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By T. E. Jordan

Honor of J. B. Littler

Given by Business Men in Long Time and Highly Esteemed Citizen

The finest meetings yet held Wednesday Luncheon Club this week at the Y. M. C. A. to honor Judge Jno. B. Littler, recently appointed as a member of the new Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland, Texas. A sure feast was spread on this occasion, the finest meal the club has treated to having been prepared by the ladies of the Methodist

Glyde E. Thomas, as toastmaster, explained the purpose of the desire of long time to do honor to a man, citizen and who was truly beloved. He pointed out that Big Spring, Texas was honored in the office of Judge Littler for

A. Kelley and James T. of this city and L. W. San-Colorado, made fine talks they lauded Judge Littler friend, an able lawyer and affectionate citizen. Affectionate "Dad" by young and old he place in the hearts of our people that no one else can ever one needed a friend to stick thru thick or thin, he could always be depend-

Many is the person he had encouraged, making it a new start. He has been kind to his fellow man, a unselfish worker for his city and Big Spring will be a citizen that is better

of regret for his death congratulations for his promotion and best wishes for his prosperity in his new position. There was every reason to think that Judge Littler would do himself and Big Spring in the out of his official duties to continue to count him the home folks.

He stated that all the good he had said of "Dad" Littler was to "Dad's" partner, J. Littler, and he did her honor to state that in his years acquaintanceship he had an even better friend to her and her loss would be as felt. He also stated: "He is to hear of her expressing an opinion judgment against a sin being, nor was she ever weary to fail to respond to call in case of sickness or community service."

close of his talk, Mr. Brooks Judge Littler a handsome man as a remembrance from his with the admonition that he pack a few clothes in it and Big Spring whenever he got or had a vacation coming. Littler made a mighty fine for the talks and thanked for handing him flowers than waiting until he had

He stated that while of the long list of friends in Big Spring he was that he had made some what was on his mind. In question he took a decided stand but always fought for. When the battle was ready to call it square the other fellow won. If those who can forgive but he wants it known that Big Spring without any against a single individual

no one would continue any enmity against him. If any Big Spring folks wanted them to be and not a Judge of the court. He said he would "Dad" he has always supported the Big Spring

folks to hold the biggest place in his heart for all time to come.

Dr. Thos. W. Currie, called on for a talk, stated that in view of the fact that this was a special meeting wherein a citizen thru wholesome service and love for his fellowman, had won such high esteem and was being honored, it would be out of place for a stranger to "horn in." He said he usually talked too much and was afraid of getting into trouble on that account. To illustrate he told the story of Alkalie Ike. An Easterner came to Arizona to look for a friend who had disappeared without a trace. Upon arrival he asked a native if he knew the lost Easterner. The native admitted that he did. He informed the inquiring one that his friend was dead. In answer to How Come? he replied, For Talking Too Much. The native finally admitted the Easterner had called Alkalie Ike a liar.

Judge M. H. Morrison at the close of the program announced that Joe Burkett of the State Highway Commission was to visit Big Spring during the afternoon and invited all present to attend a meeting in his honor; this meeting to be held at the Chamber of Commerce.

DALLAS TEAM DEFEATS LOCAL T. & P. TEAM

About the sickest bunch of baseball fans that you ever saw were to have been found at the baseball park in this city last Sunday afternoon. They saw the impossible happen. A game that had been won and salted down was lost. Over confidence and errors tell the story. The local team had the Dallas Sunshine Specics whipped to a frazzle; everybody seemed to admit it when the score was 8 to 0 in favor of Big Spring and the Dallas players seemed helpless to secure hits off Hunter, the Big Spring pitcher. And if ever a pitcher deserved a victory, Hunter did. He struck out sixteen of the Dallas sluggers, was credited with two or three assists and was only touched up for five hits. Even though one saw some run hit, it only cost two scores, while the total score was 9 to 8 in favor of Dallas.

The Big Spring team never did seem to realize that the game could be lost even after Dallas had made four scores in the fifth inning, and the score stood 8 to 7 in favor of Big Spring. The game was over as far as they were concerned.

When a Dallas man secured a home run and scored another runner in the ninth inning they learned their error.

Up to the fourth inning the Big Spring team was a sure winner, every player on his toes. It was so easy for them when they piled up three scores in the first inning and five in the third that the majority of the team figured they could loaf the rest of the way, and the result speaks for itself. After the third inning the Big Spring heavy hitters couldn't hit the ball except into the hands of the waiting fielders; only one or two safe hits being chalked up.

Perhaps it is a good thing that this game was chunked away. It goes to show that a winning team has to play ball until the game is over. They cannot expect the pitchers to win every game single handed.

If the manager of the local team didn't learn a thing or two in this game, and if he does not plug some of the weak spots we are due to see some more games, we ought to win, go to the other team.

He should also get the players to put more ginger into the game. Two hours and one half is entirely too long for a nine inning game to drag along.

MAN KILLED AT STANTON

Bennett Fields, 38 years of age, was fatally stabbed at Stanton, Texas, Thursday night of last week, dying a few minutes thereafter.

His father in law S. R. Ayers, surrendered in connection with the tragedy and was released on bond.

The body of deceased was brought to Big Spring and after being prepared for shipment, was sent to Corsicana for interment.

CELEBRATE JULY 3 AND 4

The American Legion plan a big two-day celebration July 3 and 4.

Tell your friends about the big "doings" and invite them to come here for the two days of fun and frolic.

Herald want ads get results.

Baby Beeves Top Market

Baby Beeves Fattened at U. S. Experiment Farm Here Shipped to Fort Worth This Week

Second Field Day Exercises were observed at the U. S. Experiment Station in Big Spring last Friday and the occasion proved especially enjoyable for the several hundred visitors in attendance.

Large numbers were here from Midland, Martin, Dawson and Glasscock counties.

A luncheon was prepared by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce and served at the noon hour.

Following the "eats" a program of interesting talks was in order. Among the speakers were Judge Chas. Gibbs of Midland; John C. Burns of Fort Worth, field representative of the Texas Hereford Breeders' Association; George W. Barnes, beef cattle specialist with the extension service of Texas A. & M. College; Mr. Hughes, a representative of Swift & Co., Fort Worth; Mr. Watson, representative of Evans-Snyder-Buell Co., Fort Worth and V. V. Parr of the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, headquarters in Stamford; C. T. Watson, Lamesa, county farm agent; I. B. Cauble and Fred Keating of Big Spring; J. M. Jones of A. & M. College.

The Dawson County Boys Stock Judging team passed on the cattle after the close of the program.

The following account of the Stock Feeding Experiment work which appeared in the Fort Worth Record, gives you an idea of the importance of the work being carried out here by the Chamber of Commerce, U. S. Department of Agriculture and Extension Department of the A. & M. College.

West Texas range bred baby beeves, fed for 168 days and fattened in West Texas feed lots on West Texas raised feed proved their quality and topped Fort Worth's market yesterday. Forty-five head of Hereford steer yearlings, divided into three lots to test the comparative merits of different roughages in feeding rations, came from Big Spring where they have been fed at the United States feed station as a cooperative enterprise in which the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, Bureau of Plant Industry, the Texas experiment station and the Big Spring Commercial Club has shared.

The 1924-1925 test just completed is the second of a three-year program and the result has been identical with the test of 1923-1924 in demonstrating the superior worth of sorghum silage with Sudan grass for roughage. The fifteen head of steers fed a ration of sorghum silage Sudan grass, ground milo heads and cottonseed meal brought 11 cents a pound straight through against a price of \$10.50 for eleven head and \$9.50 for four head by the 100 pounds for the lot of fifteen fed a ration of cottonseed hulls with the ground milo heads and cotton seed hulls and a price of \$10.75 for fourteen head and \$8 for one fed sorghum hay for roughage.

The lot fed sorghum silage gained 378.87 pounds at an average silage of 2.28 pounds a day to weigh 885.44 pounds at the finish of the test. The lot fed on cotton seed hulls gained 310.76 pounds to weigh 815.20 and the sorghum hay fed lot weighed 880.20 pounds at the finish, a gain of 373.53 pounds. The weights were in the feed lots and the totals at the stockyards were \$23,720 and \$12.

Feed lot valuations placed on the cattle by M. S. Hughes, buyer for Swift & Co., were about what he paid for them when they were sold through Evans-Snyder & Buell Co. yesterday. Lot 1 (sorghum silage) and Lot 2 (cotton seed hulls) were valued in the lots at \$11 and \$10, respectively, whereas the lot 3 price was revised on the markets to the advantage of the cattle with the price for eleven of them fixed at \$10.50 and four at \$9.50.

The calves were bought in the Big Spring territory and placed on feed last December, the deal being financed by the Big Spring Commercial Club, which organization has agreed to cooperate in the same manner next winter. The steers were accompanied to the market by F. E. Keating, superintendent of the United States field station, who has had

immediate charge of the test.

In the slaughter house the test will be completed when records are made of the dressing out proportions of the carcasses; the weights of the pelts and the proportion of internal fat. The slaughter house tests will not be carried out on such an elaborate scale as were the tests made recently when baby beeves from the King ranch, divided between pure bred Shorthorns, pure bred Herefords and crosses of each breed, with Brahmas were marketed. Those cattle were the result of a similar cooperative enterprise.

Though the primary purpose of the latest completed test was to determine the relative fattening values of native roughages in the rations for baby beeves both the United States Government agencies and the Texas experiment station are anxious to stimulate interest and develop the feeding industry as regards baby beef cattle.

During the past year beef fattening and beef quality tests have been conducted at two stations in Texas and one just across the line in Louisiana. The Louisiana baby beeves were fattened on a ration including rice products and marketed here during the Fat Stock Show.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER HERE

Joe Burkett of Eastland, a member of the State Highway Commission, was here Wednesday afternoon on a tour of inspection of his district. Starting from Eastland Monday, he expects to complete a trip of 2500 miles by the end of the week.

Mr. Burkett was accompanied by Byron Utecht, special correspondent of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. A delegation of citizens went to Stanton to meet the visitors.

As they were anxious to continue their journey to Sweetwater where they were to spend the night, they could only remain here one hour.

Some twenty or thirty business men were at the Chamber of Commerce to meet Mr. Burkett.

M. H. Morrison in a few words, welcomed him to our city, complimented him on the great work he is doing and promised the wholehearted cooperation of our citizenship in carrying out his good roads program.

Mr. Burkett in response thanked the citizenship for the manifestation of good will and gave assurance that he was going to be on the job and was going to do all in his power to promote the construction of permanent highways.

He imparted especially good news to our folks when he stated the two highways passing thru Big Spring would have asphalt topping placed on them within the city limits also.

He stated that the asphalt topping would be completed from Howard county to El Paso by August first with the exception of about thirty miles in Ward county. Two spreading machines are now being placed on the job and a third is to be added. He also stated that the gravel-clay may prove unsuitable for a covering for the asphalt and it may be necessary to ship in limestone shavings for use as a cover material.

One gang is now at work at the east line of Howard county to begin spreading asphalt on the east and west highway.

In closing Mr. Burkett stated the highways in this section were the best he had encountered on his trip. He pointed out that it might be well for Big Spring to build a good highway north and south for the city having good hard-surfaced highways leading in every direction was the city that was due to grow and prosper.

ORDERED TO CONNECT WITH SEWER SYSTEM

Elsewhere in this issue appears a notice wherein the City orders all property owners in that portion of Big Spring between the Texas and Pacific right of way and Eighth street and between Johnson and Gregg streets to have their homes or business houses connected with the city sewer system within the next 60 days. At the expiration of the sixty days orders will be issued for another section of the city to complete connection, and another section at the expiration of sixty days, etc. By this plan the entire city, wherein the sewer mains are available, will be connected up within a year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pistole returned Tuesday from a several weeks' stay in Mineral Wells.

Closing Exercises of Our Schools

Graduating Exercises of Our Schools to be Held at First Baptist Church, Friday, May 22nd

The Big Spring Schools close one of their most successful year's work today, (Friday), May 22nd. There are forty-four members in the graduating class, the largest class in the history of our school.

The baccalaureate services for the class were held last Sunday morning.

The Baptist church was filled to capacity, and many were compelled to be satisfied with standing room on last Sunday morning at 11 a. m. at which time the baccalaureate sermon for the High School graduates was delivered.

The following program was carried out:

Processional—Faculty and class.
Processional—Choir.
Song—"Majestic Sweetness."
Invocation—Rev. M. Phelan.
Anthem—"Remember Thy Creator," by Emerson.
Scripture Lesson—Rev. R. L. Owen.

"Gloria."
Duet—"Home to Our Mountains," Verdi; Miss Hardy and Dr. Goodpaster.

Sermon—Dr. Thomas W. Currie.
Quartet—Leeper, Rix, Wynn and Manuel.

Benediction—Rev. Geo. J. Ruth.

The baccalaureate sermon delivered by Dr. Currie is said to have been one of the strongest, as well as one of the most clear and concise sermons ever delivered to a graduating class here. Taking as his text the eighth verse of the first chapter of Daniel he gave them some wholesome advice upon taking their place in the world. Outlined the great responsibilities that rested upon them and the necessity of their assuming these responsibilities for the betterment of mankind.

The Senior class play presented at High School auditorium Thursday night, May 21st.

Graduating exercises will be held at the Baptist church, Friday, May 22nd, 8:15 o'clock.

The following program will be followed.

Processional—Graduating Class.
Invocation—Rev. D. H. Heard.
Salutatorian—Louise Shive.
Violin Solo—"Souvenir," by Dr. J. Josephine Winslow.
Valedictorian—Mary Lou Cushing.
Piano Solo—Military Polonade, Chopin—Miss Elsie Willis.

Address—Dr. P. W. Horn.
Presentation of Diplomas by Dr. E. O. Ellington, president of School Board.

WORK STARTED ON HIGHWAY

A boiler and fuel supply has been established by the State Highway Department's road improvement crew for preparing the asphalt for the work on Highway No. 1 north of Joe B. Neel's feed barn. The first car of the asphalt was spotted Thursday morning. This material is heated by live steam right in the tank car in which it is shipped and then placed in huge tanks on auto trucks. These are special trucks with heating devices to keep the asphalt hot until it is ready to be spread on the roads.

HIGHWAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

TO BE HELD JUNE 4 AND 5
Closing exercises will be held at the Highway school, nine miles northwest of Big Spring on Thursday and Friday, June 4th and 5th.

A mixed program will be given Thursday, June 4 by the students of the Primary rooms. On Friday a play entitled "The Road to the City" will be presented.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend these exercises.

TO ERECT FIRE PROOF WAREHOUSE

Joe B. Neel will start work on a fire proof warehouse, fifty by one hundred feet, at the corner of First and Nolan streets, shortly after July 1st.

The building will be built of concrete. Rock for the foundation and sand and gravel are now on the ground so work can be carried forward rapidly when started.

Robt. T. Pinar left Sunday for Houston to attend the State Bankers convention.

BIG CHAUTAUQUA STARTS MAY 27

Everything is being prepared for the opening of Chautauqua in our city, Wednesday, May 27th, for a full week's engagement. However, there will be no programs on Sunday. The Chautauqua will be held in the big tent opposite the City Hall.

A bigger and better program is to be noted and this year's Chautauqua is going to be one of the finest we have ever enjoyed.

Miss Ruth Martin arrived Thursday to assist in the ticket sale for Chautauqua which begins today (Friday) May 22 at 9 a. m. and to help in every way to insure the success of our community enterprise.

The sale of reserved seats will be held at the R. & R. Queen theatre at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, May 26th. You must have a season ticket to Chautauqua and present same when you apply for reserved seat purchases. Reserved seats cost 55 cents each for the season.

Season tickets will sell at \$2.50 each and will be good for the entire season. A limited number of commutation tickets, good for ten admissions to any of the attractions will be sold at \$3.00 each.

A number of new stunts are being fostered by the chautauqua this year, among which is a track meet for boys and girls, which will be held at the baseball park on the morning of June 2nd, which has been designated on the program as Fathers' and Sons' day. Army Ambrose, lecturer and humorist, will be one of the officials of the track meet and will display a large silver cup which at the end of chautauqua year will be given to the city whose boys and girls make the best track records. A track meet of this kind will be held in every town that the Redpath-Horner chautauqua plays.

At nine o'clock, on the same day, a children's health pageant will also be staged. According to Miss Martin this is a very pretty pageant and is very educational to the children. On Tuesday night, May 26, before the opening of chautauqua, a Junior parade will be held. At 8:30 the parade will start from the chautauqua tent, go through the business section of the city and then return to the tent. It will be a costume affair and prizes will be given to the boy with the most original costume; the girl with the most original costume; the boy with the funniest costume; the girl with the funniest costume; the best chautauqua advertisement or float and to the boy or girl making the most noise. In each case the prize will be a season ticket.

Miss Martin is very desirous of every boy and girl making their plans to be in the parade and to attend the pageant and the track meet. A cast for the pageant will be chosen latter part of this week.

WINS TRIP TO CHICAGO

R. A. Harris of this city left Sunday night for Chicago to attend the annual meeting of the International Fuel Association, May 26 to 29.

Mr. Harris was awarded this trip for having made the best record in saving fuel among the locomotive firemen on the Rio Grande division of the T. & P. Ry. in the twelve month period ending February, 1925. His record shows a saving of 9.1 per cent. Mr. Harris has been fireman on passenger trains Nos. 6 and 15, between Big Spring and Baird.

T. F. Gilker was winner among the engineers and will also attend the meeting at Chicago. Mr. Gilker has been on the local between Sweetwater and Baird.

M. & M. SYSTEM STORE TO OPEN IN RICKER BLDG.

A contract was entered into on Thursday of last week whereby the M. & M. Systems, Inc., secured a lease on the Ricker building on Main street.

This company with three hundred or more successful grocery stores throughout the United States operate on the self-serving plan; on the basis of giving greater values for less money.

M. S. Smith of Sealy, Texas, is to be in charge of the Big Spring store. They will begin operations just as soon as their handsome fixtures have been installed and their stock of fresh groceries has been unpacked and arranged.

"The secret of contentment is not in doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do."

Buy Eagle Shirts
by the Fabric Name
in the Label



Boulevard Prints

Shirt styles you can't afford to pass by at
a price you can't afford to pass up

PATTERNED in a young man's vein—striped and checked to suit a young man not afraid to dress well—cut trim across the shoulders—full around the body—long in the skirt—with a six-buttoned, gapless center-plait that runs to the bottom.

In neckband, collar to match or new "neckcurve" collar attached.



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The Store That Quality Built

Real Baby Beef!

Choice cuts from some of the fine yearlings fattened at the U. S. Experiment Farm will be on sale at our market

Friday and Saturday, May 22-23

POOL-REED COMPANY
PHONE 145
Grocery and Market

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



The services being conducted by Dr. Currie are being well attended and there is a splendid interest in the study of the Book of Matthew.

The Sunday service will be at this church. The evening service will be held at the Baptist church.

Everybody is cordially invited.
R. L. Owen, Pastor.

WAIT FOR OUR

• **SPRING INVITATION SALE** •
STONE'S VARIETY STORE

Mrs. W. R. Cole and daughters, Misses Pearl and Joe and son Buster left Monday for a visit to points in New Mexico.

Herald want ads get results.

PASTOR RETURNS

FROM CONVENTION
Rev. D. H. Heard, pastor of the First Baptist church, returned Monday night from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended the seventeenth annual session of the Southern Baptist convention which convened on May 13th and continued through 17th. More than 10,000 messengers and visitors attended the convention.

According to Rev. Heard the Southern Baptist convention is the largest religious convention in the world.

The convention has no ecclesiastical authority. Its jurisdiction is advisory only. Its plans of work and actions are not binding on any local Baptist church or on any individual member. The convention is composed of messengers (not delegates) from churches that volunteer to cooperate in Mission, Benevolent and Education work. Any church can withdraw at any time with or without any reason and yet the growth and unity of Southern Baptists in the last fifty years is the outstanding phenomenon of the religious world.

WAIT FOR OUR

• **SPRING INVITATION SALE** •
STONE'S VARIETY STORE

AUTO FOR SALE OR TRADE
A Dodge roadster for sale or trade. See NAT SELICK, at the First National bank.

LIFE-BUOY HEALTH SOAP
STONE'S VARIETY STORE

The Passing Day

WILL H MAYES
Department of Journalism
University of Texas

Advertising Keeps Money at Home.

In an address to the Austin Kiwanis Club, Thomas K. Kelly, editor of Kelly's Magazine, stated that "mail order houses get more orders from Texas than from any other state in the union, and if this continues there are going to be some new merchants in this state in the next few years, and many merchants now in business won't be selling goods then." He called attention to the fact that the mail order houses spend 10 per cent of their gross sales every year in advertising, adding "I will make a bond right here that if retail merchants will spend only two per cent of their gross sales in advertising each year, putting that advertising into their local papers regularly and backing up their advertising with good merchandise at reasonable prices, the business will show up satisfactorily every year." That is a strong statement, but it is in line with the experience of every merchant who is making a success of his business. Why not try it? So many have succeeded that way that it is no longer an experiment.

Truthfulness and Salesmanship Necessary.

Newspaper space alone will not sell goods. The advertising must be given thought and must tell attractively what the merchant has for sale. Said Mr. Kelly: "Tell your message about the goods you have through the newspapers and tell that message truthfully and give the public the news value of that advertising and you will see your business grow at an astounding rate." There is more to business, though, than that. Clerks must know the business and the goods and be able to present their selling points to customers. They must show interest in pleasing customers. Advertising will draw the crowds to the store, but the clerks must sell the goods. To do this the goods must meet the expectations created by the advertising. The general volume of business throughout the country is growing every year, and the merchant whose business is not growing accordingly has only his own business methods or lack of methods to blame.

Emphasizing the Wrong Things.

There is something wrong in government when a state has to pay more to maintain its courts than it pays for its school system and when the penitentiaries and insane asylums have to be given priority over schools in legislative appropriations. Of course there must be courts to try criminals and to settle disputes and the public has to bear the expense. It is necessary to confine the criminal and the insane. But it does not seem to occur to those in authority that if the state would give the right attention to the education, the health, and the general welfare of the youth, there would in a few decades be much less need for asylums and penitentiaries. The system is wrong that gives maximum attention to punishment and mental treatment and minimum attention to prevention of crime and insanity.

The Railroads and the Busses.

Railroads are complaining at the competition of the bus lines in both freight and passenger business, and are endeavoring to create a sentiment for stricter regulation of the motor transportation business. Still the figures show that the roads are making more money than they have ever made despite this new competition at which they are complaining. It seems that the railroads would do well to recognize the fact that motor transportation would never have become popular unless the public had been made to feel the need of it; that it merely meets a demand that the railroads are not satisfactorily filling. The railroads have been too slow in delivering their shipments, especially the local shipments, and the trucks have profited by that slowness. Rates in some cases may have been too high for local shipments and to these delivery charges have to be added. The railroads are themselves to blame if they have encouraged competition through their slowness, their overcharges, and their general indifference to the public good.

The World Moves Rapidly.

Twenty years ago one would not have thought it possible for motor trucks and busses ever to become competitors of the railroads. The automobile was then regarded as

Dress Well and Succeed

Be dressed up and keep cool at the same time—you've seen men who look serene and unruffled in hot weather—men whose clothes don't wrinkle or lose their shape.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

"Dixie Weaves" are the secret. They are light weight, all wool, cool and comfortable—tailored as only

Hart, Schaffner & Marx can tailor good clothes.

\$25 to \$40



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STRAW HAT

time is here now. Let us show you the new ones

Young's Smart Hats

They are wonderfully made, the blocks are the newest and the prices are reasonable.

Soft brims or stiff brims with cushion sweat band that fit like a soft hat.



BARKALUS

SENNITS

SPLIT

\$3.50 to \$5.00

Dr. Scholl's are for sale here

Foot Comfort Appliances

We will gladly show you how to get rid of your foot troubles. If you suffer from tired, aching feet, weak or broken down arches, weak ankles, bunions, corns or callouses, you should come to see us without delay.

Dr. Scholl's

relieves fallen arches



Foot-Ease

worn in any shoe

No-Nay Stretch SUSPENDERS



See the Spring No Rubber to Rot Phosphor Bronze Springs give the Stretch Year's Wear Guaranteed

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rather an expensive fad for the rich. Today it is the most universal means of travel. In a few years the airplane may be just as popular. Already it is being used much for hurried trips, mail is being transmitted by plane, and airplane express and freight shipments are being made. When we think of the automobile, the airplane, and radio, we wonder just what will be the next development in speed.

Bringing the World Together.

The best result obtained from international conferences like that of the advertising men in Houston is that people of many nations come to know each other and to have sympathetic feeling for the people of the whole world. Most of the misunderstanding in the world is due to ignorance of the problems confronting

others. When people come together to discuss their affairs, differences are nearly always forgotten.

Storage — Storage

FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT, BANKHEAD GARAGE.

Miss Catherine Davison and Miss Lillie Mae Younger, teachers in our schools for the past several years, have been elected to positions in the schools of Fort Worth. While all regret to lose these excellent teachers, we are pleased to learn of their securing better positions.

Misses Mamie Leach and Florence Van Gelder left last Friday for an extended visit to various points in New Mexico.

WAIT FOR OUR SPRING INVITATION SALE STONE'S VARIETY STORE

W. O. W. CIRCLE MEMBERS

The regular monthly meeting of the W. O. W. Circle will be held Thursday, May 28th at 8 o'clock. Good attendance is urged. Important business is to come under consideration.

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H. K. McCollum, chairman of placing the asphalt on State Highway No. 1, section of West Texas.

Herald want ads get results.

WE BELIEVE

business goes where it is invited and stays where it is appreciated.

On this basis we request a visit from you. We want you to see the special offerings in Dresses, Goods, and Shoes for summer.

You will find the very things they have been looking for—and at most reasonable prices. You will be satisfied.

The line of FINE GROCERIES we can please the most exacting—make us prove it.

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

MARY & SON

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES & GRAIN

BIG SPRINGS, TEXAS



IF YOU PAID TEN DOLLARS

To see and hear:
 the beloved musical comedy,
Minutes from Broadway
 the superb Cathedral Choir
 the howling farce-comedy *Give and Take*
 the sensational *Marimba Band*
 from Guatemala, YOU WOULD HAVE
 A BARGAIN: — NOW, for a
 fraction of that sum you may secure
 CHAUTAUQUA SEASON TICKET
 which gives you all of these and, in
 addition many other entertainment
 features: a big *Father and Son's Day*
 some great *Lectures*
 TOGETHER they will cost in single
 sessions from five to seven dollars
 MORE, Economy, as well as Loyalty
 the men and women of the city who
 are securing the CHAUTAUQUA should
 urge you to —
 BUY SEASON TICKETS NOW!!

DISABLED EX-SERVICE MEN
 The World War Veterans insurance, which has been cancelled may be reinstated in whole or in part by examination, if applied for within six months from date of expiration of the policy and on or before July 1st. Submitting application for reinstatement (Form 742) duly executed and physical examination, a remittance covering two months premium on the amount of policy to be reinstated.
 Ex-service men who can't get the above required physical condition may get term insurance or insurance, provided that the disability is the result of injury or disease, or of an accident, suffered or contracted while in the naval or military service of the world war; provided the applicant, during his disability, has submitted a proof satisfactory to the Bureau, showing the origin of the disability and the aggravation thereof and that it is not permanently and totally disabling.
 Insurance is reinstated under the conditions mentioned above, it is to be paid all monthly premiums which would have become due if the insurance had not been cancelled. The interest at five per cent per annum, compounded annually, on each premium paid, shall be added to the date such premium was paid. Under the provisions of the War Veterans Act, as amended, reinstatement by a disabled man of the world war of the above conditions, prior to June 7, 1924, shall be for a period of two years after date of cancellation and no premium may be reinstated after June 7, 1924, on which date all policies must be converted or automatically expire.
 Any quantity for any purpose with us. Cunningham & Phillips.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS WITH HEADLINERS
 Those who stay away from Chautauqua the opening day this year, believing the program to be unimportant, are in for a big disappointment.
 As a matter of fact, some of the biggest features are on the first two days.
 On this occasion the famous Cathedral Choir, composed of an extraordinary company of singers, will give a program of rare beauty.
 This great organization made a continental tour last year, visiting some of the largest cities of America. At every place its concert was an enthusiastic success.
 Its second program is largely popular and operatic in character. It is given on the first night, and followed by one of the humorous offerings of the program. This is in the nature of a lecture by Herbert Leon Cope, the greatest humorist, it is said, since Bill Nye.
 With Burns of the Mountains the second afternoon, and a great farce-comedy, "Give and Take," the second night, it must be seen very readily that the first two days are of great importance.
 The only sensible way is to buy season tickets of the local committee. The cost of attending is less than half what it would amount to if you purchase single admission tickets. Admissions run all the way from fifty cents to one dollar for each entertainment. Besides, season tickets are transferable in the owner's family, and the Chautauqua Committee has a limited number for sale.
JUST RIGHT
 Any plumbing or electric wiring entrusted to us will be done right—just phone 51. L. E. COLEMAN Electric & Plumbing Company.
Storage — Storage
 FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 88-47
 Have you seen the new powder puff?..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Are You Tired, Achy—All Run Down?

A Resident of This Locality Tells You How to Get Well

Tired all the time?
 Lame, stiff and achy?
 Tortured with nagging backache?
 Knife-like twinges when you stoop or lift?
 Miserable with headaches, dizzy spells and bladder irregularities?
 All are signs of kidney sickness! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.
 Here's convincing testimony:
 C. D. Daggett, retired stockman, Colorado, Texas, says: "I was troubled with my kidneys and had to get up often during the night. I can gladly say Doan's Pills helped me a whole lot and I take pleasure in recommending them to anybody suffering with their kidneys."
 Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Pills—the same that Mr. Daggett had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—advertisement.

ADVERTISING TESTED
 The worn-out question, "Does Advertising Pay?" is answered in Forbes Magazine. Two similar articles, one advertised and one unadvertised, were placed on sale in 100 stores. No attempt was made by store clerks to influence the decisions of purchasers. It was found that 87 per cent of the customers bought the advertised article, six per cent of them bought the unadvertised stuff, and the remaining 7 per cent had no preference.

Even when the unadvertised article was priced lower, 60 per cent of the customers bought the ones which were advertised. Only 24 per cent bought the unadvertised articles.

There might have been a time when advertising was regarded as a donation to a struggling newspaper owner. This is true no longer. Business is business and a newspaper which has to be supported by donations is a failure before it starts, and has little excuse for existence. Business firms in the present day do not hesitate to make donations to charity and civic welfare, but advertising is far from being a donation with them. It is an investment which pays dividends. If it did not pay it would be stopped, and the fact that it is not stopped shows that it does pay.

The fact that a business firm makes a statement regarding its goods or service, and signs its name in an advertisement, is proof that it is willing to back up what it says, and the goods are more likely to be worth standing behind. The day of sand in sugar is past; a merchant selling inferior merchandise soon finds himself without any business. It won't stand advertising.

Old Mr. Carter Helped by Simple Mixture

"After taking Adlerika I feel better than for years. At my age (60) it is ideal—so different from other medicines." (signed) W. W. Carter. Adlerika is a simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., which removes GAS in ten minutes and often brings surprising relief to the stomach. Stops that full, bloated feeling. Brings out old waste-matter you never thought was in your system. Excellent for chronic constipation. J. D. Biles, Druggist. — advertisement.

THE REAL MAN

A real man never talks about what the world owes him, the happiness he deserves, and the chances he ought by right to have, and all that.
 A real man is just as honest alone in the dark in his own room as he is in public.
 A real man does not want pulls and favors. He wants work and honest wages.
 A real man does not expect something for nothing, so the get-rich-quick people can not use him.
 A real man does a little more than he promises.
 A real man is dependable. His simple word is as good as his oath.
 A real man is loyal to his friends and guards their reputation as his own.
 A real man minds his own business. He does not judge persons beyond sure knowledge—not presuming to "search hearts."
 A real man has excuses for others, never for himself. He is patient and charitable to others; to himself he is strict.
 A real man does not hunt danger but never dodges it when he ought to meet it.
 A real man is glad to live and not afraid to die.—Anonymous.
NOTICE TO FARMERS
 Have C. H. EVERETT to repair your harness before you begin your planting. All work guaranteed. Remember, he does all kind of repair work.—advertisement.
 If you want any plumbing work done or any electric wiring, just phone 51. L. E. COLEMAN Electric & Plumbing Company.

For the Bridal Trousseau



on that "day of all days" and on the honeymoon we are prepared to furnish a most complete outfit of distinctively lovely and appropriate apparel.

JUNE TIME IS BRIDAL TIME

—the March from Lohengrin—the expectant hush of the waiting guests, and at last "here comes the bride." Our part of the ceremony is to bedeck the bride and bridesmaids in all the wonderful attire for the ceremony, and "going away" afterward.

HER FROCK—

of course is the most important thing and we are at your service, to help plan if you wish, to show you the many beautiful dresses; or the sheerest and most beautiful materials for making.

DOVE UNDERTHINGS

In silk or muslin, gowns, stepins, teds, pajamas. It's beauty, quality and price that control one's desires, and these are wonderfully combined in "Dove" underthings.

PUMPS ARE IDEAL FOOTWEAR—

We are showing them with straps or without in correct styles. Black patent leather, black kid, black satin, blonde satin, tan calf, tan kid, white kid, in a style and price to suit everyone. Hosiery of chiffon or thread silk in new colors.

1882 J. & W. FISHER 1925

The Store That Quality Built

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

TEAMWORK IS WHAT COUNTS!
 WHEN THE PEOPLE IN A TOWN DROP THEIR FEUDS AND PRETTY JEALOUSY TO PULL TOGETHER, THAT TOWN IS GOING TO GET SOMEWHERE!
 THE MOTTO OF THE THREE MUSKETEERS IS A GOOD ONE FOR OUR TOWN, "ONE FOR ALL AND ALL FOR ONE."



Back ache plasters..... Cunningham & Phillips.

STANTON ELECTS OFFICIALS

The city of Stanton elected officers last week and the following were selected to preside over the destinies of our sister city.
 Mayor, S. C. Houston; city marshal, W. B. Montgomery; aldermen, Chas. Ebbersol, Horace Elland, Dr. J. A. Moffett, S. D. McWhorter, B. A. Pursler.

The next time anybody yelps about a typographical error in our paper think of this: In an ordinary column there are 10,000 pieces of type, there are 7 possible wrong positions for each letter, there are 70,000 chances to make errors, and millions of possible transpositions. In the sentence, "To be or not to be," by transpositions alone, 1,759,622 errors can be made.—Missouri Star.

AGENTS FOR WATERMANS IDEAL FOUNTAIN PENS..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Homer McNew, Sam Weaver, Eb Hatch and V. H. Flewollen returned last Friday afternoon from a fishing trip on the Concho, below Sterling City.

Wall paper: Get yours and save money..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Many of our folks used to think the good road boosters of Howard county were wasting time and money in attending district and state meetings in an effort to secure connected Highways for our county. As a result of the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce and the Good Road Booster connected with same, State Highways number one and number nine, two of the principal highways of Texas were secured. Had it not been for the untiring and unselfish work of these citizens who visioned the importance of the highway movement we possibly would not have had more than local highways.

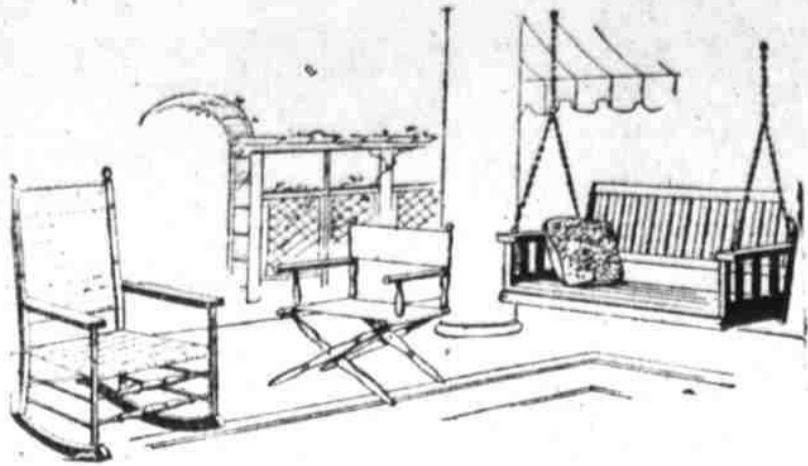
Someday the Bankhead National Highway will be paved from Coast to Coast.

EASTMAN KODAKS AND SUPPLIES..... CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

Charles Eberley recently sold to W. C. Dunn six fine residence lots in College Heights addition. We are informed that Mr. Dunn plans to build a home on one of these lots.

Hair brushes. Every girl or boy who is going off to school needs one..... Cunningham & Phillips.

Porch Furniture FOR SUMMER



Enjoy the Summer Evenings
on the Front Porch or Lawn

Lawn Swings with canopy \$20.15
Lawn Swings without canopy 15.75
Children's Lawn Swings 7.65
Maple Rockers (large size) 5.85
Maple Rockers (small size) 5.20
Steamer Chairs 2.70
Porch Swings (4-foot) 6.75

"After All — You Can Always
Do Better at RIX'S."

**Rix Furniture &
Undertaking Co.**
Big Spring -:- Lamesa -:- Lubbock

RED STAR STAGE LINE

Lamesa - Big Spring Line

Leave Lamesa for Big Spring 12:00 m. 2:30 p. m. and 5:00 p. m.
Leave Big Spring for Lamesa... 12 Midnight, 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Lamesa - Lubbock Line

Leave Lamesa for Lubbock..... 8:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.
Leave Lubbock for Lamesa..... 8:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.
Leave Big Spring for Amarillo..... 9:00 a. m.

We make direct connection at Lubbock with Red Ball Stage to Plainview and Amarillo; making double service Big Spring to Amarillo. We operate all new cars, equipped with trunk racks. We call for and deliver passengers anywhere in town.

Will Appreciate your Patronage

LAMESA PHONE NO. 11
BIG SPRING PHONES NOS. 38 and 350
LEAVES FROM WIGWAM AND ELKS CAFE
FARE FROM BIG SPRING TO LUBBOCK \$5.00

HACKLEMAN & AUSTIN

George McCall's
GREAT MUSICAL COMEDY
SUCCESS

45
from MINUTES
BROADWAY
AT CHATAUQUA
ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY,
NIGHT OF
June 1st

Diplomacy as a profession is said to be "coming into its own," but politics wants something more than its own.—Wall Street Journal.

In case of fire call the fire department; but in case you need plumbing call, 167, our shop, or 652 our residence. **KASCH'S Plumbing**

It is a pity the railroad companies have to make optimistic government reports about the time they are in the midst of whining about losing business and asking permission to discontinue passenger trains. On last Monday the Texas Railroad Commission announced the net operating income of Texas railroads has continued on the upward course. The business for January and February of this year show an increase of 56.23 per cent over the same two months last year. Not such a bad showing when you hear continued whining from railroad officials.

Very few cattlemen residing south of Big Spring could be persuaded to ship cattle from this point. They are compelled to drive their cattle thru the city and then across the railroad tracks. And usually the switch engine comes puffing along in time to cause the cattle to scatter in every direction.

All of the newer shades and styles in lip sticks and rouges.....
Cunningham & Phillips.

BOYS, EARN SOMETHING

Not only should I like for each Southern farm boy to learn something each day, each week, and each month of 1925, but I should like for him to earn something.

By this I mean that I believe that every boy should not only help about the general work of the farm and home, but should also have some definite chance to earn something—and then with his earnings purchase something of real value and usefulness to himself. Such an endeavor gives a new zest to work and makes a boy more self-reliant and business-like. Nearly every thoughtful father will be willing to help a boy in an effort of this kind by giving him a patch or field for his own, or a pig or calf, or a few hens. Or the boy may buy the pig, calf, or hens, or rent the land from his father. Anyhow, having acquired his start, the boy may then decide what it is he wishes to earn. If his father is hard-pressed, the boy may simply decide to earn enough to buy his own clothing next winter, or accumulate enough to carry him through school, or to help his father in some other way in the father's often hard struggle to support and educate a family. Hardly anything can be finer than for a boy to enter eagerly and wholeheartedly into the task of helping his parents under such circumstances.

On the other hand, conditions may be such that the boy can simply set out to earn something of special value to himself. My eleven-year-old boy last year earned a bicycle by special work running through a period of months; and now he and his nine-year-old brother are paying part of the cost of a radio that they are enjoying every night.

There is nothing more important for any boy than the habit of steady industry, and it is a great deal easier to develop this habit when it leads to a definite and desired goal—leads to the purchase of something that the boy has set his heart on.—Clarence Poe, in The Progressive Farmer.

HOW'S YOUR TITLE?

Over million dollars loans rest on the reliability of our abstracts. Better have us do your abstracting. We have a complete set of abstract books on all tracts of land and town lots in Howard county. Every abstract as a written guarantee. **BIG SPRING ABSTRACT COMPANY,** Room 4, West Texas National Bank Building. —18-17

BY WAY OF EXPLANATION

A lawsuit was recently in full swing, and during its progress a witness was cross-examined as to the habits and character of the defendant.

"Has Mr. H—— a reputation for being abnormally lazy?" asked counsel briskly.

"Well, sir, it's this way——"

"Will you kindly answer the question asked?" struck in the irascible lawyer.

"Well, sir, I was going to say it's this way: I don't want to do the gentleman in question any injustice, and I won't go so far as to say, sir, that he's lazy, exactly; but if it required any voluntary work on his part to digest his food, why, he'd die from lack of nourishment, sir!" —Rochester Herald.

6 Per Cent—FARM and RANCH LOANS—6 Per Cent
Pay 3 1-2 per cent every six months and the debt is cancelled in 33 years.
Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank
Correspondent—
WEST TEXAS NATIONAL BANK, Big Spring, Texas

"WHAT'S IN A NAME?"

It was his first visit to the house, and the second time they had met. But she was an optimist, and, of course, she believed in love at first sight.

They were sitting together on the settee. The lights were dim.

"Oh, Mr. Harrison!" she murmured.

"Please don't call me Mr. Harrison," he said.

"But," she cooed, "what shall I call you? I have known you so short a time."

She looked at him coyly.

"Call me Mr. Patterson," he said, "because that's my name."

—Tit Bits.

HERE HE IS AGAIN

"It's a boy!" cried the nurse, as she burst into the professor's study. "Do you want to see him?" "Find out his name and I'll let you know," replied the scholar absently, and went on with his work.

—Oklahoma Boy.

Dresses, Dresses and more dresses—and we sell 'em for LESS. Come in, let us show you—you are welcome whether you buy or not. Clyde Fox.

WOMEN AND WEARING APPAREL

Chicago. —Every woman is her own fairy godmother, according to Madame Aila Ripley, couturiere and president of the Fashion Art League of America.

"About one woman in fifty really develops to the full extent the latent beauty that is within her," said Madame Ripley in an address here. "Within her—because it must be brought out, accentuated, cultivated. True, beauty is seldom entirely hidden—but it requires a keen eye and deft fingers to bring it out.

"The other forty-nine women out of that fifty just tease the surface, so to speak. They generally dress and make up according to fashion, or as their neighbors do. If such a hairdress or gown is becoming to Mary Jones, they reason, why it naturally will look well on Caroline Murphy. Only it probably will not.

"A woman is able to accentuate her beauty only by wearing her clothes to advantage. And it is not difficult to select the proper clothes this season, for they are simple, youthful and decidedly feminine.

"Gorgeous laces and silks beau monde which are the season's favored materials, are flattering to any woman. The Zion laces are probably the most popular of the lace family. Shades such as rose, mauve, coral, sea-green and blond, are sure to delight the debutante, while the smart matron selects a fashionable gown of black or bronze Zion lace, with perhaps a crepe combination.

"The drab woman is sure to rejoice when she glimpses herself in the mirror arrayed in such colorful and fitting attire. She feels like a gay butterfly, just emerged from its chrysalis. She is transformed."

HEMSTITCHING 7½c PER YARD.

Am prepared to do hemstitching for 7½ cents per yard and guarantee work to be satisfactory in every way. Workroom opposite postoffice—open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

FARM LAND SALES INCREASE

The Farm Land Division of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, in a report prepared by Dr. Herman Janss, director, says there was a 42 per cent increase in farm buying last year. He predicts a still further increase to 50 per cent for this year.

It is logical to assume that a great part of this activity may be traced either to those who desire to return to the farm or to those who desire to cast their lot with agriculture. A larger percentage probably is accounted for by the farmers who are increasing their holdings. Just what the relation between these two factors is can not be determined off-hand, and Dr. Janss does not even discuss it. Nor does it matter materially. The gratifying feature is that it proves a very substantial measure of agriculture prosperity of so permanent a character as to enlist the optimism of those who have had many reasons in the recent past for pessimism.

In almost a score of states, Dr. Janss points out, the situation is made more stable by legislation that has been helpful to agriculture. This stabilizing influence has made definite the more general results of a prosperity which set in a year ago, and gives the final reason why investors in farm lands should be confident of a profitable return.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

See Jess Heffernan

to have your car washed, greased and engine steam cleaned. Back of old Christian church. Satisfaction guaranteed. —33-17

MORE SPANISH PEANUTS

The Spanish peanut deserves a place of greater importance on the average farm. It produces two crops—hay and grain—both rich in protein. It may be grown in corn middles or on stubble land with but little cost, and the crop is a sure one. The vines make an excellent hay and if the peanuts are not marketed at a profit, they furnish a valuable protein concentrate. The whole plant is a good summer feed for cows, horses, mules, mares, and colts. Plant in two and one-half foot rows with one seed every four to six inches in the row.—The Progressive Farmer.

Dresses, Dresses and more dresses—and we sell 'em for LESS. Come in, let us show you—you are welcome whether you buy or not. Clyde Fox.

THEN HE HURLED IT

MacIntyre (in his big act)—Will you miss me?
Voice from Gallery—Not unless you dodge awfully good.—Georgia Tech. Yellow Jacket.

Graduating gifts of all kinds.
Cunningham & Phillips

When Better Automobiles Are Built, Buick Will Build Them
No. 11

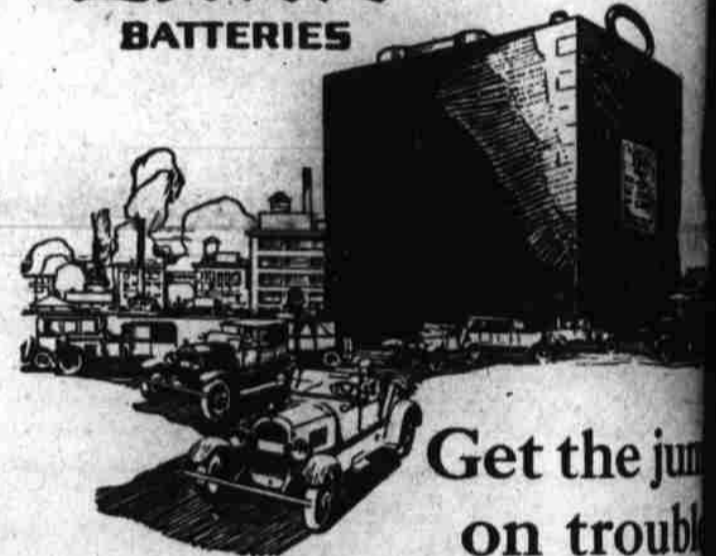
Question: Can Buick 4-wheel brakes be applied while turning corners?

Answer: Certainly. The brake on the outside front wheel is automatically released, making steering easy and car control sure. Only one such device has so far been perfected, and Buick has it.

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY
Flint, Michigan

CARTER MOTOR COMPANY
Colorado, Texas — Phone 421

Exide BATTERIES



Get the jump
on trouble

A critical look at your battery occasionally, regular addition of water—that is the way to stop trouble before it starts.

Let us do this for you. If any repairs are needed, you will find our work quick, skillful and at right prices. Our repair service is for all makes of batteries. Will you pay us a visit?



Hall Tire & Top Co.
The Automobile Supply House
BIG SPRING, TEXAS

We handle only genuine Exide parts

Dry Cleaning and DYEING
Satisfaction Guaranteed

Cornelison Bros.
PHONE 321

Box stationery that shows taste
.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Even the Chicago oysters have been carrying concealed weapons.—Toledo Blade.

Mr. Coolidge does all his deliberating before the resignations come in, and his appointments follow mighty soon afterward.—El Paso Herald.

SATISFACTION

Every garment we clean receive your approval before call the job complete. Our cleaning process is a safe and one in all cases. Give us a

Cornelison Bros.
PHONE 321

CARRY HOME CREAM.....
PHILIPS.

The chief trouble man is that shaving than smearing on a Illinois State Journal.

GIFTS FOR GRADUATING
FOUR BITS UP.....
HAM & PHILIPS.

Sally Ann Says:

"Bread is the gift of Mother Earth"

It's just as rational for little folks to love Bread as for chickens to cluster round the mother-hen. Bread contains every element needed for growth and development.



It's nature's own perfect food—eat all you want of it. Bread-and-butter or Bread-and-milk make a satisfying meal anytime.

Sally Ann Bread

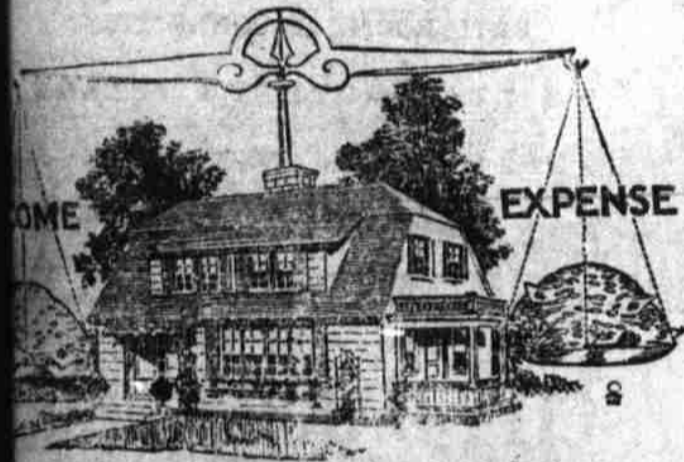
the sweet, wholesome loaf that tastes so good, little kids would rather eat it than cake. Every loaf daintily wrapped.

Quick, at your grocer's

A GOOD BAKERY

HOME BAKERY

HOME 143 BIG SPRING, TEXAS



THE SCALES FAVOR

OUR OWN HOME!

Have you ever weighed the advantages of owning your home against renting a place from someone else? As far as actual money outlay is concerned there is no question that the Home Owner gets the most in the long run. As far as correct living there, too, is no doubt that the benefits you reap are much greater. We have made an intensive study of this problem and are ready to offer you any one of several interesting plans whereby a small investment and small monthly installments make the home you want a reality.

CKWELL BROS. & CO.
LUMBERMEN
Phone 57

Mrs. Frank Merrick arrived with congratulations and a fine looking home Monday morning.

Mrs. L. W. Croft and daughter left the first of the week for a visit with relatives in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Johnson returned last Sunday from a visit with relatives in Sterling county.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ruhup of El Paso were here Wednesday and Thursday looking after property interests in this city.

Mrs. E. H. Happel left Thursday morning for Ranger to attend the graduating exercises of the Ranger high school. Her daughter, Margaret, is a member of the 1925 graduating class of the Ranger high.

A Remington knife makes the ideal gift for the boy graduate.

JULY FOURTH COMMITTEES APPOINTED

At a call meeting of the American Legion the following committees were appointed for the big celebration to be held in Big Spring, July 3rd and 4th:

Water and Ice—M. D. Stoner, Fred Eakers, Andy Tucker, Allen Burleson.

Advertising—J. Y. Robb, Hilo Hatch, W. Carroll Barnett.

Rodeo—Jess Slaughter, chairman; A. J. Merrick, W. D. Coffee, Bob Eubanks.

Baseball—E. E. Fahrenkamp, L. Coffee.

Barbecue—Bart Wilkerson, R. L. Davis, Harry Lees, Jno. Price. Concessions, Cold Drinks—L. B. Stone, E. Notestine, F. Hefley.

Dance—W. H. Battle, Val Day, E. Lovelace.

Construction—S. R. Weaver, R. Richardson, L. H. Croft.

Gates—Roy Carter, Hob Everett.

The following prices were adopted:

Price admission: parking space \$1.00; adults 75c, children 50c.

Two Nights Dancing—general admission 25c, dancing \$1.25.

Al Smith, Joe Stovall, law officers.

NEW MEXICO RANCHER TAKES EL PASO BRIDE

Rev. S. J. T. Williams officiated at the wedding of Joseph M. Kimmel, of Farmington, N. M., Miss Alice Tripp, formerly of Big Spring, Texas, which was solemnized Tuesday morning, May 19th in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Evans, 2118 Grant avenue.

They were attended by the bride's brother, W. P. Tripp and Mrs. Tripp, of Big Spring.

The bride was costumed in blue satin crepe with matching accessories and she carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses.

Mr. Kimmel is a cattleman, Rev. Mr. Williams is an ex-cowpuncher and the best man is a cattleman, Mr. Evans, at whose home the wedding was solemnized is also a cattleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimmel are at present at Hotel Sheldon. Later they will go for a honeymoon trip and they will make their home at Farmington. El Paso Herald.

MEXICAN TEAM BEATS 'EM ALL

The Mexican ball team the Mexican Tigers continue their winning streak. At Colorado last Sunday they walloped the Colorado Brown Bears to the tune of 18 to 15. The heavy hitting on the Tigers team were Averno Garcia with a home run, Y. Yanis a home run, and the following made three base hits: Arduflo Hernandez, Bernardo Garcia, Rito Gomez.

Y. Yanis pitched 5 1-4 innings for the Tigers when he was forced to retire because he was struck by a batted ball. The Bears only secured 7 scores while he was in the box. Juan Subia pitched the balance of the game. The Tigers play Colorado here next Sunday.

HONORING MRS. DANO

The Dorcas class of the First Baptist church met Wednesday, May 13 at the home of Mrs. Buchanan in honor of Mrs. Dano who is soon to leave for her home in Teague, Texas.

Quite a few interesting games were played, after which Mrs. Dano was surprised with many useful gifts which in a small way conveyed an expression of regret at her leaving.

Delicious refreshments of pineapple sherbet and cake were served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Price, Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Lloyd.

BIG CARNIVAL JUNE 20

The Big Carnival to be staged in Big Spring on Saturday, June 20th is going to be a real carnival.

The members of the City Federation are now busy on plans and preparations. Many new features are going to be planned.

Watch for further announcements.

PIONEER BRIDGE CLUB NOTES

The members of the Pioneer Bridge club met with Mrs. Albert M. Fisher Wednesday and an especially jolly meeting was enjoyed. Delicious refreshments added to the pleasures.

Mrs. H. D. Hilliard made high score at this session.

NICE HOME FOR SALE OR RENT

A nice 5-room house at 205 East Third street for sale or rent. Phone 443, or apply to Mrs. Jno. Clarke, 206 Scurry St. 11-

FURNISHED APARTMENT

A nicely furnished apartment in Fairview Heights for rent. Phone 287. 11pd

PAPER PLATES AND CUPS

STONE'S VARIETY STORE

FISHING TACKLE

Biggest and Best!

Douglas Fairbanks in the THIEF OF BAGDAD

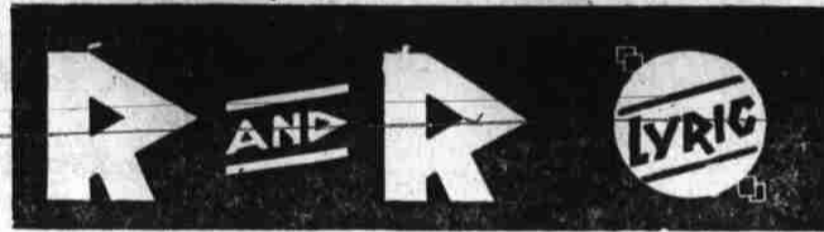
Have you ever seen a Magic Rug soar above the city bearing a Thief and a Princess?

Have you ever seen a white horse with wings fly through the clouds?

Have you ever seen Magic ropes, live dragons and bats as big as elephants?

Have you ever seen an "invisible" cloak?

This beautiful story of romance and adventure abounds in happenings of astounding and unbelievable magic.



Monday and Tuesday

May 25th and 26th

This is the Most Massive Spectacle ever brought to the brought to the screen. Never was there such a movie. Never, chances are, will there be again.



Truly a Miracle of Splendor and Magical Charm

This beautiful story of romance and adventure abounds in happenings of astounding and unbelievable magic.

You Will Always Regret It

If You Fail to See This

Showing!

Also Showing a Clever Comedy

"STEP LIGHTLY"

Admission 20c and 40c

Continuous show 3 to 10:30 P. M.

Mrs. Nat Shick and daughter Miss Lillian and Miss Clara Pool leave next Monday night for Los Angeles and Long Beach, Cal., where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Shick's mother, Mrs. Una Covert resides at Long Beach.

Several special trains bearing Shriners to the annual conclave in Los Angeles, Cal., are due to pass thru our city in the next few days. Members of the local Shrine Club are planning to meet some of these trains to give the visitors a welcome during the brief stop here.

We are reliably informed that Texas & Pacific passenger trains Nos. 15 and 16, operating between Big Spring and Dallas are to be discontinued Sunday, May 24th. It is also stated that a change in the schedule of some of the other passenger trains is to be made.

Dave F. Owen and daughter, Mrs. N. O. Payne of Fort Worth were here this week to attend the funeral of his niece, Mrs. Beulah Loudermilk. Mr. Owen formerly worked in the T. & P. shops here but this is his first visit since 1902 and he notes a

Fishermen declare it is no use to make a trip to the Concho river these days as fishing has been queered since the hail storms. The water seems to be poisoned, many fish are dead and it would be risky to eat any fish out of the river at present.

W. A. Morris left Wednesday for a visit with his parents at Comanche, and bring Maysie Dee home from school which is out. While gone W. A. is going to visit Fort Worth Brownwood and Abilene, trying to locate a home for the future. W.

**JOE WARD TO COACH
AT ATHENS HIGH**



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward leave today for Austin. Many friends regret they are not returning to Big Spring next year as they have accepted positions with the schools at Athens.

Joe is to be coach at the Athens schools and are mighty lucky to secure his services. He did fine work with the material available and we had a football team that was a real team before the season came to a close. Many citizens indeed regret he is not to be with the boys at least another year.

He may have seemed a hard taskmaster to the boys who have not learned the meaning of restraint, but if so, it was because he was working for the best interest of his charges. He insisted on their coming up with their scholastic standing, and strict adherence to training rules. Boys who came to school for athletics only were not awarded letters or sweaters. Boys who broke training by smoking, drinking or eating prohibited sweetmeats were penalized. Some of the boys who couldn't make the grade were weeded out and among these you will find some soreheads. The boys who respected the training rules, who made the required grades have high regard for Joe Ward for they know he has been straight as a string. Not a one of the boys who profited by the faithful observance of rules will say he received anything but a square deal at every stage of the game. It was a mammoth sized job to take a raw bunch and whip them into shape for it needs a red-blooded man who will put something of himself into the undertaking but Ward did this and we have the foundation for a winning team.

More important than a winning team however is having the boys of our city between the ages of twelve and eighteen under the influence of the right kind of a man and Joe Ward measures up to the highest standard. He is a good, clean fellow, does not smoke or drink, has gained high athletic honors in our great University and is just the man to supply the ideals our boys need. Every boy is a hero worshiper and Joe Ward certainly had an athletic record that would make him a hero among the boys.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Bible study 10 a. m.
Communion service 11 a. m.
Bro. Vaughn of Abilene was with us last Saturday night and Sunday. He delivered three fine sermons while here.
Ladies Bible class meets Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.
We regret very much having to part with several of our substantial members of this class.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
Our meeting begins June 29th.
Bro. Dave Black of Sweetwater will do our preaching.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

The Self Culture Club met with Mrs. Bernard Fisher at the regular hour May sixteenth. Almost the entire membership answered to roll call, preceding a very interesting and instructive program.
The Club was pleased to have with them Mrs. Owen who was made an honorary member.
Club Reporter.

If five or six additional business buildings were available on Main street or in the business district they could be rented "pronto." Several responsible firms have their eye on Big Spring and are keen to come here to engage in business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Lubbock were visitors in the city Monday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rix. Mr. Miller is in the employ of the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Co. at Lubbock.

The lumber for the new Christian church is expected to arrive within the next few days and upon arrival the work of completing the walls and roof of the church will be rushed.

45-lb. Peacemaker flour, \$2.30.
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Big Spring, Texas

**JAIL FOR DRUNKEN
AUTO DRIVERS**

A large per cent of the serious automobile accidents, here and elsewhere, are brought about by booze-addled brains behind the steering wheel. A few drinks of the sort of liquor that is peddled by the bootleggers incapacitates any man as an automobile driver; and most of those who try to drink liquor and drive an automobile at the same time come to grief sooner or later.

But how many of them are prosecuted under the state law which makes it a felony to drive an automobile while intoxicated? Surely a number of them come into the hands of the police, and their intoxication surely is evident. But how many of them have been made to suffer the penalty prescribed by the law?

The state law prohibiting the driving of automobiles by intoxicated persons is a wise law. It was enacted in the interest of the public welfare. A drunken automobile driver endangers his own neck more than any person, but he is a menace to everyone in his vicinity. Shooting a revolver down any busy street would be no more dangerous than for a drunken man to undertake to drive an automobile down the street. The man who pulls the trigger of a revolver gets instant attention from the law-enforcement officials; but the drunken automobile driver, if apprehended at all, usually escapes with the payment of a small fine for reckless driving or for some other misdemeanor.

The jelly-beans and the cheap "sports" who consume most of the illicit liquor in this community can not be cured of their habits by occasional arrests and occasional small fines. The law provides heavy penalties for drinking liquor and for driving motor vehicles while intoxicated, and the penalties ought to be applied.—Brownwood Banner-Bulletin.

GENERATORS — GENERATORS

We now have an expert generator and battery man, and are prepared to give you expert service in this line. All work guaranteed. Bring your auto around for free examination. —BANKHEAD BATTERY SERVICE STATION. 35-4t.

RAILROADS AND TRUCKS

Editor Star-Telegram! Sick and tired of the ceaseless whine of the railroads for higher rates, mergers and legislation under the plea of their going to the bow-wows under competition of cars and trucks which in itself is proof of their own conditions, I am writing to ask if it would not be better, instead of whining, to meet the condition?

Do you know of anything that would prevent a system of small, quick cars on their own rails, equipped with engines similar to those of autos, run in relays, for passengers and light freight? Heavy freight to have right of way only on certain hours at night, and new, small individual engine-equipped cars running in relays, say every two hours, to compete with what's bedeviling them? An era of quick service has overcome the railroads. Any business man meets changed conditions—the railroads will not, but must, instead of pushing their troubles over onto business and the Legislature. In this era of quick service railroads permit a relay of little old cars to ramble all around about their noses like flies, and wall to the public to swat the flies. Small, quick service in relays is indicated and they will not take the dose. If railroads halt in the midst of progress, it is certain progressiveness will not.—John E. Bonner, Comanche, Texas, in Star-Telegram.

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COTTON SEED WANTED

Bring your surplus cotton seed to the GUITAR GIN! Will pay the market price for same.—advertisement. 35-3t.

Hamilton Wright of the Fort Worth Record was here last Friday to attend the second annual Feeders Day exercises at the U. S. Experiment Farm in this city.

When you want a job of plumbing or wiring done right, phone 51. L. E. MOLEMAN Electric & Plumbing Company.

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It isn't only the make and the year of your car that counts in determining the correct oil. It's important to know the "wear" of your engine. Drive in and we'll give you the answer to your car's lubrication problem. We'll prescribe the proper grade of Sinclair Opaline Motor Oil that will suit the present condition of your engine—and seal its power. Perfectly!

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**STATE C. E. CONVENTION
WICHITA FALLS JUNE 10-16**

There come a time in most of our lives when the daily routine of life becomes monotonous and we need to be away and meet new people and gain a fresh supply of inspiration and enthusiasm. The endeavorers of Texas will have this opportunity, June 10-16, when Ye Olde Time convention will be held in Wichita Falls, the City That Faith Built. A group of people are busy working for a worth while program of five days—five days of inspiration and fellowship that raises one to the mountaintops, where one may see great fields of service ready for workers to appear.

The Bible Study, the Quiet Hour, the conferences on many subjects, each morning. The song services conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Alva R. Wilgus, great addresses will be made by Dr. Daniel A. Poling, associate President of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, Clarence Hamilton, W. Moy Bregg, Jack Huppertz, Mamie Jean Cole, junior christian endeavor worker for all south extension work. These will be valuable assets.

Everywhere folks are talking about this convention. Some are going by train, other by cars. The San Antonio, Valley and Corpus folks are organizing an auto caravan. It is expected more than 150 cars will join this auto train. The Texas railroads have secured for this occasion reduced rates of one and one-half fare for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale June 8, 9, 10th, with final limit June 17.

Midland district will have several cars to go for we will not have this opportunity of attending a State convention, so near to the district. So advantage should be taken of it and go and learn new ways of promoting Christian Endeavor and meeting the hundreds of young people from their own state.

How can we teach, when we do not know,
How can we lead when we do not go

DESIRABLE LOTS FOR SALE

Have seven lots 50x140 ft. in Cole & Strayhorn addition; fine water can be secured on all these lots. Will sell any of them cheap; cash or terms. Look at them and write MRS. J. D. WILLIAMS, Box 375, Colorado, Texas. 35-4t.

The City has tentatively accepted an offer of \$6.50 per acre for the 640 acres of land recently purchased from the railway company. The City is to retain the water rights on this tract of land for all time. This is a good move on the part of the City as they do not need the surface of this tract.

J. L. Yoakum, wife and children of Cooper, Texas, arrived Monday for a visit with J. M. Barley and family. Mrs. Yoakum and Mrs. Barley are sisters.

Paint in small cans for any purpose. Cunningham & Phillips.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Eteson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dawes, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rix, Mrs. B. C. Rix; Misses Ruth Rix, Helen Hayden and Nancy Dawes and W. R. Dawes Jr. went to Lamesa Thursday evening to attend an Episcopal service, conducted by Bishop Seaman of Amarillo. A delegation from Lubbock met this party at Lamesa and members from the choir at Lubbock and Big Spring furnished music for the service, which was held in the Presbyterian church.

Come early Saturday morning for vegetables for your Sunday dinner. P. & F. COMPANY.

A deep test for oil was spudded in on the M. C. Lindsey ranch in Gaines county on Friday, May 15th. A big free barbecue was served by the citizens of Seminole, Seagraves and Lamesa.

Bathing suits and caps. Cunningham & Phillips.

NOTICE IN PROBATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any of the Justices of the Peace of Howard County, Texas: You are hereby commanded to be published once a week for a period of ten days beginning on the 10th day of June, 1925, in a general circulation newspaper published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in said County, of the following notice: THE STATE OF TEXAS: To all persons interested in the estate of Lillie Opaline minor, Maggie A. Opaline, I have filed an application in the Court of Howard County, Texas, on the 10th day of May, 1925, for the appointment of a guardian of the person and estate of said minor, which said application was heard by said Court on the 10th day of June, 1925, at the City of Big Spring, Texas, in which time all persons answer said application, and if they desire to do so. Herein fail not, but appear before said Court, on the 10th day of the next term of said Court, with your return thereto, showing how you have executed the same. Witness my hand and seal at Big Spring, this 10th day of June, 1925. J. I. PRITCHETT, County Court, Howard County, Texas.

It sure made a difference when Highway Commissioner Burkett announced that the two highways asphalted thru the county. With the cost for the two highways approximately for the six miles in the city to have carried out improvement without a

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extra quality built in by the extra process of Gum-Dipping, economy of these wonderful tires and the added mileage gained from them during the past two years, has created such a demand that over 75% of Firestone's mammoth production is now Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords.

This has greatly increased the total sales volume and the huge tire factories are now working on a 24-hour schedule to meet the demand.

This large volume, produced under the most economical tire manufacturing methods, permits Firestone to sell these extra-large Full-Size Balloons at no extra cost to car owners. And this fact of greatly advanced cost for crude rubber brought about by the operation of the British Rubber Restriction Act.

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Enjoy the safety, economy and comfort of Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords this summer. Let us equip your car now at low cost—with liberal allowance for your old tires.

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WEST TEXAS FARMING HEADED?

Little doubt in the minds of those who have studied the question, more especially West Texas, resort more and more to livestock as a general industry as the country settles and the opportunities become generally recognized.

As at the present is turning attention to the production of cotton, the exclusion of farm crops. Large ranches split up into small cotton ranches have placed a their once highly prized into cultivation for growth, farmers with their quarter section who until a few years ago that to farm was to cultivate and leave the 60 acres in plowed up the grass land the full 180 acres in culture are doing everything in to supply the demand for

years ago in the western the Cotton Belt the rule was to plant one half the land to cotton and one to plant four-fifths to cotton-fifth to feed crops. The that cotton farmers usually feed for the work stock, poultry and hogs and lit to the market in the form of animals. Every one is trying more cotton on more land and thing about it is that going to succeed and we more cotton than the world

Looking up on the production sorghum in Western Texas found that the center of grain production has been north and West at a very these feed crops giving more cotton. Fifteen years center of grain sorghum production around Stamford county. In five years it had northwest 100 miles to Dickinson. In 1914 and 1915 every storage place in Spur was piled high on the vacant

town. A few years later, Ralls and Lubbock were producers of the grain sorghum thousands of carloads shipped to market from these From Lubbock the grain were pushed north and cotton until in 1924 the production was at Dalhart, 75 northwest of Amarillo and over northwest of where it was Over the same period of grain sorghums have increased from \$6 a ton for 1914 to \$15 a ton. Jones county as much grain sorghum as it did 15 years ago and has settled up and is the leading cotton county in the state and does not want more feed than is necessary for the cotton farms, which naturally results in a

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With normal yields of one-third of a bale of cotton and one ton of milo heads to the acre there is little difference in the value of a feed crop at \$30 a ton and a cotton crop at 15 cents a pound. With a cotton price under 20 cents the percentage of cotton land in western Texas will decrease and that of feed crops will increase and there will be enough feed produce to fatten livestock. R. E. Dickson, in The Progressive Farmer.

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APPROVE TOURIST CAMPS To be approved by the state board of health, both public and private camps must have a safe and protected water supply; adequate method of waste and sewage disposal; proper method of garbage and refuse collection and disposal; a regular and competent caretaker; and must eliminate mosquito breeding places in and around grounds.

Insanitary camping parks are a menace not only to those patronizing them, but to the residents of a town in which they are located. The chief disease dangers from these camps are typhoid fever, diarrhea, dysentery, malaria and dengue fever. Disease organisms travel as fast as man, therefore one insanitary camping ground may be the means of transmission of disease germs to widely remote sections of the state, or to other states.

A charming daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Barton Dulla, of the Center Point community, Thursday, May 14th.

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Oil Development in This Section

At McDowell No. 1

They are still having trouble in controlling the water in the Gulf's McDowell No. 1. They have been drilling in a broken formation, and unsuccessful efforts to shut off water have been delaying the task of completing this well.

Magnolia Company Has Rig Up.

The derrick for the new deep test to be drilled by the Magnolia Oil Company was completed this week and this well is to be spudded in soon.

This location is about four miles south of Iatan and about one mile east of the former test made by the Magnolia Company in that section. Some oil was found in the other test well but it was not sufficient to warrant pumping.

This test is about twenty miles east of Big Spring.

Humble Company to Spud-in

The Humble Company will spud-in their deep test for oil on the Slaughter ranch in Martin county within the next day or so.

The derrick was completed Tuesday, the engine installed and things were being shaped up to start drilling as soon as possible.

Four big trucks have been busy the past three weeks hauling tools, casing and supplies to the location.

Oil men who have visited the Humble's camp say they are better prepared to make a thorough and deep test than any company that has ever entered this territory. They have everything that can possibly be needed to complete the well, so there will be no delays awaiting for tools or tubing.

Drillers that know their business from A to Z are going to be on the job and we expect to see this test put down at a rapid rate.

The Humble's test well is far distant from any of the deep tests that have been previously drilled in this territory.

Two Completions in Mitchell Field

Colorado, May 18.—Two completions, adding 200 barrels to daily production in the Westbrook field, are reported in Mitchell county this week. Adams No. 1, of Thomson & Morrison, in Section 11, block 28, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, an extension of producing area near Westbrook one-half mile to the north and east, is making 150 barrels. Keyard No. 3 of the Eastland Oil Company, new completion in Section 15 of the same survey, is making 50 barrels.

Three additional completions of the heart of the field are scheduled for next week. Elder 1-1 of the California Company is drilling at 2,800 feet after landing six and five-eighths inch casing at 2,750 feet. Their Elder 2-3 is drilling at 2,785 feet, with six and five-eighths inch casing set at 2,716 feet. Smart Seven of the Sloan Oil Company, in Section 21, is drilling at 2,805 feet. Crews at these tests expect to penetrate the lower pay stratum within 250 feet.

Smart Six of the Sloan Oil Company is drilling at 2,400 feet. Their Miller Four is drilling below 2,700 feet. Morrison 2-13 of the California Company is down 2,400 feet. Good progress is reported at tests being drilled by Sloan, Owens & Stalker on the H. S. ranch and by George Northrup on the Spade ranch of Colorado.

Sterling County Oil News

After setting 12 1-2-inch casing at about 670 feet, the drill is now going past 900 at the Reynolds well. Ben Case, drilling contractor, reports that they are now making 100 feet a day at this well.

They are nearing the depth of 3,000 feet at the Mims well. It is said this well will be completed to the contract depth in a very short while.

Under a new management drilling is to be resumed within sixty days at the Sparkman well just over the line in Glasscock county, about 19 miles northwest of here. This well was shut down around 1900 feet about two years ago.

Casing in the Clark well was drawn the first of the week, and straight casing is in progress to set casing at about 1140 feet. One of the drillers, while here a few days ago, reported that the showing of oil encountered around 1100 feet, amounted to about 1 1-2 barrels per hour. Quite a lot of interest is being manifested in this well.

County Surveyor Kellis is out today surveying a drilling site in the center of the northeast one-fourth of the southwest quarter of Section 43, Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. in what is known as the C. C. Reynolds

The State National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS REPORTED TO THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 6, 1925

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$519,209.50	Capital\$ 50,000.00
Cotton Acceptances 681.40	Surplus Earned..... 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds..... 29,250.00	Undivided Profits..... 10,374.54
5 per cent Redemption Fund.... 750.00	Circulation 15,000.00
Banking House and Fixtures.... 30,000.00	Borrowed Money..... NONE
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.... 3,000.00	Due to Banks..... NONE
CASH227,378.21	DEPOSITS 684,894.87
\$810,269.11	\$810,269.11

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Cedar Hill pasture. This new test is 13 miles northwest of here. Case & Hoover have the contract for drilling this well. J. C. Hardy of Dallas is the owner of the property and will direct operations.

The drill at Durham No. 1 is going steadily in gray lime past 2200 feet. No. 2 is still producing fuel oil for drilling at No. 1.

Drilling at the Northrup well in the Spade pasture is progressing rapidly. The hole is now past 1000 feet in depth.

O. H. Graham visited the Douthitt well yesterday, and reported that the Meriwethers are making hole rapidly and everything running smoothly.

The Sloan well in the Scott pasture is reported to be making good progress.

The new rig in the 7D pasture, west of the Q. C. Walker ranch, will be supplied from Sterling. We learn that this well is about ready to be spudded in.

If rumor be true, we shall be able to report six new rigs in this vicinity before the summer is over. Oil men from almost every quarter are visiting here.—Sterling City News-Record.

Gain in Big Lake Oil Flow

An increase within the next two weeks of 8,000 to 10,000 barrels daily in the production of the Big Lake Oil Company, which now is approximately 18,000 barrels daily, will not be surprising to Levi Smith, president of the company, who is in San Angelo late in the week. No. 24, No. 19, No. 25, and No. 17 are the next wells of the company expected to be producers, in the order given.

Big Lake 24 should be completed by Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. Five-inch casing was run Thursday and was to be cemented Friday, after which drilling will be resumed. No. 19 is about ready for the setting of 6-inch pipe and, barring delays, should be in by the end of next week. Tools have just been fished from No. 25, which is again drilling below 2,500 feet. Eight inch casing has been run past tools in No. 17 and drilling with a rotary now is underway at 2,435 feet. No. 17 was the first big gusher in the field, coming in early in February with a flow which gauged in excess of 87,000,000 cubic feet of gas the

The First Day of Chautauqua brings The Wonderful Cathedral Choir and The Greatest Humorist Since Bill Nye Herbert Leon Cope The First Day May 27th

fourth day after it blew in unexpectedly.

Big Lake No. 21 is supplying gas to all Big Lake wells that are drilling. A gauge on the volume has never been obtained, but the rock pressure is around 700 pounds. It has been as high as 850 pounds. No. 21 also is producing a daily average of 100 barrels of oil from around 2,440 feet. Big Lake No. 27, northeast of No. 17 and northwest of No. 21, is being drilled for gas to supplement the fuel supply from No. 21.

Big Lake wells now drilling are Nos. 17, 19, 20, 25, 24, 26, 27, 28, and 29. No. 22 was recently abandoned, not because it was a dry hole, but owing to failure of a fishing job at 2,400 feet. The rig from this well will be moved to one of the new line locations, probably Big Lake 40 or 41. No. 30 so far is a blank location and will not be drilled for the present. No. 31 will be the extreme eastern test among the new wells along the south line of section 25, block 9, only Nos. 28 and 29 being farther east. From No. 31 the line of wells will extend west, consecutively numbered, to No. 37, which will be to the northwest directly off the corner in the boundary line of the Big Lake and Texon acreage. From No. 37, the new Big Lake wells will extend south to and including No. 42 along the east line of sec-

tion 1, block 2. All the new wells will offset Texon wells in section 36, block 9. Both Big Lake and Texon wells will be 250 feet back from the acreage boundary, or 500 feet apart where directly opposite one another.

It is estimated that the twelve new Big Lake wells, Nos. 31 to 42 inclusive, will cost \$25,000 each, or \$300,000. If sixteen new line wells by the Texon Company cost as much, almost three-quarters of a million dollars soon will be expended in development along what has come to be known as the "golden lane." Drilling wells now is a great deal less expensive than it was a year or eighteen months ago, as the contract price per foot is less, with the formation known, and the companies use casing and other materials over and over again.

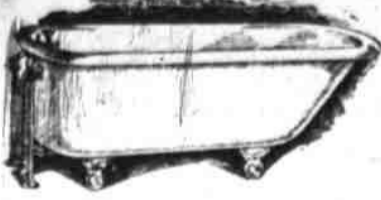
Of the Big Lake Company's present production of 18,000 barrels daily from fifteen wells, 5,000 barrels are being shipped daily from Texon to the United States Central Oil Corporation at Houston. The Big Lake is also delivering 5,000 barrels daily to the Reagan County Purchasing Company, the collection agency for the Humble Pipe Line. The Texon Company is delivering a similar amount daily to the purchasing company. Beginning May 15, the Big Lake will ship 7,500 barrels daily to the Humble Company at Baytown under its year's contract for 2,737,000 barrels to be delivered aboard tank cars in the field. Present shipments of 5,000 barrels daily will be continued, making a daily total for the Big Lake of 12,500 barrels, besides the 5,000 barrels to the purchasing company. Deliveries to the purchasing company will be doubled Dec. 1 by both the Big Lake and Texon companies.—San Angelo Standard.

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25c can Del Monte or Gold Bar sliced peaches 20c
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Two 20c bottles catsup 25c
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Chili, Waffles, Short Orders at Skorty Beard's
CHILI PARLOR
106 Main Street
We serve Maxwell House Coffee.
LET US FEED YOUR FACE.

One of the most important highways in Texas is the Glacier to Gulf which passes thru Big Spring. This is the most direct route from Colorado and the Northwest beyond, to the Plains and the Gulf Coast. Every county in Texas along this route should get busy and make this a hard surfaced highway.

Leland Stone, director of the Big Spring Booster Band, has the right idea. He plans to take the band to Amarillo to the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in May, 1926, and is going to train the band especially for that occasion.

Some of our folks do not seem to know that it is now a felony to give a "dry check" unless they have funds in the bank to pay same. Failure to make good a dry check within fifteen days is the best evidence that the giver of the check meant to defraud.

Before a great while the City Council will order an election for the purpose of determining whether or not ten or twelve blocks in the business section of Big Spring shall be paved. There is an increasing tendency in favor of this paving program.

The T. & P. team journeys to Lamesa next Sunday to tackle the Lamesa team, and they are going to have to get up and play if they want the game.

You've heard about cotton weather? Well, we have been having that sort of weather the past week and cotton plants sure have been humped.

\$20 REWARD FOR LOST DOG

\$20 will be paid for return of one female hound. Black and white. C tattooed in ear. Address R. L. WARREN, Coahoma, Texas. 36-2

BUY A HOME OR FARM

Now is the best time in the world to invest in a home or in a good farm. I have some choice bargains. See me JOHN CURTIS. 36-4t

CITY ELECTION ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE CALLING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE, BY VOTE OF QUALIFIED VOTERS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BIG SPRING, WHETHER OR NOT A COMMISSION SHALL BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER FOR SAID CITY, FOR SUBMISSION IN A SUBSEQUENT ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF ADOPTION, FIXING TIME AND PLACE AND APPOINTING JUDGES AND CLERKS OF SAID ELECTION PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF FIFTEEN COMMISSIONERS TO FRAME A PROPOSED CHARTER FOR BIG SPRING; PROVIDING FOR OFFICIAL BALLOTS, COMMISSIONING OF COMMISSIONERS IN CASE OF AFFIRMATIVE VOTE AS TO WHETHER A COMMISSION WILL BE ELECTED.

At the regular meeting of May 7, 1925, on motion of A. P. McDonald seconded by J. R. Creadt the following Ordinance was duly passed, and ordered written into the minutes of the acts of City Council.

1. Be it ordained that the question "shall a commission be chosen to frame a new Charter?" be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of Big Spring, in accordance with Chapter 17, Vernon's Sayles' Texas Civil Statutes.

2. That the said Election shall be held on the 17th day of July A. D. 1925, at the City Hall in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas, Polls to be open from 8 o'clock a. m. of said date; and that Judge J. A. Stephens shall be the presiding Judge of said election, and S. R. Thompson, E. E. Scott and Mrs. Fox Striplin, clerks.

3. At such election the qualified voters shall elect fifteen commissioners, who shall serve as a Board to prepare a special Charter for the City of Big Spring, for submission at a special election for the adoption or rejection of such special charter by the qualified voters of the town of Big Spring, the said Commissioners receiving the greatest number of votes, shall be commissioned to serve by the Mayor immediately after the said election; PROVIDED, the vote in the said election upon the question as to whether a commission shall be chosen carries, and receives a majority of the votes in said election, and if the said question does not carry and the voters refuse to authorize the choosing of a commission, then in such case the election of fifteen Charter Commissioners shall be null and void and the Mayor shall not issue commissions to those receiving votes.

4. There shall be two Ballots, provided for in the said election: First, upon the question as to whether a commission shall be selected, and the voters desiring to vote to authorize the selection of a commission shall draw a line through the wording: "Against the choosing of a commission to frame a Charter for the City of Big Spring and deposit the same as a vote for authority in choosing a commission; and the voters desiring to vote against authorization of the selection of a commission shall draw line through the wording "For the choosing of a commission to frame a Charter for the City of Big Spring," and the second ballot shall be labeled "Official Ballot," and immediately after such label "Each voter may vote for fifteen commissioners."

5. The said Officers appointed herebefore shall act in both elections, and make separate returns immediately after election, to the City Council of Big Spring.

6. The Mayor of Big Spring is hereby authorized to print such Ballots, in accordance with the above.

7. By virtue of existing circumstances an emergency is hereby declared and the three separate readings in the three regular meetings of the City Council is hereby waived; and this Ordinance goes into effect after its passage, upon the approval hereof by the Mayor, who shall immediately give notice, as required by law, of such elections to be held in accordance with this Ordinance.

Approved May 7, 1925

CLYDE E. THOMAS, Mayor.
LOUISE MIDDLETON, City Secretary.

SEWER CONNECTIONS ARE REQUIRED

On May 7, 1925, the City Council of Big Spring passed a resolution, in accordance with the provision of the City's Sewer System Ordinance requiring all business houses and residences to connect with the Sewer System within 60 days, within the following area:

From the Texas and Pacific Ry. to 8th Street, and from Johnson to Gregg Streets.

It is contemplated that at the end of 60 days the area will be increased in size and that within a year the whole of the town within the district known as the Big Spring Sanitary District will be fully and completely connected.

The Ordinance states that the City reserves the right to discontinue water service of all kinds to those refusing to make connections. No one has the right to make an extension of time for making connection except the City Council.

Beginning instantly, charges for services have been reduced to one-third. Residence monthly charge will be 25 cents. This is necessary to defray the expenses necessarily arising in operating the System, purchasing extras, chemicals and making repairs, and keeping the disposal plant in good order.

Those who has already cess-pools in good working order, are not required to make connections, but the Ordinance forbids any repairs on same, and makes it compulsory that connections be made when cess-pool needs repairs.

In emergency an application will be entertained by the City Council for an extension of the time in the

above 60 days, where it is shown that a good reason does exist in the individual case for an extension of time.

In the absence of such extension of time, actually granted in writing by the Council, within the above area, the water connection will be promptly cut off on all those who do not have connections by July 7, 1925. We have a good sewer system and plenty of water and we are going to use them for the health of the city.

CLYDE E. THOMAS, Mayor City Big Spring.
LOUISE MIDDLETON, City Secretary.

NOMINATIONS FOR CHARTER COMMISSION

In accordance with the Law, the City Council has placed in nominations the following names, to be printed on the Ballot, July 17, 1925, from whom, including other names that may be added, the voters shall elect fifteen persons to write the Proposed Charter for the Town of Big Spring.

This list is not exclusive and other names may be added anytime before the ballot is printed.

- M. H. Morrison
- R. D. Matthews
- B. Reagan
- W. H. Homan
- R. L. Price
- Dr. R. L. Davis
- T. S. Currie
- E. A. Kelley
- C. W. Cunningham
- B. B. Fox
- E. E. Fahrenkamp
- W. W. Inkman
- Sam Hall
- J. Y. Robb
- J. C. Douglass
- E. O. Ellington
- H. R. Debenport
- F. W. Bettle
- W. R. Pursler
- H. W. Caylor
- William Fisher
- R. T. Piner
- L. S. McDowell
- A. C. Walker

Folks may think they are doing the right thing by their children when they humor their every whim, and permit them to squander money like drunken sailors. All the children of the present age can't keep up the gilded pace and the parents are the ones who will be censured when a realization of this is forced upon them. How many children of this day and age realize the value of a dollar? How many of them are prepared to step out and earn the money they so lavishly expend?

Did you know that there is not one hard surfaced through highway across Texas, north and south, or east and west. The nearest approach is the Bankhead National Highway from El Paso to Texarkana. When this highway is paved its entire length, the tourist travel will be ten times what it is at present.

The most important question confronting the American people today is law enforcement. We do not need more laws—what we need is the enforcement of those we already have. Ninety-nine per cent of all our prevailing ills would quickly disappear if there would be an equal and impartial enforcement of all our laws.

Lawrence Simpson has again deserted the print shop to resume his duties as a dirt farmer and is now busy planting. Mr. Simpson has a fine farm in the Lees community and expects to make a bumper crop this year.

Ed Merrill, business manager of the Big Spring Booster Band, is planning to stage a home talent play, "A Family Affair," as a benefit for the band. A young lady Drum Major is to be selected for the band.

Not a Crossword Puzzle

P L U M B I N G

Phone Shop 167
Res. Phone 652

A. P. KASCH

Cor. Main and Second St. Ward Bldg.

West Texas National Bank

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

We wish to call your attention to the splendid showing made in our report to the comptroller of currency
April 6, 1925

We want you to have a part in this fine showing and earnestly solicit business, promising to give you every service that sound banking will justify.

STATEMENT, APRIL 6, 1925

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$418,559.67	Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
United States Bonds.....	50,000.00	Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	1,087.61
Other Bonds, Securities, Etc.....	1,087.61	Circulation.....	50,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.....	5,000.00	DEPOSITS.....	388,168.37
Building, Furn. & Fix.....	50,000.00		
Other Real Estate, Livestock, Etc....	12,089.68		
Cotton Acceptances.....	44,819.98		
CASH AND SIGHT EXCHANGE..	308,168.37		
TOTAL.....	\$887,478.16	TOTAL.....	\$887,478.16

The above statement is correct.

ROBT. T. PINER, Cashier

OFFICERS

B. REAGAN, President
WILL P. EDWARDS, Vice President
ROBT. T. PINER, Cashier
R. V. MIDDLETON, Asst. Cashier
EDMUND NOTESTINE, Asst. Cashier

DIRECTORS

B. REAGAN
WILL P. EDWARDS
ROBT. T. PINER
J. J. HAIR
P. G. STOKER

After Every Meal

Pass it around after every meal. Give the family the benefit of its aid to digestion. Cleans teeth too. Keep it always in the house.

W R I G L E Y S

"Costs little—helps much"

HONORING MRS. N. C. BENNETT.

Mrs. Dee Pursler and Mrs. Eck Lovelace entertained at the home of Mrs. Pursler on Wednesday afternoon of last week, complimentary to Mrs. N. C. Bennett. The occasion was a miscellaneous shower and Mrs. Bennett was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts.

Between thirty and forty guests attended this delightful affair.

LOST OR TAKEN FROM CAR

Package containing 18 yards of gingham, 4 dozen buttons, and mail with C. E. Anderson's name thereon, was either lost or taken from car Friday morning. Finder please return to Herald office. .1t

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

May 24th, Sunday after Ascension Day.
7:30 a. m. Holy Communion.
11 a. m. Morning Prayer.
Tuesday, May 26th, Church school picnic. Meet at church at 3:30 p. m.
Rev. F. B. Eteson, Rector.

STORE CLOSED

The Hague Variety store, successor to Scott's Variety store, will be closed tight from Thursday of this week until Wednesday, May 27, to prepare and arrange the stock for a complete close-out sale, which starts Wednesday, May 27th at 9 a. m.

PIANO FOR SALE

A piano in good condition for sale. For further particulars, phone 591. ltpd.

COCA COLA THAT IS REMEMBERED.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS.

FINE HOME FOR SALE

7-room bungalow, 11 years old, first class lumber throughout. Built for home; extra fine well of water; southeast front on lot 100x140. This place is for sale; reasonable cash, or on terms. Address owner, MRS. J. D. WILLIAMS, Box 375, Colorado, Texas. 36-1f

Storage — Storage

FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD GARAGE. 33-1f

Forty-four boys and girls completed the work of our High School today. Just how well prepared they are to tackle the battle of life depends on how well they applied themselves while in school. Time will show which ones tried the "just to get by game."

An election will be held July 17 to determine whether or not the citizens of Big Spring desire to adopt the commission form of city government.

Rev. D. H. Heard returned the first of the week from Memphis, Tenn. where he had been as a delegate to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

Two kinds of men never advance far in a business organization: Those who can not do as they are told, and those who can do nothing else.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

"GIVE THE TOWN KNOCKER CREDIT, SAN I. HE DOES HIS BIT. AFTER LISTENING TO HIM YAPPING ABOUT THE CITY OFFICIALS, AND THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AND THE DOCTORS, AND THE MERCHANTS AND THE YOUNG FOLKS, AND THE CHURCHES AND THE GOVERNMENT, IT JUST NATURALLY MAKES BOOSTERS OF THE REST OF US!"



GENERATORS — GEN

We now have an expert and battery man, and are to give you expert service. All work guaranteed. Your auto around for the night. BANKHEAD SERVICE STATION.

FARM FOR SALE

A farm in the Luther community, 320 acres, every foot good natural land and well adapted for cultivation. Write ROITSCH, Schulenberg, 35-4t.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING

Two big rooms furnished housekeeping—with bath. 301 E. Third St. or THOMAS at Service Station. It-pd.

FOR SALE

Lots 2 and 3 in Block Valley Addition for sale. Address A. THREWEILL, Tenn.

FOR SALE

2 four-room houses; 10 houses. Small cash payment like rent. C. E. Phone 235.

POULTRY WIRE FOR

109 feet 1-inch mesh and 21inch mesh poultry wire. The entire lot for \$7.00.

DIAMONDS

Cash or installments. To \$200.00. City

A. R. HARRIS, COMMIS

"Cold Water Bob" by "buddies," is going to be "Hot Water Bob" when from the Fuel Conservation gang how to keep water from wasting fuel.

The man who is depressed his next week's pay. His week's meals is afraid for himself. He cannot take any chance, to enter any new field. To this—save.

Lester Fisher has 100 cotton up and coming in his farm in the Knott community will have in the next 1000 acres in cotton seed in 1926.

D. D. Anderson who is ill at the home of his daughter J. A. Kinard in this city, to be up and about.

Field seed here. R.

Herald want ads

HAVE YOU A 6% Purchase Certificate SAVE

Double Protection
Money Back Guarantee

Let us tell you more about it.

Clip Coupon below and mail today.

King Chevrolet Co.

Please send to me without cost or obligation your folder explaining "A New Way to Buy a Chevrolet."

Name _____
St. or Box No. _____
City or town _____

Let Us Do The Work

are prepared to promptly and satisfactorily do your
ing and ironing. Let us have an opportunity to relieve
a burden. PHONE NO. 17.

Big Spring Laundry

SANITARY THROUGHOUT

Your Daughter!

Texas—"After I had the
and severe backaches and
was very thin. I
was all rundown
and in a miser-
able condition.
We had two
doctors who did
me no good. My
mother, who
had used Dr.
Pierce's medi-
cines in her fam-
ily for years,
gave me the
"Golden Medical
and after taking two bot-
tles stopped and now I
well. I shall always praise
"Medicine."—Miss Trixie,
15 So. Lamar St.
Discovery is a well
tablets or liquid at your
store.

THE CONFEDERATE AT CHRISTOVAL

ady, Texas, May 6, 1925
rder No. 6)
Veterans Mt. Remt. 5th
Division U. C. V.
rity of our Commander,
of San Angelo, Texas,
Annual Reunion of this
ll be held at Christoval,
5th, 6th and 7th, 1925.
hereafter offered for our
noble citizens with
itation.

your Commander re-
surviving Remnants to be
possible, on above dates
the hospitality of our gen-
erative friends.
cooked rations will be
for all veterans, their
s and daughters of minor
S. soldiers of all wars,
public cordially invited
us.

and families are re-
ing bedding.
order of
J. O. FRINK,
Gen. Com'dg Brigade,
Chief of Staff.

Storage — Storage

WINDOM
with safety and save the
Louisiana Highway Maga-

WHAT BETTER CREED?

Engraved upon the monument of
"Bob" Taylor, beloved Dixie poet,
humorist, lecturer, lover of human-
ity, repeatedly elected governor of
Tennessee and United States Sena-
tor is an epitaph that could well
serve as the working creed of any
business man in the country: It fol-
lows:

"I would rather be the humblest
among those who have given hope to
the hopeless and happiness to the
distressed of my race, than to live
in history as a conqueror with my
hands stained with innocent blood;
I would rather have my name writ-
ten among those who loved their
fellowmen than to wear the laurels
that encircle the brow of the iron
prince; I would rather sleep in some
quiet churchyard, unknown and un-
remembered save by those in whose
hearts I have scattered seeds of
kindness and upon whose lips I have
conjured smiles of joy than to be
confined in a sarcophagus of gold,
with desolate homes as my monu-
ment and widows and orphans as
living witnesses of my glory."

PEOPLE WHO PATRONIZE OUR FOUNTAIN MAKE IT A POINT TO SPEAK A GOOD WORD FOR OUR DRINKS.....CUNNINGHAM & PHILLIPS.

J. W. Hull, aged thirteen years,
son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hull, had
the ring finger of his left hand am-
putated Sunday. While at play near
Coahoma, the ring caught on a pro-
jection, and the finger was torn so
severely that amputation was deem-
ed necessary.

WE REPAIR FURNITURE
When you want your old chair
fixed see. C. H. EVERETT, Fur-
niture Repair Shop, 102 Main street.
22-11.

Storage — Storage
FIRE-PROOF BUILDING — OPEN
DAY AND NIGHT. BANKHEAD
GARAGE. 22-11

Herald want ads get results.

PROGRESSIVE FARMER BELIEVES IN COTTON

Occasionally we meet farmers who
seem to think that The Progressive
Farmer is not in full sympathy with
cotton farmers. Such a notion is far
from the truth. We know that cot-
ton farmers as a class are the poorest
farmers in this country; however,
the fault is not with the cotton crop.
for cotton is an ideal farm crop. We
never have and never will suggest a
crop to take the place of cotton.
There is no farm crop that can take
its place.

We never have and never will ad-
vise any cotton farmer to even sup-
plant cotton as his main cash crop,
but we will continue to urge them
with all the earnestness of our souls
to supplement it with the necessary
food and feed crops that can be
profitably grown on their farms.
Farm management studies show that
an intelligent diversified farmer
works more days himself, utilizes his
teams and machinery more days,
employs his capital to better advantage,
and makes more money than any one-
crop farmer, regardless of whatever
that crop may be. It has been found
that cotton farmers, who provide
first for food and feed crops for
home use and to build up and main-
tain soil fertility, are able to pro-
duce cotton at a very low cost per
pound, and that they get the best
returns for land used and capital and
labor expended and are prosperous.

A wise system of diversified farm-
ing means that the soil rapidly in-
creases in fertility, the money ob-
tained for cotton is used to pay for
farm and home equipment instead
of for food and feed, and that the
farmers become more prosperous
each year. The growing of cotton
or any other crop on the same land
for a long period of years always
means a poor soil and big losses
from plant diseases and insect pests.
The fact of the business is, the long
continued profitable production of
any crop on the same land is an agri-
cultural impossibility.—G. H. Alford,
In The Progressive Farmer.

MALE HELP WANTED

Someone to represent the Original
J. R. Watkins Co., in Big Spring.
You can supply daily necessities to
regular customers and make \$35-\$50
a week easily. Write J. R. Watkins
Company, Dept. J-1, Memphis, Tenn.
34-41-pd.

THE HILTON HOTEL OF DALLAS

The Hilton Hotel, now under con-
struction in Dallas, is to be a mod-
ern 14-story fire-proof building.
There are to be no west rooms, 75
per cent of the rooms have south or
east exposure.

Departing from the usual mode of
advertising, the hotel advertises its
maximum as well as its minimum
rate. The rates are \$1.50 to \$3.00.
In other words, the highest priced
rooms are \$3.00 and no "up."

This is going to be a boost for
Dallas to have at least one first
class modern hotel with reasonable
rates, one where you won't feel as
if you were being held up.

Jack White, for ten years assistant
manager of the Gunter Hotel. San
Antonio, and for two years man-
ager of the Robert E. Lee Hotel at
San Antonio, will be manager of the
Hilton Hotel, which insures the
traveling public a regular fellow to
deal with.

The Hilton will prove one of the
most popular hotels in the South.

Old Curiosity Repair Shop

China, glassware, furniture, sew-
ing machines, typewriters, guns,
bicycles, electric flat irons, electric
washing machines, vacuum sweepers,
fans, phonographs, automobiles, re-
paired. Hydrant bibs and cut-outs,
renewed. Inner tubes vulcanized.
In fact, we are prepared to do all
kinds of repair work. Give us a
trial. Shop at 504 Jack street. J.
R. CRAVEN. 22-11

If San Antonio folks would just
wake up we might secure a rail line
from the Gulf to the Plains section.
San Antonio like other cities in Tex-
as imagine things must come their
way whether or no, but they will
find out differently when it is too
late.

J. A. Smith and Chas. Sholte re-
turned last Friday afternoon from
Brownwood where they attended the
annual meeting Grand Lodge Knights
of Pythias.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. McEntire
were here last Friday from their
ranch home in Sterling county to
meet their niece, Mrs. Leslie Clarke
of Dallas who came to visit them at
Double U ranch.

MEBANE COTTON SEED

FOR SALE
100 bushels choice Mebane cotton
seed for planting. Call at my farm,
6 miles northeast of Big Spring. J.
E. TERRY. 22-11

Herald want ads get results.



GOOD CLOTHES

It's the good tailoring and fine ma-
terial that make our Style-Plus
Clothes worthwhile. You will
find our stock of clothing full and
complete in all the latest worsteds,
serges, and palm beach. The
prices we have made on these
lines of clothing should invite ev-
ery man and young man to this
store for the best clothes value of
the season.

Save From \$10.00 to \$20.00
on Your Spring Suit

BOYS CLOTHING

Mother, don't overlook our big stock of the very best clothing for
boys that can be made and at usually low prices. It has been a
long time since you had an opportunity to secure such values in
boys clothing.

GENTS FURNISHINGS

In our gents furnishings department you will find everything you
need to go with the new suit so come in today and let us fit you out
from head to foot at a big saving to you.

LADIES DEPARTMENT

Here you will find everything needed for the ladies, both old and
young; also the small children. Our ready-to-wear stock is the lar-
gest we have ever shown and we want you to visit this department.
Queen Quality Shoes and Humming Bird Silk Hose have no equal
for style and service.

If you want to make your stock full and complete at a great saving
to you in price

Come to the store where you can make a saving on
practically every purchase.

The Grand Leader

VICTOR MELLINGER, Proprietor

Mellinger Sells It for Less

This calculation comes from the
National Bureau of Casualty and
Surety Underwriters, which made it
a business to record the progress of
this modern car of Juggernaut about
the highways of America. Nineteen
twenty-four, then, saw 12,900 killed
under automobile wheels, and more
than 450,000 injured. Few of
Creasy's thirteen decisive battles
were as costly in human life as this
but this battle of the highways is
not decisive—it decides nothing but
the fact that the motor car is a
deadly plaything.—Cleveland Plain
Dealer.

Your eyes are your most priceless
possession. Give them the attention
they deserve and they will last you
a life time. SAVE YOUR EYES.
Have them examined regularly by
GEO. L. WILKE, Graduate Optician,
Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

The Chautauqua programs this
year appear to be especially good and
all who purchase season tickets are
going to enjoy high class entertain-
ments at an average price of less
than twenty-one cents. Chautauqua
starts Wednesday, May 27th.

We had busy times last Fall but
even busier ones are due for the
Fall of 1925, the way everything is
shaping up.

We have a few small rooms of wall
paper left that are a real bargain
.....Cunningham & Phillips.

Herald want ads get results.

When the asphalt topping has
been completed along a one hundred
mile stretch of the Bankhead High-
way thru this section it is going to
mean more than we can imagine in
the way of attracting auto tourists
over this route. Folks will go many
miles out of their way to drive over
a smooth highway. This improve-
ment work is just a starter for the
improvement of Highway No. 1 from
El Paso to Texarkana. And when
this highway is completed across
our state it is going to be bringing
the tourists in bunches.

Your eyes are your most priceless
possession. Give them the attention
they deserve and they will last you
a life time. SAVE YOUR EYES.
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GEO. L. WILKE, Graduate Optician,
Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Miss Mamie Padgett returned
last Tuesday morning from Abilene
where she had been the guest of
Miss Mildred Yeager, Mary Frances
Hall, Simmons University. Miss
Mamie reports the Big Spring girls
are doing good work in Simmons,
but are eagerly anticipating their re-
turn home. Miss Padgett attended
the convention held in Sweetwater,
May 5 and 6.

Bring your shoes to the Model
Shoe Shop to be SHINED by an
EXPERT. We use the very best in
polishes. We specialize in dyeing
shoes. Our prices are reasonable.
COURTNEY DAVIES. 22-11

THE BATTLE OF THE HIGHWAYS

You may not find it recorded in
the news columns this morning, but
fifty-two people were killed by auto-
mobiles in the United States yester-
day. And fifty-two the day before.
And still another fifty-two the day
before that. These are averages and
are borrowed from last year. But
there is no reason to suppose that
fewer are killed each day now than
the record of 1924 shows.

WANTED — AT ONCE

Twenty-five live and progressive
boys and girls to join the Big Spring
Booster Band. If you are a live one
address ED MERRILL, Business
Manager, General Delivery, Big
Spring, Texas.

CARMACK WANTS POULTRY

Send your chickens to the Car-
mack Poultry House, in the rear of
the West Texas National Bank.
Highest market prices paid for all
poultry. Phone 78. advertisement
25-11.

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possession. Give them the attention
they deserve and they will last you
a life time. SAVE YOUR EYES.
Have them examined regularly by
GEO. L. WILKE, Graduate Optician,
Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

Your horses: We have the gall
cure for those sore shoulders and the
stock foot to keep them full of pep
till the plowing is over.....
Cunningham & Phillips.



HENRY FORD

HERE'S A REAL AMERICAN—HENRY FORD—
AUTOMOBILE KING

Albert M. Fisher Co.
STETSONS

REAL AMERICANS WANT
THE "REAL" THING.

THERE'S NOTHING MORE
REAL THAN A STETSON—
NOTHING WITH FINER
QUALITY, BETTER STYLE,
MORE VALUE

THAT'S WHY AMERICANS
WANT THEM

\$7.50

SILK LINED

STETSONS \$7 to \$16.50

STETSONIANS \$10.

Albert M. Fisher Co.

The Passing Day

WILL H MAYES
Department of Journalism
University of Texas

Ignorance as to Waste.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram attributes waste to lack of early training in conservation. The more you think of it the more likely you will be to agree with the Star Telegram. Wastefulness is due largely to indifference about saving and not to a destructive spirit. Teach the child that it is as necessary to conserve as to make, and he will grow up to practice conservation. When I was a child I was allowed, in fact was encouraged, to eat all the food I wanted, but if I took more on my plate than I could eat, the plate of uneaten food was carefully put away for the next meal, and I had to eat that before getting anything else. To this day I never leave any food on my plate. Lessons like that have to be taught early, before wasteful habits are formed. The place for such teaching is in the home and in the school. The teaching should not only be against personal waste, but it should be extended to the protection of the property of other people and to the safeguarding of public property.

Courses in Conservation.

There is a tendency to make all education more practical. Why not extend it to include, in the grade schools, courses in conservation? Children should be impressed that to waste even the food that the birds might eat is sinful; that water waste is wrong; that destruction of, or injury to, school property is an injustice to the public; that to break street lights is criminal; that saving is just as commendable as making; that loss to any individual or to the community is an injury to all. Such lessons well taught in every school in the land would result in the saving of millions of dollars annually.

Looking for a Big Texan.

The Board of Governors of the Texas Centennial at its last meeting appointed a committee to find the best man in Texas, measured by the requirements of the position, to be permanent president of the movement which will commemorate the history of the State, reflect its present greatness, and build for a future commensurate with the State's great resources. The board decided to go about this selection carefully and to find a man of the financial strength to be able to devote his time and his means to the accomplishment of the purposes of the exposition; of the influence to get the ear of congress and of the legislature and to secure the co-operation of Texas and other states and nations; of the ambition to make the Texas Centennial his great culminating life work; of the vigor to give untiring effort to the great work. In other words Texas is looking for a leader with qualifications commensurate with the great undertaking before it.

Exigencies Develop Leadership.

In studying the immensity of the work the Texas Centennial Board was at first fearful that Texas has no man who can measure up to its requirements, but more careful consideration convinced the governors that Texas has citizens big enough to accomplish anything that people anywhere can do. The history of the world shows that there has never been an exigency, however great, that some person has not been discovered to meet it; and Texans may feel sure that in this case the best leadership will be found, leadership of which the State may be proud. The governors of the Centennial have gone about their selection in a way to insure that no mistake shall be made, which reminds me to say that the board has also shown much wisdom in planning a great educational campaign to "Texanize Texas" as a preliminary step. Get Texas Thoroughly enthused, and the Centennial will be put over in a splendid way.

From Newsboy to Exchange President.

In becoming president of the New York Cotton Exchange, Richard T. Harriss, a former Fort Worth newsboy, has shown again that poverty and hard work in youth are not handicaps but helps to success. The poor boy has an equal chance with the rich youth in the fight for success if only he can be brought to think so. Harriss would never have attained his present position if he had thought that newsboys could not hope to become financial leaders.

Criticizing the Newspapers.

Criticizing the press appears to be a fad. Even at the Parent-Teachers

meeting recently held at Austin, the newspapers came in for some trouncing because some one thinks they are threatening to usurp the function of the schools. Newspapers are not even trying to take the place of the schools, but are endeavoring to help them just as the Parent-Teachers are trying to help. Too often the loudest critics of the press are those who are its greatest debtors and who do least for its advancement.

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Fort Worth — H. J. Justin & Sons, Inc., Nocona, boot manufacturers, to move factory to this city; expect to have plant in operation by Sept. 1.

Colorado — \$40,000 bond issue voted for new municipal building.

Oklahoma — Toll bridge to be built across Red river between here and Davidson, Oklahoma.

Abilene — Masonic temple to be erected; will cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

Goose Creek — Community library building under construction.

Roby — New school building rapidly nearing completion.

Dallas — Cornerstone laid for McFarlin Memorial auditorium at Southern Methodist University.

Rusk — Work started on construction of Rusk Electric & Ice Co.'s new plant.

Clarendon — Ground broken for \$15,000 gymnasium to be built on college campus.

Lockhart — Gulf Beaty No. 3 comes in flowing 1,000 barrels.

Dallas — New Sunday school building to be erected by Central Congregational church.

Mexia — New textile mills begin operation.

Denison — Peabody school to be built here at cost of \$50,000.

Carthage — Magnolia Gas Company to begin second pipe line parallel with one just completed, running from Cotton Valley gas field to refining plant at LaTex.

Decatur — Contract awarded for erection of three bridges in Adam county.

Dallas — Building construction active.

Big Lake — New well No. 18

flowing 7500 barrels per day, bringing field flow to 25,000 barrels daily, or more than pipe line capacity.

Goliad — Fanning state park being improved.

Volume of freight carried by railroads during first two months this year was greatest ever handled by them during any corresponding period on record, according to reports of bureau of railway economics.

Brenham — Several residences under construction.

Snyder — Northwest Company to drill test well in local field.

Rhame — Highway to be built between this place and Dallas.

Texas ranks sixth in textile mills in the South.

Caldwell — Between three and five miles of highway through Brazos bottom section of Robertson county to be graveled.

Mexia — Water mains being laid to Mexia Petroleum Company's plant three miles west of city to augment supply.

Teague — Concrete pavement to be laid 18 feet wide from Limestone county line to Geppert hill.

The value of building contracts awarded during March was the largest on record, according to the federal reserve board figures.

Dallas — \$100,000 contract awarded for installation of cooling system in Old Mill theatre.

FOR SALE

New Perfection 4-burner oil stove—good as new—for sale. Call at 808 Jack street or phone 162. 35tf

FOR BLUE BUGS—and all blood-sucking insects on chickens, simply feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE. Keep hen house free of bugs by painting inside one time with MARTIN'S TUROLINE. Guaranteed by Cunningham & Phillips. 25-12

The officials of the Texas & Pacific railway are about the only railway officials in the country who have not come to the conclusion that a railway needs friends. You can not make friends by merely giving what it paid for. Service makes friends. And service with a smile beats service with a frown.

CUT FLOWERS for all occasions: wedding bouquets, funeral designs a specialty. COLORADO FLORAL CO., Colorado, Texas. Phone us your order. 29-tf

The best watch on the market today for the money. 19-jewel in permanently guaranteed cases, \$42.00. Clyde Fox Jewelry & Drug Co.

A. L. Houston of Stanton was here last Friday to attend the Field Day exercises at the U. S. Experiment Farm.



No
finer coffee ever
passed your lips

For the simple reason that no finer coffee is to be had than Hills Bros., The Recognized Standard. It is the cream of the crop—the very pick of the coffees of the world—blended with rare skill and roasted to a turn.

Break the vacuum seal that holds this coffee in all its original strength. Inhale that delicious bouquet. Brew a cup and lift it to your lips! You will agree with coffee-lovers everywhere that no finer coffee ever passed your lips. Hills Bros. is economical to use.

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In the original Vacuum Pack which keeps the coffee fresh.

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GREAT MUSICAL COMEDY
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CHAUTAUQUA

REDPATH-HORNER

ONE APPEARANCE ONLY.
SINGLE ADMISSION ONE DOLLAR.
THE COST TO SEASON TICKET OWNER IS ONLY A FEW CENTS.



"Day by day, in every way," one of the screaming moments in the rollicking farce-comedy, "Give and Take," at Chautauqua.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS IN BIG SPRING, WEDNESDAY, MAY, 27th

TEXHOMA
ANNOUNCES



The opening of a Wholesale Oil Station Warehouse in Big Spring, under the management of

JESS SLAUGHTER
who solicits the patronage of all Big Spring people.

A Complete Stock of TEXHOMA Products Will be at Your Command

Distributors of AMALIE — 100 per cent PURE Pennsylvania Oils and Greases

General Offices: Wichita Falls, Texas. Local Office: PHONE

PEARLS: All pearls at half price. Clyde Fox.
C. D. Ambrose of San Angelo was a visitor here Sunday.
Candy for the graduate. Cunningham & Phillips.
Mrs. E. E. Scott left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Fort Worth and Temple.
Bathing suits at...
It is going to be...
Weevil as to whether...
will bring a good price...
Watch the kids for...
unless you have killed...
am & Phillips.



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you the best
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indigestible. And, of
it is too expensive to
er all the time.
Mrs. Tucker's Short-
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ness of butter at half
—and at the same
—all the detriments
That is because Mrs.
is a pure vegetable
oil.
Call of Mrs. Tucker's
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oil. Use it when-
ever you use shortening.
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delighted at the
it will make in
baking. You'll find it
better than ordinary
shortening. And you'll ap-
preciate the sanitary, air-
tight container. This
shortening that
you shortening that
is fresh and pure.
It is very useful
in all household
house. Interstate
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Tucker's
Shortening
the finest
shortening fat

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Direct to Chautauqua.
Generally accepted fact that
comprises the ultimate
an American audience
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phone, you will prob-
ly favor of the brass band.
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your mind.
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an American product, nor can
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Marimbaphone.
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Mr. Horner, President
of Chautauqua, to
the National Marimba
semble towards bringing
this for a tour of his
country.

Mr. Horner made a trip
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generally satisfactory
ensemble in America.
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seeing a feature before
any of the other great
ensembles in this coun-
try presented in any of
the East or cen-
tral.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS.
BEULAH LAUDERMILK
The death of Mrs. Beulah Lauder-
milk came as a shock to friends in
this city. She passed away at Mercy
Hospital at 10 o'clock Monday night,
May 18th, following an illness of two
months or more. She underwent an
operation about four weeks ago.
Mrs. Lauder milk had made her
home in Big Spring for many years
and was loved and esteemed by ev-
eryone who knew her. She was a
tireless worker and had kept her
family together thru her own efforts.
For past year or more she has been
in charge of the Stewart Hotel in
this city. She was a good Christian
woman, always ready to aid or com-
fort those in trouble and her pathway
thru life is marked with kindness
and helpful deeds towards others.
She is survived by two sons, aged
ten and twelve, her mother Mrs. E.
L. Goodman, and two brothers Ollie
and Roy Goodman of this city. An
uncle Dave T. Owen of Fort Worth,
his daughter Mrs. N. O. Payne, a
cousin, Manuel Savage and other re-
latives of Yoakum, Texas, were here
to attend the funeral services Thurs-
day morning.
Funeral services were conducted at
the graveside in Mt. Olive cemetery
at 11 o'clock by Rev. Geo. J. Ruth,
pastor of the First Christian church.
To the two motherless boys, the
sorrowing mother, brothers and
other relatives is extended the deep
sympathy of many friends in this
city.

ROOMS FOR RENT
Two unfurnished rooms for rent
at 511 Gregg St. Phone 36. 1t

CHAUTAUQUA TRACK MEET.
Boys, here's a list of events to be
staged during Chautauqua track
meet at the baseball park in Big
Spring, Tuesday, June 2nd. Get
ready to enter and win some of the
prizes:
25-yd. dash, boys under 60 lbs.
25-yd. dash, girls under 60 lbs.
50-yd. dash, boys under 80 lbs.
25-yd. backward race, under 60 lbs.
50-yd. dash, girls under 60 lbs.
100-yd. dash, boys under 120 lbs.
Running broad jump, under 120
lbs. Running high jump, under 120
lbs.
Obstacle race, under 120 lbs.
Sack race, 25 yds., under 85 lbs.
Baseball distance throw, under
120 lbs.
Girls volley ball throw, under 120
lbs.

STRAW HATS FOR EVERYBODY
STONE'S VARIETY STORE
THE FARMERS' PROBLEM
That the farmer is entitled to
cost of production, plus a reasonable
profit for his products is an undis-
puted fact. The average farmer, in
the past, has paid too little attention
to his overhead or cost of running
his business.
He is coming to realize more and
more that rather than try to fix
selling prices high enough to cover
present cost of production and
profit, he must cut down cost of pro-
duction, because farming is a busi-
ness of world competition.

SATURDAY SPECIAL
One lot of men's high and
low quarter shoes, values up
to \$9.00 go on this date at
\$3.49
A. WILLIAMS STORE

EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, prices
cut deep on ladies hats, silk
dresses and silk underwear.
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EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, 3 pair
boys blue overalls, 99c
A. WILLIAMS STORE

EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, 1 lot of
men's dress shirts, 99c
A. WILLIAMS STORE

EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, 3 pair
of men's silk hose, 99c.
A. WILLIAMS STORE

EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, ladies
pure thread silk chiffon hose
new colors, 99c per pair
A. WILLIAMS STORE

EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, 5 yds.
of 36-inch percale, 99c.
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EXTRA SPECIAL
Friday and Saturday, alumi-
num ware, 99c.
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Resources Over \$1,000,000.00

No officer or director is permitted to borrow any of the bank's money.
4 Per Cent Interest is Paid on Time Deposits

STATEMENT APRIL 6, 1925

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 716,707.49	Capital Stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. Bonds and W. S. S....	52,000.00	Surplus and Profits.....	140,076.92
Banking House.....	18,000.00	Circulation.....	49,500.00
Redemption Fund.....	2,500.00	DEPOSITS.....	762,946.85
Fed. Reserve Bank Stock..	4,500.00		
CASH.....	208,816.28		
TOTAL.....	\$1,002,523.77	TOTAL.....	\$1,002,523.77

The Above Statement is Correct. **R. L. Price, V.-Pres. and Cashier**

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GOLF, TENNIS, BILLIARDS,
HUNTING AND FISHING ARE ALL
A WASTE OF TIME WILL GO
THROUGH LIFE WITHOUT EVER
REALIZING THE BENEFICIAL
EFFECTS OF RELAXATION =
DON'T BE AFRAID TO PLAY =
YOU CAN WORK HARDER
AFTERWARDS!**



Adding an asphalt top to the por-
tions of the Bankhead Highway and
Glacier to Gulf Highway within the
city limits should be our first duty.
The State Highway Department is
placing an asphaltic topping on the
portions of these highways that have
been gravelled.

Hypophosphites for that "No ac-
count feeling".....Cunningham &
Phillips.

HARVEST HATS STONE'S VARIETY STORE

We have a few small rooms of wall
paper left that are a real bargain.
.....Cunningham & Phillips.
Herald want ads get results.



"45 MINUTES FROM BROADWAY"
at Chautauqua has big dramatic moments as well as catchy music
and much fun.

BLAH-BLAH

The Shepherd case is in full swing
at Chicago and so are the sob-sisters
and blah-boys of the press.

The defendant is described down
to the minutest detail. The lifting
of an eyebrow is worth half a col-
umn. If he crooks his little finger,
the wires groan under the burden of
the blah-blah that is dished out to
describe it.

What his wife wears at the trial is
good for one to two columns per
day. The sob sisters go into ecsta-
sies over the color of her gloves.
They rave about the way she does
her hair.

The defendant immediately takes
on an epic stature. What he eats
for his breakfast becomes of world
import. Kings and potentates and
principlities take a back seat, while
the avid readers of the daily press
are absorbed in the latest court sen-
sation.

This is the sort of guff the so-
called reformers have reference to
when they decry the cover-playing of

GETTING THE MOST OUT OF ROADS

Practically every county in the
United States has many miles of
good rock macadam highways which
have outlived their usefulness from
the standpoint of carrying modern
motor vehicle traffic. Thousands of
dollars a mile have been spent in
building and maintaining these old
roads. To save this investment of
the taxpayers is a duty which de-
velops upon county commissioners
and boards of supervisors.

Instead of tearing up these roads,
it has been successfully demonst-
rated in many states that they can
be used as a base for a waterproof as-
phaltic concrete surface at a saving
of from \$5,000 to \$10,000 a mile.

Extension of this type of road pav- ing is saving taxpayers over the country millions of dollars and building hundreds of miles of hard surfaced highways which could not otherwise be paved.

SOUTH WARD ENTERTAIN- MENT A WINNER

Seventy-five or eighty children,
pupils of Miss Lurline Rogers and
Miss Sallie Jordan of the South Ward
school, gave one of the most inter-
esting and enjoyed entertainments
ever presented in our city Wednes-
day evening of this week, and a
large number of our citizens were
present to witness same.

The little folks attired in attrac-
tive costumes gave the following
numbers: Bee and Butterfly drill;
Apple Blossom drill; Hoop Drill and
Farmer Boy drill, and every one was
carried out perfectly.

This was held out of doors from
7 to 8:30 p. m. and all who witnessed
the drills praised very highly the
pupils taking part for the excellent
manner in which they went thru
their parts. Many entertainments
put on by so-called traveling artists,
and for which a steep admission is
charged could not have touched this
splendid number.

The South ward pupils certainly
made a hit with their audience.

PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES

The members of the Presbyterian
Auxiliary will hold their regular busi-
ness meeting at the church on next
Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

All members are urgently request-
ed to be present as matters of im-
portance are to be discussed.

Cotton that has come up since the
rains is getting off to a good start
and growing to beat the band. In
a few more weeks the farming sec-
tion of our county will certainly
present a pleasing appearance. From
all accounts this should be our big-
gest crop year ever.

COAHOMA NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Runyan gave Miss Mattie Armstrong a reception Friday evening, from 8:30 until 12:00 o'clock. Out door games were played until 10 o'clock, then Mrs. Runyan passed talie cards for indoor games which were played until 11:30. Mr. William Bass played high, and had the honor of cutting the cake for Miss Armstrong. Miss Armstrong was called on for a toast but waited too long to respond. She was showered with confetti. Then punch and cake was served. The cake had a fortune in it. Each one enjoyed hunting to see what future would be. Favor cups were served last, each having a verse in it. They were read and all found lots of fun in that. Twelve couples enjoyed this occasion.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bell a fine baby boy.

The M. E. ladies met their usual meeting day Saturday instead of having their usual program, they decorated the church for Mothers with beautiful floral decorations.

Sunday, May 10 a Mothers day program was rendered at the M. E. church and was enjoyed by everyone.

T. J. Runyan returned from Graham where he has been visiting his daughter.

COMMENCEMENT AT C. I. A.

Denton, Texas.—Miss Jena Jordan of Big Spring, a senior at the College of Industrial Arts, is a candidate for the degree of bachelor of arts at the graduation exercises to be held June 2. Sixty-six bachelor of arts degrees and 131 bachelor of science degrees have been applied for, according to the registrar.

Nineteen diplomas for students in kindergarten, twelve two-year diplomas in public school music, two diplomas in piano, and thirty-one vocational certificates have also been ordered.

James Hampton Kirkland, chancellor of Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., will deliver the commencement address at 10:00 o'clock on the morning of June 2. Dr. Peter Gray Sears, Episcopal minister of Houston, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon in the C. I. A. auditorium at 10 o'clock on the morning of May 31. The program for commencement week is to be formally opened Saturday, May 30. This will be known as alumnae day. Many special programs are being arranged for the four days.

WHAT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH IS DOING

The Christian church is doing a fine work in their Bible schools in different parts of the country.

At Long Beach, Cal., on May the 10th there were 3,814 in Bible school with 2,500 in the men's class.

At Coffeyville, Kan., there were 2,919 in the Bible school on the same date with 870 men in the Men's class.

At Canton, Ohio, there were 2,587 in Bible school.

At East Dallas Christian church the attendance averages 2000 with nearly 400 men in the men's class. There have been over 400 additions to this church in the last few weeks as the result of an evangelistic meeting which is still in progress.

DEDICATION SERVICE

There will be a dedication service at Prairie View Baptist church Sunday morning, May 24th. Bro. J. F. Wood, missionary of Dawson county, is to preach the sermon.

On behalf of the membership of the church, I extend an invitation to every one who made a contribution in money, work or material of any kind, to come and worship with us that morning.

Especially do I urge that all our members be with us in our dedication exercises.

We will be glad, also, to have the presence of the editor of the county paper with us too.

E. E. Mason, Pastor.

BIBLE STUDY COURSE

Dr. Thomas W. Currie, President of the Austin Theological Seminary, has been giving a series of Bible lectures or rather a Bible study course at the First Presbyterian church in this city the past week.

Beginning last Friday a class for women was conducted each afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock, and each night at 8 o'clock for men.

Good sized audiences have been attending and a deep interest has been manifest.

Dr. Currie is one of the best Bible teachers in the country and it has been fortunate for our city that he was secured to conduct this Bible study course.

Everyone attending has been helped by Dr. Currie's work here.

Store No. 2: Yale flash lights
.....Cunningham & Ph...

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Number after Number of Smart New Dresses Added to An Already Complete Stock

*New Handmade
Crepe Dresses*

Very lovely hand-made crepe dresses in several styles and very smart high shades; also tan and navy. Handdrawn and hand embroidered, lovely necklines, clever slender line styles, and very specially priced

\$ 19.75

Hundreds of gay smart prints that enliven one's wardrobe so smartly and answer so very many calls of smartness and fashion; bright floral prints, polka dots in many new ways, jabots in lovely effects; specially priced

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Advanced style features such as the smart long sleeve, low basque, plaited flounces, front shirrings, brilliant as well as delicate color combinations, ensemble effects, abound. Such important fabrics as crepe Elizabeth, figured chiffon and crepe, flat crepe, crepe Romaine, Printed georgette, Canton crepe are generously represented. Priced

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Wonderful tailored Dresses in smart new styles — dozens and dozens of new arrivals in serviceable color combinations as well as very light backgrounds, whose stripes are in smart high shades; tailored collars and cuffs; string tie belts. Specially priced

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Georgettes, embroidered and coming in navy with white, black with white, navy with tan, cocoa and tan, jabot models; quite effective and we know of nothing so cool as one of these for general wear. Specially priced

\$ 19.75

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The vogue for cotton Broadcloth has become astonishingly wide-spread. However, when one considers its superior quality, the silky sheen of its surface, the delightful colors it favors, its popularity is not to be wondered at. Cherry Dresses and many other things made of Broadcloth are very favorable. With its low price we expect a vast response from Fashion-wise women.

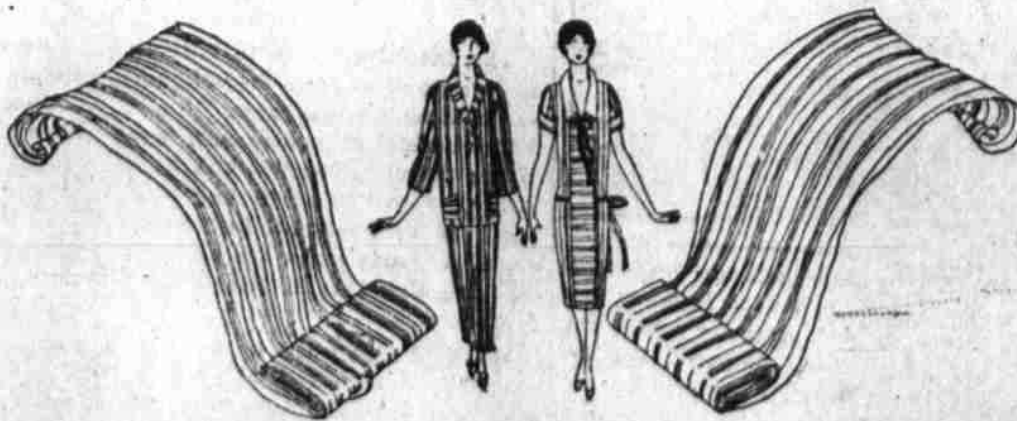
In this season of printed patterns of every imaginable description, Broadcloth, too, comes forth with many novel designs.

49c to \$1.19 a yard

The Everfast suitings we are showing come in many colors and they are guaranteed. You will be pleased if you look these over. Priced at

50c a yard

Every woman who loves to sew will enjoy a visit to our piece goods department. It is a pleasure to let you know that every thing represents summer and it will be a pleasure in wearing dresses, etc., made from our lovely materials.



Pictorial Review Patterns furnishes a wide assortment, from which you can make any article easily.

WE DELIVER

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PHONE 400

Newness is one of the marked characteristics of this store. New creations in merchandise from everywhere are constantly being received; new displays arranged; forms of presentation worked out. From the visitors of the store while observing that is familiar, find never quite the same always an atmosphere of freshness, originality, variety. From such contact one inevitably receives something of the spirit which has made this institution what it is.

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Spring and Summer Styles



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in all-fallow Satin Spanish Heel Priced at

\$ 11.00

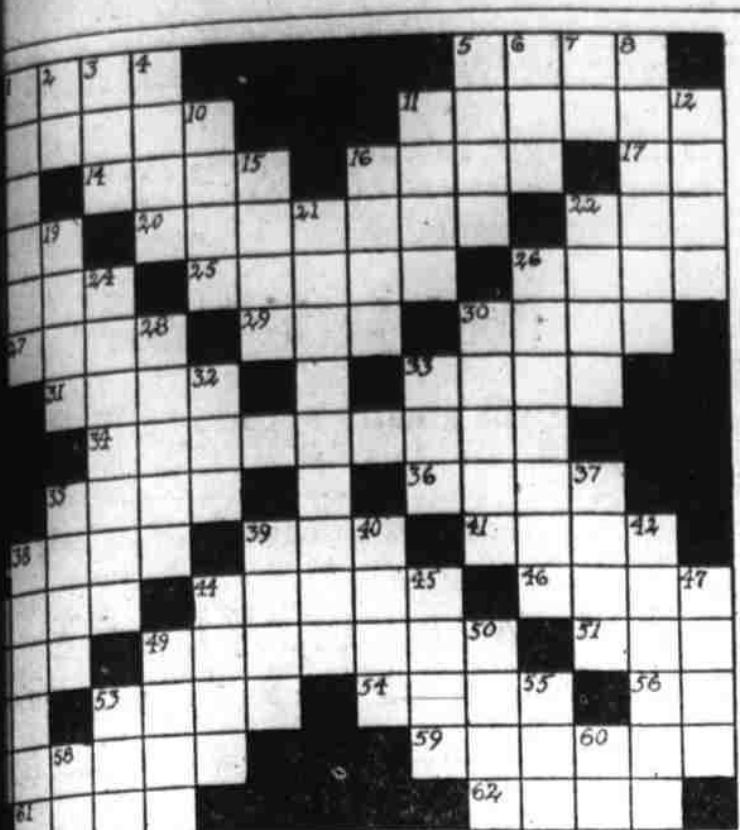


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Gotham Gold Hose in all colors



Horizontal.

1—Labor
11—Number under 10
14—Extent
18—Cover
22—Not many
25—Scornful look
27—Girl's name
30—Refuse
32—Happy
35—Weaver's reed
38—Equal
44—Chums
51—Grass rug
57—Leaseholder
61—Kind

Vertical.

1—A group of eight
2—Land measure
4—Flock
6—Trap
7—Prefix meaning "not"
8—Brook
10—Bodies of water
12—Boat
16—Pastries
19—To toil monotonously
21—Subchaser
22—Quarrel between clans
24—Auxiliary vehicle attached to an auto
26—Border on embroidery
28—Pointer
32—Eavesdropper
35—Chair
38—Calls up
40—English school for boys
42—Spanish-American plains
43—Coagulation
45—Periods of time
47—Knock senseless
49—Color
53—Distant
58—Negative
60—Third note in scale
3—Beverage
5—Possesses
9—Skills
11—Row
15—Girl's name
20—Killed
23—Vehicle
27—Pair of horses
29—Sins
33—Coin
44—Coin
50—Watering places
56—Deer

will appear in next issue.

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Herbert Leon ("Kill the Blues") Cope, Humorist, Apostle of Fun and Happy Philosophy, appearing at Chautauqua.

THE "PHILOSOPHY OF LOPSIDED IDEA

It requires stamina for girls and boys today to hold steadfast to ideals of real character building. There are enough feather-brained people swirling about in the foam of demoralizing and relaxing conventionalities to confuse utterly the thousands of girls and boys who will celebrate commencement this month.

Today, when there is such continued movement toward freedom of youth, there are many who are in danger of falling victims to false ideas of freedom, and thus flinging themselves against indestructible bases of right standards and stern, immutable moral laws, only to find, when too late, that the drama of youthful emancipation of parental and school restraint has turned into a cheap farce or pitiful tragedy. It is a lopsided ideal of life that influences boys and girls to seek luxury of ease in idleness, and to mistake escape from duty as the road to happiness.

Through the influence of good teachers, many boys and girls will leave school fortified with right principles of the realities of life, with a clear sense of values, and a sane view of the supreme things, which will give them a resolute grip on the fundamentals of happiness. There may be no dramatic staging of highly-won successes in business life, but right-thinking youths will remember that true values of success lie in possessing saving good sense to meet with courage whatever may confront them.

A boy or girl who possesses a clear perception of real values, plenty of humor to act as a shock absorber for the jolts of life, and a wholesomeness of spirit which will breed good health, courage, and character, will not become confused as to right standards, regardless of the pressure of modern influences.—Farm and Ranch.

LOTS FOR SALE

48 fine residence lots in Cole & Strayhorn addition at \$100 to \$175 each; and 33 lots in Jones Valley addition at from \$20 to \$40. See or address M. W. HARWELL, Big Spring, Texas. 26tf

Wouldn't it have been great if the Glacier to Gulf Highway had been gravelled the entire distance across our county so it, too, would be topped with asphalt? When we see the beneficial results from having the Bankhead placed in first class shape perhaps we will get busy on the Glacier to Gulf.

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ome time the Santa Fe has... operating a mixed passenger... ght train between the two... the train leaving Sterling... o'clock and arriving in San...

Angelo at 11 a. m. The train which leaves San Angelo at 3:40 p. m. and arrives at Sterling City at 5:50 will not be changed, it was announced.
Beginning Monday, the Santa Fe will leave Sterling at 6:30 p. m. arriving here at 8:40 a. m.

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PREPARE TO COMPLY WITH HIGHWAY LAWS

The Texas Legislature, in its recent session, passed two bills, which Governor Ferguson signed, which will do much to protect those who travel our public highways. One law protects the motorist from being held up by unscrupulous speed cops, constables and other officers who have to all intents and purposes waylaid travelers in order to secure a fee. The new law requires traffic officers to dress in uniform and display a badge. It also places them on salary, thus removing the temptation to make arrests for the purpose of collecting their compensation from travelers who would rather pay than to be delayed.

Another law, which will become operative soon, requires proper lighting of vehicles. This law will eliminate glare lights as well as require complete lighting. Many lives have been sacrificed to glare head lights and not a few accidents have been the result of failure of motorists to display tail lights.

The new law requires each county to operate testing stations and every owner of a motor vehicle must secure a certificate showing that his lights meet the requirements of the law before he can either issue a bill of sale or secure a license for his car. Thus far the State highway department has not given out a list of approved lenses or other requirements for proper lighting. An announcement is expected in the near future. —Fand and Ranch.

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MUCH PROGRESS MADE ON BANKHEAD ROUTE

Birmingham, Ala., May 16.—The 546.2 miles of the Bankhead National Highway through Texas from Texarkana to El Paso is either completed or under construction at the present time and of the total all but 99.3 miles have been paved, according to a report of Thomas H. McDonald, chief of the Bureau of Public Roads at Washington. The highway extends from Washington, D. C. to California, a distance of 3,690 miles, and of this total all but 386.4 miles have been completed.

According to a letter received by J. A. Rountree, director general of the Bankhead National Highway Association, from Congressman W. B. Bankhead, (not the John Bankhead for whom the highway was named), great progress has been made toward the completion of the route during the last year. The highway traverses Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Arizona and California.

How Often Do You Take a Bath?
WHY NOT GIVE YOUR CLOTHES THE SAME CHANCE
—suppose you only bathed once every month!

We may be getting a bit personal inquiring how often you bathe—but just suppose you only indulged once every month! Gives you a rather disagreeable picture, doesn't it?—a picture of unhealthfulness and insanitary conditions. —but what of your clothes? Think how many people let their suits or their dresses go one, two or sometimes three months without ever paying a visit to the cleaner. —and your clothes get just as dirty as your skin! Germs and disease lurk in unclean clothing. The only sure way to eliminate these is to have your garments cleaned regularly by a reputable cleaner. —and clean clothes give you so much more service that the cleaning soon pays for itself in the added wear that you get from your garments.

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Secretary-Treasurer
Big Spring National Farm Loan Association
West Texas National Bank Building

LOTS FOR SALE

Twenty-eight good resident lots, 50x140 feet, in Cole & Strayhorn Addition, for sale. See WILL GARTIN or M. H. MORRISON, Owners. 26-tf.

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EXCEPTIONAL CAST IN DOUG'S NEW FILM

The cast of Douglas Fairbank's new picture, "The Thief of Bagdad," which will be shown at the R. & R. Lyric theatre in this city Monday and Tuesday, May 25 and 26, represents every country in the world with the exception of Siam and Greenland, and one of the three extras who claimed to be from Iceland admitted having spent two years in Greenland.

Being laid in an imaginary locale with fanciful settings and environment, it was essential that this picture include as many bizarre personalities as possible. Mere types would not answer this need, for, strangely enough, every principal character in the production is what casting directors call "an acting part." This means that actual histrionic ability was as much a requirement as unusual cast of feature.

Doug is said to have spared no expense in finding the right people and the result is as polyglot a gathering of people as ever embarked upon common enterprise.

First of all, there is an Irish director, Raoul Walsh. This was a good start, for it required real Irish fighting qualities to control the battle of diverse temperament that raged wildly at times. The leading woman was Julianne Johnston, a Swedish girl, recruited from the ranks of the Morgan troupe of dancers.

The Mongol slave, a part that required emotional subtlety and balance, was played by Anna May Wong, a Chinese girl educated in America. Her Chinese name is Lew Wong Song, and means two yellow willows. When the picture was being filmed, Miss Wong almost walked out on her job because an enthusiastic press agent misunderstood the translation of her name and published it as "two yelling widows."

The other two slaves were played by Etta Lee and Winter Blossom, both of Mongolian extraction, while the Mongol magician was played by Sadakichi Hartmann, whose mother was Japanese and whose father was German.

The evil man was played by Snitz Edwards, of German parentage, and the Caliph by Brandon Hurst, an Englishman. The soothsayer was characterized by Toto du Crow, an Alsatian. In the part of the awakener was Charles Stevens, a Scotchman.

Thus, down the list, the leading characters check off nation after nation, until we reach Noble Johnson, a full-blooded Sioux Indian, and M. Comont, French to the core.

The difficult and important characterization of the Mongol Prince was the work of So-Jin, a very famous Japanese actor, who is perhaps the only great Shakespearean actor that Japan has produced. His counsellor was delineated by Kamayama Nambu, who was associated with So-Jin in his native land. The picturesque sworder was played by Sam Baker, a Senegambian. Of course, being Oriental in atmosphere, the production required many Oriental types for its mass scenes and it was not unusual for little groups to include seven or eight different nationalities of the far East. Moroccans, Tripolitans, Arabs, East Indians and Senegalese predominated, but all the eunuchs were Abyssinians. There was one player in the cast, by the way, a full-blooded, 100 per cent American, who exemplified the rule set forth in the first paragraph—that acting ability was an essential requirement in the casting of the picture. His name is Douglas Fairbanks and he is quite well known in Hollywood.

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Hardy Morgan of Dawson county was looking after ranching interests in this section Monday.

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Evening Prayer 8 p. m.

On fourth Sunday in each month 8 p. m. Evening prayer.
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Res. 1411 Scurry St.
Phones: Res. 492; church 460

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Phone 342

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Res. 506 Runnels St.
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BEWARE OF LAND-SELLING SCENES

The "city slicker," who has been reaping a harvest in false stock-selling schemes, has turned his attention to real estate, according to the National vigilance committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. This committee has issued a warning to both rural and city dwellers to beware of the many smooth dealers in real estate who are offering the public "chances to make a fortune by investing a few hundred dollars, more or less." The warning is given special application to the situation in Florida where real estate speculation is running rampant, but it should apply in ever other section of the country.

Get-rich-quick schemes are about all the same, but sometimes disguised in different clothes. If there is one chance to make big profits, there are 100 chances to lose. The man who lays his wager on a 100-to-1 shot has more money than brains, or else is desperate. Buying real estate without seeing it and making other investigations is mighty poor business, and that is expressed in mild language. Taking the word of the sales agent regarding the profits to be made displays a child-like confidence that no grown man or woman should be guilty of.

There are many honest real estate dealers and stock salesmen. There are many business opportunities for men and women, but be sure you know with whom you are dealing and what you are buying before you sign your name on the dotted line or pass money over to the agent.—Farm and Ranch.

Build you a home where the air is pure and your neighbors are select. Build you a home in beautiful Fairview Heights. There is only one crop of these lots. When they are gone they are gone forever. I can show you this property any evening after 5 p. m. EARLE A. READ. 354p

ENVY IS FATAL

The Times of Wichita Falls—and the Star-Telegram of Fort Worth have just completed an editorial exchange the burden of which is that the jealousies that may exist between the two cities, and the acrimonious discussion of each other's trade plans for the capture of West Texas, is "small town stuff."

No city can be built on envy. There is room enough for all in Texas. We can use several good-sized cities in this state, and there is enough territory without treading on each other's toes.

The population, industrial, agricultural and commercial centers of Texas are slowly but certainly shifting westward. In West Texas are half a dozen small cities that are growing into big ones. Each has ample territory for its own needs. If it builds up its immediate territory, it will have time to waste in envying any other center.

What we need in West Texas is not rivalry as between cities and towns, but a spirit of cooperation and mutual helpfulness.

The small town or city that is busily engaged in envying and knocking its imagined rival is wasting its energies. It will find in course of time that while it was wasting its time envying and knocking, its rival has forged ahead and is now too far in the lead to be overtaken.

Envy and jealousy are as fatal to cities as to individuals.—Abilene Reporter.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

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You can put it down that 1925 is the year they are going to test out the territory between the Reagan county and Mitchell county oil fields, and Howard county is in line for much oil development work. It is going to be a race between the big companies and the wildcaters.

A Henney hearse, one of the latest and most modern conveyances of its kind, has been received by the Rix Furniture and Undertaking Company of this city. A duplicate of the one here has also been secured for their Lubbock store.

Dr. P. W. Horn, president of the Texas Technological College of Lubbock, will deliver the address to the graduates at the First Baptist church tonight. Be sure to attend.

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