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Wells In More Locations

Oil Co. Brings in 400 Barrels. Locations Made for Number of New Tests in County

The Pure Oil Co.'s well on section 125, block 29, W. & N. W. flowing by heads, and making 400 barrels per day it is evident there is plenty of oil to be had in the Chalk field area. If the price of crude oil was at this well would have created boom in this territory.

Texon-Marland on the Harding is still on the swab but has a number of a big producer. Locations on the Chalk ranch, Fisher ranch, B. B. Fox ranch, Fisher ranch and Quinn ranch reported.

On the price of oil returns to the oil fields in Howard are going to show some real improvement.

Big Companies Interested Representatives of the Prairie, Texas and Texas Oil companies were here this week looking for development in the new Howard oil fields.

Marland-McCamey Test Drilling has been resumed on the McCamey test on the Jones in the northeastern portion of Howard County. A shortage of water has been retarding operations. At account this test was being 500 and 600 feet deep.

Drill on Oxshcer Test Green et al test on the F. G. ranch in the northwestern part of Glasscock County will be good right soon. This test was drilled in some time ago but drillers needed for work in the field and drilling was held up. It is an important test and production will be watched with interest.

To Drill in With Star Rig A steel derrick at the F. H. E. test on section 156, block 29, N. W. survey toppled over last as they were preparing to skid a Star rig to drill in their quarters from this test around the foot mark show strong indications of petroleum and it is believed they will bring in a good well.

World Oil Co. Rigging Up World Oil Co. is now rigging up their location on the L. S. well ranch twenty miles south of Big Spring and will be ready to start within the next few days. Gallagher, who drilled some General Oil Co. wells on the well ranch, and who has already held that a real oil pool was to be developed on this ranch will be one of the drillers on this well.

Penn Test on Edwards Ranch Progress is being made on Robert R. Penn test on the W. Edwards ranch, twenty miles south of Big Spring. They have troubled with water ever since reached the 90 foot mark, but 780 to 860 feet they certainly plenty of trouble due to water. Water in this well rises to within fifty feet of the top.

Contractor Black states that this has given him more trouble due to the excessive water than any he drilled in Texas.

Drilling to be Resumed on Martin 1 It is believed that this test is going to come in a producer and it is expected to start a big development if it proves to be the case.

Oil Co. Secures Good Well Pure Oil Co. brought in a well on section 125, block 29, W. & N. W. survey, just south of the old Chalk and northeast of the Clay fields, Monday. This is a well on the Chalk well No. 3 and is said to be good for from 300 to 400 barrels per day.

Being unable to market this oil here the Pure Co. officials have issued instructions to drill no more wells in; drilling to be stopped when the pay is topped. The Pure has two more tests in the Chalk field.

Humble Drilling in Upton County Humble made the latest location in Upton County for its No. 5 Ricker & Dodson, 2310 feet from the northeast line and 4610 feet from the northwest line of section 5, M. S. Demton survey. Locations previously reported were Dixie's Nos. 24 and 25 Burleson, Gulf's No. 1 Lane and Texas' No. 1 Perry.

Southern Crude Buys Leases The Southern Crude Oil Company Wednesday purchased a lease on L. A. Ford's 199 acre farm, ten miles south of Big Spring, paying \$6,000 for same. Mr. Ford's place is about two miles south of the Harding well. The Southern Crude also purchased the lease on 240 acres in L. S. McDowell's ranch.

Guitar Test Well Making Progress Good progress is now being made on the Marland test well on the Guitar ranch, five miles west of Big Spring. This test is running nearly identical with the Texon-Marland well on the J. B. Harding farm, about five miles to the south.

The salt formation was encountered about sixty feet deeper than in the Harding well. A big stratum of soft water was encountered at 700 feet. This water rose to within 90 feet of the surface. The Guitar well is now drilling around 1500 feet.

To Drill Soon on Section 6 A location has been made on the northwest quarter of section 6, block 32, township 28S, about twelve miles southeast of Big Spring and it is said that material and machinery will be moved to this location at an early date. David V. Smith of Colorado is to have this test drilled on acreage secured from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Settles, Fox Stripling and B. Weagan.

This well is about one and three quarter miles northwest of the producing well on the W. R. Settles ranch, and on a line between the Settles and Harding wells.

Locations for Howard County In Howard County Marland is building the derrick for it No. 1 A. M. Fisher, 900 feet from the north and west lines of section 1, block 33, township 1 south, T. & P. Railway Company survey. Magnolia made three locations in Howard: No. 5 M. Chalk, 2440 feet from the north and east lines of section 124, block 29, W. & N. W. Railway Company survey; No. 3 Sloan, 990 feet from the north line and 1650 feet from the west line of section 114, block 29, W. & N. W. Railway Company survey; No. 2 Sloan-Chalk, 2440 feet from the north and west lines of section 114, block 29, W. & N. W. Railway Company survey.

Swabbing J. B. Harding Test Well A broken valve on the gasoline engine at the Texon-Marland well on the J. B. Harding farm, six miles south of Big Spring has held up the work of swabbing.

Repairs were completed Wednesday morning and on pulling the swab from the well fifty-four barrels of oil were brought up. A 10,000 barrel tank which was to be used at the well on the W. R. Settles ranch is now being moved to the Harding test. Four 250 barrel tanks have already been placed at the Harding well.

This looks like a real oil well and it's worth may be learned when the swabbing tests are completed.

Magnolia Company Still Busy With nine rigs in operation in this territory the Magnolia Oil Company is going right along, and has recently made three new locations in the Chalk field.

This company is now operating their gas plant in the Chalk field—this plant is extracting gasoline from the gas coming from the wells in the Chalk oil field.

The Magnolia controls a large acreage in the shallow Chalk field and a big block in the Iatan section and is able to produce oil at a much less cost than oil companies in other sections which are compelled to drill wells from 3000 to 5000 feet deep. They have a large supply house, tanks for storing oil and general headquarters at New Iatan.

Clean-Up Week Everyone Busy

Citizens in Every Section of Town Busy Cleaning Up for the Sake of Health and Safety

"It is springtime. Over the face of the earth nature has thrown her mantle of green and sprinkled its surface with blossoming flowers. It is the time for the worn out and useless to be replaced. Let everybody clean up for the sake of safety and happiness."

And it is to this end that the citizenship of Big Spring and Howard County is working this week in a general clean up of the town and county. The town has been divided into eleven districts with a captain in each district to supervise the work and with several lieutenants assisting. The clean up is to extend from the cellar to the attic, from Main street to the most remote places in the city limits, and from front yard to back alley and on all vacant lots. Weed cutting seems to be the part being given most attention in this campaign and still other things must not be neglected. All are urged to collect the trash and rubbish that has accumulated about the place and burn it. Everything that is burnable should be set on fire and reduced to ashes. Tin cans, and other trash that cannot be burned must be sacked or collected in boxes and placed in the alleys. The city has hired four men to haul off the trash and this will be hauled off free of charge if each one will sack or box it and place it where it can be loaded on the wagons from the alleys.

Clean-up City-wide

The business men and city officials lead in this clean up work. Every business house should be given a thorough cleaning inside and especially in the rear of the buildings, to the alleys. Many unhealthful conditions exist in the heart of our city now is a good time to do away with these evils. If the business men, the leaders of the town, will start some improvements in clean up work others will follow. Many wait for some one to start then it is easy to follow. Let us all wake up to the need of Big Spring for this big clean up and get busy.

The entire city has been judged and it will be graded again after the clean up campaign. The district showing the highest per cent of improvement will be awarded a silver loving cup. All will have to work to help win this prize. It would be most regrettable if your place would keep your district from getting the prize. Why not join hands and help to win it?

Schools Interested

Splendid work is always given through the city schools. The small children bring their rakes and hoes and instead of using their recess periods for play they clean up their grounds and help their district in the big work. An entertainment will be given the school judged to show the highest per cent of improvement during this campaign and every school has been working this week, for this entertainment. Not only do the students work at school but many of them continue the good work at home by cleaning up their home yards, chopping weeds, etc.

Sanitary Measures

Everyone wants Big Spring to be clean and sanitary and make living conditions here safe and healthful. If we give our town a general cleaning up just at this time it will assure us health and happiness during the summer months. Breeding places for flies and mosquitoes the carriers of many dreaded diseases will be destroyed in the clean up and perhaps we will not be bothered by these pests to so great an extent as if we leave them to thrive in our locality and to increase in great numbers. Besides taking these measures for health and sanitation we can improve the civic pride of our community a hundred per cent. If each one will only do his or her part and beautify the home place just a little, let's all join hands and show how we feel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goodwin of San Angelo after a several days visit in this city with J. R. Creath and family left Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in Colorado. Mrs. Goodwin is a sister of Mr. Creath.

HORSE CAUSES ACCIDENT NEAR IATAN, SATURDAY

A horse running loose on the Bankhead highway east of Big Spring, near Iatan, caused two cars to be damaged Saturday evening about 7 o'clock. A Ford touring car coming west was driving the horse down the road. Going east was a big truck belonging to the Ratliff Bottling Works of Colorado. The driver of same stated that he was watching the horse and was slowing down to pass it when the animal jumped upon the hood of the truck. The truck was knocked over in the road, bumping into the Ford car, and knocking it into the ditch. Both cars were badly damaged. The horse was also injured, receiving a broken leg and other injuries, and it was necessary to shoot the animal. The drivers of the cars escaped with slight cuts and bruises.

Dairy Lectures and Pictures

Purpose of Encouraging and Assisting the Dairying Industry in Howard County Friday and Saturday

Those who are at all interested in the dairying industry, and who wish to add to their income by the upkeep of a few dairy cows, are asked to attend the meetings to be held in Big Spring today and tomorrow (Friday and Saturday, May 13-14). The meetings are open to everyone and will prove educational and beneficial to those interested in the breeding, feeding and judging of fine dairy cows. Dairy experts will be in this city to deliver the lectures and a free motion picture show will be presented at the Lyric.

W. B. Flory of New York, superintendent of the extension service of the American Jersey Cattle Club, and D. T. Simmons, secretary of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club, will give free lectures Friday afternoon in the county court room beginning at 2 o'clock. Something worthwhile will be learned by all who attend these lectures.

Saturday morning, May 14 the free picture show will be given at the Lyric theater. If you can't come, let the children attend the show. They will be entertained and will enjoy all that they see.

At 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, a judging demonstration of Jersey cattle will be given on the vacant lot on Main street, just south of the West Texas National Bank building. Following this will be an interesting talk on the breeding and feeding of dairy cattle.

Everybody come. Tell your neighbors about the meeting and encourage them to come. You will be the loser if you fail to attend. This is a golden opportunity. Take advantages of it while you may.

REV. D. H. HEARD TO DELIVER ADDRESS AT MARSHAL COLLEGE

Rev. D. H. Heard, has been chosen to preach the Commencement sermon for the College of Marshall, Marshall, Texas. The school is a Junior College owned and operated by the Baptist denomination. The institution is celebrating its tenth anniversary by a homecoming jubilee during commencement week. Mr. Heard is a graduate of the College of Marshall, having taken his first two years of college work there before going to Baylor University. He has the honor of being the first former student to be asked to preach a commencement sermon for the college at Marshall. The sermon will be preached Wednesday night, May 25th.

BAILEY GAUNCE SUFFERS BROKEN ARM MONDAY

Bailey Gaunce, field superintendent of the Green Production Company, suffered a broken arm Monday morning. Soon after Mr. Gaunce had started to work at the Clay well No. 1 near Ross City, some loose connection in the machinery caused the accident, breaking his left arm just above the wrist, and also wrenching his shoulder. Mr. Gaunce was brought to Big Spring for treatment and he is said to be resting well. It will be some time before he is able to report to work again.

Miss Mary Jane Reed who suffered a broken nose last Wednesday when she fell from the rafters of the new cottage being erected on their lot on Scurry street is reported to be getting along nicely.

Needs of Our City Discussed at Meet

Speakers at Wednesday Luncheon Club Urge the Need of More Residences, Office Buildings, Etc.

While the attendance at this week's meeting of the Wednesday Luncheon Club was smaller than usual the topic up for discussion was one of the most important ever presented.

C. T. Watson discussed "The Housing Conditions in Big Spring and the Need of a Steady Building Program." He pointed out that he was in a better position than most of our citizens to ascertain the need for rent houses and apartments. Or for that matter, additional office spaces and business houses. Not a day passes but folks in search of rooms, homes or business spaces call at his office for information relative to renting or leasing rooms, etc. He cannot help supply the demand and must refer them to real estate men who have agreed to assist in locating those seeking to make their homes or headquarters here.

One would not believe there were so many people coming in. Just a few days ago a real estate man rather doubted Mr. Watson's claim that more homes were needed and a wager resulted. Mr. Watson wagered the best bet in town that if the real estate man would pick a day and remain on duty in his office, he would guarantee to refer on an average one person seeking rooms or rent house each hour. The record was kept and one person was sent to this real estate man about every seventeen minutes during that day. And he admitted he was unable to supply the rooms or houses needed.

Office spaces are another big need and we must be able to supply same if we want to encourage oil companies to move their office force or headquarters to this city. Business buildings could easily be rented if we had them, and we must have more if we expect Big Spring to double in population.

The time to provide needed rent houses and apartments is here and we must get busy if we want our city to move forward.

Fox Stripling backed up the statements of Mr. Watson and urged a continuation of the building program which was launched a few months ago. In order to carry out his part in the building program he agreed to cooperate with each and everyone who desired to build a home. He agreed to sell such a person a desirable building lot on easy terms and would assist them in financing of the building. He pointed out that if all those now living in rented houses would build a home it would relieve the situation by making the rent houses available for the new people moving in.

J. S. Meriwether who is in the oil game here pointed out that the Big Spring folks had better get busy with their building program for when the drills went down to pay on the McDowell ranch, big things were going to break loose. Mr. Barnett, who is associated with Mr. Meriwether in the oil game, also urged preparing now to meet the big growth Big Spring was sure to get when the oil situation returned to normal.

Jed A. Rix of Lubbock, and one of our home boys, expressed pleasure at being back with the bunch and assured them he was ever interested in Big Spring and Big Spring's success. He expressed pleasure at the bright prospects and urged our people to meet the situation so the growth would be steady and sure.

To meet the need of more homes and rent houses he urged the formation or securing of loan companies. In his home town of Lubbock thirty-five loan companies are in operation and as a result every Lubbock citizen who really wanted to buy or build a home was able to do so thru the liberal terms the loan companies can make. He said if home folks did not care to organize these loan companies it is an easy matter to encourage loan companies to establish agencies in the city.

The following were appointed on the program for the following month: C. T. Watson, chairman; Rev. R. L. Owen, E. A. Kelley, B. Reagan, Joyce Fisher.

Mrs. R. V. Middleton has been on the sick list this week.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BALANCE SHEET FOR APRIL, '27

Bal. on April 1	\$2,199.39
Deposited during month on memberships, dairy cows and peanuts	\$3,569.97
Salaries, manager, secretary, and janitor	\$ 430.00
Material for duck for slogan, sewing and painting sign	11.04
Joe B. Neel, (cow feed)	52.50
Ribbon for slogan	10.00
W. T. Nat. Bank, rent	75.00
Office supplies (stamps, stencils, etc.)	19.37
Ret. checks on memberships	4.00
W. T. Electric	2.85
Tel. and clock service	22.40
Dairy cows	1,950.00
Checks deposited through error	74.00
Auto Red book, maps	25.00
Road work to oil field	290.00
W. J. Kohanek (painting slogan on fence at ball park)	4.00
Steno work (during absence of secretary)	24.50
Draft on peanuts	1,601.33
A. E. Pistole (payment of rails for cattle guards)	50.40
Freight on peanuts	72.52
Ed C. Lassater (payment of Note 1 on bulb)	160.50
To balance	\$ 889.52
Balance on May 1, 1927	\$ 889.52

Gulf Pipe Line A Big Asset

About \$350,000.00 Will Be Spent on This Line in Howard County. Arranging for Right of Way

That the ten inch pipe line now being laid by the Gulf Company from Midland to Ranger is going to prove a big asset to our county; principally in the encouragement of oil development. The major companies as well as the wildcaters look with favor on a territory served by a pipe line, realizing that if production is obtained they can dispose of the crude oil quickly and at much less expense than if they had to arrange for transportation by rail.

The county will also profit in the way of increased tax valuations since the thirty-one miles or more pipe line will represent an investment of around \$200,000. It will probably cost the Gulf Co. \$100,000 or more to build this line thru our county.

Representatives of the Gulf Co. pipe line interests are now here to arrange for a right of way thru our county. The line will parallel the Texas & Pacific railway track and will be from three to six miles south of same.

Five camps of about 200 men each are now at work on the line. The crew starting from Midland is expected to reach Howard County shortly. About six miles of rock will have to be blasted for the line; most of this work will be five miles south of Big Spring.

The line will pass near the Robt. R. Penn tests on the W. P. Edwards ranch, within a mile of the Texon-Marland J. B. Harding well; within seven or eight miles of the Texon-Marland Settles well; will cross the Marland pipe line from the Chalk and Clay oil fields south of Coahoma; pass between the California and Magnolia oil wells in the Iatan section; pass near the Magnolia Oil Co.'s tank farm at New Iatan, touch the Westbrook field and the Noodle Creek pipe line at Trent.

If the oil companies in Ector, Upton, Winkler, Crane, Howard, Mitchell, Fisher get going full steam ahead this pipe line will not be able to handle the production.

GOLF TOURNAMENT POSTPONED

On account of the disagreeable weather on last Sunday, the golf tournament planned by the Big Spring Golf Club for that date was postponed until next Sunday.

R. C. Sanderson of this city is offering a loving cup to the winner of this tournament. Each player must turn in six cards of his playing average before the tournament so a board of scorers may grade them and give each player a handicap, so that all will have a fair chance at the loving cup.

About forty contestants are expected to take part.

Scientists are coming forward with the announcement that it will not be many years until baldheaded women will be a common sight. Balded hair and tight hats are sure to bring this about.



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SUMMER TERM: June 7 to August 26
Write for an Illustrated Bulletin

H. W. MORELOCK, President
Alpine, Texas

R. L. Powell was here Monday from his ranch in the Coahoma section.

J. D. Williams of Colorado was greeting old time friends in this city Monday.

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COOKERY COLUMN

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Strawberry Preserves

4 pounds berries. 3 pounds or 6 cups sugar. Select sound ripe berries, wash and hull. Add sugar to the strawberries and beat gently until sugar dissolves and juice is drawn from berries. Cook rapidly until fruit is plump and transparent and the syrup is thick. Pack carefully in clean hot glass jars and seal immediately. All berries except blackberries may be made into preserves by this method.

Artificial 'Sun-Canned' Strawberries

To prevent strawberries rising to the top of jar select large firm berries, wash and strain. Place in a shallow pan to avoid crushing, cover with a hot medium thin syrup made of three parts sugar and 2 parts water, boil gently from five to eight minutes and let stand in the kettle from six to twelve hours. During this time the berries will become saturated with the syrup and will not rise to the top of the jar. Pack into hot glass jars, partly seal and press in hot water both for sixteen minutes. Remove from canner and seal immediately.

All berries and cherries can be canned by this method.

Strawberry Jam

Pick over berries and remove hulls, weigh berries and for every pound of fruit add 3-4 pound of sugar. Place berries in a preserving kettle and mash fruit as it heats. Bring fruit to boiling point stirring frequently and crushing berries that are whole. Add sugar to the fruit and boil together until thick (not over twenty minutes) stirring to prevent burning. Pack into clean hot glass jars and seal immediately.

Strawberry and Rhubarb Conserve

1 quart strawberries; 1 quart rhubarb; 6 cups sugar. Cut rhubarb into 1-2 pieces, being careful not to peel. Mix together strawberries, rhubarb and sugar and cook mixture slowly until it is thick and clear. Pour into clean hot glass jars and seal at once.

Strawberry Jelly

4 cups juice; 8 level cups sugar; 1 cup pectin. Thoroughly crush with masher 3 quarts of berries. Place fruit in cheesecloth bag and squeeze out juice. Measure sugar and juice into large sauce pan stir and bring to boil. At once add one cup commercial pectin or home made apple pectin and bring again to a full rolling boil for one-half minute. Remove from fire, let stand one minute, skim, pour quickly and cover hot jelly at once with hot melted paraffin.

Apple Pectin

Wash apples remove blossom ends and cut into small pieces but do not remove skin and cores. Weigh fruit and to one pound of apple add juice of one lemon and four pints of cold water. Boil for forty-five minutes, place in a flannel jelly bag and allow juice to drain without squeezing. Boil drained juice for five minutes and seal while hot in clean glass jars.

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JOHN W. CARPENTER HEADS POWER COMPANY

Directors of the Texas Power and Light Company have selected John W. Carpenter for president of the organization. Mr. Carpenter who is vice president and general manager will be formally elected July 13.

HEADACHES

Your eyes are probably the cause—see Dr. Geo. L. Wilke, Registered Optician, for a free examination.

We surely would like to get part of the Mississippi flood waters in the shape of rain. A good old time soaking rain in West Texas—that is a general rain—would benefit more people and would actually be worth more to West Texas than a whole flock of oil wells.

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OLD COW DAYS RE-ENACTED AT LAMESA LAST WEEK

Old-time cattle days were re-enacted Monday when 2270 head of two and threes in the steer line were shipped out of Lamesa on an extra freight train for Nebraska. The train of livestock consisted of 48 cars.

The cattle were recently purchased of the Goode ranch interests southeast of town and driven to the loading pens. The consignment brought \$42.50 a round, or approximately \$115,000. It was the largest single shipment out of Lamesa in many months. The scene about the loading pens was quite spectacular, drawing many old time ranchmen and cowboys.

Cattlemen are a deal more optimistic now than they were a few years ago when the "bottom dropped out of the market" and left many former ranchers paupers. But the cattle industry now seems to be getting on a better footing. While grass is regarded as pretty good for this season of the year, rain is now beginning to be badly needed. — Dawson County Journal, (Lamesa).

THINK THIS OVER

That a California school boy was able to take two companions and ride in "free" automobiles all the way from north of Sacramento to El Paso, stealing cars all along the way and abandoning them as the gas gave out, is evidence of the gross carelessness of automobile owners.

The boy had no difficulty in finding unlocked cars to steal. He stole only handsome, expensive cars. If a man had \$1500 or \$5000 in his purse, would he lean it up against the curb and go off and leave it? The owners of the cars this boy stole did just as foolish a thing as that.

The makers of your automobile put locks on it to help you protect your property against thieves. Cooperate with them by locking your car before you leave it. — El Paso Herald.

There are many folks right here in Big Spring who carelessly leave their car an easy pick-up for auto thieves or joy riders.

When the needed rains visit all portions of West Texas you will hear a different tune. If good crops are made and a fair price for same is assured we will come in for a season of real prosperity. The agricultural interests must prosper if the country as a whole is to prosper.

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MUCH SPECULATION BEING

DONE ABOUT PLANS OF FORD

Detroit, Mich., May 7.—The whole world, industrially, financially and generally, is focusing its attention upon Henry Ford, wondering what he is going to do, according to B. H. Cram, automotive business expert. And Henry Ford sees fit to keep it wondering. This is very apparent as weeks roll by with nothing but rumors attempting to furnish the answer, while Henry Ford maintains his silence, but quietly pushes on.

"There is no question but that this great industry leader is doing something which will once more convince the world that he is still 'the mechanic of mechanics,' but only fact, not rumor, will tell the story," said Mr. Cram.

"True, his production and sales are lower today than they were several months ago, but this is also true of the industry as a whole. Then again, is there a possibility that Mr. Ford might be holding down his production and sales efforts, so that his dealer organization will be ready and able to market his future product? It is definitely known that during the recent slump period, Ford dealers were advised to sacrifice new car sales rather than trade

at a loss. During the same period other manufacturers were making sales, and their dealer organizations were helping pile up the unused car inventory in the hands of the industry.

"Today surveys show that all dealer organizations are being helped by the fact that their old Fords which may seem to be nearly everywhere are carrying the lowest new car and used car market in the history of their business. Naturally, Henry Ford's present activities are having their effect on the entire industry and business generally. He realizes this and is doing about his business as quickly as possible in the best interests of all.

Diamonds—over 150 bargains to select from, at Wilke's Jewelry and Optical Shop—the diamond house of West Texas.

Mrs. B. Fisher and son, left Monday for a visit with friends in Dallas.

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News Notes From Other W T Fields

Morrison & Thompson Well 3200 Ft.
Griffith No. 1, of Morrison and Thompson, section 45, block 29, north, near New Idon, is drilling at about 3200 feet. This well is about one mile northeast of the California Company's Foster No. 2, which was a good producer, and is due north of the Magnolia's Foster field.—Colorado Record.

Gulf Makes Two New Locations
Two new locations have been made by the Gulf Production Company in the McElroy area, both of which are inside of proven territory. Gulf Production Company No. 10 McElroy will be located on section 199 block F, 650 feet from the south and west lines. Gulf No. 11 will be on University land, in the northwest corner of section 200 block F.

Texas Company Buys in Crockett
The Texas Company has purchased section 5, block W, from Charles P. Link, San Angelo oil operator, for \$32,000. A section intervenes between the lease sold and Simms' No. 1 B. C. Clark in section 5, block AB, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co. survey, in Upton County. The Simms test attracted notice last week by topping the sold salt at 440 feet, eight feet higher than Prairie's No. 1 Allie Lane, about three miles to the northwest.—San Angelo Standard.

Oil Royalty Tax Decided
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Well North of Lorraine
The oil well to be drilled by W. V. Thraves on SW quarter of section 25, block 25, T. & P. survey, three miles north of Lorraine, will spud in at an early date. Rig material was being hauled out this week and work will go forward as fast as possible. This well is under same management as the Way well near Spade, and was located by J. C. Yancey, geologist, who has been unusually successful in locating paying wildcat wells.

Owing to the fact that some oil was found in a shallow test near this well two years ago, interest in this deep test is strong. The test will go to 3500 feet if necessary, it is said.—Colorado Record.

Humble Starting Four Tests
Humble Oil & Refining Company is building the rig in Winkler County for its No. 1 T. G. Hendricks, 330 feet from the north and west lines of section 34, block B5, public school land, offsetting Texon's location on the south.

A National machine is being rigged up for Humble's No. 5 Ricker & Dodson in Upton County, 2310 feet from the northeast line and 4610 feet from the northwest line of section 5, M. S. Denton survey.

All is in readiness to start building of the rig for Humble's No. 10 University in Crane County.

Humble's No. 1 C. Flores in Jeff Davis County is spudding.—San Angelo Standard.

Big Lake Oil Co. Shows Big Profit.

A net profit of \$11,627,010.39 before depreciation, depletion and income tax, was made during 1926 by the Big Lake Oil Company, according to the annual report to the board of directors by Levi Smith, president. The holdings of the company are confined to the Big Lake field, located in the Reagan County section of West Texas on land owned by the University of Texas, seventy-five per cent of the \$4,000,000 capital stock of the Big Lake Oil Company is owned by the Plymouth Oil Company and the remaining one-quarter is owned by the Texon Oil & Land Company.

The Big Lake Oil Company produced 7,148,987.04 barrels of crude oil during 1926 in the Big Lake field, making a total recovery of 12,812,016.16 barrels.

New Test Wells in Sterling County

The machinery for Little well No. 1 on section 1, block "T," T. & P. Ry. Co., 1 1/2 miles southwest of here, is about all in place, and the driller expects to spud in within a few days. This well will be drilled to completion without unnecessary delay. Mr. Little drilled the California Company's Davis wells, and all of us know that he doesn't loaf on the job.

Work on the Inland Oil Company's drilling site on the northeast one-fourth of section 12, block "T," T. & P. Ry. Co., about 2 miles southwest of here, is progressing slowly, though some of the material has been moved onto the site. However, we are informed that the crew is expected daily, and that when work starts it will be pushed to completion.

The rig and cellar for the test in W. N. Reed's pasture, 18 miles north-

west of here, is completed and the work of rigging up is going forward. This well is expected to be spudded in by the 15th of this month.—Sterling City News-Record.

Gas Hampers Winkler Test

Gas, which the setting of 6 inch casing has failed to shut off entirely, is hindering the drilling in of Independent Oil & Gas Company's No. 1 Hendricks in Winkler County. At the last report, obtained here Monday, there was 1,000 feet of oil in the hole at 2920 feet. Oil and gas was struck about ten days ago from 2820 to 2825 feet and shortly afterward the well sprayed several barrels of oil.

For more than a week the Southern Pipe Line Company, subsidiary of the Southern Crude Oil Purchasing Company, has been running oil through its new six-inch 18 mile line that leads from the field slightly east of south to Wickett on the T. & P. railroad. The Southern Crude has two 55,000 barrel tanks and a number of smaller tanks in the field and a 25,000 barrel tank at Wickett. The total storage capacity in the field is in excess of 140,000 barrels.—San Angelo Standard.

OIL ROYALTY TAX DECIDED

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The decision affects the revenues of every county in the State having an oil field or a prospective one. The taxes are payable in the county in which the land is situated.

Jan. 1, 1922, Lee Hager was the owner of the fee simple title to certain lands in Orange County, and the owner of a royalty interest in the oil produced from these lands, and in addition, was the owner of an interest in the oil produced from certain other lands in which he had no claim to the surface, or other title to any of the oil, gas or other minerals under such land. About Dec. 1, 1923, Hager assigned all these interests to the Federal Royalty Co.

Subsequent to Jan. 1, 1923, the Tax Assessor of Orange County assessed to Hager the interests, these assessments being for the purpose of assessing the royalties as an interest in the lands designated. Objection was made by Hager before the county board of equalization to the assessments on the ground that the law did not permit the assessment of royalty interest. The equalization board, however, confirmed the assessments as placed on the tax rolls and the Tax Collector demanded payment of the taxes. Suit was brought to enjoin the Tax Collector from further attempting to collect the taxes and to enjoin the County Assessor and County Commissioners from further assessing for taxation any royalty interest owned by Hager or the Federal Royalty Company.

Real estate is ordinarily taxed as a unit, the Supreme Court's opinion held, "yet, where there have been severances by conveyance, exception or reservation, so that one portion of the realty belongs to one person and their portions to others, each owner should pay taxes under proper assessment against him of the portion owned by him," the court held. "The fact that a portion may consist of minerals or of a fractional interest therein makes no difference."

It was held that the Texas Constitution and statutes leave no room for doubt that all property of every kind is subject to taxation and as long as such property consists of minerals in place or fractions of them the taxes thereon should be assessed and collected as on any other species of real estate.

The opinion holds that the interests retained by the lessor under each of the leases was not personal property but real property, and that it is utterly immaterial whether an interest in the place belongs to the original lessor or to his assigns, it is taxable as real property.

The interests of the lessors or of their assigns in the minerals involved in the leases are taxable in Orange County where the lands are situated.

KASCH AWARDED OUT OF TOWN PLUMBING CONTRACTS, WEST

A. P. Kasch left Monday morning on a business trip to Midland and Odessa. Mr. Kasch has been awarded the plumbing contract on the new 70-room hotel, now under construction in Odessa. He also has the contract for the plumbing connections and fixtures in a new apartment house that is being erected in Midland.

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CHURCH NOTES

School 9:45 a. m. at 11 a. m. School service 12 m. J. D. Harvey, pastor of the Church of Christ, will preach with Brother J. D. Sunday, May 15. A big expected to attend the service by Brother Hardy. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:45. Bible study every Monday at 8 o'clock.

AT KNOTT SUNDAY

J. D. Harvey, minister of Christ of Colorado will preach Sunday to fill the Brother Boren who will Colorado on that day. Harvey will preach at Knott other Boren's regular ap- there, Sunday afternoon at Everyone is invited to at- services.

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SPECIAL SERVICES ON MOTHER'S DAY WERE WELL ATTENDED

An unusually large attendance was present at all of the churches last Sunday, May 8, this being Mother's Day. Special services were held in all of the churches and sermons bearing on the meaning of this one day set aside to honor the mothers of the land were given; also special music by the choirs.

Red and white flowers were worn by the church goers this emblem signifying whether or not the one you loved most had passed away, or that you were still enjoying her love and comradeship here on earth.

CALIFORNIA TO TEXAS

AIR SERVICE PLANNED

Los Angeles, Cal., May 19.—Charles W. Cradick, secretary of the Aero Corporation of California, announces that an airplane passenger line linking Los Angeles and Phoenix, Ariz.; El Paso and Fort Worth, will be inaugurated about June 1.

A trial trip covered the route in eleven hours, Cradick said. In addition to passengers, the line will carry light freight, and will bid on air mail contracts, according to Cradick.

RAIDS WOLF DEN; GETS 14

Mr. Snow, proprietor of the meat market at Ackerly, Texas, and thirteen other men raided a wolf's den last Sunday morning, just a short distance east of Ackerly and killed fourteen young wolves. The "old folks" were not at home at the time the raid was staged, so they are still at large.

Mr. Snow is proud of his record as a wolf killer and believes he holds the championship in this section of the state.

REMEMBER DR. CURRIE WILL BE HERE MONDAY MAY 30

A series of Bible lectures will be given at the First Presbyterian Church beginning Monday evening, May 30 for men; Dr. T. W. Currie, D. D., president of the Austin Theological Seminary will conduct the class. An afternoon class for ladies will also be conducted. Make plans now to attend the Bible school.

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PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN AT CHURCH OF CHRIST FRIDAY

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Song—Let the Children Sing.

Scripture Quotation—Wilma Ford.

Pantomime—"Open the Door for the Children"—Four Little Girls.

Reading—Junia Johnson.

Song—"Little Ones Like Me."

Scripture Quotation—Howard Kyle.

Give the Little Boys a Chance—by Three Small Boys.

Song—Little Stars.

A Gospel Sermon. By Nine Little Girls.

Spelling Love—By Four Small Children.

Song—Jesus Bids Us Shine.

Goodnight—Darrell Boren Jr.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR HOWARD CO. SINGING CONVENTION

C. C. Nance was elected president of the Howard County Singing Convention at the regular semi-annual meeting held at Prairie View on Sunday, May 8. Fred Whittaker was selected vice president and Mrs. John Marchbanks secretary and treasurer.

A large crowd attended the meeting Sunday with visitors coming from Gay Hill and Coahoma. Plenty of good barbecue was served together with other good eats.

W. R. Purser was named chairman of the committee to draw up the by-laws of the association and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whittaker will also serve on this committee with him.

The next singing convention will be held at Coahoma on the second Sunday in November.

The work of grading Nolan street between Eighth and Tenth streets is expected to be started soon, and folks owning property in this district appreciate the opening of this street.

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WHAT'S THE REMEDY?

In view of the fact that another season of production is at hand it would seem to be well worth the while of farmers, cooperative companies, county agents and others interested, to prepare to make a concerted effort to avoid the enormous waste of perishable products that annually takes place on the farms of the country.

Out here on the Plains, we import from California, thousands of carloads of fruit and vegetables while at the same time, thousands of cars of these same products go to waste in other parts of the states of which the plains area is a part. It is said that more fruit and vegetables rotted on the ground in East Texas, last season, than was shipped from that section and all the while, people in the Plains towns were eager to get those products and in many cases could not do so.

With the settling up of this country, it is becoming less necessary for us to go so far away from home for these perishable products. Farmers who grow gardens at all, nearly always have a surplus to sell, but, at the present time, they frequently complain that there is no local market for them. The reason for this is that there are few regular truck farms in this region and it is not possible for the home merchants to depend entirely upon their supplies of vegetables and fruit from the local farmers. Town folks must have these things every day of the week and for that reason, grocers must place orders for deliveries to meet the daily demand. As a consequence, when the farmer brings in his truck, he finds the local markets supplied and he must peddle his wares to the householders or take them back home.

At least a part of this trouble could be obviated if the farmers who expect to have surplus vegetables would contract beforehand to supply some one or more of the local grocers with certain vegetables and then take care to fulfill their contracts. Of course, there are catastrophes like hail or unusual insect infestation that would have to be allowed for but if the farmers are careful to make deliveries as promised under all ordinary circumstances, so that the merchants could have no cause for complaint on that account, it would seem that such an arrangement would be profitable to all con-

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CLEARING SPACE FOR COLD STORAGE PLANT

The task of moving the residence at the corner of West First and Gregg streets is now underway. The T. & P. Railway is having this house moved to the southwestern portion of the same block. The Winn Produce Co. is to erect a modern cold storage and warehouse on the site formerly occupied by the residence.

Geologists are of the opinion that oil is going to be found in Howard County at a much shallower depth than the 1600 to 1800 foot producing wells in the Chalk and Clay fields. Here's hoping they are right for the shallow fields are going to come in for the big play when development is resumed.

cerned.

Either the county agents or some organization would have to take up the matter of surpluses which would have to be shipped and with so many counties supplied with these agencies, it would seem that they might well add to their duties that of keeping in touch with production in different parts of the state in order to find markets for the perishable farm products. The opinion is growing among farmers that they have greater need of marketing aid than of aid in the matter of production. Many of the county agents render some assistance along this line but there is no concerted effort among them as a whole and consequently the work is not as effective as it might be made.

Another remedy for the surplus situation in as far as it concerns many products is the establishment of canning factories but here again there are handicaps. A canning factory cannot make use of a few bushels of beans today, tomatoes tomorrow and beets the next day. It must have a dependable supply all through the season and it is impossible to secure such an enterprise on the chance that conditions will be favorable and the farmers will bring in plenty of products to keep the factory running.

It seems absurd and decidedly unprofitable to send to Maryland for our canned goods while equally as good products are allowed to go to waste right here in our own state. Why not use some of this freight bill in establishing canneries to take care of our home products?—Southwest Plainsman (Amarillo).

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: Any erroneous reflection up the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to attention of the editor.

If the streets in the business section of our city are to be kept clean it will be necessary to keep the street cleaning equipment in constant operation or get out an injunction to stop the wind from blowing.

One would think there would be a surplus of rent houses and rooms in Big Spring just at this time but such is not the case. Every day many are seeking rooms, apartments or rent houses. Some are solving the problem by purchasing a home.

Some of our farmers say it was not many years ago when they had to wait until about June 8 to begin planting because the rains were late in reaching this section. It begins to appear as though late planting is going to be in order this season.

Wouldn't it be great if the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. would follow the lead of the Texas Electric Service Co. and give us entirely new equipment in Big Spring. Our city is entitled to better equipment which would insure better service.

Every fellow should do his duty this week and that is — swat the weeds and rake up that rubbish about the premises. This is clean-up week and it is essential that everyone lend a hand if a thorough job is put over. Don't be a slacker.

You are going to see Big Spring suffering from growing pains this fall. Of course the old town is growing some now, but this is only a drop in the bucket to what is coming. It will not be surprising if Big Spring doubles in population within the year.

From the amount of petty thieving now being reported it appears that there are some folks determined to break into jail or into the reformatory. Officers have a list of suspicious characters and are sure to nab some of those who make a practice of stealing.

Quite a few folks have not yet learned that we have a few traffic laws and it may be necessary for our traffic officer to conduct a school of instruction for their benefit. Having to pay a fine is costly tuition but some people can't learn any other way.

Sam Eason was in fisherman's heaven last week having found an ideal fishing hole on the banks on the Concho river south of San Angelo. He landed sixteen cat fish averaging two pounds in weight. Mr. and Mrs. Eason returned last week from a visit with relatives in San Angelo.

Some of these days the automobile will be classed along with strong drink, dancing and other instruments of the devil, but just at present it would not be popular to take this stand. Joy riding on Sunday will also be classed as a desecration of the Sabbath; but just now few autos are idle on Sunday.

If you plan on making any investments the best time in the world to make them is right now while everything is quiet. If things get going right this fall you will likely double the price for which you can now secure a piece of property. If opportunity is ever to knock at your door, he is doing so now.

When you are inclined to be blue, just remember it could be worse. Floods and cyclones elsewhere are taking a toll of lives, and destroying much property whereas these sandy days hurt our feelings more than anything else. Pleasant weather will soon cause us to forget any unpleasantness occasioned by our sand flurries.

Why encourage crooks by cashing checks for people you do not know? No wonder the practice of giving dry checks is growing, when most all of our business men will accept checks in payment for merchandise from folks they never saw before. If you want to discourage dry checking just use ordinary horse sense — be sure checks offered you are as good as gold.

Good water, and plenty of it, is the greatest asset any growing city can have. Big Spring is especially fortunate in this regard. Right now our city is prepared to take care of a big increase in population without having to add to our present water supply or equipment.

We are informed that the Texas & Pacific railway has made arrangements to lease space in the industrial district they are establishing in the west part of Big Spring to eighteen different oil companies, supply companies and manufacturing companies.

Might just as well begin to observe the traffic ordinances. They were made to protect you as well as the other fellow and if all obey them there will be few auto accidents in our city. The city has employed a special traffic officer to see that you do observe these ordinances, or pay a fine for each violation.

If you can read the cards you can visualize the future for Big Spring. Watch the old town step ahead when the price of crude gets high enough to encourage the wildcatter to put a string of tools in the field. There is oil territory enough in our county already defined to keep the wildcatters busy for a number of years.

There is not much occasion for Democrats to get all wrought up about who is to be the Democratic nominee for president in 1928 since the Democratic party has about as much chance of electing a president as we have of making as much money as Henry Ford. There are just too many Republicans, and they are not fighting among themselves.

If you contemplate building a home or an apartment don't change your plans just because it may appear a little dull just at this time. When the oil situation returns to normal there is going to be much development in Howard County and hundreds of houses will be needed to accommodate those who will be moving to Big Spring. The city that is prepared to furnish accommodations and conveniences is the one that is going to make the greatest progress. We have our opportunity to prepare for the growth we know is assured; let us not be found asleep at the switch.

PIGRIMS STRAYED FROM PATH OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

John Billington was one of the Pilgrim Fathers. He led a tumultuous life, made numerous enemies and distinguished himself by being the first person hanged in the Plymouth colony. The day of his execution was one of triumph for the righteous. There had been a great deal of controversy as to whether Billington's life should be taken, whether in fact the colony had legal right to hang him; but in the end the question was decided by expediency.

He was one of the signers of the compact on board the Mayflower, that document which has so often been the theme of orators. His family were public figures from the beginning of the colony, and this man's death at the hands of his fellow citizens was a turning point in the life of the settlement. Yet the inquiring reader will search far in histories for any inkling that such an individual ever existed.

Text books for the new generation generally paint the Pilgrims as God fearing, heroic people, who came to these shores so that they might worship the Deity in their own way. They are credited with courage, perseverance, democratic ideals, devotion to duty. But if one digs into the early records of Plymouth for the story of John Billington he will find that not all the Mayflower voyagers were lovely folk. There was conflict among them, and castles, and doctrinal division. Discord had arisen on the ship long before land was discovered.

Billington was hanged in Plymouth on September 30, 1630, ten years after the arrival of the 102 colonists off Provincetown. He had waylaid a young man named John Newcomin, with whom he had quarreled, and shot him. Newcomin had interfered with his deer hunting. The defendant was arraigned before both grand and petit juries and was found guilty of wilful murder, "by plain and notorious evidence." — McNaught's Monthly.

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Eighty acre tract one and one-half miles from the courthouse. Suitable for a dairy farm.

Good house; small orchard, well and windmill. Price \$4,000. 1-3 cash, balance easy terms.

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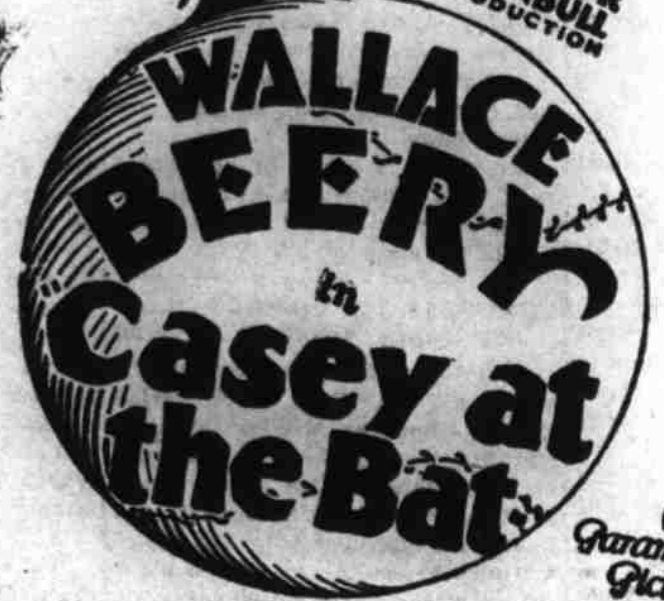
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May 16th and 17th

A sparkling comedy of the baseball diamond—the Babe Ruth 1890—in a picture that will keep the world from becoming tedious.

"Oh! somewhere in this favored land the sun is shining bright
The band is playing somewhere, and somewhere hearts are light
And somewhere men are laughing and somewhere children shout
But there is no joy in Mudville—mighty Casey has struck out"

HERE'S A FAST SIZZLER!

An Infectious Laugh-Comedy

A Genuine "Texas Leaguer"

Also Showing a Fox News and a Good Comedy

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No dry cigars in our case.
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Miss Eleanor Antley visited friends
in Abilene the past week end.

KODAKS AND FILMS.
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Wesley Line was here Sunday
from Sweetwater to spend the day
with homefolks.

Walko tablets. Added to the
drinking water will keep the chick-
ens well. Cunningham & Philips.

Mrs. Eddie Price and Mrs. B. B.
Fox returned Friday afternoon from
a visit with relatives and friends in
Dallas.

We build the best Coca Cola
. Cunningham & Philips.

W. H. Rhoads of Odessa was a
business visitor in Big Spring Mon-
day.

Felix Sholz and son, Charles, of
Toyah spent Sunday in this city
visiting relatives and friends.

MALTED MILKS ARE BETTER
THAN A HEAVY MEAL IN HOT
WEATHER. CUNNINGHAM
& PHILIPS.

Mrs. M. E. Barrett has recently
had her home painted and otherwise
improved. The interior has been
newly papered and the woodwork re-
painted.

Chicken medicine.
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A wonderful line of
to select from for the
Wilke's Jewelry & Co.

Kirby Beckett was
from Merkel to spend
his parents, Mr. and
Beckett.

R. F. Harris Jr.
Sunday in this city
with his parents, Mr. and
friends.

HEARST
Your eyes are
see Dr. C. L. L.
Optician, see a free

amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

(Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, whom shall constitute a quorum. The concurrence of five of them shall be necessary to the decision. No person shall be eligible for the office of Chief Justice of the State until he has held the office of Justice of the Peace for at least five years, or until he has held the office of District Judge for at least five years, or until he has held the office of Judge of the Court of Civil Appeals for at least five years, or until he has held the office of Justice of the Peace for at least five years, or until he has held the office of District Judge for at least five years, or until he has held the office of Judge of the Court of Civil Appeals for at least five years.

The Governor shall appoint a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected. The Governor shall appoint six additional Justices of the Supreme Court, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected. The Governor shall appoint six additional Justices of the Court of Civil Appeals, who shall hold their offices until their successors are elected.

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may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and said Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to re-district the State at any time, and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said Districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associate Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein prescribed for Justices of the Supreme Court, provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all of the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction co-extensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Said Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of the Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election, who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County for the dispatch of purpose. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is, from any cause, disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may assign any District Judge to any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

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Sec. 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

JOINT RESOLUTION

S. J. R. No. 33.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

Section 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and holding said amendment and holding said election.

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JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 32.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other prerequisites; providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as Section 60, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit: The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other prerequisites as now provided by the Constitution.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, and commissions and prerequisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and prerequisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expenses of printing notices and advertisements.

Sec. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

No. 361

In re: Guardianship of WILLIE LEVI ROBINSON, et als, Minors

In the County Court of Howard County, Texas, April Term, A. D. 1927.

Notice by Guardian of Application to Make Mineral Lease

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Harriett Roginson, Guardian of the estates of Willie Levi Robinson, Christina A. Robinson, Elizabeth Robinson, Maudie Robinson and Bessie Pauline Robinson, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Howard County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the estates of said wards to make mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct, of the following described real estate belonging to the estates of said wards, to-wit:

Fifty acres of land, same being tract five (5), as shown on the surveyor's plat filed for record and recorded at page 646, Volume 40 of the Deed Records of Howard County, Texas, and being a part of Section Forty-Eight (48), Block Thirty Two (32), Township One North, T. & P. Ry. Co. Survey, Howard County, Texas, said application will be heard by the county judge at the courthouse in the City of Big Spring, Texas, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1927.

Mrs. Harriett E. Robinson,
Guardian of the Estates of Willie Levi Robinson, et als, Minors.

and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

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Approved March 11, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein, authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes, only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties;

and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or other objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

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(A Correct Copy)
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H. J. R. No. 32

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Frank Hardesty of the F. H. E. Oil Company, drilling a test well on Mrs. Dora Roberts' ranch, had a miraculous escape from death about 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon when the steel derrick toppled over, smashing the Buick auto in which he had been but a few seconds before the accident.

The work of raising the casing was in progress when some of the supports of the derrick broke and it toppled over right now.

Mr. Hardesty in jumping from his car stumbled and fell to the ground and his life was saved as a result of for the derrick, drill stem and casing fell all around him. The Buick car was smashed as flat as a pancake. Those near the well say the derrick hit the ground about fifteen seconds after the supports gave way. A steel derrick has been known to be crushed in but it is a rare occurrence for one to topple over as did this one.

SECOND BETTER HOME SOLD

Ben Case, drilling contractor from Sterling City, this week bought of E. H. Josey, builder and contractor, the new house recently erected by him in the Cole and Strayhorn addition. This is one of the "Better Homes" built by Mr. Josey, which he is selling on attractive terms. Paul Bradley bought the other house built by Mr. Josey in this addition.

Mr. Josey began work on two more "Better Homes" on Tuesday of this week, same to be built in College Heights addition. The same floor plan is used in the new houses but changes are made in the finishing and other details so that each one will be just a little different. These two homes will also be for sale.

Bill Parker of Dallas was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

ICE TEA GLASSES, 75 CENTS PER SET. RIX'S.

THANKS TO T. & P. RAILWAY

The following resolution was introduced at the Wednesday Luncheon Club, May 4 and was unanimously adopted:

"Be it resolved by the Wednesday Luncheon Club that as an organization, and as citizens of Big Spring, we extend our most sincere thanks to the officials of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company for the very efficient work that has been done in and around the passenger depot for the walk along the track and for the walk laid from the track to First Street and to the Y. M. C. A. building.

"This appears to us to have been one of the most helpful public improvements that has been consummated in Big Spring for some time and we cheerfully and gladly express our appreciation of same and commend all who had a part in this work."

Reply to Resolutions

Dear Mr. Owen, Secretary Wednesday Luncheon Club Thank you for your letter of May 4.

The improvements around our station at Big Spring were carefully planned, and it is indeed gratifying to have the commendation of representative citizens, such as compose the Wednesday Luncheon Club, indicating their appreciation of the manner in which the work was executed.

With kindest regards, I am, Yours very truly, J. L. Lancaster, President.

DURING VACATION TIME YOU WILL HAVE TO HAVE A ROD AND REEL, A GOOD SILK LINE, SOME FISH HOOKS, LURES AND SOME GOOD BAIT TO LAND THAT GREAT LONG OLD FISH WITH. WE CAN FILL YOUR WANTS. RIX'S.

Miss Fay Morgan of Snyder is spending the week in Big Spring with friends.

HARDWARE CONVENTION IS TO MEET IN BIG SPRING

A district meeting of the Texas Hardware and Implement Association will be held in Big Spring this fall, probably in September. It is expected that two hundred delegates will be in attendance.

With the completion of two or more hotels in our city before that date we will have no trouble in taking care of our visitors. Big Spring has not gone after conventions in the past because of lack of hotel accommodations, but we will not have to stand back on this account in the future.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY EVE. MAY 15TH

Subject: Responsibilities of Leaders.

Leader—LeRoy Shive. Scripture Lesson—Mark 3:13-15; Exodus 18:17-23. Song. Prayer—W. R. Scott. Making Connections—Leader. Looking Ahead—Thomas Sipes. Clearing the Rightway—C. A. Johnson Jr.

Tapping the Power Line—Patry Bell Reeves. Announcements. Offering. Benediction.

C. T. Watson, secretary of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce will leave the first of next week for Wichita Falls to attend the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

THE GIBSON IS A 14-WALL CONSTRUCTED REFRIGERATOR AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY. RIX'S.

Mrs. George Donaldson of Garden City left Wednesday night for Marlin, summoned there by the serious illness of her brother, John Ramsey.

Rev. W. C. Hinds made a business trip to Snyder this week returning to Big Spring Wednesday afternoon.

CLEAN-UP RALLY WARFARE PLANNED

Eleven implements of warfare, namely, hoe, rake, spade, scoop, axe, grubbing hoe, garbage can, mop, broom, paint, matches and brush were presented to the clean-up captains by Rev. Claud S. Wingo at the clean-up rally held on Main street at the intersection of Second street last Friday evening. This big public meeting was held as the official opening of clean-up week, designated at May 9 to 14, in which the city officials, civic clubs of the city and schools will take active part.

With the Big Spring Municipal Band leading a street parade started off the meeting. The procession formed at the courthouse and in the line-up were the Boy Scouts, city officials, band members, and the 11 clean-up captains with 50 or more lieutenants. After the march to the center of the block on Main street, they broke line and the program was started. W. V. Montin, city manager, was master of ceremonies and he very briefly outlined the purpose of the campaign. C. W. Cunningham, city commissioner, talked on "Keeping Our City Clean," after which C. T. Watson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce outlined instructions to the captains and their workers and also displayed the silver loving cup. This award will go to the district showing the highest per cent of improvement after the campaign. With these instructions and implements of warfare presented by Brother Wingo, the captains were ready to start to work to win the handsome award for their district.

Brush of Spanish Daggers

A large brush 16 feet long made of Spanish daggers or bear grass was made and placed on wheels and drawn in the parade by the Boy Scouts. The brush swept everything that came in its path and very effectively expressed the purpose of the clean-up. The Coe and Parks Lumber Co. made this big brush.

1,000 crusade buttons inscribed with "clean-up, paint-up" were also distributed at the meeting to be passed out among the workers.

Announcement was made that the city had hired four men to haul away the trash and that everyone should sack it or box it and place in the alleys where it could be gathered daily. Everything burnable should be reduced to ashes.

Announcement was also made that aside from the district winning the silver loving cup for showing the greatest per cent of improvement, a prize entertainment would be given to the school showing the best results in their clean-up work. All of the school children are working toward this entertainment whether it be picnic, picture show party or what not.

The different districts have been judged and they will be judged again at the close of the clean-up campaign and then the winners will be announced.

Everyone is expected to do their part in this great work.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN MAY 29

Plans are being laid for a real revival meeting at the First Baptist Church May 29 to June 12. Rev. A. A. Duncan, D. D., of Dallas, is to do the preaching and Mr. M. Dow Mooney, noted evangelistic singer, is to direct the music. Dr. Duncan is one of the leading Baptist ministers of Texas and will be worth hearing every service. The singer, Mr. Mooney, is one of the foremost evangelistic singers of the South. He started his musical career with the Lyceum and Chautauqua. In connection with his singing solos and directing the congregational singing he will play on his Mirambone and Piano-Accordian and will make large use of these instruments in the musical programs given with the services each day. Advance arrangements are going ahead by the local church through committees and otherwise for a great meeting.

Animals Allowed to stray on the highways are the cause of many serious accidents. Drivers should take care when they see an animal running loose to drive slowly or come to a stop if necessary to avoid being run into. Such jolts often cause serious injuries to the occupants of the car and even if the folks escape injury the car is usually damaged to some extent. Remember to slow down when you see a stray horse, mule, cow or any other animal in the road.

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Herald want ads gets results.

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Just arrived from our New York! An entire collection of frocks. Selected for their newness, beauty... their exquisite styling. In the very prettiest very fabrics... the very colors that will be outstanding of the summer season.

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Georgettes, Washable Silks, Printed Chiffons and Printed Flat Crepes

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Here in one and two piece frocks and two piece effects. In a hundred new treatments of tucks, pleates and straight lines. Styles that are new and refreshing in the summer's most delicate and pleasing shades.

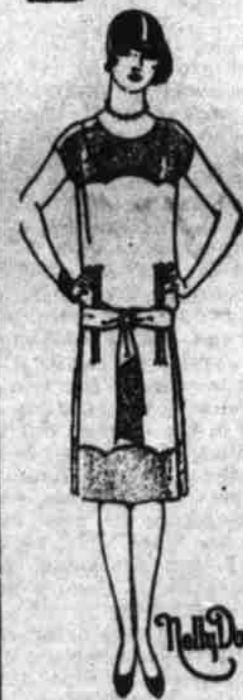
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Voiles, Linen Combinations, Swiss and Figured Laces

In a Wide Range of Styles

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These frocks will prove a delight to a woman who desires smart daywear at a small outlay. In printed shades, charming individual styles, sizes and colors for every

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Prints, Voiles, Dimities and Dotted Swiss

Sizes 2 to 14

Prints \$1.00 to \$2.95 Voiles and Others \$2.19 to \$6.50

Smart styles for very young people can be had too. Here they are will all the dainty little touches of embroidery laces and other trimmings. Styles in keeping with the little misses age. When you see them you will surely select several at such attractive prices.

Albert M. Fisher

Phone 400

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rix, Mrs. W. W. Rix, Jed A. Rix and Miss Ruth Rix arrived Wednesday morning from Lubbock for a visit in this city with relatives and friends. Mrs. Jed A. Rix who has been the guest of Miss Mabel Ricker the past week returned home with them Thursday. B. C. Rix decided to remain in this city for several days more.

If you are because business what it must be where the rule is here and when ment or other If you need a of these towns

Mr. and Mrs. Houston are Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. J. F. H.

No dry cigars in our case. Cunningham & Phillips.

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Big Spring, Texas, Friday, May 13, 1927

By T. E. Jordan

Mandolin Club to Give Free Concert

Mandolin Club of K. of P. to Give Entertainment at Methodist Church, May 19

Methodist Church on Thursday, May 19 one of the finest entertainments will be given by the Mandolin Club of the Home at Weatherford, Texas. You really love good music and a real treat in store when you attend this entertainment.

A company of entertainers are made up of four boys—who are well educated by the members of the Knights of Pythias at the Home at Weatherford. In the young people will be given by C. M. Shears of Fort Worth and the Grand Chancellor of the Pythias.

NORCROSS DEAD

Norcross, aged about 77, was claimed by death about 10 o'clock Monday night, following illness of several days. He was at the A. J. Hillman home street, where he had living quarters. Funeral services were conducted at the First Christian Church Tuesday evening by Rev. Wingo, minister, and the remains were laid to rest in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Norcross was a good Christian and held in high esteem by all who knew him. Of quiet and unassuming nature he was a true man and was never harmed anyone. He attended at the Christian Church, and in his daily life he practiced the Golden Rule. He was a tuner by trade and for thirty years he has practiced his profession in Big Spring. Although he was not a permanent resident of this city the entire time, he spent several months out of every year for the past several years and had made his permanent home here.

Mr. Norcross is his wife and several step children. He was born in Fort Worth, none of whom were present to attend the funeral. Loving friends and neighbors accompanied the remains to the resting place Tuesday afternoon.

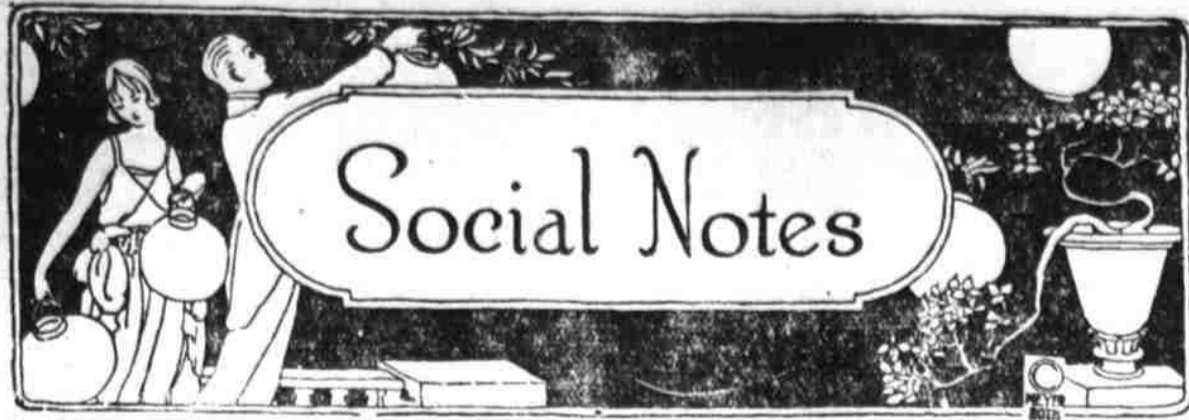
BAKERY TO HAVE

NEW SATURDAY—COME to the new Bakery, on East Third Street, which will be completed and open on Saturday, May 14 and a special invitation is extended to the public to visit the new bakery on this date. Refreshments will be served to all who come between the hours of 2 and 8 o'clock. The new bakery will carry at all times a complete line of bread, pies, rolls, and they will be baked by an expert baker, who has had a long experience in the business, and he is sure to give you a good patronage in this new bakery.

PERMITS ISSUED

Building permits were issued by the City of Big Spring for the past week: a bungalow on Johnson street, to cost \$2,000; a five room residence on the 1100 block on Main street, to cost \$2,500; two six-room bungalows in College Heights, to cost \$2,400 each; a garage on Main street; repairs on residence on Main street; a small cottage on Strayhorn addition.

A. Berry and daughter, Colorado, are visiting J. Berry and family here this week. Mrs. Berry is the mother of Mrs. Berry and her sister.



DELIGHTFUL BRIDGE AFFAIRS GIVEN THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Distinctive among the social events of the past week end were the two delightful bridge parties given on Thursday and Friday afternoons in the J. Clifford Hurt home on Scurry street with Mrs. Clifford Hurt and Mrs. Harry Hurt, co-hostesses. Six tables of play were entertained on Thursday afternoon and seven tables of play were given in this home on Friday afternoon.

An environment of rare charm was provided in the lovely home with its pretty furnishings and floral adornment lent beauty and fragrance to the already attractive setting. Sprays of larkspur in orchid and pink were massed in vases and bowls, and placed at vantage points throughout the rooms used for entertaining and roses and other colorful blossoms also graced the scene.

Artistic tallies directed the guests to their places at the tables, each one attractively laid and marked with dainty hand painted markers and score pads.

The ever fascinating game of bridge provided enjoyable diversion for the guests and interest ran high during the play. On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Fred Stephens was successful in making high score and she was favored with a lovely linen piece. To Mrs. John Clarke went the award for second high score. In the games on Friday afternoon Mrs. O. E. Wolfe won the distinction of making high score and she received as prize a pretty piece of linen. Mrs. Omar Pitman received a lovely favor as second prize. Dainty linen luncheon covers spread the tables at refreshment time and the hostesses served a delectable plate luncheon, consisting of salads, sandwiches, pineapple, ices and cakes.

DORCAS CLASS ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF HUSBANDS

A thoroughly delightful function of the past week end was given by members of the Dorcas Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church on Thursday evening, in the basement of the church. This entertainment was given in honor of the husbands of the class members who were guests at a chicken dinner followed by a delightful social hour. Beautiful cut flowers adorned the banquet tables which were attractively laid and places were set for thirty eight guests.

During the social hour, a short program was enjoyed consisting of two vocal selections by Miss Otera Lloyd accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Morgan Martin, and a reading by Miss Clara Cox. Just after the program Mrs. W. B. Buchanan, teacher of the class, announced that Miss Otera Lloyd had decided to again open her millinery shop and wanted some one to help her trim hats. Volunteers in this work were Rev. D. H. Heard, J. C. Douglass, and A. P. Clayton and each one was given a hat to trim, using bands of ribbon, velvet, flowers, plumes and feathers for decorations. Reverend Heard was unanimously declared the best milliner, trimming the hat most attractively and adding a pom-pom to give it that chic note. Mrs. R. C. Hatch modeled the hat trimmed by Brother Heard and despite the fact that it was a tiny bit small it was most becoming. The other hats were modeled by Mrs. Inez Knight and Mrs. J. W. Pitman.

Other games and contests were enjoyed. Besides the class members guests on this occasion with the husbands were: Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Heard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Douglass, Miss Otera Lloyd, Miss Clara Cox and Mrs. Morgan Martin.

Mrs. J. G. Stockton left last Friday for Lampassas, called there by the illness of her brother, Ed Fulton. At last reports his condition was somewhat improved.

A. H. H. O. B. MEMBERS ENJOY ANNUAL "FEED" SUNDAY EVENING

An affair of outstanding importance to the members of the A. H. H. O. B. boys organization in high school, is the annual "feed," given by the members as the final social event of the year and also in farewell to the members of the club who leave school each year through graduation. This big event was given last Sunday evening, the Electric Dining Room in the Ward basement being the scene of gaiety for the eleven high school boys present. An unusually appetizing dinner was served consisting of chicken and all of its trimmings and the splendid service given at the Electric Dining Room was an added feature of enjoyment at this entertainment. Following the ice course, a brief program was given at which time the newly elected officers of the association made talks as well as some of the old members, who are graduating.

Place cards printed in A. H. H. O. B. colors and bearing the emblems of the organization marked places for: Dick Collins, Harold Yarborough, Vernon Manuel, Frank Segell, Roland Schwarzenbach, Harold Harwood, Charles Frost, Frank Griffith, Fred Fields, Curtis Driver and Joseph Hayden.

MISS DONNA CARTER ENTERTAINS WITH SLUMBER PARTY

One of the most delightful affairs of the past week end for a group of high school girls was the slumber party given last Friday night by Miss Donna Carter at her home on Johnson street. The guests at this happily planned party were: Misses Nell Brown, Hazel Sellers, Anna Mae Freeman, Ernestine Chalk, Elizabeth Crane, Louise Jordan, Louise Rogers and Miss Clara Cox.

The guests attended the big clean-up rally down town Friday evening, after which they returned to the Carter home where games and contests were enjoyed. Prizes were won by Misses Clara Cox, Nell Brown and Elizabeth Crane. At midnight delicious ice cream and cake were served by the hostess and then a little sleep was enjoyed.

The following morning a delectable breakfast menu was served consisting of oranges, fried chicken, cream gravy, sliced tomatoes, hot biscuits, strawberry preserves and coffee. Centering the breakfast table was a miniature May pole wrapped in orchid and pink and with streamers leading from it to the edge of the table. At the end of each streamer was an attractive place card marking places for the guests. Favors were sprays of pink and orchid larkspur.

PIONEERS GUEST IN THE W. W. INKMAN HOME

Around daintily appointed tables the members of the Pioneer Bridge Club and friends enjoyed several interesting games of bridge in the W. W. Inkman home on Wednesday afternoon this being the regular meeting of the club.

Mrs. Joye M. Fisher was successful in making high score in the games of the afternoon among the club members, and Mrs. Steve Ford won visitor's high score.

MISS ADELLE THOMAS HOSTESS LAST FRIDAY EVENING

A merry crowd assembled at the home of Miss Adelle Thomas on last Friday evening where they were guests at a happily planned party. Various kinds of games and contests were the diversion of the evening and merriment reigned as the hours sped by. An enjoyed feature of the party, was the delicious refreshments served by the hostess at the close of the party.

SUSANA WESLEY CLASS ENTERTAINED WEDNESDAY

The following hostesses entertained the Susana Wesley class in the parlor of the First Methodist Church last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Eubank, Herring, Mrs. Hamlett, Mrs. Gus and Arthur Pickle.

The president, Mrs. Pickle, presided and after transacting all business she introduced to us the Dottle family from Dottle, Ark., who had just arrived but had difficulty in finding the church on account of so many skyscrapers and other buildings being erected.

There were five of them: Pa, Ma, and three attractive and accomplished children, Susan, Kate and Tommie; all were attired in their native costumes.

They gave several readings, solos, and talks, that showed real talent. They evidently grew their own tobacco; Pa smoked continually, Ma had her snuff box and was very generous in the use of its contents. Kate chewed something all the time; it may have been tobacco.

After having given the delightful program they said they were hungry and they believed that there was grub enough in the kitchen to feed the whole bunch.

All retired to the kitchen and after passing lovely hand made napkins cut from newspapers they were served in two courses. The first was wonderful black eyed peas, onions, tomatoes, cornbread and buttermilk. The second plate contained a stick of candy—a prize package—a sample tube of tooth paste and face powder.

There were no dull moments even while we were eating Tommie slipped out of the kitchen and entertained us. As there was a storm coming we insisted that they stay in Big Spring and spend the night with us. But they just had to go back to Dottle.

GROUP OF SENIORS ENJOY CHICKEN BARBECUE TUES.

A group of boys and girls, members of the graduating class of the Big Spring High school were guests at a chicken barbecue at the new wells south of the city on Tuesday evening.

Over dying coals the chickens were cooked to a turn, toast was made, and while hot served with fruit salad, olives and ice tea. "Dixie Cups" were other refreshment.

Those enjoying this outing were Misses Nell Brown, Mary Happel, Lillian Bean, Lillian Shick, Louise Jordan, and Joseph Hayden, Frank Segell, Roland Schwarzenbach, Jack Hodges, Harold Harwood, and Arthur Osborn. Misses Clara Cox and Lillian Jordan chaperoned the picnic.

1922 BRIDGE CLUB GUESTS OF MRS. HOB EVERETT

Mrs. Hob Everett most delightfully entertained the members of the 1922 Bridge Club on Tuesday afternoon having as guests three tables of players. In the series of interesting games high score honor was made by Mrs. Clyde Fox.

At refreshment time dainty covers were spread and a delicious luncheon in one course was served to twelve players.

Mrs. H. B. Robb of Dallas was an out of town guest.

JUNIOR HIGH P. T. A. WILL MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Members of the Junior Hi P. T. A. are urged to attend the last regular meeting of the association of the year which will be held at the Junior High school next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The unfinished business of the year will be discussed and plans for next year's work. All mothers who have children in Junior Hi or who will have them attending school there next year are urged to come.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE

Advertisement.

CITY FEDERATION MET ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The City Federation met in the Rest Room at the courthouse Tuesday, May 10 with quite a good attendance to hear the report of the delegates to the district meeting of Federated Clubs at Ozona last week.

Mrs. L. L. Freeman gave a splendid and glowing account of the meeting. She brought back a number of suggestions from the other clubs that will prove of value to us.

Texas is hostess to the Biennial Convention in 1928 and the meeting will be held at San Antonio. So much has been accomplished by County Demonstration agents elsewhere that the Federation is still anxious to have one from our own county.

Of interest to the Flower Garden Club members was the report of the Garden committee. Anyone who wishes to know how to get penny packets of flower seeds, write Mrs. W. E. Davis, Childress, Texas.

Mrs. Hatch was elected librarian, to take the place of Mrs. M. H. Jones who has moved to Fabens.

The date of the City Federation Carnival was set for June 4.

The clean-up committee reported things going forward nicely.

MRS. T. E. PAYLOR ELECTED PRES. SOUTH WARD P.T.A.

Mrs. T. E. Paylor was elected president of the South Ward P. T. A. at their regular monthly meeting held last Thursday afternoon. This was the last meeting of the year and a good crowd was in attendance. A tribute of thanks was extended to the teachers of South Ward: Miss Lellene Rogers, principal; Misses Grace Mann and Winnie Faye Freeman for their loyal support and untiring service at the school and for the splendid cooperation with the mothers. These three teachers have attended every meeting of the P. T. A. and were ready and willing at all times to do more than their part on anything for the school. They not only gave their time but of their means for things for South Ward, and deep appreciation and thanks was extended to the teachers.

Different reports were heard at this meeting and the unfinished business was attended to, to close up this year's work. A report was heard from the committee who bought the new lots for playground for South Ward. These lots are paid for and a nice sum of money remains in the treasury to begin next year's work. The members of the P. T. A. feel that they have accomplished much this year and plan to do even greater things next year.

EAST THIRD STREET CHURCH CLASS MEETING

The Phebean Class of the East Third Street Baptist Church met Monday night to discuss business. The following new officers were elected: Estelle Walker, first vice president; Mary McCrary, reporter; and a sick committee was appointed consisting of Ozzelle White, Doris Barley and Mary McCrary.

A social hour was discussed and it was decided that the class and B. Y. P. U. take a lunch and go to Garden City to hear Brother Ashford preach. A fishing trip was also planned for the last week in May. Some other business was discussed and the class adjourned.

EASTERN STAR WILL MEET TUESDAY EVENING AT HALL

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Hall Tuesday Evening, May 17 at 7:30.

Initiation and the election of officers will be the business of the meeting, and we want to begin promptly at 7:30. Everyone please come on time.

All members are urged to be present. All visiting members are welcome.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Ralph F. Bridges and Miss Roxie Moran, May 4.
Hilario Garcia and Romana Nunez May 6.
Luther Z. Williams and Miss Juanita Knowles, May 7.
Jim A. Winslow and Miss Laveen McFadin, May 8.
Johnnie Higgins and Miss Velma Shumake, May 8.

MOODY IN RACE FOR SENATE

According to a statement of Rep. Alfred Petch of Fredericksburg, an original Moody man, Dan Moody will be a candidate for the United States Senate in 1928.

Coe & Parks Have Formal Opening

Several Hundred Citizens Visit New Lumber Concern On Opening Day Wednesday, May 11, 2 Until 11

Announcement of the formal opening of the Coe and Parks Lumber Store and an invitation to the general public to attend the opening and to inspect the buildings, stock and grounds of this new concern brought out several hundred persons Wednesday, May 11, between the hours of 2 o'clock until 11 o'clock in the evening. Open house was in order with the manager J. Fred Phillips and employees of the company there to receive the guests and to become better acquainted with the local people. In return the visitors were shown through the plant, and invited to inspect the grounds and buildings.

Accordian and banjo music entertained the crowds and delicious ice cream was served for refreshments. Guests were asked to register and at the same time each one was given a chance to win \$5.00 in cash. A quart jar was filled with nails and the one guessing the number of nails in the jar was given the \$5 prize.

Attractive Buildings

The office building and lumber sheds of the Coe & Parks Lumber Co. are attractive, built along the newest lines of architecture and to conform with the latest designs of the day. Being almost in the center of a residence district, the management decided to have the neighborhood proud that they were among them, and they left nothing undone to make their lumber yard something that all could be proud of. The buildings are all painted white, and present a clean and neat appearance.

Besides carrying a full stock of lumber and all kinds of building and rig materials, the Coe & Parks Lumber Co. keeps on hand a select line of wall paper. In the office building there is an attractive display room for this purpose where good light is thrown on the samples of paper. Different colors of paint are also shown to an advantage, each door panel being tinted with the different colors kept in stock.

The locating of this new lumber yard in Big Spring which is a branch on one of the state's largest companies is but another of the forward steps the city is taking and the growth it is acquiring. Under the management of J. Fred Phillips the new concern is sure to prosper and Big Spring's public welcomes it.

Lacquered Novelty

An especially interesting feature of the entertainment on the opening day, for the ladies, was that each one could have a pair of shoes lacquered free of charge. Almost every woman responded to this opportunity by bringing a pair of slippers or oxfords to have the colors changed. The wants varied, and colors ranging in many different shades of reds, blues, tans, browns and other combinations were desired. The old shoes were really made to look new again, and the man "behind the counter" had a good day's work on his hands as the slippers and oxfords continued to be brought in. The Coe & Parks Lumber Co. will keep the different colored lacquers in stock at all times and we may expect to see vari-colored shoes during the summer months since the introduction of this fad in our city.

The new concern feels now that it is a part of our city, is open and ready for business and invites old and new friends to come their way.

TEST WELL FOR W. R. CREIGHTON RANCH WEST OF TOWN

W. R. Creighton has closed a contract with an independent oil operator for a test well on his ranch, just west of Big Spring.

The test is to be drilled on a seven hundred acre lease and drilling is to be started within ninety days. A \$10,000 bond to insure the carrying out of the contract has been posted.

RAINBOW GIRLS WILL HAVE MEETING FRIDAY EVENING

The regular meeting of the Order of Rainbow Girls will be held at the Masonic Hall Friday evening at 7:30. All members are urged to attend. Visiting members are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH
C. HINDS, Pastor
404 Scurry Street
Res. 342; church 679
Services Each Sunday
11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
School 9:45 a. m.
League 6:30 p. m.
are held in the Methodist
at the corner of Scurry and
North streets.

CHURCH OF GOD
16th and Main Streets
each Sunday 11 a. m. and
school 10:00 a. m.
Meeting 7:30 p. m.
one is invited and welcome

WALTERS, Pastor
Corner Main and 10th.
682-J.

OF CHRIST
TABERNACLE
D. BOREN, Minister
111 West Fourth Street
Phone 692.
School 9:45 a. m.
11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
2:30 p. m., Ladies Bible
Mid-week Bible Study,
welcome awaits you.

BAPTIST CHURCH
H. HEARD, Pastor
1411 Scurry Street
Res. 492; Church 460
each Sunday.
11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
9:45 a. m.
6:30 p. m. Sundays.
7:15 p. m.
each Monday 3 p. m.

ST. BAPTIST CHURCH
Third and Coliad Streets
O. SUMMERS, Pastor
1606 Scurry
Telephone 766-J
Services each Sunday
9:45 a. m.
Cardwell, superintendent.
11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
U. S. 6:30 p. m.
meeting each Wednesday
welcome awaits you.

BYTERIAN CHURCH
Main and Fifth Streets
L. OWEN, Pastor
Phone 369
each Sunday.
9:45 a. m.
worship 11 o'clock.
worship 7:30 p. m. Wed-
nesday
hand Welcomes YOU.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
St. Mary's Church
61 Runnels Street
H. STEDMAN, Rector
School 9:45 a. m.
Prayer 11 a. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Street on North Side
KIRTNER, Pastor
every second and fourth
10 a. m.
especially invited.
Sullivan of Ross City was
visitor here Monday.
Day Candy.....
& Phillips.

FREE! -- \$50.00 IN CASH \$50.00 -- FREE!

Big Spring Hardware Company

WHEN YOU WANT HARDWARE

Phone 14 We Deliver

Fourth Prize Winning Essay

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE"
By Nell Brown, Big Spring, Texas

I had purchased a new car and was so pleased with it that I decided to take a trip. I was traveling west at a good speed, nearing a little town I had already heard about in reference to its good eats at the Busy Bee Cafe. I was making good time in that direction when I met with an accident. In less than five minutes the Big Spring Wrecking Company was out to aid in getting my new Whippet to McNew Overland Co. With the purchase of a few parts from Big Spring Hardware Company it was soon as good as ever. I was somewhat bruised up and found refuge in a private home until I was able to continue my journey. Here I met with the most charming people in all my

travels and some expressed their gracious sympathy in sending cut flowers from the Couch Greenhouse, which were so fresh and so fragrant that I soon forgot my ills and attributed my quick recovery to many who were kind enough to bring in fruits and eats from the Allen Grocery.

My room was so very pleasant and comfortable on account of the sanitary plumbing and convenient electric lighting by L. E. Coleman. The furnishings were plain and simple with a downy mattress made by J. R. Creath.

At last I was able to get about and was anxious to get out and see more of the town and meet the people who had been so kind to me. I called Campbell's Tailor Shop for my suit which showed evidence of the accident. In a short while it was back, looking

like new.

I was feeling very well, but on looking in the mirror I discovered I needed the touch of a specialist. I called the Ideal Service Station for my car to be sent. It was at my door immediately and I drove to the Vogue Beauty Shop, where I met with the most courteous and efficient specialists I have ever seen.

When I returned to my room I inquired after a garage closer to my abode and was informed that Eaker and Richardson was the most reasonable and convenient service in town.

Soon I was able to leave the "Magic City" for such it seemed to me as I drove around the business streets and noticed the names of the firms who had given me comfort while in Big Spring. The thought came to me—"It Pays to Advertise."

Couch Greenhouse & Floral Co.

Mrs. Dove Couch, Owner

CUT FLOWERS, FUNERAL DESIGNS, POT PLANTS "Flowers for All Occasions" Vegetable Plants in Season

Phone 329 1206 Gregg St. Big Spring, Texas

If you want the best in CLEANING and PRESSING send it to

CAMPBELL'S

CLEANERS AND DYERS

Suits Made to Order

W. O. W. Building

PHONE 514

J. R. CREATH

NEW AND USED FURNITURE MATTRESS FACTORY

Phone 34

118 Main Street, First Door

North First National Bank

Big Spring, Texas

Permanent Waving

IN THE LATEST MODE \$10.00

Here you will find true experts in the art of permanent waving, well versed in all of fashion's newest dictates for the coiffure.

OUR SERVICE INCLUDES

- Permanent Waving
- Hair Coloring
- Water Waving
- Facials
- Shampooing
- Manicuring
- Marcel Waving

VOGUE Beauty Shoppe

MRS. KIRBY MILLER, Prop. PHONE 147

LET COLEMAN

do your ELECTRICAL and PLUMBING WORK

Plumbing and Electrical Supplies of all kinds

Your Business Appreciated

L. E. Coleman

Electric & Plumbing Co.

PHONE 51

East Third Street--on the hill.

Clean and Sanitary COURTEOUS TREATMENT

BUSY BEE CAFE

L. L. GULLEY, Proprietor

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT

Specializing in-- Sunday Chicken Dinners

Phone 481 Big Spring, Texas

IDEAL Service Station

W. 2nd & Gregg -- Phone 371

GAS, OILS HORSE SHOE TIRES Tires Tubes, Accessories

"Drive up and gas at THE IDEAL."

Patronize a Home Institution

Big Spring Wrecking Co.

Has a bigger and better line of new and second hand parts than ever before. Ask those who trade with us. We can come nearer covering every need for their car is why they call on us.

Call us when in need and you won't in the least be disappointed, because we are experts in every branch of automobile business.

E. D. CARROLL A. E. HYDEN

Bankhead Highway and Young Streets -- Big Spring, Texas

Wherein the Whippets Excel

- Modern engine--modern chassis.
- Gas and oil economy.
- Four-wheel brakes--lowest priced car so equipped.
- Ease of handling.
- Narrow pillars--clear vision.
- Horn, spark and throttle controls at steering wheel.
- Exceptional power in proportion to weight.
- Wide range of flexibility.
- Low center of gravity.
- Oversize tires.

- Snubbers on front springs.
- Adjustable steering wheel.
- Worm and gear steering.
- Light weight single plate clutch.
- Force feed lubrication.
- Metal and oil-tight type universal joints.
- Generous proportions of vital parts--crankshaft, bearings, etc
- Interchangeable Chadwick type bearings.
- Anti-friction thrust bearings on king pins.
- Alloys valves--valve lifters removable from the side.
- Integral fan and water pump shaft.

McNew Overland Co.

Willys-Overland Fine Motor Cars BIG SPRING, TEXAS

DON'T ASK US Ask those who trade with us then you will see the advantage of buying at

Allen Grocery Co.

EAST THIRD STREET

Always a Complete Line of

- GROCERIES
- FRUITS
- VEGETABLES

PHONE 615

Kreso dip: Worth its weight in gold when you need it....Cunningham & Phillips.

Clarence Shivo and family will leave the first of the week for Wichita Falls to attend the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The high wind last Sunday blew out a plate glass window at the Wigwam Cafe. The glass had been cracked by a pistol shot last March, and was not able to withstand the force of the wind.

REAL ESTATE WANTED

There are buyers in all parts of the country. Tell us what you want to sell. Lyons-Earnest Realty Service. In W. T. Natl. Bank Bldg. 1

Shaving utensils of all kinds.... Cunningham & Phillips.

R. S. McDonald of Big Lake was a business visitor in Big Spring Wednesday.

Johnston's candy..Worth more than the price....Cunningham and Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stokes were here from Colorado Tuesday visiting with friends.

Mrs Joe Stovall and daughter, Charline, visited friends in Abilene this week.

Toilet articles of all kinds.... Graduation gifts....Cunningham & Phillips

LET US DO YOUR HAULING

We are prepared to do all kinds of hauling at reasonable prices. We will also furnish you the best gravel to be obtained. See us or phone 7. Maxwell & Locklar. 30-1f

Box Stationery.... Cunningham & Phillips.

"Red" Coots was a visitor in Abilene the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Powell and Mrs. Jim Tamsitt returned last Wednesday from a visit with relatives and friends in El Paso.

Fountain syringes... Better prices... Cunningham & Phillips.

Herald want ads gets results.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thomas have returned from Dallas where Mr. Thomas went through the clinic, and reports say he was pronounced suffering from gall bladder trouble instead of heart trouble, as was first thought. Friends will be glad to know that he is not seriously sick and that his trouble is minor. -- Colorado Record.

For safety and service do your banking business with The State National Bank.

Purses..Pocket books and bill folds....Cunningham & Phillips.

Herald want ads gets results.

Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,--once or twice a week for several weeks--and see how Nature rewards you with health. Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package, containing full directions. Only 15 cts. At any drug store. (Adv.)

We are still in the market to buy your cream. Bring us all you have. East Side Grocery and Market.

Herald want ads gets results.

C. of C. Directors Favor Viaduct

Regular Meeting of Directors of Chamber One of Interest and Number of Questions Handled

A good attendance marked the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday night and quite a number of important matters came up for action.

Secretary C. T. Watson who is to represent Big Spring at the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17, was instructed to vote for Abilene as the place for holding the 1928 convention. If Abilene is not a suitable place, Watson is at liberty to vote for any other city he may prefer.

An invitation from the Abilene Chamber of Commerce for the Big Spring delegation to accompany the Abilene delegation to Wichita Falls was read.

Three new directors of the Chamber of Commerce were elected to fill vacancies on the board, and were as follows: H. A. Bradley of the Oil Well Supply Co., J. Fred Phillips, manager of the Cos-Parks Lumber Co., and T. E. Satterwhite, representing agricultural interests.

The directors went on record as favoring a viaduct over the railway tracks on Gregg street and for the immediate establishment of safety measures at this dangerous crossing. A committee headed by B. Reagan was appointed to confer with Division Superintendent A. E. Pistole at once with the view of devising safety measures and lessening the hazards at this crossing.

A communication from Homer D. Wade with reference to the changing of the common point rate was read. He stated that it was his desire to assist the different towns in their fight to prevent the order of the I. C. C. being put into effect.

A letter from the secretary of the Texas Hardware and Implement Association was read in which he thanked the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce for willingness to cooperate in holding a district meeting in Big Spring this fall.

The road committee reported one hundred new road signs had been received and were to be put up at once. The signs have a red arrow running thru the center with the distance from Big Spring given in multiples of five.

Comment was made on the splendid cooperation of the city officials and the womens clubs in the big clean up and paint up campaign which is now being carried on to make Big Spring a cleaner and better town.

A bulletin board will be maintained in the office of the Chamber of Commerce in the future with the names of the directors and a record will be kept as to attendance. At each meeting roll will be called and members marked as being present or absent. The board will be kept in a conspicuous place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith of Ada, Okla., are in the city visiting his brother, George Smith and family.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE—advertisement.

BASEBALL COMEDY ON WAY

"Take out the big bum!" "Kill the umpire!" "Come on, kid, knock a homer!" "There goes the old ball game!" These, and all the other expressions which make baseball the game it is, are included in Wallace Berry's current Paramount starring comedy "Casey at the Bat," which arrives at the R. & E. Lyric next Monday for two days showing.

Berry, perhaps the actor to have made the most progress during the past twelve months, due to inimitable performances in "Behind the Front," "We're in the Navy Now," and "Old Ironsides," enacts the small town junk man who suddenly finds himself catapulted to fame and fortune when a big league baseball scout signs him to a giant contract.

Imagine if you will (it isn't difficult) Berry as the hero of America, the late Ruth of 1890. Picture the laughs as Wallace hits a home run with the mediant while holding a stein of beer in the other. Think of the roars that'll be forthcoming as he lumbers on the stage of the old Casino Theatre and makes a personal appearance. Then comes a trip to Coney Island and you'll wonder what the wild waves are saying. A morning in bed, duped into believing he's very ill and finally—the big game!

Ford Sterling enacts Berry's Columbus by "discovering" him. Zasu Pitts is the Centerville belle and Sterling Holloway, Berry's villainous manager. Monte Brice directed this Hector Turnbull production.

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GUARDIANSHIP OF THE ESTATE OF HOWARD SMITH, A MINOR

No. 138. In County Court of Howard County, Texas. Notice is hereby given that I, Eva Smith, Guardian of the estate of Howard Smith, a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Howard County, Texas, authorizing me, as Guardian of the estate of said ward, to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order and direct of the interest of said ward in the following described real estate, to-wit:

South 1-4 of Section No. 45 in Block No. 33, Tsp. 1-South and North 1-4 of Section No. 4 in Block No. 33, Tsp. 2-South, both T. & P. Ry. Co. Surveys in Howard County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the courthouse in the city of Big Spring, Texas, on the 22 day of May A. D. 1927.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1927. Eva Smith, Guardian of estate of Howard Smith, a minor. 11

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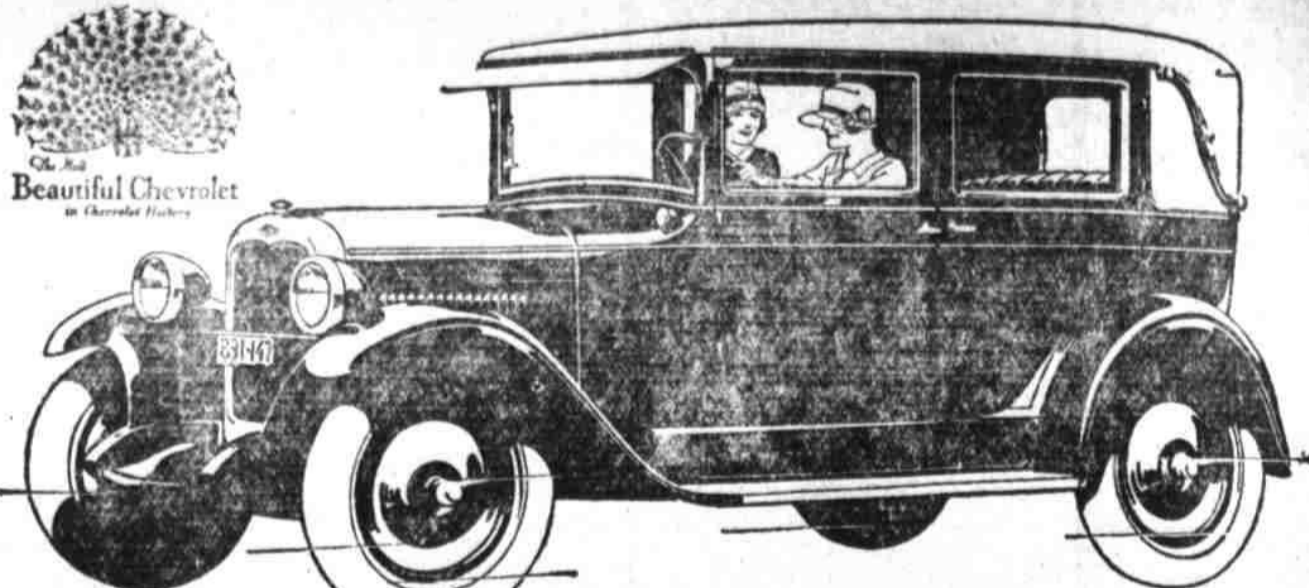
STORMS KILL 202 PEOPLE More than 202 people killed and 800 injured in cyclones and storms the forepart of this week.

Thousands were homeless in five states visited by a series of froak storms that started Saturday and continued until Monday.

Large areas in Arkansas, Missouri, Texas and Illinois were devastated. Heavy rains in the storm beaten sections added to property losses estimated at millions of dollars.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE—advertisement.

Announcing — another Chevrolet Achievement



Imperial Landau

Specially-Built Fisher Body—Strikingly Beautiful Duco Colors—Elegantly appointed —The Aristocrat of all Chevrolets

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 - The Landau 745
 - The Imperial Landau 780
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 - 1-Ton Truck (Chassis Only) 495
- All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich. Balloon tires standard equipment on all models.
- Check Chevrolet Delivered Prices They include the lowest handling and financing charges available.

Again Chevrolet revolutionizes every previous conception of quality and elegance in a low-priced automobile by presenting the Imperial Landau—a new model whose distinction and smartness entitles it to comparison with the costliest custom-built cars.

Its specially-built Fisher body reveals all the masterly craftsmanship for which the Fisher name is famous. The finish is lustrous black Duco, with embellishments of brilliant chasseur red.

With oblong windows—with nickeled windshield rim and landau bows—with vaulted roof, and with top and rear

quarter in mouse gray textile leather, this aristocrat of all Chevrolets is one of the most beautiful cars to be seen on the streets and highways.

And, of course, it has all the power, speed and smoothness—all the flashing acceleration, finger-tip steering and unflinching dependability that have brought to Chevrolet such world-wide fame.

This beautiful car is now on display in our showroom. Come and see it. You will be delighted to learn that a car so low in price provides such commanding individuality and style!

Be Sure to See This Beautiful Car

KING CHEVROLET COMPANY

BIG SPRING, TEXAS

QUALITY AT LOW COST

BIG SPRING SPLITS PAIR OF GAMES PLAYED HERE

Big Spring T. & P. baseball team split a pair of games with Big Lake here last week end, taking Saturday's contest 7 to 5 but dropped Sunday's game 17 to 11. Midland took the big end of the count on Wednesday 5 to 2 in another game.

Choate, a Big Spring boy that has been attending Wesley College the past term made a good showing Saturday by letting Big Lake down with six hits to win 7 to 5. Clark for Big Lake connected for a home run, two bagger and single; and Thornton for Big Spring came through with a triple, double and single to lead the hitting.

	AB	R	H	E
Big Spring	36	7	10	4
Big Lake

Batteries: Big Spring Choate and Payne; Big Lake, Loflin, Knight, and Doty.

In a typical West Texas sand-storm a nine inning farce was staged on Sunday to go down on record in the disguise of a ball game. Each team garnered seventeen hits but Big Lake produced seventeen runs to Big Spring's eleven out of the bombardment.

	AB	R	H	E
Big Spring	46	11	17	9
Big Lake	49	17	17	5

Batteries: Big Spring, Vick, Hinson and Payne; Big Lake, Coop and Doty.

It was a good ball game that Midland and Big Spring played here on Wednesday, but for lack of hits and four errors at the wrong time the local club came out in second place, Babers for Big Spring pitched a good game holding Midland to eight hits but Munn for Midland turned in a little better game with six hits. Lewis and Kimbrough for Midland received three and two hits respectively, while Payne and Babers for Big Spring collected a couple a piece.

AB R H E

Big Spring	33	2	6	4
Midland	36	5	8	2

Batteries: Big Spring, Babers and Payne; Midland, Munn and Reynolds.

Big Spring will take Midland on again for a game Sunday at Midland. Those fans that believe in their home club and want to see a good ball game should go along to help the boys out at that time.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE—advertisement.

LOYALTY

Paralyzed from the neck down, Walter L. Boothe, a farm boy of Virginia, was kept alive almost sixteen days by the devotion of his friends. He died Saturday, but only when his spark of life flickered out in spite of the artificial ministrations of his comrades.

They gave him all that friendship had to give, under the circumstances—378 hours of time, effort and hours of sleep, hours lost from crops or employment, hours away from families.

They gave him those muscular expansions and contractions which gave him artificial respiration, kept the air flowing in and out of his lungs, kept the heart beating and the blood flowing.

Cases such as this have not resulted successfully. That is to say the paralytic condition has not been overcome, and the body gradually wears out from the artificial respiration. Still, loyal friends work on the theory that while there is life there is hope. Perhaps some day such devotion may save a life. It is a fine and generous thing anyway.—El Paso Herald.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE—advertisement.

Summer Arrivals We are receiving daily, the latest modes in summer millinery. Each model is a decree of fashion.

Catherine Hat Shoppe PHONE 131 PAY US AN EARLY

SPECIAL PRICES

Saturday, May 14 For Cash No Deliveries

- Armour's Tomato Soup
- Armour's Pork and Beans
- Armour's Vienna Sausage
- Armour's Potted Meat
- Armour's No. 3 Crushed Pineapple

Armour's No. 3 Sliced Pineapple

Fruit for Salad EXTRA FOR SATURDAY: 10-lb. granulated sugar, one package customer

THE WHITE HOUSE

successors to P. & F. Co. "The Best Place to Buy or Sell"

Golden Bakery

402 East Third Street

PHONE 63

Open For Business Saturday May 14, 1927

COMPLETE LINE Bread, Pies, Cakes, Rolls

Refreshments Will Be Served 2 to 8 P. M.

Chas. Powell, Prop.

PRIZES SHOW CLEANNESS
Carnival Opening Here Is Stickler on Morality
 A. Vernon Shows, which Monday May 16 on Clay street three blocks west of for a week's engagement throughout the show wherever they play for cleanliness and morality. Vernon himself was one of the clean-up cam- shows a few years ago. largely responsible for the today not carrying the old dance halls; the Hawaiian try in the well attractions her supposed amusements are. The C. A. Vernon not hire simple girls at And all women carried show must be married and themselves as ladies at all actions carried by Mr. Ver- an educational nature and carried in their interest. On you will find the Hindu mystery show, operated and by Prof. Earl Lund, an or- nister, who was for sev- a missionary in India. became proficient in the du mystery. He believes more good by lecturing on millions of the Hindu relig- ica than in any other strel show with its twen- ple and carrying a band tra of its own is a show Mr. Vernon is particularly h his motor moniacs. The hen there is Daredevil show carrying 20 big ing 5 trained barnyard . The South Sea Island and many other shows of on nature. carries letters of recom- from the Chief of Police Mayor Cargill of Okla- the city officials of Waco, h. Brownwood, San An- ell as others from south- ies. But we will let you ourself what the San An- ard had to say about the ws after their opening at city. for a week's engage- C. A. Vernon shows play- large crowd at the show the end of South Chad- et Monday night. The y was thronged, and each was well patronized espe- its first night. interesting variety of at- the carnival has. There is d from the South Sea Is- to be the only real cann- United States. By the end ing he had devoured, be- spectators, five large rats er one. strel show has an enter- ating well over an hour, men who can do the buck and other favorites to per- ve year old girl who does ton and Black Bottom as fish swims, and a synco- tra that puts pep into ce. This attraction ws each day. the most interesting at- the Hindoo Unseen Mys- with Prof. Lund, who h his bag of tricks before audience. From hypnotiz- and letting her float in abbing swords through a cabinet, all is mysterious, hods unsolved. One girl appears while a man is y by the hand. hood billie goats attracted ber of kiddies, the motor Dare Devil Vernon and, thrills even those who could go over Niagara in Then there is the fire onnet-to-goodness one, the takes high voltage in an air of the same model as Sing Sing, the snake and many others. including a large ferris merry-go-round, kiddie there are also there for prefer to be in motion. ng that is particularly about the C. A. Vernon their cleanliness. Women can attend any attrac- not find the immortality able in most carnivals. Vernon, owner of the ed early Monday morn- was well pleased with San with the reception that from the show going

LONDOS TRICKS KOPECKY
 Billy Londos tricked Joe Kopecky into a body slam to secure the second fall and a knock out from Joe Kopecky the Taylor, Texas, wizard who substituted for Gus Anderson, the Terrible Swede last Monday night at Miller's skating rink arena in the most sensational wrestling match ever witnessed in any city in the southwest.
 Londos, the Big Spring favorite, was on the defensive throughout the match and both men used every trick and tactic known to the bone-benders profession to secure advantage over his opponent.
 Both were fast and as clever as any wrestler ever seen in this section and used good clean methods at all times. Kopecky won the first fall in twenty two minutes and thirty seconds with a series of flying mares, slamming Londos to the mat several time before he was able to pin the Greek's shoulder to the mat, and after they had wrestled seven minutes and thirty seconds Kopecky slammed Londos with a flying mare and the Greek came up apparently dazed to grab Kopecky and slam him to the mat injuring his chest and completely knocking him out.
 Kopecky was allowed ten minutes rest and offered to return to the ring for the third and last fall but was advised by the club's physician that he was not in condition to do so. He then offered his services to the crowd but they refused to allow him to enter the ring.
 The Sack Battle Royal between four Mexican boys was appreciated by the fans, also the boxing exhibition between two local negroes.
 Londos will be used against the world's famous movie actor and wrestler Bull Montana, the ape man of the movies, next Monday night, May 16. Plans are being laid to accommodate 1500 people and the prices will remain the same. Lots of good preliminaries have been arranged and the fans will see one of the most thrilling matches ever seen in the southwest.

WHY DISCRIMINATE AGAINST CHILDREN
 People with children are having a difficult time in securing accommodations. A number of families have been zealously searching for rooms recently but the minute they inform the owner of the rooms that they have a child they are politely informed they cannot have the rooms.
 It is an unfortunate state of affairs, and bad for our city when we cannot furnish accommodations for responsible people who desire to make their home in Big Spring. Quite a number of men employed in the oil fields are anxious to move their families to our city but cannot do so when the homes of Big Spring are closed to them because they have a child or maybe two or more children.
 If there are those in Big Spring who can supply furnished rooms to folks who have children it would be appreciated if you would list your rooms with the Chamber of Commerce. A number of worthy people can be secured as citizens of Big Spring if more homes will rent furnished rooms and not discriminate against children.
 We want Big Spring to grow—yes, double in population, but how in Sam Hill can we expect this to come about unless we can supply rooms and houses for those who desire to come here. Surely we can't expect these people to bring their homes with them.
 If Big Spring shows no inclination to welcome and prepare to take care of those seeking a home here other places will.

GLACIER TO GULF HIGHWAY IS TO BE PAVED SOON
 Secretary C. T. Watson continues to receive favorable replies with reference to the movement to have the Glacier to Gulf Motorway paved from Amarillo to San Antonio. In fact some counties have already started on the plan to pave that portion of the highway within their boundaries.
 It may require a little time and work to line up the rest of the counties to insure this stretch of paved highway to be completed without a break; but it is practically assured that this important highway is to be paved.
 Herald want ads get results.

SEE "RED KIMONA"
 At R. and R. Lyric Theater, Wed- and Thursday, May 18-19
 Starting Wednesday, May 18 the R. & R. Lyric theater offers Mrs. Wallace Reid's absorbing story of unfortunate girls "The Red Kimona". Based on an actual case from the records of the Los Angeles courts this picture shows with startling vividness the sinister methods employed by white slavers to obtain recruits to the ranks of the Sisterhood of Sorrow.
 Believing that this story contains a lesson that should appeal to mothers and to all growing girls as well, Mrs. Reid has requested that special matinees be given for women only so that mothers and daughters may attend without embarrassment. At the night shows there are no restrictions except that children under 15 years will not be admitted unless accompanied by their parents.
 Pollard to Probe Reagan Oil
 Austin, Texas, May 9.—Attorney General Pollard left Monday for Reagan County where he will make "certain oil investigations," the exact nature of which was not disclosed by his department.
 When he will return is not definitely known.

EMPIRE SIGN SHOP
 In Ward's Basement
 Give Us an Order
 Satisfaction and Quick Service
 The Best Equipped Shop
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Empire Sign Shop

EMPIRE REFRIGERATOR
 BEST MEDIUM PRICED
 LATOR YOUR MONEY
 RIX'S.
 Good Luck Dis- cash purchases. Save The White House.

Announcing CONOCO AMALIE MOTOR OILS



CONOCO dealers can now supply you with Conoco Amalie Motor Oil in the proper consistency for your particular motor. It will be worth your while to try it, for this oil has the unqualified approval of the experts who have designed and perfected motors for 207 automotive vehicles. These engineers have learned by actual tests that Amalie, 100% pure Pennsylvania oil, does a 100% lubrication job. And these engineers know that oil is the life-blood of the motor. If the oil breaks down, so does the motor.
 Made from premium crudes from the famous Butler and Franklin fields in Pennsylvania, Conoco Amalie Motor Oil gives lubrication unsurpassed by any other oil in the world. It stands up under the most intense heat. It retains its viscosity—thus sealing the pistons and greatly reducing crankcase dilution, the cause of so much costly wear and tear on the motor.
 Conoco Amalie is not a "tramp" oil. Every batch is sampled and tested in the laboratory before being packed in the drums and cans from which you get it. Look for the Guaranteed 100% Pennsylvania Oil trademark on the Conoco Amalie container—at your service station or garage. Then you will be sure to get the right oil for your motor—the kind of oil that the manufacturer of your car wants you to use.
 Get it at the familiar sign of the Continental Soldier.

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 Knott
BUCK BAKER
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 Ackerly
INGRAM & BRITTON
 Ackerly
H. G. LEES, Agent

MAGNOLIA HIKES CRUDE 10C
 Dallas, May 5.—Magnolia Petroleum Company today increased the price of crude ten cents a barrel in Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas fields in which it is purchasing on a gravity basis, restoring the schedule posted on April 7. Under 33 gravity oil is now \$1.05 a barrel, 52 gravity and above is \$1.45 and a differential of two cents for each degree of gravity obtains for the intervening grades. Luling crude was raised from 95c to \$1 a barrel.
 The recent Magnolia cut of 10c failed to establish a lead for sister purchasing agencies to follow, and advance of the price by the Magnolia is taken to indicate the company acquiesces and that the low of the present crude market is established at this base.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY, MAY 15
 How to Become a Leader.
 Scripture Text, 2 Tim. 2:1-7. Mildred Creath.
 Song, 27.
 Song, 12.
 Prayer—Mrs. Dunn.
 Talk: What Is the Difference Between a Leader and a Boss?—Mrs. Claud Wingo.
 Talk—Are Leaders Born or Made?—George Owen.
 Reading—Mildred Creath.
 Talk—Does One Have to be Educated to be a Leader?—Stella Schubert.
 Talk—What Made Peter the Leader on Pentecost?—Nettie Arnold.
 Benediction.
THE GIBSON IS A 14-WALL CONSTRUCTED REFRIGERATOR AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY. RIX'S.
WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE—advertisement.

FOR SALE!
 Modern Stucco Bungalow, at Corner of 12th and Johnson Sts. Six Rooms, Bath, Hardwood Floors in Living Room. Stepped dash finish, lydeck roof.
 Will be completed and open for inspection
SATURDAY, MAY 14
C. O. SMITH, Contractor and Builder
 EVERYONE INVITED TO VISIT AND INSPECT THIS HOUSE.

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**WHAT'S DOING
IN
WEST TEXAS**
By the
W. T. Chamber of Commerce

Lamesa — An association to foster expansion, betterment and advertisement of Highway No. 83 between Fort Worth and El Paso, the "short line," was formed at a meeting of some 250 delegates and visitors of towns on this route here recently. The name of the association is to be conferred by a directorate of 15 selected during the session. The formation of the Highway Association marks a monumental step in the Lamesa country.

San Antonio — Traffic experts of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce are at work on an analysis of the recent decision handed down by the Interstate Commerce Commission with reference to what is known as the Common Point Freight Case. Should the official ruling be considered of sufficient importance by West Texas officials, a report of the order in full will be made at the annual convention to be held in Wichita Falls, May 16 and 17, and the convention will be asked to take such action as is necessary for requirements.

Canyon — Randall County's \$250,000 paving bond issue has been sold and the county has been granted state and federal aid by the State Highway Commission to the amount of two thirds of the cost of paying between Canyon and Amarillo. The exact route of the highway is to be chosen at once and work will begin at the earliest possible moment.

Sweetwater — The Board of City Development and city officials have already established their offices in the new \$200,000 municipal building of Sweetwater which is a combination auditorium of 2,000 seating capacity and a city hall. The latter part is already completed, while construction is still underway on the former portion of the structure.

Goldthwaite — Improvements have been made in Hotel Saylor here recently among which was re-stuccoing exterior of the building.

Cross Plains — Excavation work on the foundation for two new school buildings has been completed here and construction work proper is underway. The grade and high school structures, costing over \$60,000, will be ready for occupancy this fall.

Odessa — Due to increased business at the local post office, considerable expansion is being made in the Odessa quarters. Second class recognition is expected before the first of the year.

Carlsbad, N. M. — The east side of Canyon Street here has recently been changed completely in appearance with new buildings, remodeling, and improvements distributed along the main business block.

Quanah — Quanah will be 1928 host to the Green Belt-Lower Panhandle District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. It was decided at the 1927 meet held at Childress May 5.

Dimmitt — Joe Hastings of this place has established a new implement firm in Hereford. The plant will go under the name of Hastings and Harmon Company of Hereford, and will be housed in a modern brick building 50x140 feet.

OFFICIAL CALL FOR CONFEDERATE REUNION AT CHRISTOVAL
Headquarters Mountain Remnant Brigade, 5th Tex. Div., U. C. V.
San Angelo, Texas, April 30, '27.
General Order No. 8.

Attention, Comrades! Please take notice, that the Twenty-seventh Annual Reunion of this Brigade will be held on the permanent grounds donated for our meetings at Christoval, Texas, by its generous citizens. Reunion will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 27, 28 and 29, 1927. All comrades of our organization and others surviving, and widows of veterans are urged to be present; also United Daughters of the Confederacy and Sons of Confederate Veterans, present and qualified are entitled to participate.

Three days cooked rations will be provided by those liberal and generous hearted citizens of Christoval and vicinity, on presentation of registration tickets. All visitors are requested to bring bedding, cots and tents. Press please copy.

Issued by order of Brigade Commander,
Z. I. WILLIAMS,
Mt. Rem't. Brig. 5th Tex. Div.
U. C. V.
L. BALLOU,
Adj't-Gen. and Chief of Staff.
—Christoval Observer.

Wayne Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cook of this city, has been elected vice president of the Students Association of McMurray College at Abilene.

WEST TEXAS C. OF C. CONVENTION AT WICHITA NEXT WEEK

Wichita Falls. — With thirty-three cities and towns of West Texas prepared to represent a foreign country, to carry out the Congress of Nations idea, sponsored by the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce as a part of the city's entertainment feature for the 1927 West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, indications point to one of the most unique and elaborate parades Monday, May 16 that the southwest has ever seen. Practically every one of these thirty cities and towns have planned something unique in the way of dress and "stunts." The parade promises something educational, entertaining and inspiring. Many of the places have made elaborate plans for their presentation. For instance the Turks are coming in full regalia. The Scotch Highlanders will be here. The people from Siam will be represented. The Arabians in full regalia, the Hawaiians, and the scores of others will offer a most picturesque scene.

The parade this year will be in two divisions, one for the foreign countries and the other for the delegations appearing in civilian dress. Indications are that at least 100 cities and towns will be represented in the parade and it is expected that about 15,000 people will make up the line of march. Plans are being made for 100,000 people to watch the procession from the sidelines.

The cities and towns, which will represent some foreign country and the country represented follow: Sweetwater, Hungary; Fort Worth, Arabia; Lubbock, Spain; Abertathy and Floydada, Hawaii; Memphis, Russia; Plainview, Holland; Seymour Japan; Childress, Mexico; Chilli-cothe, Italy; Clarendon, England; Shamrock, Ireland; Quanah, North American Indians; McLean, Scotland; Estelline, Ceylon; Panhandle, Bulgaria; Pampa, Poland; Iowa Park, Panama; Breckenridge, Luxembourg; Turkey, Turkey; Stamford, Portugal; Brownwood, Greece; Cisco Persia; Vernon, Algeria; Dalhart, China; Throckmorton, Chile; Mineral Wells, Australia; San Angelo, Siam; Haskell, Serbia; Burkburnett, France; Matador, Cuba; Bellevue, Belgium; Goree, Switzerland.

Wichita Falls business streets are being decorated for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

Registrations have been placed on sale. Final plans are being made for the great meeting.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH PROGRAM

Bible school 9:45 a. m.
Communion 11 a. m.
Morning preaching 11:15 a. m.
Junior Endeavor 2:30 p. m.
Senior Endeavor 7 p. m.
Evening worship 8 p. m.
These services are held each Sunday in the month.
Choir practice every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A glad hand awaits all who enter our doors. A good service, a gospel sermon, a great fellowship. Come.

We had a splendid program for Mother's Day despite the dust storm.

An offering for the flood relief and for our Chinese missionaries was taken and \$176.50 was received at this service.

J. B. Holmes, state superintendent of Christian Missions spoke briefly at Christian Endeavor. Joseph Boyd Young People's Educational director of the southwest district also made a fine talk. Mrs. Bertha McMaster occupied the evening hour.

C. Wingo, Pastor.

IT DRIVES OUT WORMS

The surest sign of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c. Sold by **CUNNINGHAM & PHILIPS**

ANOTHER LARGE EGG

Mrs. G. R. Brashears who lives on a farm near Knott has a Rhode Island Red hen that produced a mighty large egg this week. It being one of the largest that has been brought to our office this year. The egg measured 9 1/4 inches by six inches and when broken it was found to contain a double yolk.

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Sunday was anything but a pleasant day in West Texas and we would not complain if we never saw another day such as it proved to be.

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JOURNAL SAYS NOT SENTIMENT OF DAWSON COUNTY FOLKS

Devil's Note—The following was taken from the Lubbock Avalanche of May 5 and we want to go on record right here and now that this is by no means the sentiments of the people of Lamesa and Dawson County toward the good people of our neighboring city and her county. We do not believe it possible that the citizens of any county would "butt in" the affairs of another town or county unless they were invited, let alone the citizens of Lubbock or Lubbock County doing that. We have known the people of Lubbock County for years, having been in that town in 1908 and we have never found a people more like those of this county any place we have ever seen. Mr. Dow, we believe that the best policy for all concerned to pursue is "read it and let it go in one ear and out the other" for there has been no harm done by such rantings as those.

WITHIN WALLS

Lamesa has an editor, that if his writings are an insight into his life, he lives within the four walls of his home, and does not care to see the sunshine and to hear the knocking of those on the outside who would want to come in and enjoy the hospitalities of the within—we said hospitalities—but we doubt if there could be much under such conditions. That editor does not seem to realize that not one lives unto themselves, and that the association of others is necessary in order that each may get the greatest blessings from life.

Hear his warble:

"The world do move. The impossible has at last happened in Lamesa. We actually had a convention and a banquet without calling on Lubbock for help to put it over. Nor was Mr. Abie Davis or Mr. Homer D. Wade present. We did do it! How on earth could be is beyond us, but it happened and we can prove it! Two conventions have gone over with a whim and now we have two more coming. The first will be the fall meeting of the West Texas Press Association and the next will be the District meeting of the Chamber of Commerce in the spring. We will put that over just like these two Lamesa can do it without meddling and help."

Lamesa is a good live town. It does a great many things, and we are confident that all of their meetings can be put over by Lamesa talent, but when outsiders are invited to come in, and go we do not see the wisdom of demeaning them for attending. Lubbock never sends people out without an invitation, and so far as meddling is concerned, far be it from this city to be interfering in anyway with any of Lamesa's affairs. The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, is willing at all times to assist in any way that its officials can in helping people to put over any propositions that will be helpful to any community, and each and everytime that members of these organizations have been in Lamesa we are confident they were there at the invitation of some officials of the Lamesa organization or a citizen of the town. There are not very many people who are not willing to get the benefit of the experience of others, but this editor seems to be one of them, and we will say to the members of the West Texas Press Association that is to meet in Lamesa, that it will not be necessary for them to make any preparations for the occasion, for this Lamesa Editor will have it all arranged. He will as usual have a speech for every subject, and will in all probability insist that the program be given over entirely to Lamesa folk.—Lubbock Morning Avalanche.

We believe that after you have read the comments on the above that you will be thoroughly convinced that Mr. Dow knew just what he should say when he started in on the article.—Dawson County Journal (Lamesa).

A CORRECTION

In our last issue we stated that Miss Williams and Miss Crow were teachers at the Lucien Wells school the past year when it should have been Mrs. Swindle and Miss Mary Cushing. Misses Williams and Crow taught at the Panther Draw school, and we confused the two.

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$632,633.29
U. S. and Other Bonds	84,600.00
Banking House, Furn. and Fixtures	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	2,397.45
Redemption Fund	2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	4,500.00
CASH	241,799.18
TOTAL	\$988,329.92

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profits	121,666.46
Circulation	50,000.00
DEPOSITS	766,663.46
TOTAL	\$988,329.92

RESOURCES MORE THAN \$900,000.00



OPPORTUNITIES!

Once the Osage Redskins purchased the Cherokee Nation for the paltry valuation of fifty cents an acre. Once an Indian Chief swapped Manhattan Island for a string of Red Beads to adorn the neck of his Squaw. Once two Razorback "Rooters" were exchanged for a tract of timber land near Murfreesboro, Ark., whereon a genuine Diamond Mine has been developed.

These facts must appear to us as Opportunities, offerings which are gone and past forever; but no, this is Opportunity's age. If you are placing your business in the channels of a strong friendly bank such as this one, you will be in a position to take advantage of many opportunities that will prove valuable to you.

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Mr. and Mrs. Haren Hester left the forepart of the week for Fort Worth where Mr. Hester will be superintendent of some paving work for the General Construction Co. of that city. Mr. Hester was in charge of the paving work done in Big Spring by this company and has made his home in this city for the past year. While residents of Big Spring Mr. and Mrs. Hester made many friends who regret to see them leave but hope that we will have them back with us soon, when Big Spring decides to pave more streets in our city.

REPRESENTATIVES RETURN

Misses Helen Reagan, Mildred Creath, Cieta Faye Cook, Theo Ferguson and Howard Smith returned the latter part of last week from Austin where they had been to enter the State interscholastic meet, having won district honors at Abilene in April. Although our boys and girls did not bring home any first honors from the state they made an excellent showing and we are proud of them. The State Meet was held in Austin May 5, 6, and 7.

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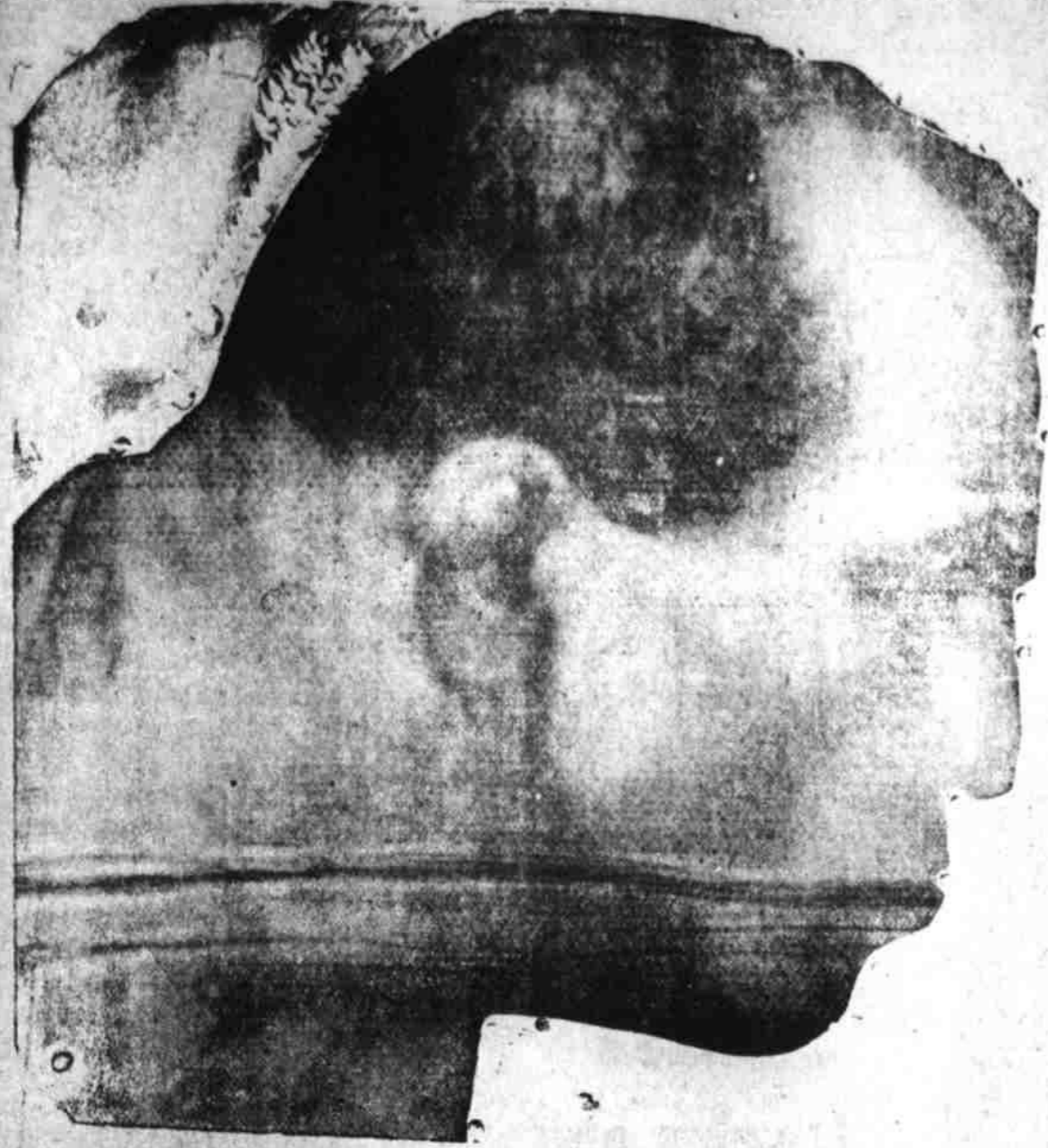
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ATTEND SHERIFF

Sheriff Frank Hester, Joe Stovall and the Wednesday morning ride to attend the session in session there of them. —Cunningham & Philips

Ugliest Man in the World Coming to Big Spring



THE MAN WEAK IN
USE OF JUI JITSU
 Motion picture directors have tried to prove to the American public that the ape man was right when he said man descended from the monkey family. Using Bull Montana, the ape man, in various jungle scenes, Bull not only looks the part but plays it to perfection and is billed throughout the world as the ugliest human being. Bull is one of the cleverest wrestlers on the mat today and is quick as a cat and knows every trick in the game. He is a great head lock artist and gives and takes plenty of body and is featuring a new hold—the crab hold. What effect it

has on his opponent remains to be proven to the local fans.
 Matchmaker Faust is using the Big Spring favorite, Billy Londos against Montana and he states that Londos is taking on an ambitious assignment in the skirmish with Bull Montana for he will be greatly outweighed and the match is much in the nature of a handicap affair. Londos is just over the welter weight class, while his opponent is a light heavyweight. Both are advocates of the "everything goes" class and it is a certainty the feature match is going to be filled with all modes of attack and defense.
 Londos is like a streak of lightning

and very tricky and is always at his best against a heavier opponent, and as Montana's weakest point is the Jui Jitsu holds Londos feels confident that he can tame the Ape man. They go two best falls out of three to a finish and they will meet at Clyde Miller's skating rink Monday night, May 16, and the first preliminaries will start promptly at 8:30. Montana is enroute to Hollywood to re-enter the movies. The advance sale of tickets predicts the largest crowd ever, and tickets can be secured at the Chocolate Shoppe. So far the ladies have been the best customers and just a few ringside seats are left.

PANTHER DRAW NOTES

I wish to correct a mistake that appeared in the last issue of the Herald. Misses Irene Williams and Beulah Mae Crow were teachers at the Panther Draw school instead of Lucien Wells school. Miss Crow left for her home near Milford soon after the close of school. Miss Williams was detained here several days on account of illness. She left Monday night for Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Phillips gave an ice cream supper and party in honor of our teachers and a large crowd attended. Guests came from Milford, Big Spring, Lucien Wells and Fairview.

P. A. Pittman has four cases of measles at his home this week.

Little Miss Helen Green is having a tussle with the measles this week.

Rev. Cathwright of Big Spring delivered very able sermons at our school house Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Horton assisted him in the evening service.

Billie Jean Brown entertained her cousin, Gladys Phillips and Ernestine Humphreys Sunday.

Luella Rankin took Sunday dinner with Eva Mae Humphreys. They accompanied Houston and Bennie Humphreys to Fairview to Sunday school in the afternoon.

Mrs. John Phillips and daughters, Ruby and Gladys, visited Mrs. Green and daughters Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Phillips attended church at Big Spring Sunday morning then went to Prairie View to the singing convention.

J. W. Reader and family went to San Antonio for a short visit. They will return Thursday.

Miss Ethel Phillips and Calvin Rankin are in Big Spring this week, taking state examinations. We wish them great success.

Mrs. G. W. Overton and sons accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Phillips and Mrs. Nelle Brown, visited Mrs. P. A. Pittman and family Monday.

A good rain would be greatly appreciated. Farmers are plowing away though the dust keeps flying.
 A Pantherite.

THE GIBSON IS A 14-WALL CONSTRUCTED REFRIGERATOR AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY. RIX'S.

Leslie White, manager of the Acorn store, made a business trip to Abilene Sunday.



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For your Home do not fail to see "Beautiful Fairview Heights" up out of all smoke and dust of the City, and away from the smell of any semi-dried lakes, just a few steps from both the primary and high school; buy here and be on Read's last as a "genius," and with dirt broken for the Crawford Hotel, costing \$200,000, and work progressing on the "Douglass Hotel of 100 rooms" and with a Fifty Million Dollar oil pool at our very back door; yet there has been no raise in the price of lots in Fairview Heights for we desire to see our city double and it takes more homes to make it double. There is nothing nicer, nothing quite so good in this city for a home; and if you desire terms, same will with pleasure be given you. But listen you must make your selection WITHIN THE NEXT TEN DAYS, or the regrets will be all your own.

Mr. Oil Men or those interested, some thirty-five years ago when drilling in the courthouse yard for artesian water the drill entered a covered salt dome and drilled into same for 464 feet, this salt dome was found at a depth of some 750 feet, therefore the total depth drilled in sulphur draw has been only about 1300 feet. With the test well started four miles west of this city near Sulphur Draw one may expect great developments when at a depth of some 1800 feet; for many believe that Sulphur Draw was at one time (thousands of years ago) the bed of the Pecos river, and the present Pecos river proves same as it has no bank from Roswell on south, seemingly has cut itself a way to the Gulf. Would anyone with a drill be interested in a 49 acre tract near the covered salt dome, these salt domes, it is said, are a "sure shot for oil." If interested in any of the above, see H. CLAY READ EARLE A. READ

AUXILIARY BIRTHDAY PARTY TO BE GIVEN THURSDAY

The gala day for the Presbyterian Auxiliary birthday comes on Thursday, May 19 and this anniversary will be celebrated with a real birthday party with all of the trimmings. The home of Mrs. Huggins on Lancaster street will be the scene of this gaiety and everyone is invited to come at three o'clock. Come with rejoicing hearts and a generous offering for our beloved auxiliary. This

Presbyterian Church come in it is believed that this will be the largest birthday gift in the history and indeed the most needed.

A splendid program and a jolly good time is in store for all with Mrs. O. Dubberly, Mrs. T. F. Huggins and Mrs. W. F. Cushing as the social committee. All Presbyterian women and friends are invited to come. The following program will be given:

Song: "I Gave My Life for Jesus."

Piano Duet—Mrs. R. L. Owen and Mrs. Bennett.

Some Results of Christian Education in Kwangju Girls School — Mrs. Herb Lees.

Vocal Solo—Miss Zou Hardy.

Double Your Birthday Gifts — Mrs. J. I. McDowell.

Song.

Offering

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dahme went to San Angelo Sunday to meet Miss Anna Wagner, sister of Mrs. Dahme.

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Lesson for May 15
PETER AT PENTECOST

LESSON TEXT—Acts 2.
GOLDEN TEXT—Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.—Acts 2:38.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Peter Preaches About Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Gift of Power.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Peter at Pentecost.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Source of Spiritual Power.

1. The Day of Pentecost Fully Come (vv. 1-13).
1. Significance of the day (v. 1). Pentecost is from a Greek word meaning "fifty." It was the feast held fifty days after the wave sheaf offering (Lev. 23:16). The wave sheaf typifies the resurrection of Christ (1 Cor. 15:20-23).

2. The gift of the Holy Spirit (vv. 2-4).
On this day the Holy Spirit descended upon the disciples. From that time forth He would work on a new basis, having the crucified, risen and ascended Christ to present to the world.

3. Upon whom the Spirit came (v. 1; cf. 1:13-15).
The twelve and others, both men and women to the number of one hundred and twenty, showing that the gift of the Holy Spirit was for all believers, not merely the apostles.

4. The marks of the Spirit (vv. 2-4).
These marks were external and internal.

(1) External.
(a) The sound of a mighty wind (v. 2). This is suggestive of the mysterious, pervasive and powerful energy of the Spirit.

(b) The tongues of flame (v. 3). Each of the one hundred and twenty was crowned with such a tongue. Tongues show the practical purpose of the Spirit's gift—witnessing.

(c) Speaking in foreign tongues (v. 4). This was a temporary endowment for a special purpose.

(2) Internal.
This is seen in the transformation wrought in the disciples. Peter, who shortly before this, covered before a Jewish maid, now with lion boldness stands before the chief rulers and declares that they had murdered their King, therefore guilty before God.

5. The effects (vv. 5-13).
(1) The multitude were filled with amazement and wonder. The gift of the Spirit transforms common men into men of power and influence.

(2) Some mocked and foolishly attempted to account for this remarkable occurrence. They accused the disciples of being intoxicated.

11. Peter's Sermon (vv. 14-47).
Peter's sermon is as wonderful as the gift of tongues. His analysis is perfect.

1. The introduction (vv. 14-21).
(1) Defense of the disciples against the charge of being drunk (v. 15). This he does by citing Jewish custom showing that they would not be drunk at such an early hour of the day.

(2) A scriptural explanation. He showed that this was a partial fulfillment of that which Joel predicted would come to pass (vv. 16-21; cf. Joel 2:28-32) before the messianic judgment, viz., an outpouring of the Holy Spirit and the salvation of all who call upon the name of the Lord.

2. The proposition, or theme (v. 36).
This was the messianic promise of Jesus.

3. The argument (vv. 22-36). It was threefold.

(1) From Christ's works (v. 22). He was approved of God among the Jews by His miracles, wonders and signs which God did by Him in their midst with which they were familiar.

(2) From His resurrection (vv. 23-32). The Old Testament Scriptures had foretold the death and resurrection of Christ (Ps. 16:9-10). The disciples were living witnesses of Christ's resurrection for they had seen and talked with Him, and handled Him since the resurrection (v. 32).

(3) From His ascension to be on the right hand of God (v. 32). The proof that He had ascended on high was the wonderful miracle of the Spirit's operation in their midst; for He had said that upon His ascension into heaven He would send forth the Spirit.

4. The effect of the sermon (vv. 37-42).
Many people were convicted of their sins, some three thousand of whom repented and were baptized. The daily life of these believers was proof of the Spirit's gift.

(1) They continued steadfastly in the apostolic teaching (v. 42).


(2) They continued in fellowship with the apostles (v. 42).

Trusting God

An undivided heart which worships God alone, and trusts Him as it should, is raised above all anxiety for earthly wants.

Hand and Heart of God

In creation we see the hand of God, and at Calvary we see the heart of God.—Eckers.




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AN OFFICE BUILDING NEEDED

Next to hotel facilities — which will be well supplied when the new Crawford and the Cole Hotel are completed—the big need is for an office building.

We can hardly hope to have oil companies establish headquarters in our city if we are unable to furnish them office space.

Look the town over carefully and see how many suitable office spaces can be secured in Big Spring. Only this week one of the companies operating in the oil field southeast of here was making inquiries relative to a suite of office rooms but was not able to find same. Had they been able to secure office space it is quite likely they would have established district headquarters in Big Spring.

If we have no one in our city who can see the value of an office building, or its worth as an investment, we should attempt to interest outside capital in same. We must have this building before we can expect to make much progress in persuading oil companies to establish offices in Big Spring and the sooner we get busy in an effort to secure a large and modern office building, the better it will be.

Remember the oil companies cannot move office buildings here, so they must go to the places which can supply such accommodations.

STRIPLING AND HOMAN PUTTING ON ADDITION

Joy Stripling and Harold Homan recently purchased of W. J. Gordon five acres of land just east of his home in the Cole & Strayhorn addition.

They are to subdivide this tract into building lots 100x107 and we learn they have already received orders for most of these lots.

In addition to being nice, level lots in a desirable resident section of the city, it is possible to secure good well water on these lots at around one hundred and fifty feet.

REV. E. L. OWEN WILL PREACH BACCALAREATE AT COAHOMA

Rev. E. L. Owen has been invited to preach the baccalareate sermon for the graduating class of the Coahoma High School and has accepted the invitation. He will go to Coahoma next Sunday morning May 15 to preach the sermon.

J. M. Mink, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will give Reverend Owen's pulpit here Sunday morning. The pastor will conduct evening services here.

STUCCO BUNGALOW COMPLETED

The stucco bungalow at the corner of 1200 Johnson street, built by C. O. Smith, builder and contractor, will be completed Saturday and will be open for inspection on this date.

The new house contains six rooms and bath and the interior woodwork is finished in ivory. Hardwood floors were built in in the living room, and every modern convenience can be found in this house. The exterior is of steeple dash finish with a lydyck roof.

This house is for sale and anyone interested is invited to come and inspect the home Saturday or the first of next week.

REPAIRS ON UPSTAIRS OF COUNTY JAIL COMPLETED

The repair work on the upstairs of the jail was completed this week and prisoners who have been in the Sterling County jail at Sterling City have been transferred to the Howard County jail. Eight prisoners now occupy cells in the improved upstairs.

The work of repairing the cells and other portion of the building on the lower floor is still underway but will be completed in a short time.

FRENCH AVIATORS THOUGHT LOST

Captain Charles Nungesser and Captain Francois Coll, French war planes from France to New York City are seen attempting to make a flight missing and it is feared they are dead.

They left France early Sunday morning and were scheduled to reach New York Monday, but no word has been received as to their ship—the White Bird up to Thursday.

PRESBYTERIAN AUX. NOTES

On Monday afternoon, May 16, the three Circles of the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will meet, at three o'clock at the homes of the following hostesses:

Dorcas Circle—Mrs. Bean.
Whatsoever—Mrs. Roy Tucker.
King's Daughters—Mrs. R. L. Owen.

All members are urged to be present at their meeting.

SERVICES AT FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY

J. M. Manuel, Y. M. C. A. secretary, will fill the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning, May 15. Rev. E. L. Owen, the pastor, will be in Coahoma where he will deliver the baccalareate sermon. Reverend Owen will return to Big Spring to preach on Sunday.

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REAL FACTS WHY LONDON MATCHED WITH BULL MONTANA

Matchmaker Faust feels the public should know why he made Billy London, the Big Spring orator, with Bull Montana, Montana, as quick as any of the best fighters and Faust believes that as strong as Montana, and as does has proven his science by the mat in his recent matches, will have an equal chance with any man. He admits that Bull is very clever and is capable of beating his own with the best of the best in his class, but if London applies judicious tactics he might cause the ugliest man in the world to lose the ring or change the expression on his face.

The public is assured a wonderful match and will find both men matched.

RETURN FROM CONVENTION

Mrs. J. I. McDowell, Mrs. F. Gary and Mrs. L. L. Freeman returned Friday from Ozona where they had been to attend the district meeting of Federated clubs of the District. They brought home a favorable report of the meeting and state they had a delightful time.

According to a news item Wednesday Charles Ford, aged 51, was held in jail at Washington, D. C. for five months for inability to pay a seventy cent city tax. They say they can't put you in jail for paying your taxes, but we'll see if Ford can convince you otherwise.

Work on a new bungalow started this week for Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Hoppel on their lot on Johnson street. This new home will be just north of the one recently placed, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hoppel.

Some of these days a great wealthy investor are going to come to our city and then you will see...

O. Dubberly returned Thursday from Wichita Falls where he attended the Grand Lodge Meeting of the Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. Hilda Lindner returned Tuesday morning from a three months visit with relatives in California.

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Full feeling**

stand-by is Theford's
Dr. W. S. Reynolds, of
Aranda, La.
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my mouth. My head
I don't just feel like
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STATE OF TEXAS**

of or any Constable of
County. Greeting:
I hereby commanded to
published once each week
of ten days before the
hereof, in a newspaper of
circulation, which has been
and regularly publish-
period of not less than one
of Howard County, a copy
giving notice:
STATE OF TEXAS

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The lease of the City Federation
of the City Park has expired and all
who come here for picnics and bar-
becues must pay. 25c will be charged
for each car that is admitted to
the park.
I have beautified this grove with
trees and grass and have fixed it up
especially for picnics and barbecues.
The park is well lighted, has city
water, and all conveniences and is an
ideal place for summer outings. We
invite you to come out here for your
summer picnics and barbecues. 25c
admission for each car. J. F. PAR-
RISH. 32-31

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

NOTES FROM SALEM

Where is the man who advertis-
ed, "Sandstorms are over, buy an
oil map." ? If we have any more
sandstorms like we had Sunday we
will continue to use the shovel in-
stead of a broom, and a broom for a
duster.

Those sad-days of parting of teach-
ers and children came to our com-
munity last Friday when our school
work was brought to a close with a
play and program. Good crowds at-
tended both performances. Leo For-
rest, principal at Moore and the
other teachers at this school attend-
ed the play Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox were en-
tertained with a six o'clock dinner
and a farewell party by the patrons
of the school at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. W. C. Rogers on Wednesday
evening.

Mrs. S. L. Newsom surprised her
husband with a birthday party Fri-
day night. Games of 42 were play-
ed and delicious refreshments were
served to the following guests: Mr.
and Mrs. Earl Hull, Mr. and Mrs.
W. C. Rogers and Roy Wilson.

There is to be a literary society
meeting at R-Bar Friday night. We
hope to have a good attendance as
there is much business to attend to
for the summer programs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hull attended
the children's program at Richland
Sunday, May 1.

A goodly number of our commu-
nity anticipated going to Prairie View
Sunday, May 8 to attend the Howard
County singing convention.

W. H. Robinson and F. D. Rogers
went fishing at Iatan Saturday and
made a lucky catch, having all the
fish they could eat for breakfast and
supper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox and Mr.
and Mrs. W. A. Rogers had supper
with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Canada
Tuesday night.

Mrs. Elma Lay, Mrs. W. H. Rob-
inson, Mrs. A. J. Wilson and M. S.
W. C. Rogers attended the old col-
onial party given at the home of Mrs.
A. W. Thompson at Coahoma,
Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5
o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cox left Thurs-
day morning for the east where Mr.
Cox will go to school. Mrs. Cox
plans to teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fryar of
Moore spent Monday with their son,
Clarence Fryar and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edens, Mrs.
Ed Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert
Edens, Mr. and Mrs. Sparks of Big
Spring enjoyed an outing at Iatan
Lake Thursday evening. A delicious
picnic supper was served at the lake.

Elmer Lay has been attending
court at our county capital this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Monteith of
Midland spent Saturday night with
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson.

**EVELYN CHEEKS OF CENTER
POINT WINS DECLAMATION**

Center Point was represented at
the Interscholastic meet at Austin,
May 5, 6 and 7 by Miss Evelyn
Cheeks, a junior girl. She won the
gold medal and first place in sen-
ior girls declamation contest for
rural schools division at Abilene
during the district meet there in
April. When she went to Austin,
she was forced to compete with Sen-
ior girls in declamation because she
was in the ninth grade. Evelyn tied
for third place in the contests at Aus-
tin last Friday.

The people of Center Point are
proud of her successes and the honor
she has brought to our school. We
are proud of the fact that our rep-
resentatives excel in other ways as
well as in athletics. The people of
our community raised \$12.56 to pay
Evelyn's expenses to Austin.

To Mrs. W. P. Edwards of Big
Spring goes our appreciation for the
work she gave to Evelyn and to our
school in three lessons immediately
preceding Evelyn's trip to Austin.

Miss Nannie Lee Smith, our pri-
mary teacher, accompanied Evelyn
to Austin and states that she rep-
resented our school in an able way.

We are hoping to send not only
Evelyn back to Austin next year but
several others with her.

B. T. Halbert,
Principal of Center Point School.

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- 29x4.40 Cupples Balloon\$11.60
- 29x4.40 Extra heavy balloon..\$14.10
- 30x5 Cupples Supreme Truck
Tire, 8 ply.....\$35.85
- 32x6 Cupples Supreme Truck
Tire, 10 ply.....\$55.10
- 36x6 Cupples Supreme Truck
Tire, 10 ply.....\$61.25

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**TEXAS TALKS
THE TEXAS SNAKE KILLER**

By Wesley Peacock, Ph. B.

I was stalking deer in the chapar-
ral of southwest Texas, when I sat
down on a point to wait for a buck,
my rifle across my lap.

While sitting in the awful silence
of a western mesa, my reverie was
disturbed by a peculiar cooing noise,
low but penetrating, as if made by a
bird or small animal in distress. Al-
though the view was open I could
see neither bird nor beast. The
noise continued. On all sides I
heard similar noises converging at a
point in front of me.

When a fleeting shadow in the
brush fifty yards in front attracted
my attention. I advanced cautiously
It was a paisano, or chaparral cock,
with long legs and sharp beak, dan-
cing a love dance apparently, darting
here and there, excited, encircling,
advancing, receding, about a com-
mon point of intense interest. Soon
he was reinforced by two other war-
riors or mourners, for either a bat-
tle or a funeral was impending, so
wield and so foolish were the move-
ments of the actors.

Overcome by curiosity, I crept
within a few yards of the comedy.
Two of the birds would rush off into
the brush, leaving one on guard,
only to rush back bringing little
sticks of mesquite, which they would
deposit in a circle, and then dart off
for more, while one sentinel would
always remain to keep up the song
and dance in circular girations. Then
all three would join in the cooing
and dancing while others would chase
off into the brush for twigs to place
in circular order, as though their
very lives depended upon the hasty
completion of a line of defense. I
could hear the challenging, monotonous
rattle of a viper, which made
cold chills run up and down my
spinal cord.

When the birds finally made their
get away without ceremony, I found
a giant rattler coiled and ready to
strike, while completely encircling
him at a radius of about five feet
had been built a fence of small
sticks nearly three inches high.

Next day I returned only to find
the fence intact, and the rattler con-
fined but uncolled, evidently having
inspected the fence without effort to
over-ride it, which he might have

done but for the instinctive fear to
cross any unusual object. Knowing
that he would live and die in that
fragile enclosure, a prisoner through
fear, I gave him the coup de grace
with a bullet from my rifle and added
another three inch rattle to my
collection.

Texas cowboys, before wrapping
up in their blankets at night, al-
ways encircle their camp with a
larlat of horse hair as a measure
protective against rattlers.
—Peacock News Service.

JUSTICES PEACE HIT BY RULING

That the decision of Supreme
Court of the United States on a case
arising in Ohio, does away with the
criminal jurisdiction of justice of
peace of the state of Texas, until the
necessary legislation is passed to
remedy the situation, is the opinion
expressed by Robert Hughes, attor-
ney, who only a short time ago filed
a plea for dismissal of a case pend-
ing before W. H. Whitfield, justice
of the peace on the grounds of dis-
qualification of the justice.

The attempt will be made to pass
legislation at the special session of
the legislature placing the justices of
peace on a salary is the belief here.

Mr. Hughes thinks criminal cases
now in the jurisdiction of the jus-
tices of the peace should be filed in
the county court where the judge has
no pecuniary profit to obtain to him
by the conviction of the defendant.

As it is now, a justice is paid only
when conviction is secured. — San
Angelo Standard.

MAYBE BARNUM WAS RIGHT

It's about time for some smooth-
tongued advertising faker to hit our
town with some scheme whereby he
subtracts from the business men a
liberal donation for some worthless
scheme, leaving them a sick bunch
after it is all over. Just why out-
merchants will fall for this bunk is
a queer thing to us. We go to
them with a legitimate proposition,
and they pass it up, but a stranger
can take them in most any old time.
We believe Barnum was about right.
—Unique Weekly, Rising Sun, Ohio.

Choice residence lots, Scurry St.
for sale. V. H. Flewellen, Phone 23.
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Children's Health



Requires plenty of good
wholesome milk and cream
Insure the health of your
growing children by pro-
viding them with all the milk and cream
they want. Get it where you know it is han-
dled under strictly sanitary conditions, and
is kept fresh and sweet.

Our milk is quality. We have a herd of
good Jersey cows sired by a registered Jer-
sey male.

Our deliveries are prompt and efficient,
twice daily. Let us place you on our regu-
lar list of pleased customers.

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- Rule 1—Don't tell me what I'd like to hear but what I ought to hear. I don't want a valet to my vanity, but I need lots of them for my dollars.
- Rule 2—Don't kick if I kick. If you are worth while correcting you are worth while keeping.
- Rule 3—Don't do anything here which hurts your self respect. The employe who is willing to steal for me is capable of stealing from me.
- Rule 4—Dishonesty is never an accident. Good men like good women can't see temptation when they meet it.
- Rule 5—Don't lie. It wastes my time and yours.
- Rule 6—You owe so much to yourself that you can't afford to owe anybody else.
- Rule 7—Watch your work — not the clock. A good day's work makes a long day short.

Rule 8—It's none of my business what you do at night, but if dissipation affects what you do the next day, that is my business.

Rule 9—Mind your own business and you'll have business of your own to mind.

Rule 10—Give me more than I expect and I'll pay you more than you expect. I can afford to increase your pay if you'll increase my profits. — Selected.

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the fitting of glasses
in Big Spring every
SATURDAY

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—First class red top native hay for sale. Apply at the Fitzgerald place 5 1-2 miles southeast of Big Spring. A Richardson, Box 61, Big Spring, Texas. 23-1f

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, close in. Two lots. Easy terms. Phone 598 or see Clyde Thomas. 24-1f

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, 7 miles northeast of town, 80 acres in cultivation; also a 5-room residence on Main street in the 8th block. Priced to sell. See T. E. Satterwhite at 806 Runnels, or phone 480. 27-1f.

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, close in; two lots. Easy terms. Phone 598 or see Clyde Thomas. 23-1f

FOR SALE—Nice well-bred pigs for sale. Young. White & Swearingen ranch, 15 mi. south of Big Spring. 31-41-pd

COTTON SEED SALE—At my farm 1 1/2 miles northwest of Big Spring, I have 700 or 800 bushels of Pure Anton cotton seed culled and sacked for sale at \$1.20 per bushel. B. B. Free. 32-41-pd

MEBANE COTTON SEED FOR SALE—They were grown from pure seed culled in the field, averaging 1 1/8 inch staple, 1350 lb. seed cotton making 500 lb. bale. These seed are machine cleaned and sacked in 2 bu. sacks at \$1.00 per bu. Sam Little, Big Spring, Texas, 15 mi. N. W. from Big Spring, phone 9015-F11. 31-1f

FOR SALE—at a bargain, household goods. See Mrs. Chas. Silvis, 611 Main St., Big Spring. 33-2p

FOR SALE—Some nice east and west front lots in College Heights addition. Worth the money. See me at once. J. F. Hair, Phone 30 33-2tpd.

FOR SALE—Full set bank fixtures. Send for photos and list to P. G. Peters, Capitan, N. M. 3441p

FOR SALE—Pure Mebane cotton seed \$1 per bushel. genuine improved half and half cotton seed \$1.25 per bushel, at the C. W. Cunningham place 2 miles south of Elbow school-house. 306pd

NOTICE—We have good farms for sale or will trade for Big Spring residences. Also houses and vacant lots cheap. Johnson and Hillard at Palace of Sweets. 332

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 710 or call at 700 W. 4th street. 11pd

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping. Phone 574. 1t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment for light housekeeping—also bedroom for rent. Phone 456 or call at 700 Johnson. 1t

FOR SALE—5-room bungalow and two lots in McDowell Heights, at a bargain. Good garage, sheds and 12 nice trees. Price \$2750. See owner, J. E. Davis. 34-2t

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wasson left Wednesday morning for a visit in Dallas.

One new addition to Big Spring has made a good start, with many homefolks and folks from other places purchasing lots with a view of building homes or rent houses. Two or three more suburban additions to our city are in prospect.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished apartment. Call at 503 Lancaster or phone 595. 11pd

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished bedroom, close in. See J. J. Hair, or phone 128. 34-2t

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished south bedroom. Gentlemen only. Phone 447. 34-1f

FOR RENT—A new two-room house, just completed. See E. W. Gulley, Donally street. 1t-

WANTED

WANTED—Sid Davis of Big Spring is in the market for fat calves. See him before you sell. 25-1f

FOR RENT—Newly furnished bedroom rooms. Only gentlemen need apply. Call at 808 Gregg, or phone 222. 33-2tpd

WANTED—A girl or woman to do housework and to help with a sick person. Phone or see Chas. Read, 1t

WANTED—All kinds of sewing—plain and fancy. Phone 247 or call at 307 Gollad St. 11pd

WANTED—Reliable white woman for general house work. Telephone 303-M. 11pd

WANTED—To rent a four or five room house by the 25th of this month. Prefer one in south part of town. See me at Wolcott Motor Co. or phone 435-W. 34-2p

WANTED—An experienced waitress. Apply at T. & P. Eating House. 11pd

WANTED—By colored man and wife servants house with some good white family in Big Spring. Can do all kinds of work and can furnish reference as to quietness and honesty and integrity. Address JA, care Herald office.

WANTED—Position by stenographer. Two years experience. Bookkeeping principles but little experience. Prefer general office work. Write Mrs. Lillian Quinn, Gen. Del., Big Spring, Texas. 1-p

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—From my place 2 1-2 miles north of Big Spring one the Gall road, one sorrel horse, foretop cut out; and six mules. Strayed about two weeks ago. Anyone who can give information leading to their recovery will be rewarded. Leave word at the State National Bank or at the Sims Oil Co. or see J. H. McCright, Gall route, Big Spring, Texas. 32-4tpd.

LOST—A \$5 reward will be paid for the return of a pair of light trousers lost the first of the week. Finder please return to Dr. M. H. Bennett's office and receive reward. 1t-pd.

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING—If it's Hemstitching you want done, see Lois Curtis at W. R. Purser & Sons, All work guaranteed. Phone 421, 461f

Tomato and sweet potato plants, now when it rains. White House.

Miss Mary Estill of Huntsville is a guest in our city, visiting her aunt Mrs. J. I. McDowell.

Kasch's Plumbing and Electric Shop—moved to 107 Gregg—Phone 167.—advertisement.

Miss Opal Pitman after spending the week end in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pitman, returned to Abilene Monday evening where she is attending Simmons University.

Rix's

Cash Saturday again brings unusual savings to the economy lovers. Every item is a real money saver and an opportunity to practice thrift in a practical manner.

Square Specials

Will Attract The Thrifty To **RIX'S**

Rix quality has been an established fact for 22 years and it is your assurance that the items represented in this ad are unusual in every respect.

Cash Saturday!

One 3-piece Living Room Suite
Regular Price \$115.00
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\$84.75

We are offering for cash only Saturday Special 1-2 off on Draperies. You will find some real values in this department.

Half-Price

Each purchase you make at Rix's carries with it the assurance that you must be entirely satisfied or the transaction is not complete.

One 5-piece Bed Room Suite
Walnut finish. We are showing for Cash Saturday

\$70.00

Rotarex Cleaner and attachments, guaranteed satisfactory
Cash Price

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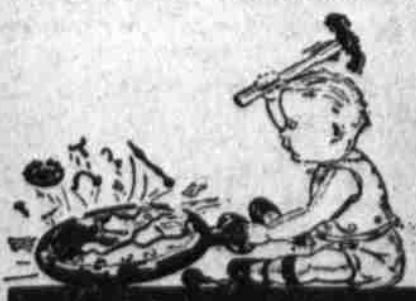
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No matter what ails your watch we can repair it. **WILKE'S JEWELRY and OPTICAL SHOP.**

THE GIBSON REFRIGERATOR IS THE BEST MEDIUM PRICED REFRIGERATOR YOUR MONEY CAN BUY. RIX'S.

Sheriff W. L. Lemmons of Glasscock County left Tuesday for Breckenridge to attend the Sheriff's convention in session there this week.

Mrs. C. F. Hathway left Monday for Sweetwater, called there by the illness of her sister.

RETURN FROM FISHING TRIP

N. W. McClesky and A. A. Williams, returned Wednesday from a fishing trip near Fort Stockton. They report all kinds of favorable luck, and brought home some good evidence in the form of a string of trout.

The State National Bank has largest amount of deposits also largest number of customers of any bank in Howard County.

Washing! Washing

We leave everything but the grease and mud. Expert car washing at Bankhead Garage. 32-5t

THE GIBSON IS A 14-WALL CONSTRUCTED REFRIGERATOR AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY. RIX'S.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR RALLY

THURSDAY EVE. AT CHURCH
Jack Hupperts, state secretary of the Christian Endeavor, was in Big Spring Thursday evening and a Christian Endeavor rally was held at the Christian Church Thursday evening. Delegates from Midland and Coahoma attended the rally.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

A very desirable residence lot on Scurry street for sale. 9 room house well situated for future business property. Price \$4,000, terms. Lyons-Earnest Realty Service, W. T. Natl. Bank Bldg. 1t-

ATTEND MACABEE MEETING

IN FORT WORTH THIS WEEK
Mrs. Chas. Koberg, Mrs. Lees, and Mrs. J. T. Rogers left Tuesday night for Fort Worth to attend the Woman's Benefit Association in session there this week.

WATCH FOR THE BIG DRUG SALE.—advertisement.

Col. A. E. Humphreys, best known oil man in the States, died at Denver, day as the result of the discharge of a shotgun while hunting. He had disposed of \$10,000,000 and left a family during the last part of his life.

DURING VACATION WILL HAVE TO HAVE REEL, A GOOD SHANK, FISH HOOKS, LURES, GOOD BAIT TO GREAT LONG OLD RIX'S.

The tourist camps report an increasing number. Mr. Tourist has begun his appearance in greater numbers during the warm days of summer. motor travelers will be in bunches since two meet at Big Spring.