibility of starting the work. Why not that one be you?

Do you want to make more money in West Texas? Well, the hen, better housed, better fed, better culled and bred, is the surest, quickest and most economical short cut.—By Miss Myrtle Murray, Poultry Specialist, Extension Service, A. & M. College.

A Joke on the Rabbit

A rural delivery man was carrying a live rabbit to a purchaser in the nearby town. When he was about half way there the rabbit escaped. The mail man began to laugh uproariously.

Passenger—"Say, what's the joke?"
 Mail Man—"That fool rabbit is running off and he doesn't know where he's going. I've got the address in my pocket."

"Give me the man who can hold on when others let go; who pushes ahead when others turn back; who stiffens up when others weaken; who advances when others retreat; who knows no such word as 'can't' or 'give up'; and I will show you a man who will win in the end, no matter who opposes him, no matter what obstacles confront him."
 —O. S. Marden.

For Rent

Three unfurnished rooms, with private bath, for rent. Phone 96 after six p. m. 54-1f



How About the Future?

Suppose you should fall sick or suffer the misfortune of an accident? What better

INSURANCE

can you have than a bank account? This bank welcomes your account, whether large or small.

We Pay 4 Per Cent on Time Deposits

PROGRESSIVE SAFE LIBERAL

The First National Bank

OF BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS.

THE OLD RELIABLE

You'll Find

Our store a mighty fine place, not only to secure anything in the line of Drugs, Druggist Sundries, but also a place to save money.

We sell for CASH and therefore can sell for LESS. Remember too that only highest quality goods are handled in our store.

Get your latest Magazines here, we carry a complete line.

Bring your Prescriptions to us—satisfaction assured.

Phone 87 J. D. BILES Big Spring DRUGGIST

Corner Main and West Third Streets

Gem Barber Shop

BARLEY & WARREN, Proprietors.

1st Door South of First State Bank
 Big Spring, Texas

BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION

We Lead—Others Follow

If You Have Not, Try Us. We Please Good Service

CITY BARBER SHOP

Courteous Workmen—

Satisfaction Guaranteed

—Give Us a Trial

BATTLE & INGLE, Proprietors

119 Main Street

Big Springs, Texas

Mighty Good at Arithmetic

We're mighty good at arithmetic, if solving car problems can be classed as such. We don't have to "toot our own horn" to the people whose cars have undergone treatment here. They toot it for us. But you who have wasted \$11 worth of clothes and \$96 worth of disposition trying to fix your own car, when we could do it for a dollar or two, you are the fellows we are talking to.

There is nothing so good but what it could be better—and we are trying to improve our methods right along. Bring the old bus in and let us diagnose the case. The operation may be a minor one, whereas you think she is about ready to croak.

BLANCK'S GARAGE

Phone 129 BIG SPRING, TEXAS 403 Main Street

Read the Herald for local news. Subscribe today.

TABULAR STATEMENT

of J. L. Prichard, County Clerk, of the Indebtedness, Expenditures and Receipts of Howard County, Texas, for the Quarter ending January 31, 1922.

JURY FUND. First Class

	Dr.	Cr.
Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 2,494.03	
To amount received during Quarter.....	898.44	
By amount paid out during Quarter.....		299.71
Amount to balance.....		3,092.76

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2nd Class

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 3,392.47	\$ 3,392.47
To amount received during Quarter.....	3,092.76	
By amount paid out during Quarter.....		3,245.59
By amount per et. Commission on amount received	5,544.94	2,299.35
Amount to balance.....		37.36
		9,526.47

GOOD ROAD FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 31,563.83	\$ 3,563.83
To amount received during Quarter.....	9,526.47	
By amount paid out during Quarter.....		\$ 29,106.97
Amount to balance.....		179,914.26

GOOD ROAD BOND FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 209,021.23	\$ 209,021.23
To amount received during Quarter.....	\$ 11,898.51	\$ 2,160.28
To amount transferred from other Funds.....		8,417.96
Amount to balance.....		1,320.27

HIGHWAY FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 1,746.87	\$ 1,746.87
By amount paid out during Quarter.....		5.12
Amount to balance.....		1,741.75

NEW COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 17,172.62	\$ 5,544.94
Amount to balance, overdrawn.....	531.51	\$ 531.51

GENERAL COUNTY FUND. 3d Class

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 1,186.26	\$ 1,186.26
To amount received during Quarter.....	2,199.85	
By amount paid out during Quarter.....		2,436.24
Amount to balance, overdrawn.....	2,422.65	
	\$ 4,622.50	\$ 4,622.50
By Balance.....		2,422.65

ROAD BOND FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	\$ 8,096.18	\$ 17,876.00
To amount received during Quarter.....	1,494.85	\$ 17,876.00
By amount transferred to other Funds.....		
Victory Bonds.....	22,000.00	\$ 22,000.00
To amount received during Quarter.....	703.38	
To amount transferred from other Funds.....		99.58
Amount to balance.....		17,776.42

OLD COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND

Balance last Quarter.....	44.06	\$ 45.41
To amount received during Quarter.....	1.35	
Amount to balance.....		45.41

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Howard
 The foregoing is a true and correct Tabular Statement of the Finances of said County for the Quarter ending the 31st day of January, 1922.
 Dated at Big Spring this 22 day of May, 1922.
J. I. PRICHARD
 County Clerk Howard County, Texas.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of February, 1922
JAMES T. BROOKS
 County Judge Howard County, Texas
 Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court of Howard County, Texas, at Big Spring this 14 day of February, 1922.
JAMES T. BROOKS
 Presiding Officer of Commissioners' Court.
 ATTEST:
J. I. PRICHARD (SEAL)
 County Clerk Howard County, Texas.

WHEN YOU NEED
Best Wood and Coal
PHONE 64
Big Spring Fuel Company
 Perce & Howell, Proprietors
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

EAGLE "MIKADO" Pencil No. 174

 For Sale at your Dealer
 Made in five grades
ASK FOR THE YELLOW PENCIL WITH THE RED BAND
EAGLE MIKADO
EAGLE PENCIL COMPANY, NEW YORK

H. C. Hudson and family left Tuesday morning for their home at Dalhart. Miss Thelma Crawford accompanied them and will spend a month or more at Dalhart.
 F. G. Stokes returned Saturday from Dallas where he had been to attend the Ford Round-up—held in connection with the Durbar celebration.

Go to the
Tourist Rooming House
 For Nice Comfortable Rooms.
 Phone 35
 or Call at 500 Main Street
Mrs. G. W. Wheeler, Proprietress
 Kleas tooth paste, 25c tube. Ward's

Better Farmers' Towns

Recently I saw a man pass on horseback carrying a bale of hay home. It made an impression upon me. I do not know the circumstances and am not criticizing the man for not producing his own hay. He may be a newcomer. There may be sufficient reasons for his "shopping" in town to feed his team. My motive is to recall and to emphasize the importance and the proper use of the towns.

What would we do without the towns and cities of the Southwest? Here is a man who must go to town to get a bale of hay and carry it out horseback. There are thousands of farmers who must stop the plow to go to town, not only for feed, but for the necessities for their own families. And before cotton, rice, truck, fruits, feed crops and other crops we grow can be converted into money we must take them to town—very little is sold to neighbors. What we eat and feed at home is a small part of what we raise. What would become of us and our families if there were no towns? What kind of farming could we do without towns in reach of us?

It is quite true that our grandfathers existed without towns. But could we? would we?
 Some farmers are so much in love with the towns that when their debtors close them out they move to town. Others go there to make money; a few to send their children to school—many under the impression or belief that town people do not have to work.

Seriously, the town is just about as important as the country. As farmers we could scarcely live without business men, under our present system, they could not live without us. We as farmers and townspeople are mutually helpful to each other and largely dependent upon each other, under farming and business methods of today. Who would have it different?

But do the towns appreciate the source of their wealth? Do business men who have prospered because farmers have patronized them and enabled them to build up a good business? Some of them do not. Some value their own services too highly. Some show very little cooperation. Some do not realize that unless the farmer takes the risk, bears the toll and endures the pain, business is not prosperous, nor can the town man have good schools and provide comforts, opportunities and pleasures as well as educational advantages for his family, without farmers' services.

Some towns even discriminate against farmers' selling their products on the streets, forgetting that every dollar the town liberates is a potential dollar to build both town and country. Some business men of the towns, though there are few, buy farm, orchard, garden, canned stuff, that farmers, their customers, produce, from a distance, thus sending money out of the country and depriving themselves and other merchants as well as farmers, of cash.

Pity the people, both townspeople and country people, that have time and waste it fighting or to selfishly seek advantage of the other. No wonder there are "tumbled-down towns" and rural communities "gone to seed."

But many towns—mine is one of them—extend cooperation. Townspeople and country people are neighbors and friends. They work together for markets, for roads, for better business in farming, as well as better town business. What a bright future for such people! Every year better business is possible, as all learn their own business, and each learns how to improve his business relation with the other—Jolly Rover in Farm and Ranch.

City life is contributing more to the heroic characteristics of humanity than any other thing. If motorists continue to be reckless and laugh at the law, it will not be long before the man, woman or child who can summon the courage to cross a street during the rush hours will be a candidate for the honors paid only to heroes extraordinary. Much is said about the hardihood of the pioneers. After all they had an easy time of it. All they had to do was to fight Indians, and take a chance now and then of getting scalped. The city dweller takes many chances every day of being injured by speed fiends who scorn the law. It will not be long before the man who can cross the street without the slightest sense of fear might intrepidly scale Mount Everest, defy death in an airplane, or become a steeple jack—Kansas City Journal.

"The government was able to donate twenty million dollars for relief in Russia, extend a five-million-dollar loan to Liberia and give millions to Northwestern wheat growers, but it seems unable to do anything for destitute farmers in the South."—Representative Garrett of Texas, expressing disappointment over House's refusal to furnish free seeds to destitute farmers in flooded districts of the South.

BATHING SUITS, BATHING CAPS . . . WE FURNISH EVERYTHING BUT THE WATER. . . . CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

WORLD'S GREATEST FINANCIER SAILS



OTTO H. KAHN, expert on taxation and leader in the world of national and international finance, waved a cheery good bye to a few friends when he sailed for the other side last week. His mission? Mr. Kahn makes it a practice never to talk "before the fact." He discusses accomplishments.

Fear

Lady Conan Doyle, wife of Sir Arthur, who created Sherlock Holmes, professes to believe in Spiritualism, and one of the doctrines of Spiritualism is that "Fear" is all nonsense; a relief of barbarism and a shackle that enslaves the human mind.

She is raising her children to be absolutely unafraid. There are no "boogers" to get them, or lurking foes in the dark room. A little later on they'll be taught that death is a beautiful sleep, an evolution, the passing of the human soul to a higher and better world.

I don't know anything about Spiritualism, but I do know that most "fear" is a creation of the imagination. The things that we fear most never happen. The impending disasters never occur, the lurking foes never spring, the sword of Democles never falls.

I remember when I was a small boy a story was circulated to the effect that a panther had been heard in the neighborhood. No one had ever seen it, but a great many knew it was there. The story went its round, as such stories will, and grew with each telling, as such stories are wont, and it came to pass that my little world was populated with panthers. They were everywhere, in my room in the yard outside my window, in the barn, in the trees on the roofs, everywhere.

I was sent for the cows one evening, to a pasture about a half mile from the house. I walked cautiously, though the sun wasn't down yet, looking for panthers—and I found one. He was as big as the side of a barn and had the most blood-curdling roar. Yes! He actually roared!

When I fell into the kitchen door I was all but dead. I was scared half to death, and had run so fast that I had taxed my strength. Finally when I gained my voice I said one word, "Panthers!"

The whole house was up in arms immediately. Taking guns and dogs they went to the cow pasture to seek out and kill the terrible monster. Ere this he might have disemboweled all the live stock. It was a frightful situation. Money was scarce and live stock was indispensable on the farm!

Suffice to say they didn't find the panther. When I was able to go about again, they took me down to show them where I had seen him. Much to my chagrin, only a huge burned stump was where the panther had been before. It was years later before I figured out what made the roar. I was in the pasture one day and a sheep, with a mouth full of grass bleated. It sounded just like my panther of another year. Knowing that we had sheep in the pasture at the time, I'm sure my panther was made up of a burned stump and a sheep with a mouth full of grass.

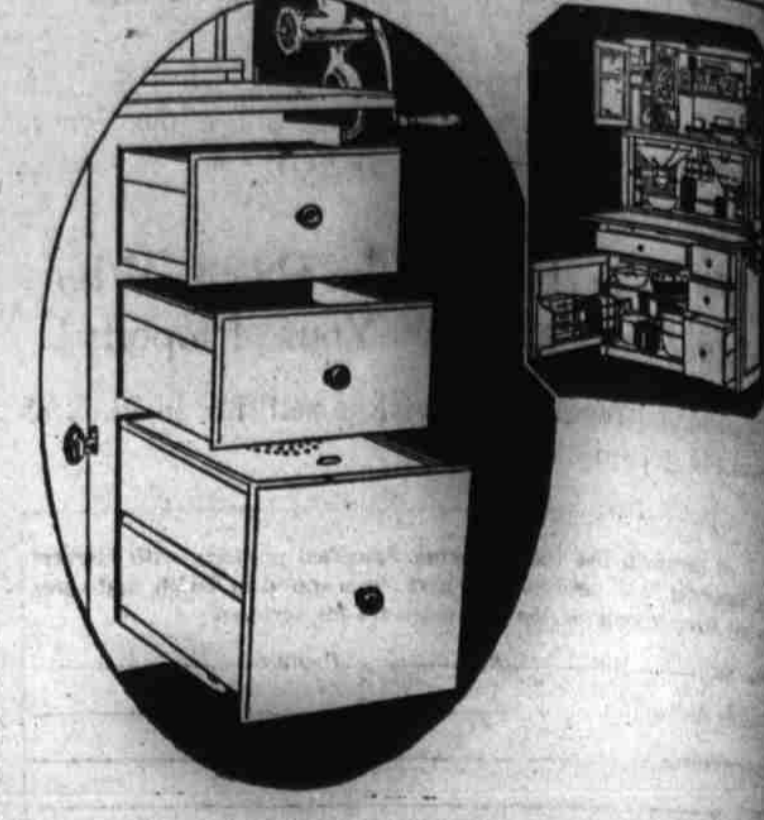
Most fear is about as sensible as my panther—and it scared me almost to death!

More power to Lady Doyle. Like Abou Ben Adhem, may her tribe increase when it comes to eliminating fear from the education of children.—W. D. Trotter in Southwestern Machinery.

There are more distillers in Kentucky than there were ten years ago, but the gentlemen of the old school will be remembered kindly for superior ability.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Invariably, false ideals send us on the hike for worthless ambition.

HOOSIER SAVES MILES OF STEPS



Don't Let Kitchen Work Wear You Out!
Get Your Hoosier Now
PAY LATER

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



Summer Excursion Rates
EAST--WEST--NORTH
THE LOWEST IN YEARS
 Long Limits--Liberal Stop-overs
 See your local agent or write to
GEO. D. HUNTER, Gen. Pass. Agent
DALLAS, TEXAS

LOOK US UP
 when in need of
WOOD, COAL or KINDLING
COW FEED and CHICKEN FEED
 We handle everything in this line.
Phone 271
NALL & LAMAR
Big Spring, Texas

J. A. Kinard, national organizer of the Farm Labor Union, was here this week from Bonham for a visit with hometalks.
 Mrs. F. F. Gary returned Sunday night from a visit in Macon, Ga.; stopping at Dallas for a visit with her son, McCall Gary.
 Mrs. B. H. Settles and little daughter left Monday for Austin. Her daughter is attending the State Deaf School, will accompany her to her home as school closes next week.
 Mrs. J. M. Garrett returned from a two weeks visit with her son and friends at Longview.