

The Memphis Democrat

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RAILROAD FIGHT PLAN OFFERS

DENVER ESTABLISHES PERMIT TO BUILD

WORTH, March 22.—"All the world will be used by the Denver Railway in its opposition to the Examiner Boles of the Interstate Commerce Commission favoring the construction of the Texas, & Gulf Railway to West. Holden, president of the Denver, in a telegram received by F. E. Clarity, vice president and general manager, recommended that the T. P. be given six months to finance the Holden characterized as Boles' conclusion and relations in his report as "revelations in that although the Fort Denver has, after its long published its contentions that Plains country is entitled to a line of railroad that public requires a line of railroad that country to the southeast, denied its permit to furnish unless and until others had the opportunity and

MEACHAM DRUG COMPANY

Bassine of Paris, Texas, and Tarter arrived from Long California Thursday night. Tarter says that he heard of the Memphis all along the coast of the Tucson, Ariz. and N. M., papers both carried news about the present and progress of Memphis. He was by far the cleanest and most town he had seen between Beach and Memphis. Meacham Drug Co., and will be glad to welcome Mr. and Tarter back to Memphis.

MEAT COMPANY MAKES IMPROVEMENT

fourteen foot display counter installed the early part of this at the Gardner Meat company. of the Automatic Brecold Refrigeration system type and is of the most modern machinery. The front is of enamel panels, the glass section being equipped with electric and reflectors, throwing the meats in the case where are perfectly cooled and "Wild Bill" Kesterson and Chief Gardner, composing firm, are two wide-awake businessmen, and when there is anything manufactured in their line of business, it will be added for the pleasure of their patrons.

GIDDEN FOR HALL COUNTY CLERK

The Democrat is authorized to announce the candidacy of Arthur Gidden for the office of County Clerk of Hall county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. Gidden, having lived in the county for 19 years, is too well known to need introduction to the voters. He has been a gin bookkeeper for the past seven years, and qualified for the office he is asked at the hands of the voters. He has never asked for a party office, and want the people to know their neighbors about me—they

COLLINGSWORTH CO. POULTRY ASSOCIATION

will hold its show to be held at Wellington, Wednesday and Thursday, March 7 and 8. You will find a welcome here, says the county agent of Collingsworth county. Brings your entries open 8 a. m. close at 4 p. m. April 7.

JONES BABY DIES

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones, 9 miles southeast of town, died Thursday morning, March 25, and will be buried this afternoon in Fairview cemetery.

METHODISTS TO BEGIN REVIVAL NEXT SUNDAY

We are sorry that health conditions have not improved as much as we had hoped, but we will begin our revival Sunday at 11 a. m. to continue two weeks. It is time we are waking up to the realization that Godliness is profitable, having the promise of life that now is and that which is to come.

In the time of trouble, all believers in God go to Him for aid.

Brother, is it right to neglect Him when all is well with us? Think it over.

We want the cooperation of every body. Rev. Gattis of Clarendon will do the preaching and you will hear good gospel sermons every service.

Come up to the help of the Lord against the mighty.

C. E. Jameson, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. T. Miller, Pastor

There will not be any preaching at the Baptist church for the next three Sunday evenings on account of the Methodist meeting. The pastor is urging every member of the Baptist church to attend the Methodist meeting and help to make it a success. Memphis needs many things but the one great need now, is a revival that will reach the entire town. If you would boost Memphis then, boost this coming meeting and give your presence and support towards making it a far reaching meeting.

We shall have preaching at the regular hour Sunday morning. It is hoped that every member will be out for Sunday morning's services. Last Sunday proved a very good day. The Sunday evening congregation was fine. We are expecting our evening crowds to grow in interest and numbers on account of our good choir and splendid orchestra.

Let all of us be at the Methodist church for the night's service. There will be a place in that meeting for everyone of us and let us find it and help win the lost of our town to Christ.

MAIN ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Only ten more days until Easter. Will each member of the church read at least one chapter a day in Matthew, Mark, Luke, or John of the history of His Passion Week.

Brother Rogers will preach Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject: "Some of the Promises of Jesus, Made on His Last Trip to Jerusalem." Evening subject, "On a Trip Through Acts."

Junior C. E. at 3 p. m.

Brother Rogers will preach at Giles Sunday the 28th, at 3 p. m.

MISS BERNICE GUTHRIE GIVES SLUMBERLESS PARTY

Miss Bernice Guthrie entertained five of her girl chums last Friday with a trip to Parker Creek after which the party returned to the home of Miss Guthrie and enjoyed a 12 o'clock supper. The rest of the night was spent in frolic. A sunrise breakfast was enjoyed after which the girls departed proclaiming Miss Guthrie an entertaining hostess.

Those present were: Misses Lucy Hudgins, Catherine Easterling, Margaret Garnett, Frances Joy Tomlinson and Lois Clark.

OLD MAIDS CONVENTION IS HIT

The ladies of the Methodist church missionary society played "The Old Maids' Convention" at the high school auditorium last Tuesday night. A large crowd was present and enjoyed the event very much. Some of the characters were exceptionally good.

LADIES AID HAVE MEETING

The ladies aid of the Christian church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. G. Gardner at her home on South Sixth street. Twenty members being present. This was their second meeting since organization. Much important work is being planned by the new organization.

IT SEEMS TO ME

Psychologists say all men are affected by either wine, women or gayety. Seems to me most of them are affected by all three.

ESTELLINE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVE AND HAS SPLENDID BANQUET

OVER TWO HUNDRED MEMBERS PRESENT; SEVERAL INSPIRATIONAL TALKS ARE MADE BY PROMINENT VISITORS

The Chamber of Commerce of Estelline last Tuesday night pulled off one of the best banquets ever held in this part of the country. There were more than 200 present, and outside of a few visitors, those in attendance were members of the organization of that city.

Estelline chamber boasts of 225 members and about half of them are honest-to-goodness dirt farmers. They recently had a membership drive with twenty men on a side—the losers to pay for the banquet, and the feed Tuesday night was the outcome of the drive and it cost the losers something like \$8 each. But they are not kicking, for they feel that the event was well worth the money to themselves and their community.

The banquet was spread in the Curry Green storage room, which had been emptied of the cars, and tables made. The ladies of the Methodist church prepared the banquet and served it in fine style. And say boy, Estelline has some splendid cook as well as an up-to-date citizenship.

Curry Green, mayor of Estelline, was toastmaster and presided with ease and proficiency. The Paul James Orchestra furnished music for the occasion and after the feeding was over, Porter A. Whaley, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was introduced and delivered an address on the work of chamber of commerce organizations and the growth of West Texas. He said, "One doesn't have to go to the big cities to get a big crowd at a chamber meeting. A town needs a chamber of commerce when there is a difference in what a town is and what it ought to be. The population of West Texas has increased in five years more than 250,000 and more than 80 per cent of the gain went to the farms. We have counties in West Texas whose scholastic population is now more than the entire population five years ago. People are not so much interested in how many people has your town; but what kind." It was a masterly address and well delivered.

Judge McCoy, tax-assessor for the Denver Road, was then called upon, and brought forth many cheers when

he said, "I am authorized by Hale Holden, president of the Burlington System, to say that we have in no way lost hope and believe we will get to build the line out of Estelline as at first outlined. We have spent more than \$300,000 making surveys and other preliminary work in good faith. We are railroad builders and build good railroads. The fight has just commenced. Watch us, we are going to build."

L. T. Hunter, county agent of Childress county, spoke on the subject of dairy cows on very farm. He said that any farmer with a dairy cow and two dozen hens to each member of the family never has to buy groceries on the credit. "You had just as well take the Cross out of Christianity as to take the cow, sow and hen out of agriculture," he said in closing his speech.

George Sager, secretary of the Memphis C. C. and spoke for a few minutes upon the need of diversification.

Dr. Carroll of Turkey said, "You have been talking about cows and chickens, but I want to talk Turkey." He told of how Turkey is growing and doing her part to build a greater Hall county.

Fred Haskett, editor of the Childress Index, told Estelline people that the gas line would soon be built through there from Childress to Memphis.

Elam Wright of Estelline told about coming to Estelline 36 years ago when it was all open country and the railroad had just been completed. He looked out over a vast expanse of country covered with luxuriant grass, and wild turkeys, wild cattle, wild rattlesnakes, etc., were roaming at will, and said, "Some day we'll have a good town at Estelline."

R. L. Erwin, secretary of the Estelline chamber, then made a short talk and dismissed the gathering.

The Estelline chamber of commerce is to be congratulated upon doing some constructive work. Fred Landers is there now installing a newspaper plant and hopes to be able to issue early in April. His coming is the result of the first work of the Chamber of Commerce.

MR. AND MRS. EARL JEFFRIES ENTERTAINED LAST WEEK

Thursday evening, March 11, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jeffries.

A three-course dinner was served and between courses Mrs. George Greenhaw and Mrs. Elmer Shelley rendered several piano numbers. Mrs. Jeffries gave a reading and Mrs. Shelley toasted the honorees.

Following the dinner progressive 42 was enjoyed for an hour by the following: Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Young, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Keeling, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenhaw, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shelley, Miss Lena McLearn, Mr. Henry Yarbrough.

Monday night Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Harrison entertained for Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries with a two-course luncheon and progressive 42. The above named guests were also present at this occasion with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Young.

BAPTIST W. M. S. HOLD SOCIAL MEETING

One of the most unique social events of the Baptist W. M. S. was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Vernon Williams with Mesdames Williams, Vernon Jones, Jet Fore, B. Baldwin, Combest, Smith, and Gillis as hostesses. A missionary pageant portraying the different countries passing within our gates was carried out. Mrs. Owen gave a reading in keeping with the subject, after which an ice course was served to about 40 guests.

Rev. J. T. Hicks of Wellington was a visitor here Tuesday.

LOCAL MAN DIES AS RESULT OF TAKING POISON

A. H. Young, age 40, barber at the Johnson Bros. Barber Shop, died Tuesday at his home in this city as a result of having accidentally taken a large amount of poison. He had been ill during the day and went home from the barber shop in the afternoon to take some medicine. Going to the medicine cabinet he picked up a bottle, which he thought to be Sal Hepatica, and took an exceptionally large dose. He suddenly became ill and a physician was summoned. Upon investigation it was found that Young had taken sodium flouride, a deadly poison.

All efforts to revive the man were futile and he died at 7 p. m.

The deceased is survived by a wife and five children.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at the King Undertaking parlors and interment made in Fairview cemetery.

G. W. Chapman, brother of Mrs. Young arrived Wednesday to attend the funeral.

MRS. L. G. PERKINS DIES WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Perkins, age 37 years, wife of L. G. Perkins of this city, passed away at their home in Memphis on Wednesday about 3 p. m. The body was shipped Thursday morning to Bowie, Texas for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and their two children, a daughter 13 years of age, and a son 10, moved here some five weeks ago from Quanah, Mr. Perkins accepting a position with the Gardner-Stallings Candy company of this city. Mrs. Perkins had been in bad health a number of years and took seriously ill just a few days ago.

Mrs. Perkins' mother came from Hollis to be with her and accompanied the family to Bowie. Mrs. Sid Jones, of Amarillo, sister of Mrs. Perkins, came Wednesday evening and returned to her home the next morning due to illness in her own family.

Water works to lay larger mains

J. D. Browder, owner of the Memphis water works, has ordered several car loads of pipe which he will use in laying on the streets to be paved, before paving begins. This pipe will be four-inch and will take the place of the smaller mains now on the streets. He is doing this in order to give better service and at the same time will save having to take up the paving in years to come to lay the mains.

MEMPHIS I. O. O. F TO AUSTIN

The following Memphis and Hall County citizens attended the state meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at Austin last week: W. E. Hill, delegate; J. S. Alexander, D. H. Roberts, Mrs. G. H. Hattenbach, Memphis; D. S. Lyon, delegate, Earl Owen, Mrs. W. E. Murdock, Plaska; C. H. Gregory, delegate, Eli; L. H. Byrd, delegate, Mrs. Wallace, Lakeview. There were others but we were unable to learn their names.

BATES ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bates entertained with a six o'clock dinner on Saturday night of last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries, who are moving to Panhandle to open up a store. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries departed Tuesday for Dallas where they will visit for a few days before going on to Panhandle.

HICKS-SPARKS

Mr. Grady P. Hicks and Miss Sophronia Sparks were united in marriage by the Rev. E. T. Miller, Wednesday afternoon, March 24. Both are prominent young people of this city who have many friends here who wish them happiness in wedded life. They plan to make Amarillo their home.

JUP PLUV. VISITS HERE SUNDAY

Last Saturday night and again Sunday night Jupiter Pluvius showed up with some good showers, making a total rainfall of more than half an inch.

1925 COTTON CROP BREAKS HALL RECORD

COUNTY RANKS TWELFTH IN STATE WITH OVER 60,000 BALES OF COTTON

The preliminary report of the Department of Commerce, made public March 20, shows that the 1925 cotton crop of Hall county was the greatest ever raised in the county, and ranks with the leading cotton counties of the state. The 1924 crop totalled 58,793 bales, while the 1925 crop totals 60,281, an increase of 1488 bales.

Collingsworth county produced 42,730 bales in 1924 and 40,125 in 1925.

Childress county produced 43,189 bales in 1925 and 33,481 bales in 1924.

Donley county produced 16,012 in 1924 and 24,789 in 1925.

Here are the figures of the eleven counties that lead Hall:

County	1925	1924
Collin	91,443	98,113
Dallas	62,030	65,061
Ellis	79,182	122,241
Fannin	76,637	76,587
Grayson	64,176	74,835
Hunt	74,940	65,297
Jones	71,272	57,297
Kaufman	71,253	65,855
Lamar	73,439	67,537
Navarro	75,089	84,003
Runnels	71,288	53,276

Of the above Fannin, Hunt, Jones, Lamar and Runnels showed a gain over 1924.

Wilbarger, which nearly tied Hall in 1924 with 58,170 bales, fell to 49,978 in 1925.

Hall county made her sixty thousand bales in spite of several destructive hail and early freezes. No telling where she would have stepped had those things not occurred.

With an overproduction of cotton in 1925 in the world, and the likelihood of farmers planting as much this year, ten cents per pound will be a big price this coming fall.

The cow, sow and hen, with plenty of feed and forage crops to balance the cotton crops, seems to be the very best way out this year.

ORGANIZE GREEN BELT GOLF ASSOCIATION

The following members of the Memphis Golf Club were in Quanah Tuesday and Wednesday taking part in the organization of what is to be known as the Green Belt Golf Association. The following were delegates from the Memphis course: T. E. Noel, R. S. Greene, E. Forgy, and R. V. West. The Green Belt Association as formed will comprise some four or five counties and will reach from Clarendon on the west to Electra on the east. The following officers were elected: R. R. Gilliland, president, Quanah; Bruce Gibson, vice-president, Vernon; J. D. Hughes, sec-treas., Quanah. The executive committee was elected as follows: T. E. Noel, Memphis; W. W. Anderson, Vernon; M. T. Cochran, Altus, Okla.; R. R. Gilliland, Quanah, with one other yet to be selected.

On Wednesday the tournament was played and in addition to the names mentioned above were Sam West, J. C. Ross, T. H. Deaver, and Frank Foxhall. Sam West was the runner-up for all prizes. He was awarded the grand prize for low score, also first prize for visitors shooting lowest score. The Memphis boys made a regular play ground of the green on the Quanah course.

ELDER KENNEDY GETS BIRTHDAY SURPRISES

Last Saturday being the 65th birthday anniversary of C. H. Kennedy, minister of Seventh St. Church of Christ, a number of his congregation held a surprise party at the home of his son, Claude Kennedy, at which time he was presented with many presents.

He thought this would be the only surprise; but no, the next day the members of the church and their families attended church, and when services were over announced they had all brought their dinners and spread same in honor of the minister's birthday. Surprised again.

BROOME AND FRANKS SHIPPED A CAR OF HOGS TO FORT WORTH MARKET LAST TUESDAY

Broome and Franks shipped a car of hogs to Fort Worth market last Tuesday.

American Forestry Week, April 18-25 To be Observed

BY PHOEBE K. WARNER

How big is the United States? That question is for the school boys and girls of Texas to answer. Our government experts who are studying the forestry conditions in America tell us that the land area of the continental United States is 1,900,000,000 acres. That does not include Alaska. They tell us also that so long as the Indians reigned supreme and no white man ever stepped over the ocean to develop the country that of all these millions of acres of land 822 million acres or 43 per cent of all the land area of the U. S. A. were covered with forests.

Originally there were three great regions in the United States. One region extended from the Atlantic Ocean to the head waters of the Mississippi River on the north and down into eastern Texas on the south. Another region covered the Puget Sound territory extending southward to California and east across the Cascades and Sierra Mountains. The third region covered the Rocky Mountains and the great plateaus to the Southwest. The rest of the country was plains, prairies, swamps, marshes and deserts, with a few trees following the streams and river beds. Such was the United States in the making.

In those forests were about 500 different kinds of trees. Nature loves variety. Of all these trees about 100 varieties have proven to be of great economic value for building materials. And a few species are valuable for food. And now one of the big problems of our government is to know what to do about our forests. When there was not a white man or a home in this country a little more than 400 years ago, there were 822 millions acres of timber land all ready planted, grown up and waiting for the use of a new nation. Today only 400 years later, with 110 million people to be sheltered and educated there is left in our nation not over 135 million acres of forest that have not been cut over. However there are still about 470 million acres available for forests, if properly cared for. To get things down to where every school boy can remember it easily there is about 40 per cent as much timber land in the United States today as there was 200 years ago. And this is going faster every year than the cut-over areas are being reforested.

The big question is what will the people do for homes and furniture and fuel and paper a hundred years now if this extravagant use and waste keeps up and nothing is done to rebuild the forests? There is another question bobs up also. It is more of a question of conscience than finances. And that is, what right has any generation of people to use up materials of God, planned for all the people of all ages? American Forestry Week means more than to go out in the back yard and plant a little shade tree just for fun.

How many of us ever stop to think of our debt to the trees? Look at these figures compiled by the American Tree Association: "The United States uses about 23 billion cubic feet of wood every year. Forest fires and insects destroy 2 billion feet more.

"Every four years enough news print is made for a strip as wide as a daily paper and long enough to reach to the sun and back.

"North American with one-twelfth of the world's people uses almost half

New Way to Stop Night Coughing

Simple Method Brings Quick Relief

For almost instant relief from hacking, irritating, sleep-robbing night coughing there is a very simple treatment which, often with a single dose, stops all irritation and permits sound sleep the whole night through.

This treatment is based on the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take one teaspoonful at bed time and hold it in the throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly removes the phlegm and congestion which are the real cause of night coughing. People who have not slept well for nights are often surprised how quickly this simple method checks coughing and banishes the entire cough condition completely.

Dr. King's New Discovery is for coughs, chest colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Fine for children as well as grown-ups—no harmful drugs. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for



of the timber consumed in the world. "Five million trees are cut annually for telegraph and telephone wires, five million fence posts are used every year in the U. S. A. In 1924 an area almost as large as the State of New York was burned over by forest fires. The average annual loss by forest fires is estimated at 500 million dollars.

"The railroads of our country use 13 million new wood ties every year. There are about 3000 to the mile. "We are using and destroying our forests four and one-half times faster than we are replenishing them. Don't forget the fact.

There are at this time 81 million acres of idle land in this country that should be put to work growing trees. How much of that land is in Texas?

The American Forestry Week committee of Washington suggests that a program to be given during the week of April 18-25 by every woman's club, every business man's club, every luncheon club, the big consumers of forest products, the schools, the press, the wholesale and retail lumber trade, the outdoor societies, the Boy Scouts, and every other group of people who depend on trees for the blessings and comforts of life.

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION RESOLUTION

Resolved that the selling price of the Confederate Memorial Half-Dollar be increased on and after April 15, 1926, from the present selling price of one dollar per coin to the price of two dollars per coin, and that the Executive Officers of the Association are hereby authorized and directed to give widespread publicity through the press and otherwise to the action hereby taken.

COTTON GRADING SCHOOL

We will open a first-class Cotton Grading school on Monday, May 3, 1926 and continue every day for six successive weeks.

This school will be in charge of M. C. Cope, a man who has been grading cotton for the larger firms for the past seven years. Every man who grows cotton should be able to grade his own crop. If you are interested, you should make reservation now as our room is limited.

We are also giving a discount of 40 per cent off our regular price to those who enroll on or before Tuesday, June 1, 1926, for Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typewriting and all courses for the summer months.

For full information, address: CHILDRESS COMMERCIAL CO. CHILDRESS, TEXAS. 39-6c

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following names are announced subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July:

For Representative 121st District. C. LAND

For District Attorney, 100th Judicial District: HARWOOD BEVILLE

For District Clerk: G. R. TROTTER D. H. ARNOLD

For County Judge: S. A. BRYANT T. L. COLVIN A. C. HOFFMAN

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following names are announced subject to the action:

For Representative 121st District.

For County Attorney: JOHN M. DEEVER

For Sheriff: J. H. ALEXANDER S. A. (Sid) CHRISTIAN D. N. BEAVER FRANK COX

For County Clerk: MISS EDNA BRYAN ARTHUR GIDDEN

For County Treasurer: A. W. (Bill) GULL J. M. WILLBORN J. B. LANDIS

For Tax Assessor: BAILEY GILMORE

For Tax Collector: J. H. (Henderson) SMITH

For County Superintendent: W. A. THOMPSON H. W. KUHN THEODORE SWIFT

For Commissioner Precinct 1: J. B. BURNETT

For Commissioner Precinct 2: A. R. McMASTERS C. J. NASH

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3. MED BARTON B. T. PREWITT

For Justice of the Peace Precinct 1: R. N. GILLIS

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: H. CLEVE EVANS B. J. ELLERD H. B. BENNETT JNO. M. HULL F. L. SWIFT

For Public Weigher Pre. 3 Estelline: M. E. CHANDLER STEVE EDWARDS W. A. STEPHENSON JESSE L. McCOLLUM J. L. (Lee) RICHBURG W. BEE BENNETT J. R. COWAN HENRY NIVENS JOE MARCUM

Hulver Hints

(Too Late For Last Issue)

Tuesday night the first of the Lyceum numbers was rendered at the school house by the Memphis Band. A splendid program of popular music was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. S. G. Hinton and children motored to Memphis Sunday to be present at the services by Dr. Groner of Dallas at the First Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McDaniel of Eli spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips.

Friends of Mrs. Mollie Austin and family were sorry to learn of her death in New Mexico last week. Flu and pneumonia was the cause of her death. Mrs. Austin was the sister of L. D. Stout, and wife. They with other members of the family attended the funeral services and burial at Childress.

Little Thomas Kirkland is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Roy L. Guthrie of Memphis and Mrs. J. I. Kendricks of Amarillo were down Friday and reorganized the PTA. Interesting talks were made by both. They will meet again Friday night.

Lloyd Phillips made a business trip to Memphis Monday.

Miss Lucille Edwards returned from Anton, where she enjoyed an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. John Gilbert.

The Missionary Ladies met with Mrs. C. W. Newton, Monday afternoon. The reds entertained the greens as they were defeated in a memory contest, after the regular Bible study. A short program was rendered by their eds. Mrs. J. B. McAdams won the prize for answering the most Bible questions and Mrs. J. W. Phillips the prize for cutting out the most perfect animal from a photo. The hostesses served milk chocolate with ice cream and white layer cakes.

HALL COUNTY FARMER HURT

Clarendon, March 21.—A. F. Tipton, farmer of Hall county, narrowly escaped death near Clarendon Saturday night when the car in which he was a passenger crashed into a truck.

An artery in Tipton's face was severed by glass from the windshield, which caused him to bleed profusely before a doctor could be summoned.

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TEXAS TALKS

MENTAL TESTS FOR CHILDREN

WESLEY PEACOCK, PH. B.

In many cities all children upon entering school undergo mental tests to determine not only what grades they should enter, but also how much class work they can do.

In many schools there are three officials to examine all pupils: a psychiatrist, or mental doctor, to determine whether the child is normal in its mental life; a welfare worker, to determine whether the child lives under normal social and home-life conditions, especially as to sufficiency of food, recreation, diet and labor, a medical doctor, to determine whether the child enjoys normal health. By health is meant good digestion, good circulation of the blood, good teeth, and normal working of the glands of internal secretion.

These mental tests have been standardized by universities, and are now used in every state to determine not what a child has done, but what he can do, if he wants to. The tests are believed to measure indirectly the child's native capacity to learn, to do, and to study; so that the teacher may diagnose a boy's case in school just as the family doctor may diagnose his case in bed. The difference is in the method employed. The teacher asks him not to stick out his tongue, but to answer certain simple questions not dependent upon schooling, but on general intelligence.

The French educator, Binet, about 25 years ago hit upon methods to determine the intelligence of children, of defective minds, so that, when classified, they might be taught in special classes by sympathetic teachers trained in school room methods for retarded pupils. It was found that many dull pupils could do one

grade in two years instead of one, or could carry special subjects for which they possessed an aptitude, leaving off others that were not needed. There is no longer any need of a child's burying his talent as in the Bible story.

(Note—Parents and teachers desiring advice in the solution of personal problems may address the writer in care of this paper, and enclosed stamped envelope for confidential reply by mail. Peacock News Service).

WHAT FOOLS MEN SHOW AT PALACE

Acceptance of a featured role in First National's new production, "What Fools Men," was Shirley Mason's first act on her liberation from a contract which for the last five years has given her services exclusively to William Fox.

Miss Mason likes the sensation of being able to choose or reject whatever material is tendered her so well that she has decided to remain a "free lance." She refused to affix her signature to several nice, long-term contracts offered her by producers and took her time—some two months—to decide among seven roles offered her on the new basis, finally picking the First National role as presenting her most auspiciously in her new "free lance" guise.

"What Fools Men," is booked for the Palace Theatre for next Tuesday.

We are the only Grocery store in Memphis giving Gold Bond Saving Stamps. Womack's Grocery. Phones 262 and 600. 32-1f

Get your chick starter and other feeds from W. P. Dial's Grain House.

Custom Hatching 3 cents per egg. Memphis Poultry Farm. 37-1c

American gas and oil at Albert Gerlach Station No. 2. 36-1f

Brice Breezes

Mr. Harper was in Memphis last Saturday.

The Goldston community presented a play here Saturday.

Mrs. N. A. Hightower entertained the young folk Friday night at the Methodist church. Everyone reported a very pleasant time.

Rev. Evans held services Sunday. Rev. Walton will hold services next Sunday.

Luke Pittman has been very sick with the mumps.

The high school pupils are preparing a play.

Mrs. Grady has purchased a new car.

MANY INDIANS IN BRAVEHEART

Some forty full blooded Yakima Indians, including several Chiefs, appear in Rod LaRocque's new star picture, "Braveheart," which will be on view at the Palace theatre next Friday, March 26.

The Woodman Circle meets at Public Library every Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. There will be gifts for members. All members urged to be present. Reporter. 36-1f

Don't take a chance with cold, croup and flu. Use Copeland's Quinine Flu Balm. For sale by your druggist. Copeland Drug Co. Estel-line, mfrs. 31-1c

OWN YOUR HOME

You pay rent each month—that much of your earnings is gone. You pay out your home in monthly installments with our Loan—that much is invested and saved. Your Loan is reduced each month. Good pre-payment options and low interest rates. We also make loans to take up vendor's lien notes—to build or buy a home.

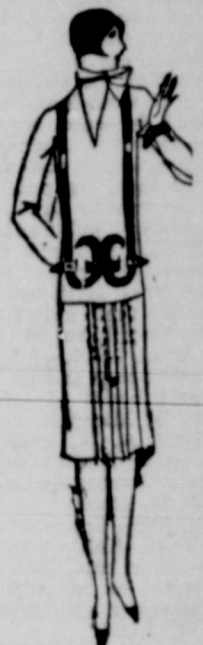
DUNBAR & WATSON

Pre-Easter Sale of Smart Spring Dresses AT REMARKABLE SAVINGS

Specials for FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

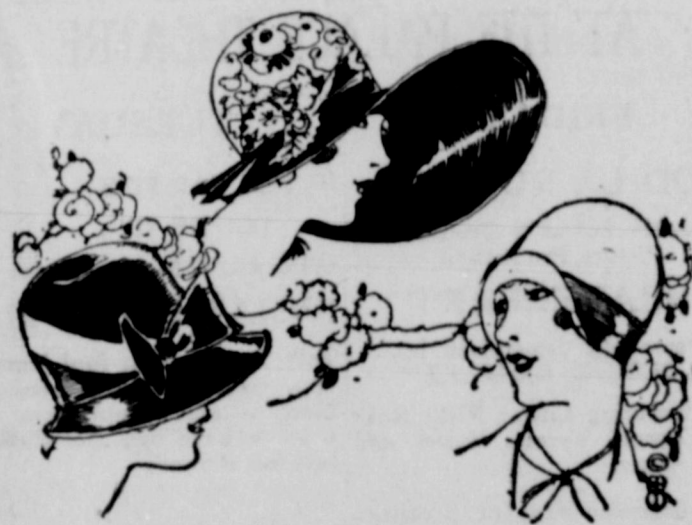
—Our entire stock of ladies dresses has been priced to sell at once. Lightsome fabric and tailored style combine with decided charm in these new dresses. They are exceptional values selling at

\$5.95 and \$7.95



Spring Hats for \$1.95

This remarkable price will not suggest the smartness or the desirability of these hats. They are hats you will take pleasure in wearing. See them before they are gone.



FAIN & COMPANY

5c, 10c, 25c and \$1.00 Department Store

Draughton's Business College

Wichita Falls, & Abilene, Texas. A Good Position—a big salary is what counts on the road to success. We quickly train you for a good position in a bank, wholesale house, mercantile establishment, and the like, and secure position for you. Coupon will bring SPECIAL information. Mail it today.

Name _____ Address _____

Jot Down This Number— Phone 316

It is worth remembering in a case of sickness or accident at home when First Aid Remedies are needed, or there's a Prescription to be filled.

We handle only first class, fresh, pure drugs. You will appreciate our Prompt Service.

COLORITE—For old and new straw hats, satin, silk and canvas slippers. Anyone can use it. 15 different colors.

Thompson Drug Store

Prescriptions carefully compounded by registered Pharmacist

MASONIC TEMPLE—PHONE 316—FREE DELIVERY

HONOR AWARDS

Boy Scout Court of Honor conferred several merit certificates and one second class certificate, at a monthly meeting last Monday, which was held at the Presbyterian church. An interesting and impressive ceremony is given in the giving of the certificates, and a number of parents and visitors were present. However, there should be a full of people at these sessions. Parents of Boy Scouts should show as much interest in their own boys as the workers are showing.

Washing easy by using Snowflake Washing Powder. For sale at Womack's Grocery. Phone 262 and 34-1c

LOOK! when you are ready to purchase those implements it will pay you to see those good ones at Memphis Hardware and Implement Co. 35-1f

TAYLOR-TOT!



TAYLOR-TOT with seat adjustable in height is always just the right size—it grows as your baby grows. Head up, chest out, legs straight—That's the way TAYLOR-TOT teaches him to walk. Through this wonderful invention TAYLOR-TOT is fitted to your baby—no straining, no unnatural positions. TAYLOR-TOT will not upset. The wide-seat wheels and scientific construction prevent it. The roomy back support, partly closed at the sides, prevents baby from wiggling out, and with the rubber padded ring holds him comfortably and securely. The wood handle is lacquered but not painted—a safe teething surface. Rubber tired, ball and roller bearing wheels respond easily and noiselessly to the slightest push. Rubber bumpers front and rear protect your furniture. TAYLOR-TOT is strongly built—to last. Handsomely finished in red enamel (the color your baby likes best), ivory trimmed, plus one coat of Valspar varnish, giving it a surface that is sanitary and easy to clean. TAYLOR-TOT is also an ideal go-cart, and a practical, easily handled Coaster-Car. For the GO-CART—Simply slip into the sturdy coupling under the seat, the collapsible tongue (a Taylor-Tot accessory) and TAYLOR-TOT becomes a go-cart.

REMEMBER OUR SPECIAL \$1.00 SALE, SATURDAY, MARCH 27, STARTS PROMPTLY AT 9:00 O'CLOCK. BE ON TIME AND GET YOUR CHOICE ARTICLE.

MOORE Hdw. & Furniture Co.

Southwest Corner Square

MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Phone 397

Hulver Hints

Lloyd Phillips has purchased a new Ford coupe. Miss Ruth Leary spent the week-end with homefolks at Estelline. The P. T. A. program rendered Friday night to a very small crowd. Parents, wake up and come out and help the school. Mrs. S. G. Hinton and children attended church at Estelline Sunday. Lee Wheeler, Mrs. L. Phillips and Miss Irene Cunningham motored to Memphis Saturday. Miss Mary Noel visited with home folks the past week end. W. A. Frazer is completing a residence and store combined. It is quite an addition to our little community. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Newton entertained the young folks with a social at their home Thursday night. Phillips and Clifton Gin closed Friday for the season having ginned 2040 bales.

Orville Finch of Dalhart, was here this week attending to business and visiting relatives. A car load of four inch sewer pipe was received by the Holt Plumbing company last week. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Boswell and son, Harry, visited their son, Ben, who is attending Roswell Military Institute, several days the past week. They report Ben getting along nicely.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

The State of Texas: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hall County, Greeting: Mrs. Bessie Peterson, administratrix of the estate of J. C. Creach and wife, S. C. Creach, both deceased having filed in our County Court her final account of the condition of the estate of J. C. Creach and wife, S. C. Creach, both deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration, you are hereby commanded that, by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Hall, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April term, 1926, of said county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county, in the city of Memphis on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1926, and this account and application will be considered by said court on the 21st day of April A. D., 1926. Witness, Edna Bryan, Clerk of the County Court, Hall County, Texas, Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in the city of Memphis this 25th day of March A. D. 1926. EDNA BRYAN, Clerk County Court, Hall Co. Texas. A true copy I certify: J. A. MERRICK, Sheriff, Hall County, Texas.

At The Gem Theatre

"When Better Pictures are Made— We Will Show Them."

FRIDAY— "Sun Up" with Conrad Nagel, Pauline Starke and Lucille Laverne. Also Fox comedy. And added attraction: "Toby's Country Store" SATURDAY— "The Desperate Game" featuring Pete Morrison. Feature day for Toby's country store. See display in theatre lobby. MONDAY & TUESDAY— "Where Was I" featuring Reginald Denny in the biggest comedy drama of the season. WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY— Colleen Moore in "Through the Dark," also the "Fighting Skipper."

The Palace Theatre

Playing the Pick of the Pictures Program.

FRIDAY— "Braveheart" a Cecil B. DeMille production with Rod LaRocque and Lillian Rich. Comedy "Good Morning Madam." SATURDAY— "All Around the Frying Pan" with Fred Tomson and Silver King. Comedy "Should Sailors Marry" MONDAY— "The Million Dollar Handicap" with Vera Reynolds and Edmund Burns. Pathe Comedy and Fables. TUESDAY— "What Fools Men" featuring Lewis Stone and Shirley Mason. Comedy "Love and Kisses" WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY— Pola Negri in "Woman of the World." Comedy "Waiting"

SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INSURANCE CO., Dallas, Texas

C. A. REYNOLDS, Agt. Office Hall Co. Nat'l Bk Bldg Memphis, Texas

Miss Clara Ballew came in Saturday morning from Abilene and spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Ballew.

Clark's Cream Lotion for sore hands, chapped skin. It heals and soothes the skin. Guaranteed. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Clark Drug Co. 32tf

The Austin College Glee Club and orchestra gave a splendid program Thursday night. A large crowd was present and enjoyed each number.

We are still doing a good business on the east side of the square and saving the people money. Memphis Hardware Co. 37-tfc

T. E. Harrell and wife departed for Dallas Saturday morning where Mr. Harrell will be under treatment of a nerve specialist for a few weeks. Make washing easy by using Snow White Washing Powder. For sale at Womack's Grocery. Phone 262 and 600. 34-tfc

John Ward, employe of Rube's Cafe, sustained a broken arm when he fell from a ladder while decorating the interior of the cafe last week.

Make your money bring dividends. Buy your gas and oil where you get Gold Bond Trading Stamps. McMurry Service Station. 38-tfc

W. M. Nelson of Brice and R. L. McDaniel of Oklahoma were callers at the Democrat office Tuesday. Mr. Nelson has purchased a garage at Brice.

I want to repair your ice boxes and furniture of all kinds. Also do paper hanging and painting. All work guaranteed. Phone 616. B. F. Hardy. 39-1c

"Shake" Davis bought 70x140 feet from the J. C. Lofland estate, in the west part of town and will likely build a residence on same at an early date.

SUITS—\$26.50—Everywhere \$40. Come and see them whether you like us or not. No friendship in business. Price and quality is the thing. Herod Tailor Shop. 39-1

Banker John Sharp and J. W. Owen of Turkey, were in the city Saturday. They were very much enthused over the railroad prospects for that city.

Save money when you buy gasoline and oil. McMurry Service Station gives Gold Bond Trading Stamps with every purchase. 33-tfc

Mrs. W. D. Ott returned Friday night from Amarillo where she has been at the bedside of her father, M. H. Miller, who is greatly improved at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brewer and family departed last Friday for Denton to visit their daughter, Miss Marcelle, who is attending C. I. A. They will also visit relatives in Arlington.

Jack Figh and Bill Huddleston departed Tuesday night for Louisiana where they will take charge of a man being held there by the authorities for having removed mortgaged property from Texas.

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Mrs. Dan Rutledge and son Dan, Jr., of Dallas, have been in the city several days visiting Mrs. Rutledge's brother E. T. Kelly. Mrs. Rutledge will be remembered as Mrs. Aline Gribble.

Come in and buy your Easter dress. I have a number of patterns already here, 21-2, 3, 3 1-2, 4, and 4 1-2 lengths. Rayon silks take the lead. 50c to \$1.75 per yard, in popular colors. Mrs. N. C. Herod 39-1

H. W. Stringer has purchased the 70x150 foot lot at the rear of the Citizens State Bank from Dr. E. H. Eoaz. Mr. Stringer is yet undecided as to when he will begin building, but will no doubt begin during the summer.

The ladies aid of the Christian church will have a food sale consisting of cakes, pies, hot rolls, candy and dressed chicken, Saturday April 3, at the Gardner Meat Co., and invite you to buy your Easter foods at this sale. 39-2t

J. R. Rogers, an old time Memphis citizen, but who has been living at Lubbock for the past six years, was in Memphis Saturday greeting old friends. Mr. Rogers states he is moving to Clarendon, but he is not burning any bridges behind him.

J. M. Pearsall, who lived in Memphis several years up to five years ago, was in Memphis Saturday renewing old acquaintances. He says the "old town" looks good to him. He has been living in Missouri and Oklahoma most of the time since leaving Memphis.

Frank Fore returned Thursday night from Seagraves, where he has been for several weeks doing electrical work in a new school building. Frank returned via Mineral Wells where he visited his parents. He states they are very much improved in health.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many friends who came to us with words of kindness and sympathy in our sad hour and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

May God bless and reward each of you in our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Flannery Chas. and Jerry Flannery Mrs. W. M. Flannery.

AT THE PALACE THEATRE

FRIDAY TUESDAY

ROD LA ROCQUE in ALAN HALE'S Tremendous Picture Production "BRAVEHEART"

Personally Supervised by CECIL B. DE MILLE and featuring Lillian Rich, Robert Edeson, Tyrone Power and Jean Acker.

The dramatic story of a college bred Indian who shoulders guilt to save the honor of the brother of the girl he loves—An absorbing photoplay with vibrant thrills.

THE BEST PICTURE OF THE SEASON

IF THE CAP FITS— YOU'RE IT! WISE GUYS!—Here's your show 'WHAT FOOLS MEN'

Tells how women fool 'em, rule 'em, tease 'em and break 'em. Many a man would have given a lot to have seen this show before he slipped.

with LEWIS STONE SHIRLEY MASON, DAVID TORRENCE, BARBARA BEDFORD

From the Novel "JOSEPH GREER AND HIS DAUGHTER"

AT THE GEM THEATRE

REGINALD DENNY



WHERE WAS I? MORE THRILLS THAN "Sporting Youth" MORE LAUGHS THAN "Oh Doctor" MORE SPEED THAN "I'll show you the Town"

By EDGAR FRANKLIN PRESENTED BY CARL LAEMMLE ACTION-LOVE-THRILLS RUN WILD IN A BACHELOR'S COMEDY OF TERRORS WITH MARION NIXON PAULINE GARON TYRONE POWER LEE MORAN

MONDAY & TUESDAY

J. L. Townsend, who has been engineer for the Farmers Union Gin Co., for the past two years, departed for his home in Clifton, Texas, Monday night.

GEM THEATRE



THROUGH THE DARK

Colleen Moore Adapted by Frances Marion from the story by Jack Boyle Directed by George Hill A Cosmopolitan Production

Wednesday & Thurs.

PHONE 436 Will Get The GARAGE

In any emergency—Should you be stuck on the road or encounter trouble of any kind—ring us and our service truck will come to your aid in a jiffy. ACCESSORIES GAS OILS AND

MEMPHIS GARAGE COMPANY

DOLLAR SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY

We are running in connection with our regular sale a SPECIAL DOLLAR DAY for Saturday and Monday. These are bargains you cannot afford to miss. Come early and we can surely supply you with any of these items:

- 3 yds. Voile, 50c grade in plain colors, \$1.00
3 yds. Windsor Crepe, 36 in. wide, \$1.00
4 yds. 36 in. Ratine, special value \$1.00
6 yds. Cretonne, 32 in. wide, different patterns \$1.00
6 yds. 32 in. Kalburnie Gingham \$1.00
3 1-2 yds. Sheeting, bleached and unbleached \$1.00
10 yds. LL Domestic, 36 in. wide \$1.00
8 yds. 20c grade Bleached Domestic \$1.00
2 Heavy Turkish Bath Towels, 45x22 in. \$1.00
3 Turkish Towels, 40x21 in. \$1.00
3 pair Silk Hose \$1.00
1 pair good grade Silk Hose \$1.00
Ladies' Gingham Dresses, good styles \$1.00
2 embroidered domestic gowns \$1.00
Porch Aprons, to be embroidered \$1.00
Girls' Daffodil gingham dresses in pretty patterns and styles, sizes 8 to 14 \$1.00
1 lot Hats for Ladies \$1.00
1 Lot Ladies' Slippers \$1.00
1 Lot Children's Slippers \$1.00
\$1.50 Men's Overall's \$1.00
\$1.50 Jumpers \$1.00
2 75c work shirts, \$1.00
Children's Play Suits \$1.00
Men's Athletic Unions, 2 for \$1.00
10 pair Tar Heel Socks \$1.00
Dress Shirts \$1.00
Boys' Union Made Overalls, pair \$1.00
Hanes Good Grade, Summer Unions \$1.00

Everybody's Store

West Side Square

Arrell Chapel

Club met at the home of Mrs. Richie, Friday afternoon 12. The meeting was presided over by the president, all being present. The county agent, Miss Mary Sitton, gave a scripture lesson with Mrs. Richie and a short prayer. The demonstration of the work of county agent clubs as outlined in the year book as a guide to the club and to set the example for the year and fourth Monday of the month as the time of meeting. A demonstration agent is present at these meetings. The next will be held the second in April and will meet at Mrs. McClanahan's. Mrs. Bain was made club president of the new club above mentioned. Mrs. Pearl Moore, Mrs. Rena Richie and Mrs. Clara Clarendon are members of the program committee. Mr. and Mrs. Clarendon the past week from a visit with relatives at Cumby, Texas.

Mrs. T. M. Harrison returned last week from a visit with relatives at Cumby, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. M. Elliott of Dallas spent Tuesday in Memphis visiting relatives and friends. J. P. Watson and family returned the early part of this week from a visit with relatives at Longview. Roy Leverett and family returned Tuesday night from a visit with his mother and sisters in Oklahoma City. You get good bread when you buy Genuine Butternut Bread and Holsum Pullman loaves. Ward & Bass.

Gardner & Kesterson shipped two car loads of hogs Sunday to Fort Worth. They were in charge of H. A. McDonald. Special music by the Red River Ramblers every Wednesday evening 6:45 to 7:45. Sunday 12 to 1:30 and 6:45 to 7:45 at Rubes Cafe. 39-2 The Memphis Music store was the center of attraction Wednesday morning when a farce radio program was presented. Special invitations were given local automobile dealers and the Sheriff's department. Ask Clarence Powell and Sheriff Merrick how the program suited.

GARDNER MEAT COMPANY
FRESH AND CURED MEATS
Phones 160-280
FREE DELIVERY

Good Bread

A meal is not complete without good bread, and that is the kind we are now handling. We are agents for the Amarillo Baking company, and ask you to give us a trial when you want real good bread. Fresh every day—baked at night and comes early the next morning.

Ward & Bass

Personal Appearance—

Has much to do with a man's success or failure in life.

A poorly dressed man, no matter how brilliant, energetic or forceful he may be is handicapped.

Money invested in CURLEE CLOTHES to keep yourself looking your best, will yield big returns. Many a man's "stock in trade" is his personal appearance and no man, no matter what his occupation can afford to disregard it.

We have CURLEE CLOTHES to fit men of all proportions and patterns to suit any taste.

CURLEE CLOTHES

Cross Dry Goods Store
WEST SIDE SQUARE MEMPHIS, TEXAS

The Famous
ANNOUNCING A TREMENDOUS
PRICE SMASHING SALE!

A Sale That Will Startle the Whole Community
BEGINNING
Friday, March 26, 9 a.m.

We will inaugurate a sale that will surpass all of our previous efforts—A Genuine Sale—Such as has never been attempted in this section of the state. We have closed our eyes to profits and will sell our entire stock of high grade Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats, Millinery, and Ready-to-Wear, regardless of cost or loss to us.

The most skeptical, the most careful buyers can be easily convinced of the genuineness of this Great Sale—by visiting our store.

Below are a few of the thousands of Bargains we are offering. Space is too limited to go far into detail:

Everything in Millinery and Ready-to-Wear for the Ladies, most of which are new arrivals will be sold at a sacrifice.

Dress values up to \$8.00 and \$10, sale price **\$4.95**

Another lot High Grade Dresses, values to \$25 . . **16.48**

In our staple department we offer 9-4 bleach or brown sheeting at per yard **31c**

Printed Crepes, selling everywhere \$2.50 yard now **1.89**

Th very newest novelties in Ladies Dress Shoes. The latest creations, built and bought for those who care on sale at a worth-while reduction. Discounts that count. Our entire line of Shoes for the whole family cut to the bone and then some.

To those attending the track meet this week, we especially extend you our invitation to visit Our Store. This Big Sale. We are offering for your inspection one big lot of Athletic Shoes, worth four times the price at **48c**

Prices have been pulled down and nailed to the floor. You simply cannot afford to miss it. Be here when the doors swing open and partake of this great Bargain Feast.

FREE OPENING MORNING We have 10 fine, useful Merchandise Premiums that we are going to give away the opening morning to ten of the first fifty persons entering the store. No Purchase required to be entitled to these premiums.	STORE CLOSED THURSDAY Busy hands will be behind locked doors, opening boxes, tagging goods, arranging stocks, and displaying the merchandise so that you can actually see what you are buying. We are making vast preparations for big crowds—they'll be here by the thousands. Surely YOU aren't going to miss it.
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SEE OUR BIG RED CIRCULAR THAT IS BEING DISTRIBUTED OVER THE COUNTY FOR ANY FURTHER PARTICULARS

THE FAMOUS
MEMPHIS TEXAS

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THE HISTORY OF COFFEE READS LIKE ROMANCE

Since the day, about 1000 years ago, when the Arabian herdsman noticed that his goats grew more playful after eating certain cherry-like berries, and tasted them himself, coffee has played a most important part in the history of the world. Slowly the beverage spread across Europe; figured prominently in the Coffee House days of France and England; crossed the Atlantic and conquered the American Colonies; went west and grew up with the country until, today, we Americans drink on an average of 500 cups per man, woman and child annually.

The coffee plant is an evergreen tropical shrub which cannot withstand frost; yet its favorite home is the mountainous highlands where the warm sun and cold, crisp nights furnish the extremes in temperature which the mysterious plant demands. Originating in the Near East and Orient, this shrub was transplanted in the islands of the Gulf of Mexico, Mexico proper and South America under history-forming conditions that rival the Spanish conquests for gold. Today the country of Brazil in South America produces more coffee than the rest of the world all together. And this is some volume, because last year the world drank 90 million cups of coffee; enough to fill a giant cup nearly a mile in diameter and 40 feet deep!

Coffee trees range from six to 12 feet tall and are carefully cultivated, fertilized, pruned and treated on large plantations where coffee raising is a well developed business. The fruit is very much like a cherry in size and color, being red when ripe. Similar to the growth of oranges, coffee trees will have leaves, blossoms, green fruit and ripe fruit all a time same time. Annual production per tree varies from one-half pound to eight pounds of coffee, and these beans are picked by hand. After picking comes the pulping, fermenting, washing, drying, hulling, and many other processes too technical to be of interest to the drinker.

The coffee bean is marvelously constructed. Nature gave this porous bit of material unusual powers to absorb and store flavors. Flowers and fruit possess this quality, but they are content with just one flavor they create and this they cannot hold as long as the coffee bean. The greedy coffee berry with 15 million oil cells, drinks in the delicate incense of its own white waxy blossoms; then, as they fade, reaches out for the perfume of neighboring flowers which grow luxuriantly about it. This is why "taste the flowers" in a fine blend of coffee such as White Swan.

To bring you a cup of White Swan coffee, almost the whole world works for you. Some of the "cherries" are gathered as they grow wild in the pungent tropics; others are cultivated alongside of rich spices on little islands; while still others come from the towering Andes Mountains close to the snow line. Our warships pass through countless coffee groves as they steam through the Panama Canal. A four months cruise may be required to bring some other variety of coffee for a particular blend. In

GOLF KOLYUM



By STEVE

Sum guys ast me to rite a piece about golf—and said that they never saw anything printed about that gain in our paper. The boss tole me to fix em up a nice peese and print it. I tole him i didn't no a darn thing about goluf and could not write it. But he sez so much the bettur—no cne else does ther so crack down. Heres my peese:

The guys what wanted this writ tole me to go out and watch a few rounds and i wud know as much as any of the rest of em. One of the best swingers on the club took me out and handed me a bag with a bunch of sticks in it and a couple of little balls. He fixed up a little pile of mud and lade his ball on it then tried to nok it down about as far as Dallis, tex., I fixed me a pile of mud and started to swing at the ball which i had lade in the mud but i didn't make the ball go far. I got down to the first hole in about 30 minnits an we started to the other corner of Hall crown, as the next green (which is brown dirt) is over in the SW corner near lakeview, tex. i knocked my ball down in a creek an wen i started to pick it up and put it whur i cud hit it my fren tole me to shoot from wher i wuz. We finuly got round the pasture and he ast me what i made it in. i tole him 16 balls and 2 clubs for that's whut i lost that afternoon.

all, there are 388 varieties of coffee grown, each one having a certain quality for blending. Different languages give queer names to the varieties; Coatepic, Huatusco, Oaxaca, Schenajee, Antigua, Boguete, Mayaguez, Cayenne, etc.

These varieties are chosen carefully by the better roasters for certain blends. One will furnish the strength; another arona; still others the "acidy tang". Then the roaster must locate a growth which will bring the "flowers" to give the drinker a pleasant "farewell" sensation after the cup has passed his palate. A finished blend such as the White Swan Coffee we produce should resemble an orchestra; everybody's favorite instrument should be in evidence, yet not drowning out the favorite instruments of others with varying tastes; and all the pieces together producing a delightful ensemble of long to be remembered golden melody. It is this unchangeable harmony of blend which has made White Swan coffee so popular thru the years, while its strength and its freshness make it go at least one-fourth for economy.

Preacher Shows How to Deal With Moocher Pests

Rev. C. E. Jameson set an example last Saturday that if followed by others, would help to stop so much "mooching" by able bodied men.

On Friday night a healthy looking individual called at the parsonage and a plausible story of having lost some money and would wire next morning for money to repay him if he would lend him enough for bed and breakfast. Rev. Jameson let him have the money. The next morning it was found the fellow had left town bright and early. Rev. Jameson soon got on his trai and with L. J. Starkey drove out on the highway toward Wayside Park and overtook the man. They brought him back to town and Rev. Jameson swore out a complaint before Justice Gillis. The fellow acknowledged that he had no intentions of paying the money back when he borrowed it. He was given a fine and is working it out.

Rev. Jameson stated that he would have staked the man to the bed and breakfast if he had told him he was broke and could not repay him.

MANY PERSONS VICTIMIZED BY GRASS COMPANY

Many persons have been victimized by the Zenith Lawn Accessory company, a firm with numerous mail addresses, engaged in selling a grass seed for lawns under the coined name "Herbae Prati." The Post Office Department has denied the company the use of the mail. According to the United States Department of Agriculture, grossly erroneous statements as to its suitability for lawns have been made. Its qualities have been proclaimed in such phrases as "The boss of all grasses;" "The world's most beautiful bluegrass;" "A lawn in 30 days anywhere;" "It will grow here other grasses have failed, in any soil or climate;" "Heat cold, or shade will not affect it."

An analysis of the mixture made by the department seed testing laboratory showed it to be composed mainly of meadow fescue and Italian rye grass. The victims have paid as high as \$1.50 a pound for the mixture, whereas, according to the department, the constituents of the Herbae Prati mixture could have been purchased from reputable seed firms for not more than 18 to 20 cents a pound.

Tell your friends what you think of the Memphis Democrat.

Dr. J. A. Odum
EYE, EAR, NOSE & THROAT
FITTING OF GLASSES
PHYSIOTHERAPY

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8:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.
PHONE 139

Harrell Chapel Chats

Mr. and Mrs. Sankey McCulloch left Saturday for Plainview where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Mildred Snow of Wellington and baby daughter, visited with her sister, Miss Velma McCaskill, a teacher of the Gilpin school, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tooley and little daughter of Tolbart visited with Mr. Tooley's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Otis Cobb and Aultman Sims returned last Sunday from a few days visit at the stock show at Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Whiteside have been appointed as delegates from the Newlin M. E. Church to the district conference to be held in Vernon this week.

Mrs. Ethel Whittington of Newlin who has been seriously ill for the past few weeks has been removed to Guanah to a sanitarium where she will be treated for a few weeks.

Word received this week by J. P. Nelson that Clarence Jenkins and Miss Irene Tippens of San Jon, New Mexico, were married Sunday at that place. Mr. Jenkins has been a resident of Newlin for a number of years, having lived at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. C. Nelson. The marriage came as a surprise to his many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mullins and Mrs. Glover returned home from the Fat Stock Show Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Helen Gracy, who will visit them for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ault Williams of Wichita Falls visited with Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hemphill the past week.

Miss Ellen Harper and Hubert Abrams were married Sunday, March 14. Miss Harper is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harper of the Gilpin community and has been a resident of that place since early childhood, and has a host of friends who wish her much happiness. Mr. Abrams has been a resident for the past year, having come here from Sylacauga, Alabama. The young people of the Gilpin and Newlin communities honored the young couple with a miscellaneous shower at their home Saturday night. Many useful gifts were received and many good wishes for a happy future.

The Newlin faculty presented the play "Eves of Love" before a large crowd at the auditorium Friday night. Announcement was made that a box

supper will be given at the Gilpin school Friday night, March 26. Everyone is invited.

Floyd McElreath of Lakeview visited in Newlin Friday and Saturday of last week. Floyd has recently moved to that place with his parents.

Rev. R. V. Tooley preached at his regular appointment Sunday and an announcement was made that a Baptist revival will begin on Saturday March 27 and will be conducted by the pastor Rev. Hensley. Everyone is urged to come and help in this meeting.

Subscribe for the Democrat.

TOBY'S IN TOWN

P. D. Q. Toby, proprietor of the country store, arranged by his country store, arrangements with the Gilpin community to present a country store of the theatre will be held on Thursday evening showing premiums to be given away Friday and Saturday.

Toby is the fun maker in the presentation of the prize giving place. Twelve local comedians have cooperated with Toby in an effort to make the country success.

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HAPPINESS SATURDAY

IF YOU CAN'T LAUGH YOU OUGHT TO BE CHOKE

If you can't smile you ought to be squeezed. If you do laugh you ought to be hugged and if you smile you ought to be kissed. A little "bunky" you say?

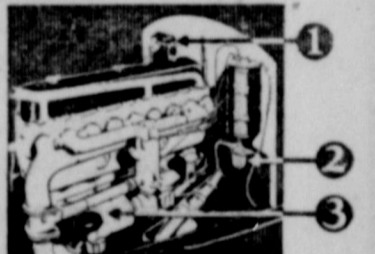
This is "Happiness Saturday" in Memphis. "Sole Owner" says so. Now do you think it's time to be happy yourself even if it lasts only for Saturday.

Now listen, old man, there's enough seriousness hanging on the lips of friends already. Don't add any more to it by any doleful tune of your own.

Get this thought in your mind this Saturday morning and let's all be happy together.

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LIVER MEDICINE

FLOUR	BEST GRADE 24 POUNDS	\$1.25
CLARION CORN	NO. 2 CAN	11
SUGAR	PURE CANE 10 lb. Pkg. to Customer	60
PEANUT BUTTER	2 LBS. 47c 5 LBS.	\$1.00
PURITAN LARD	8 LB. BUCKET	\$1.60
DRY SALT BACON	PER LB.	22
PICNIC HAMS	THESE ARE FINE LB.	21

CLARENCE SAUNDERS

SOLE OWNER OF MY NAME

Bolet Makes Record Sales In Month of February

Bolet dealers in February dealt with 3,304 cars, the largest number in that month in the history of the company.

Set for the thirty sales the company was 22,202 units based on a conservative estimate of the prospective demands. When the total for the month were tabulated and that the increase in 1926 of 14.7 per cent of the quota, decided increases made in the month of February it was found that practically all their allotments.

Every sales zone except the Jacksonville zone to the south of the Omaha zone, established in the zone, again led the zone in their February allotments, percentage of 398.3. Minnesota was second with 304.9 per cent, reflecting the growth of the North-western industries. Oklahoma was third with 255.4 per cent. Atlanta fourth, with 200.5 per cent. Des Moines fifth, with 187.5 per cent.

Greatly pleased was Miss Moore with a gift of towels and bath rug for the tiny bathroom. Her initials were embroidered upon the tiny towels, while the bath towels were adorned with wreaths of embroidered flowers.

MEMPHIS ERECTS LARGE SIGN ON HIGHWAY

On Highway 18, between Turkey and Estelline a sign has been erected at the intersection of the road leading to Memphis. This sign was painted by George Tipton and erected by Memphis business men. The sign fills a long felt need. Travelers are continually bothering residents along the highway inquiring as to where the road turns off to Memphis and this sign will relieve that bother.

If your are anxious to save money on your implements. It will pay you to see the Memphis Hdw Co. 37-t

QUEEN MARY HAS NOTHING ON MISS COLLEEN MOORE

"If Queen Mary of England can have a doll's house, why not I?" asks Colleen Moore, playing Mary McGuire "the daughter" in "Through the Dark," filmed from Jack Boyle's "Boston Blackie" story, opening at the Gem Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday.

With the acquiring of this doll's house Miss Moore will have fulfilled an ambition she has cherished for years, for, as she admits, she "loves dolls, and tiny things."

It's a wondrous house—quite a dream house. In it will dwell a bride and groom—and a retinue of servants, even unto a butler of the John Bull type. Her father is building the house for her, and she is especially proud of it as he has never before made anything like it. It will be of Spanish architecture and there will be a patio with a fountain, and a balcony with a tiny wrought iron railing!

The interior will be exquisitely furnished and will have a well arranged bath room.

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Bridle Bit

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan were visitors in this community last week. They ate from Canyon.

D. A. Huffine and Ray Harlan made a business trip to Memphis Monday. Luke Johnson and wife spent Sunday at the home of G. E. White.

Miss Roby Lipscomb of Turkey and Miss Effie May Jones were the guests of Miss Esther Huffine Sunday.

Al Younger has moved to his new home.

There has been two good rains in this section the past week.

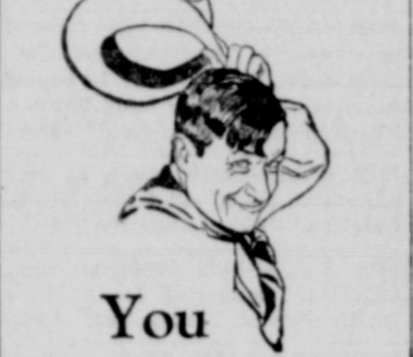
Mrs. David Jones is visiting her parents this week at Lakeview.

Grandpa Arnold is suffering with his eyes. A doctor has been called to attend him.

Joe Shannon left last week for the oil fields in Panhandle, where he expects to work for some time.

The BULL'S EYE

Editor and General Manager WILL ROGERS



You Can't Smoke History

A fellow from Carolina wants to know where I get the idea that "Bull" Durham and George Washington come from the same state. He says, "Why don't you write and give the people the real History of 'Bull' Durham in its native State, South Carolina, that people would appreciate that more than these Bull Legends of yours."

Now thanks, Sir, for your good-natured suggestion. If I knew History I wouldn't be able to write "Bull" Durham Ads. I would be a College Professor, get everything right, and get nothing for it. Everything you suggested me telling the public about when and where "Bull" Durham originated, has been told for 66 years by typical Advertising writers. That's the only thing the Company asked of me was "please don't tell again where it came from, or how." You see you didn't read their Ads, but you did read mine and remembered it, because it was wrong.

Writing Ads that will be remembered is a queer game. This is an Ad, not a History. I selected Ads over History on account of the pay. (American Tobacco Company's pay is as good as its tobacco.) Where "Bull" Durham comes from or where it goes to is left for the starving Historian.

Will Rogers

P.S. You notice I named in this article the WRONG Carolina. That's so North Carolina will get sore because I named South Carolina, and South Carolina will get sore because I didn't name North Carolina. A true Southerner never forgets.

P.P.S. There will be another piece in this paper soon. Watch for it.

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Personal and Local Paragraphs

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John L. Garner of Turkey was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. M. Hale of Childress is here this week visiting friends.

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O. A. Davidson of Estelline was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey visited relatives at Hollis last Sunday.

Get our prices on baby chicks. Memphis Poultry Farm. 37-2c

W. L. O'Rear of Collingsworth county, was a visitor here Tuesday.

J. A. Ponder of Abilene has been here the past few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Randolph visited relatives in Roaring Springs Sunday.

Try our Pennant Oil and Gas. None better. Webster Bros. Garage. 38-2c

Mrs. R. T. Jones of Memphis Rt. two, is a new subscriber to the Democrat.

Genuine Butternut Bread and Holsum Pullman loaves. Ward & Bass Grocery. 39-2c

Mrs. J. G. McDougal of Hedley visited her sister, Mrs. E. M. Ewen, Tuesday.

C. A. McElroy returned Friday night from a business trip to New Mexico.

J. J. Bishop is reported very low at his home this week with heart trouble.

Quality, economy, prompt service in prescription work. Clark Drug Co. 32-2f

Dr. Ed Beck, merchant of Quail, was a business visitor here first of the week.

Mrs. S. C. Miller is building a beautiful modern bungalow on South Sixth street.

Place your flower order early for Easter. Hightower Greenhouse. Phone 491. 39-2

Williams & Womack are building two modern bungalows on South Sixth street.

Mrs. B. C. Crabb of Lakeview renewed her subscription to the Democrat Saturday.

Mrs. T. E. Whaley has purchased the T. M. Disheroon residence on West Noel street.

Bermuda onions and frost proof cabbage plants. Hightower Greenhouse, phone 491. 38-2c

Mrs. E. Bean was called to San Francisco last week due to serious illness of her brother.

Mrs. C. P. Cox of Lamesa is here visiting her daughter Mrs. W. S. Moore, and son Burnett Cox.

Walter B. Baker, and father F. C. Baker left this week for Dyersburg, Tenn. where they will spend a few weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Lindsey of Lubbock arrived Friday to visit her son E. D. Lindsey of the Gem Theatre.

Frank Houston, district manager of the Texas Central Power Co., was here from Childress Tuesday.

W. G. Worley of Lakeview came in Saturday morning and renewed his subscription to the Democrat.

Those good country raised sweet potatoes at Womack's Grocery, phones 262 and 600. 34-2f

Miss George Ella Mickle spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Mickle in Amarillo.

Don't forget to look over our Gates Tires and Tubes before buying. No better for the price on the market. Webster Bros. Garage. 38-2c

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1 lb can Brazos Coffee with a barrel shape Tumbler for...55c
3 lb bucket Brazos Coffee with gold band Cup and Saucer...1.65
Rio Peaberry, ground, lb...40c
- LARD**
45 lb can compound, per lb...16c
45 lb can pure Lard, per lb...19c
9 lb. can Crisco for...1.97
8 lb. bucket Compound, for...1.35
8 lb. bucket Leaf Lard for...1.75
- MEAT**
Sliced Salt Meat squares, lb...20c
- TUBS**
1 large wash tub,
1 Silver King Washboard,
2 doz. Clothes pins all for only...1.49
- COMBINATION**
1 Wash Boiler, with
25 lb sugar for...2.95
- SORGHUM**
Absolutely pure and flavor without a flaw, half-gallon...69c
- HIGH LIVING**
It is not the high cost of living that hurts. It is the cost of living high.
- SWEETS**
Fig Preserves, delicious taste jar 33c
Blackberries with sugar, only...35c
Strawberry Gooseberry jam, jar...45c
- BEEF**
Sliced Beef in glass...26c

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Miss Martha DeBerry is here this week from C. I. A. visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. DeBerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hughes attended the funeral of Mr. Hughes' grandmother near Hollis, Okla., Sunday.

Rev. E. T. Miller was called to Canadian Thursday to conduct the funeral of a member of his former church.

John Etheridge, deputy sheriff, has been sick the past week but is reported somewhat improved at the present.

H. S. Wood has bought a 75x140 foot tract from the Lofland estate and it is understood will build on same soon.

Frank Cox of Estelline was a business visitor in Memphis Monday. He reports a nice rain in his section Sunday night.

Special music by the Red River Ramblers every Wednesday evening 6:45 to 7:45. Sunday 12 to 1:30 and 6:45 to 7:45 at Rube's Cafe. 39-2

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, modern conveniences. Mrs. F. A. Spencer. 39-1c

FOR RENT Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in. Call phone 541, Mrs. O. N. Hamilton. 38-2c

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I Never Knew How Wonderful You Were—Fox Trot PAUL WHITEMAN AND HIS ORCHESTRA
Victor Record No. 19946, 10-inch

Father O'Flynn (Graves) ROYAL DARNLEY
Irish Names (Ludlow—Hilton-Turvey) ROYAL DARNLEY
Victor Record No. 45533, 10-inch

Don't Wait Too Long With Piano THE REVELERS
Where Is My Rose of Waikiki With Ukulele and Piano THE REVELERS
Victor Record No. 19949, 10-inch

Dinah—Fox Trot JEAN GOLDBETTE AND HIS ORCHESTRA
After I Say I'm Sorry—Fox Trot With Vocal Refrain JEAN GOLDBETTE AND HIS ORCHESTRA
Victor Record No. 19947, 10-inch

Oh, How I've Waited For You—Fox Trot (from By the Way) GEORGE OLSEN AND HIS MUSIC
With Vocal Refrain GEORGE OLSEN AND HIS MUSIC
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