

ABILENE FOLLOWS COLORADO

A 10-story hotel, to represent an expenditure of more than \$500,000 will be erected in Abilene immediately at North Fourth and Pine Streets provided the citizens of the city will purchase \$100,000 of six per cent preferred stock, it became known Friday morning.

Plans were completed during the morning for the erection and completion of the hotel and the provision that the preferred stock is purchased. The structure will occupy the property on which the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company now is located.

Local persons will be exclusive owners of the hotel. Organization of the Abilene Hotel Company, consisting of a number of leading citizens was perfected Friday morning. The company is composed of John Guitar, George L. Paxton, W. G. Swenson, W. J. Fulwiler, George S. Anderson, M. B. Hanks, C. M. Caldwell, J. M. Wagstaff, W. R. Ely, George L. Minter, L. S. Munger, W. A. Minter, H. O. Wooten and W. J. Behrens.

Preliminary plans outlined by the new company calls for a modern hotel in every respect. The real estate, building and fixtures will cost more than a half million dollars. An entire half-block has been secured and the new building will measure 100 by 140 feet. It will contain a minimum of 160 rooms, a roof garden and a mezzanine floor. The construction of the building will be financed by the Abilene Hotel Company.

Though the erection of the building hinges on the sale of \$100,000 preferred stock it was the opinion that the project would be started immediately. The proposition was to be presented to the chamber of commerce Friday afternoon for that organization's consideration.

The Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company has purchased a new site for its future location. The new building will face south on North Fourth Street. This will assure better ventilation and, in addition, will make the building face on the Federal Park, an advantage that few hotels have.—Abilene Reporter.

THE SAME OLD JIM

From the San Angelo Standard: The same old Jim. That's about all you can say for the Ferguson "dud" that has pealed forth with its

loud wail in the Ferguson campaign war cry from Austin Saturday.

This pronouncement is merely a mass of words, more entertainingly arranged, perhaps, than can be found in the dictionary, but certainly no more to the point in the present campaign than a few pages picked at random from a Webster unabridged.

Dan Moody may not be as old as Jim Ferguson and may not have had as much experience as Jim. That's one of Dan's good points. Texas has had enough experience with Jim Ferguson to know that she wants to get rid of him forever. And we believe that she will on July 24 this year.

Dan Moody is old enough to answer Jim Ferguson anywhere—anytime and any place and there is no need for this newspaper or any other to attempt to do it for him.

Jim does not talk about the American Road Company's contract. For there was no contract. The written agreement—was merely a letter written to these companies telling them their "proposition" had been accepted and to get to work within ten days.

Where before in Texas or anywhere else was a contract for millions of dollars let by merely a letter—without bond or without any other security for the proper protection of the State? And be it remembered that Jim sat in on these high-way meetings, to see that economy was practiced—and not even in the capacity of a "humble clerk."

Jim says Dan objected to his being a clerk of the Textbook Commission. We object to it, too. Texas will express its objection at the polls next June. If anyone—Jim Ferguson included—can make the voters of this State believe that Jim Ferguson exercised only the insignificant position of a "humble clerk" in the deliberations of the Textbook Commission, we'll give him the brown derby for being the greatest explainer of all times.

Dan Moody or anyone else has no objection to husband advising his wife or a wife her husband. But the people of Texas have had enough of a husband who goes to the statehouse and sits in the governor's chair and spends all his time there, not advising his wife, the governor, but there exercising all the authority of the governor—and the person who was

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elected staying at home tending to her household duties. No one will object to Mr. Ferguson advising Mrs. Ferguson over the breakfast table about matters of State. But after breakfast, Texas wants Mrs. Ferguson to go to the statehouse and tend to business and Jim to be about all this other business he boasts about and says he knows how to handle so well.

We know nothing about Dan Moody's war record. But if this race is going to be decided upon war record—the race will not be between Dan Moody and Jim Ferguson. About 85 per cent of the four million men who represented this country in the war were drafted—and drafted according to law. The draft was adopted so that the government could get the men as it wanted them. It was as systematic, business-like procedure. Jim Ferguson surely will not question the patriotism of the drafted man.

But the most ludicrous of Jim's defense is his trotting out of the clan. There is no more clan. The clan's contribution to good government in this State is Jim Ferguson himself. Without the clan issue Ma would have been hopelessly defeated. Jim knows who elected him and he trots out the old sheet and pillow case and holds it up in his magician-like fingers and says, "Boo!" But Texas knows the clan as a political organization is gone forever. Texas knows that it has been sheared of its power. Texas knows that without it, Jim would still be back at Temple. Texas is not going to be caught with any such a false issue. Jim, they say you are smooth, but it looks like your bag of tricks has about played out. You're a gone goshin. Your a has-been.

BOOM IN SPRING AUTO SALES IS EXPECTED BY BIG PLANTS

DETROIT, April 8—Based on production and sales activities during the last two weeks, this Spring is destined to be one of the greatest in automobile history, according to reports from the manufacturers and dealers alike. With but few exceptions everyone in Detroit's 79 automobile factories and accessory plants is being worked to near capacity. Every section of the country is calling for cars and more of them, while

foreign sales are keeping pace with those of the home demand.

Truck makers are especially active, while most of them have a goodly number of unfilled orders on hand. This branch of the industry has practically nothing to worry about unless it be an inability to be supplied with sufficient material to keep plants running on present schedules.

An idea of what Detroit plants alone are doing can be gained from the fact that 15,000 or more cars and trucks are being shipped and driven away every 24 hours.

As yet production has not reached a boom stage. Manufacturers, as they did throughout the last two seasons, are regulating their output by the number of incoming orders, and there is practically no reserve stock.

Employment in Detroit plants continues high with 271,414 names on the various payrolls. This is a very slight decrease from the previous week, but an increase of more than 50,000 over the corresponding week last year.

The weather, highway conditions, and tax situation are holding back the expected rush for cars, although retail sales are well ahead of what they were during the corresponding period of 1925. The greatest call for cars is coming from the far Western and Middle West States. Used car activities are not up to dealer's expectations, and they are reporting heavy inventories—an annual problem at this time of year.

With the arrival of warm days and the fact that income tax payments are temporarily out of the way, the rush for cars is confidently expected.

Recent developments which have brought to Detroit the American Car and Foundry motors factory, uniting the Fageot and Hall-Scott companies, coupled with the disclosure that the Graham Brothers division of Dodge Brothers and the Yellow Truck and Coach subsidiary of General Motors are large competitors in the same field has centered attention of a gasoline-electric vehicle that is to carry the heavy passenger loads of the future, both in city and inter-city service.

This new type of vehicle which is now being produced, represents an engineering development that combines the modern automobile and the trolley car in one vehicle with

the best features of both of them preserved and the weak ones left out. It abolishes the motor car gear shift and applies electric currents direct to the rear axle of the vehicle giving smooth, jerkless starting and acceleration.

Locomotives are still turning 'em over at grade crossings.



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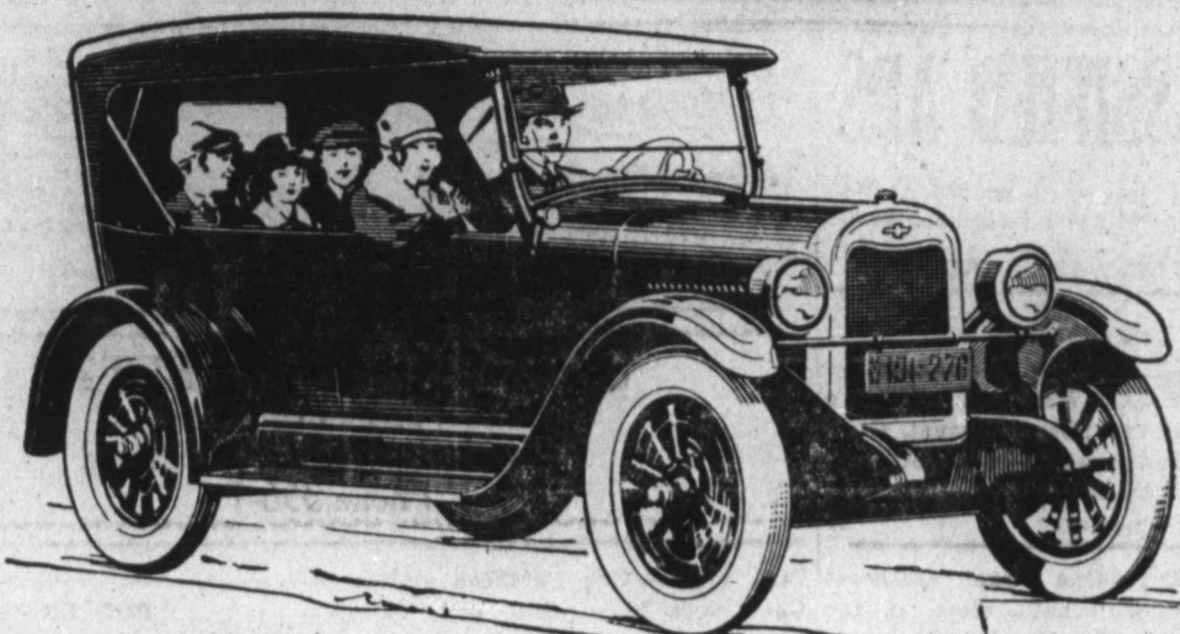
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Junior Missionary Society
The Junior Missionary of Methodist church met in the basement of the church Monday with Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon, hostess.
The society was reported on the honor roll and the banner will be given at conference. The society is well up on all pledges.
Mrs. Bandy told the children the story of New Orleans. Ice cream and cake were served them. Mrs. Van King will serve as hostess next time.

BAPTIST NOTES

No use talking folks can come to church when the spirit moves them. We had a packed house at the morning hour and a good sized crowd at the evening hour last Sunday. The S. S. increased nicely. The contest is on. Each teacher and class will doubtless do some hard work to get the folks into the school. Then it is up to the teachers to make it so interesting for them they will want to come back.
The Young People are doing pretty good work.
Be sure to be with us next Sunday.
—M. C. BISHOP, pastor.
Easter Services
The Episcopal church here had as its guests for the Easter services the congregations from Sweetwater and Big Spring. Rev. Mr. Steadman being the rector of all three congregations. The house was filled to overflowing. It was beautifully decorated with Easter lilies. A vested choir furnished the music. Mrs. Roy Buchanan sang an offertory solo.

The Resurrection was the theme of the sermon. After the services the visiting members were taken to the Barcroft for dinner. Rev. Mr. Steadman presided as host. Covers were laid for sixty. The guests then returned to their homes for services for the children. The children of the congregation met for a program of hymns and speeches and opening of the boxes.
Before opening the boxes the children had a guessing contest as to the amount in the boxes. John William Prude guessed the nearest and was presented with a golden egg. The amount was \$80.00 and will be given to missions. Following this program the children were given an Easter egg hunt on the church lawn.

fill the place made vacant by Mrs. Jeff Davis who has moved away. Miss Coral Bishop was recommended as the district scholarship girl from this association for another year. Her name will be handed in at the district meeting at Sweetwater and voted on by that body. At the noon hour the good women of the church served lunch in the basement of their beautiful and spacious new church. It was really more than a lunch, it was a feast.

Those attending from Colorado were: Rev. and Mrs. M. C. Bishop, Mrs. Greene Delaney and little daughter, Mrs. Keathley, Mrs. B. F. Wilson, Mrs. Ford Morris, Mrs. Seale, Miss Seale, Mrs. C. P. Gary, Mrs. C. E. Way and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey.

The next meeting will be with union four miles West of Snyder.
Business Meeting
The Baptist Women met in business session at the church Monday afternoon. In the absence of the president the 1st vice president, Mrs. Jack Smith presided. The pastor conducted the Bible lesson, the fifth chapter of Romans. He is giving, from month to month lectures on Romans. Besides the routine business a silver offering was taken for the district scholarship girl. Miss Hawkins, in training at Ft. Worth, for a graduating gift. She graduates in June.
It was voted to invite Mrs. J. R. Ellis, matron of the nurses training home in Abilene to be present at next meeting, Monday, April 12th at 3 o'clock.
Also the plans were completed for the 4th edition of the Colorado Cook. All were urged to attend the all day meeting at Snyder Tuesday and the district meeting in Sweetwater, April 22, 23.

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. We had 420 last Sunday. We can keep it going good. Come and we will keep the school at high water mark.
Preaching at 11 by presiding elder, Rev. G. S. Hardy.
Preaching at 7:45 p. m. by pastor and our subject will be "The Second Deadly Sin—Envy." Are you free from this sin? Do you know any one who is free from this sin? Preachers are not. The strange thing about this sin is, it holds back the progress of church and state and society and education and almost everything and strangest of all is, it holds back and forever cripples the person who harbors this sin in their own heart. When you see one preacher envy another of his success you know that that preacher is a little man and a mighty little one. When you see one church envy another church of its success you may know that that church has very little of the Spirit of Christ in it. "Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followed not us; and we forbade him, because he followed not us." And Jesus said unto him, "Forbid him not." Come and we will study this great sin together and see if we can't get it out of our hearts and lives.
Saturday at 8 p. m., at the church, we will have our second quarterly conference. This is the mid-year conference and we should report half of our finances out. We want the official members present.—J. F. Lawlis, pastor.

SING "CRUCIFIXION"
The Presbyterian church was crowded Friday night to hear Stainer's oratorio "The Crucifixion" rendered by the Sweetwater Choral club

assisted by talent from Big Spring and Colorado.
It was the most ambitious offering ever essayed by the Choral club and its rendition brought manifest pleasure to its hearers.
The work was most capably directed by Thomas Dawes and the production reflected great credit upon him as well as the members of the Choral Club and those who assisted. Mrs. John Hubbard at the piano and Alleen Beall Whaley at the organ gave most capable support to the choir and soloists.
Assisting the members of the Choral club were the two Will Dawes, father and son, Big Spring; Mrs. Whipkey, Mrs. Dawes, Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Lockhart, Joe Earnest from Colorado and M. C. Monroe, Clyde B. Payne and J. A. McCurdy of Sweetwater.
—Sweetwater Reporter.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
That was a fine Sunday school attendance last Sunday. Lets beat it next Sunday. With all the effort expended less than one fourth of the people went to Sunday school. What the matter with the rest of the folks. Come next Lord's day. Bible school 9:45 a. m., at the district court room. Preaching 11:00 a. m. at the same place. Evening services at the American Legion Hut. 7:45 p. m. Every body come.—J. E. CHASE, pastor.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM
1. Song service "Let the Sunshine In."
2. Prayer, that we may make "being happy" a part of our everyday life.
3. Business and records.
4. Song "Sweeter as the years go by."
5. Group No. 2 in charge. Subject: What Jesus Taught about Happiness.
Song "He Included Me."
Special Song.
Christianity a Singing Religion—William Greene.
There is Much Happiness in the New Testament—Martha Reba Hubbard.
Our Rights to be Happy—Charline McComb.
The Happiness of the Wicked and Righteous Contrasted—Christine Little.
Some Elements of a Happy Life—Margaret Cook.
Poem "Sunshine and Music."
Sword Drill.
Leader's ten minutes.
Closing prayer.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.
Program for Sunday April 11.
Leader—Helen Hamer.
1. Vernon Logan.
2. First 3 parts—Johnie Lou Callison.
Last three parts—Mildred Cook.
3. Clyde Cook.
4. Reba Franklin.
5. Douglas Bush.
Conclusion—Leader.
Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Visitors always welcome.

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HIGHWAYS AND FINANCE

The question of highway and the method of financing them is the big problem for the Legislature at the next meeting to be held in January next.

The bond method of financing more highways for Texas is at a standstill, this is very largely due to court decisions relative to the validity of the bonds.

The Supreme Court of the United States tells us road district bonds are invalid because the districts were not created by the legislature. The attorney general of Texas will not ap

prove county wide bonds in the face of the recent decision. In view of these facts would it not be wise to get at the sensible plan of financing highway construction in Texas.

The old adage "Those who dance should pay the fiddler" is true in the highway plan. The farmer who runs his truck and family car over the highway should pay the same as the traveling salesman who runs his car day by day over the same highway but in proportion to the running each does. For example: suppose Texas should levy a gasoline tax of 4 cents per gallon and a tax on oil of 8 cents per gallon. The person who burns 100 gallons of gas and 5 gallons of oil per month would pay \$4.40 per month toward the building and repair of highways. Another man who used his car for pleasure and used it only two or three times a week would possibly use 10 gallons of gas per month and 2 gallons of oil his tax would be \$1.76 per month for good roads. This would be the amount collected by the Highway Commission for the use of connected system of highways. The automobile tax now collected and the greater proportion paid into the state treasury for the use of the highway commission to be left intact for the use of the counties in constructing roads throughout the county other than State Highway.

This of course, would get us away from the direct levy of tax upon the real estate of the land, would free the future generation from an inherited debt handed down by us for which purpose the benefit derived would have long since ceased to be a value. Now mister member of this legislature, get your pencils and figure on the plan of financing highways as they should be cared for and lets get away from the practice of penalizing those who have purchased the real estate of the land.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SESQUICENTENNIAL EXPOSITION

As advised you some several weeks since, B. M. Whiteker, exhibit manager has returned from Philadelphia and our space has been selected in the agricultural and industrial building at the Sesquicentennial grounds and we are preparing to gather our exhibit.

Every affiliated town in West Texas will have the right, not only to furnish stuff to be shown in the

exhibit, but also to furnish literature to be distributed throughout the exposition.

How to ship your stuff:

The main exhibit will be shipped from Fort Worth on or about May 12th, direct to Philadelphia. If you have any agricultural products that you desire to be shown, please immediately communicate with Mr. Whiteker at Stamford and he will tell you where to send same. It must be secured, however in time to leave Fort Worth on or about May 12th. After the exposition opens at Philadelphia, we plan to supplement our exhibit from time to time and as the crops come in West Texas, you will doubtless want to send stuff in to be shown. To do this, all you will have to do will be to put your stuff up, properly pack it and express it to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Exhibit, care agricultural building, Sesquicentennial exposition, Philadelphia, Pa. If you have any other commodity that you would like shown in this exhibit, kindly communicate with Mr. Whiteker.

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\$1325 For the Hudson Coach and all equipment delivered in Colorado—Price Bros.

FOR SALE—White McDougle kitchen cabinet for sale cheap. See Huron Dorn. 1tc

FOR SALE—I have canary birds, German Roller and Linnett. Leaving town and will sell at \$4 and \$5 per pair. See Mrs. U. M. Utley, on second street, 1st house East of Canteen filling station. 1tp

FOR SALE—White Leghorn setting eggs. M. Johnson strain, \$1.50 per setting. Guaranteed 90 per cent fertility. Also an Old Trusty, 100 egg incubator nearly new, at \$9.00. Mrs. B. H. Henson, phone 9003F5. 4-5

FOR SALE—Two adjoining store buildings well located, good revenue bringers. Now rented but can get possession if desired. Bargain and terms. See O. B. Price. tf

FOR SALE—Good work horse, seven years old, or will trade for good cow or yearlings. Phone 36 or see J. F. McGill. 4-16pd

FIVE GOOD FARMS—I offer for sale 5 good Mitchell county farms from 140 acres up to 600 acres, all well located and improved. Most any kind of terms. Phone or see O. B. Price at Price Bros.

WANTED

NOTICE—I now have plenty of sweet milk, would be glad to have a few more customers. Try me once, good rich milk, cows inspected. Phone 449, A. D. Priddy. tf

WANTED—A man to represent American National Insurance Co., in Colorado. Specializing on savings and schooling policies for children. Must be energetic and ambitious. For further particulars call Room 9, Texas Bank & Trust Bldg., Sweetwater, Texas or write V. E. Moore, Box 644 Sweetwater, Texas. 4-23p

GET ACQUAINTED for a dollar. Send \$1.00 for a special 5-month's subscription to SUNSET, the West's Great National Magazine—the clean, up to date monthly for the whole family. Spare-time agents wanted. Address 460 Fourth St., San Francisco, Calif. tf

WANTED—The opportunity to mark the grave of your loved ones. Have just marked three graves and have contract to mark another. Get my prices at Alamo Hotel, whether you buy or not. Ernest Keathley, agent. tf

14 Surrendering 14
Days Profit SALE Days

FREE! Friday Morning 10 A. M.
\$100.00 in Merchandise Given Away. 50 tickets will be given to the first 50 customers making a purchase and ticket will entitle you to a box containing useful and valuable merchandise, for men, women and children, 10 a. m. FRIDAY.

Saturday Special
Ladies, Look---Read!
\$1.00 House Shoes only 25c pair
SECOND DAY, 10 A. M., SATURDAY, APRIL 10TH
We will sell the first 50 Ladies entering this store at 10 a. m. Saturday morning, a pair of \$1.00 Felt House Slippers for 25c
55c nine-quarter Home Croft Brown SHEETING, extra quality, 5 yard limit, 29c per yard

AFTERNOON Saturday
MEN HURRY FOR THE BIG BARGAINS
\$1.75 OVERALLS AT 98c
220 weight Blue Denim Overalls, full cut, extra fine quality, two pair limit 98c
15c COTTON GLOVES ONLY 5c PER PAIR
It is just like finding money when you buy these 15c Heavy Cotton Flannel Gloves at only 5c per pr
On sale in afternoon only—3 pair to a customer

KIRSCHBAUMS
2nd Door West Colorado National Bank

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. M. Thomas, superintendent. There was a fine attendance at Sunday school and church last Sunday.

Such attendance always delights the heart of the pastor. We are grieved to have so many leave when the Sunday school is over.

The morning message is for you who leave as much as those who remain for the 11 o'clock hour.

Get the habit of staying for church service. Service every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p. m.

Senior Endeavor at 6:45.—W. M. Elliott, pastor.

Easter Egg Hunt

The teachers in the Primary department of the Methodist Sunday school gave the children an Easter egg hunt on the lawn of Mrs. D. N. Arnett last Saturday. After the little folks had looked in every nook and corner and found all the eggs possible lemonade and little cakes were served them.

Program of Self Culture
 The Self Culture club will meet with Mrs. L. B. Elliott Wednesday, April 14th with this program:
 Subject: Jerusalem.

Why the war story of Jerusalem is important to children—Mrs. Tom Hughes.

Building of Jerusalem—Mrs. Otto Jones.
 The Fall of Jerusalem—Mrs. McComb.
 In and About Jerusalem—Mrs. Nall.

King Solomon and Queen Sheba—Mrs. Gordon.

Missionary Meeting

The Christian Missionary society met with Mrs. Venable Monday. The theme for the afternoon was honoring our ministers led by Mrs. Ed Jones. Mrs. Eugene Pond conducted the devotional exercises.

Mrs. Jones had a paper on recruiting young ministers. Mrs. Chase one on honoring aged ministers and missionaries.

Questions from world call.

The Easter offering for aged ministers amounted to \$22.00 the hostess served ice cream and cake. Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Womack and Mrs. Crossley of Westbrook were guests.

PROGRAM

South Plains Baptist Pastors' conference to be held at Brownfield, Texas, April 12-14.

Monday night, 8 o'clock: Devotional—W. F. Markham.

Sermon—C. E. Dick, Post, Texas. Tuesday, 9:30 a. m., J. W. King, presiding.

Devotional—O. J. Harmonson. 10. Sunday School problems.

1. Enlistment—or Reaching and Holding Attendance—M. C. Bishop. (45 minutes).

2. Teacher's Qualifications—Marcellus Watkins (45 minutes).

11:30, Sermon—G. W. Parks. Noon.

2 p. m., B. N. Shepherd, presiding. Devotional—Bro. E. Isbell, Lamesa.

2:15. 1 Pulpit Problems.

1. The Sermon; The What and the Why—Chas. T. Whaley. (40 minutes).

2. How far Should the Pulpit go into politics?—Jno. P. Hardesty. (40 minutes).

3. The Layman and His Vote—L. L. F. Parker. (40 minutes).

8 p. m., J. M. Doshier, presiding. Devotional—Geo. E. Alexander.

8:15, Post Baptist Encampment—C. E. Dick.

8:45, Sermon—Ross A. Smith. Wednesday, 9:30 a. m., C. A. Jones, Presiding.

Devotional—Graves Darby.

10. The Pastor's Evangelistic Problems—W. H. Hughes.

10:45, Proper and Improper Amusements for Christians—W. K. Horn.

11:30, Sermon—W. A. Bowen. Noon. Lunch.

2 p. m. Address—R. A. Scranton. Adjournment.

The Executive Board of the Post Baptist Encampment will be called together by the president, Jeff Davis at some convenient hour during this meeting.

OIL DEVELOPMENT

The Magnolia Petroleum Company recently cleaned out and slightly deepened their Mary Foster No. 1, the discovery well in the Iatan field. This well is holding up in fine shape. The new location on section 17, west of hte discovery well, is to be drilled soon.

The Co-Operative Lease and Development Company was drilling below the 2025 foot mark at last reports and the drillers expect to make better time from now on.

The well is said to be on a location that is favorable for oil production.

Choate and Henshaw are going forward with plans for making a deep test on section 25, block 30, twp. 1, south. Tools and derrick used in the drilling of the O'daniel No. 1, about three and a half miles to the southwest, are to be used in making this test.

Drilling is now going forward on the Sparkman No. 1 of Odward & Hoover below the 2800 foot mark. The drill is now penetrating a blue shale formation. The drillers say they have already drilled through 40 feet of the shale and seem to be of the opinion that the outlook for hitting an oil sand in this well is especially good.

Casing is now being run in the Choate & Henshaw deep test on the Ad Neal ranch in Glasscock county to shut off water.

This test is about 2780 feet deep. Oil was encountered on the McDowell ranch, to the northwest, at the 3000 foot mark and it is expected that this sand will be picked up in this test.

The bending of two drill stems in the Deep Rock Oil Company's No. 2 Hyman has caused drilling to be held up on the test the past two weeks.

According to information the officials of the Deep Rock Oil Company are now considering the proposition of plugging the well just below the 2700 foot mark where a good oil showing was encountered, and give it a shot. If the 2700 foot sand should fail to show commercial production they will place a shot at the 1300 foot level, where another oil producing sand was found.

Whether to attempt to develop a commercial gas field or go after deep oil is now under advisement by Sloan & Owen, who encountered petroleum gas in the Otis Chalk No. 1 in section 113, block 29, W. & N. W. survey. This well shows about 150,000 cubic feet of gas, rock pressure 485; and is the strongest petroleum gas well yet drilled in Howard or Mitchell counties. This gas is encountered at a depth of 1337 feet.

It is pointed out that if a series of wells were put down a sufficient amount of gas could be made avail-

able for commercial use, and the city of Big Spring would prive a profitable market for same. It is thought the Sloan & Owens will make arrangements to send this well on down in search of an oil sand as they can develop the gas if they fail to find oil in commercial quantity.

County Federation

The County Federation of Womens clubs will meet at the district court room next Tuesday at three o'clock. All clubs are supposed to have representatives.

Work was resumed this week on the new church building for the First Christian church. Steel was received Tuesday and workmen began pouring concrete Wednesday. As the material is moving nicely, it is believed there will be no further delay. Contractor Iglehart expects to complete the building within five months.

BLANTON THE SCRAPPER

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Congressman Tom Blanton of Texas is everlastingly sniping at somebody, oratorically, from his place in the House of Representatives.

He misses a good many shots, but occasionally he does bowl over a victim.

It's slow work at best, however—this picking 'em off one at a time. So the other day Blanton tried a bomb, hoping for wholesale results from a single explosion.

It may prove to be a dud, but if it turns out to be real TNT there certainly will be a fine list of casualties to report when the fuse burns down and goes off, where Tom landed it.

The thing lit right in the midst of the District of Columbia government, the Veterans Bureau, the Departments of Justice, War and the Navy and St. Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane, which the Interior Department runs.

The question is, is it the 'goods'? It will take a congressional investigation to find out, but a resolution calling for one has been introduced already, and Blanton's charges are of a nature which will pretty well compel those he accuses to insist on being "probed."

Suppose, says Blanton, somebody

chances you're crazy. (This is in the District of Columbia, mind.)

You can be arrested without a warrant. You get no hearing. A couple of the District commissioners sign a commitment for you—sign it "perfunctorily," according to Blanton—and—blam!—you land in St. Elizabeth's.

Theoretically, it's only for 30 days but in practice, Dr. William A. White the superintendent and one of the world's foremost alienists, can hang onto you about as long as he likes. All this is Blanton's account.

Being dotty, you must have a guardian. Have you any money? If not there's little competition for the job. If you have it's quite likely, Blanton states, that Commissioner F. A. Fenning of the District of Columbia will be appointed.

At any rate, Blanton mentions more than 100 patients, now at St. Elizabeth's as his wards.

The guardian draws, for his services, a percentage of the ward's income. It's at the court's discretion, but Blanton says it usually is 10 per cent. And if the ward dies, his guardian gets a per centage of his estate.

Blanton voices a suspicion that some of St. Elizabeth's inmates aren't crazy at all. How are the war and navy departments mixed up in what Blanton has to say? Well, he points out, if a soldier or a sailor gives offense in some way that isn't punishable otherwise, St. Elizabeth's is a good place for him.

And the Veterans bureau? Oh, comments Blanton, about 75 per cent of Fenning's wards are World War veterans.

And the Justice Department? Why, says Blanton, it passes on claims involving war veterans' rights and Fenning's brother is an assist-

ant attorney general. Tom Blanton himself doesn't charge anybody he mentions with a single act he can't justify according to the letter of the law.

What he kicks on is the law, and the way he thinks it's being used. He made his roar very publicly, on the floor of the House of Representatives, and it promises to be very hard to hush up.

Mrs. Shipley of Sweetwater spent Wednesday here the guest of Mrs. Ed Jones.

News items from all parts of our country are welcomed at this office. Send them in.

The editor is glad to do all that he can to boost the town; helping will speed the work.

LIBERAL REWARD—Lost a ladies brown hand purse or bag containing one gold watch and one white gold wrist watch and one gold pin. Lost somewhere in Colorado or about the school buildings. The watches are described as follows: White gold ladies wrist watch with grey silk band, Swiss movement. Also ladies small size yellow gold double case watch, diamond in back and fancy engraving, connected to brooch pin which is set with amethyst stone. Return to Record office. 1tp

SIMPSON'S BARBER SHOP
 C. A. Simpson, Prop.
 Next door to Klasy, Kleener, formerly Thomas Bros. Four chairs, Union barbers, best service. Baths in connection. Your business be appreciated. Come to see me.

Saturday and Monday
 IS
DOLLAR
DAY
 At The
Colorado Bargain House

Come to our store and SEE what you can purchase for \$1.00. We are listing below ten specials which are only a few of the many specials which we have in store for you.

- No. 1
40 in wide plain Voile, solid colors \$1.00
four yards for
- No. 2
Four yards of 36 inch wide Sateen \$1.00
for only
- No. 3—Five yards of Underwear Crepe \$1.00
for only
- No. 4—2 1-2 yards of 9-4 Bleached or \$1.00
Unbleached Sheeting for
- No. 5—Satinettes in all colors, 4 yards \$1.00
for only
- No. 6—English Broadcloth, assorted \$1.00
colors, 4 yards for
- No. 7—2pair of Fibre Silk Hose, all \$1.00
shades, for only
- No. 8—Pillow Cases, size, 42x36 inches \$1.00
5 for only
- No. 9—5pair of Mens Lisle Sox, a big \$1.00
bargain, the 5 pair for
- No. 10—Mens Summer weight Union \$1.00
Suits, regular 85c grade, 2 for

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Colorado Bargain House
 THE PRICE IS THE THING

We Have Been
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 Official
Willard
Service
Station
 IN COLORADO
 And Will be Ready to Serve
 You Next Week.

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 Louis B. Collier

REAL SOAP BARGAINS

Saturday and Monday, April 10 & 12



3 Oval Fairy - 29c

3 Oval Fairy - FREE



6 Gold Dust - \$1.00

15 Sunny Monday - \$1.00

2 Gold Dust Scouring Powder - FREE

2 Gold Dust Scouring Samples - FREE

5 Oval Fairy - FREE



30 Sunny Monday - \$1.00

1 Case Sunny Monday \$3.00



3 Gold Dust Scouring Powder - 20c

3 Gold Dust Scouring Powder - FREE

SPECIAL PRICE ON SHINOLA, 2-IN-1 AND BIXBY'S SHOE POLISH.

Piggly-Wiggly's

Saturday-Monday, April 10 and 12th
Colorado, Texas

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Mitchell. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Taylor County, Texas, of the 3rd day of March, 1926, by J. K. Fuller, clerk of said court, for the sum of one thousand ninety-three and No-100 (\$1093.00) dollars, with interest at 7 per cent thereon from February 25, 1926, and costs of suit under a judgement in favor of J. M. Cunningham in a certain cause in said court No. 5981, and styled J. M. Cunningham vs. Herbert H. Slaughter, et al., said judgement foreclosing a vendor's lien on the hereinafter-

described real estate, and, for the additional sum of nine hundred eighty-three and 24-100 (\$983.24) dollars, interest and costs of suit under a judgement in favor of R. E. Lee vs. H. W. Stoneham, Herbert H. Slaughter and Billie C. Slaughter, with foreclosure of a second vendor's lien on said real estate, placed in my hands for service, I, I. W. Terry, as sheriff of Mitchell county, Texas, did on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1926, levy on certain real estate, situated in Mitchell county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being 201 feet off the north end of Lot No. Three (3) in block No. Fourteen (14) in the Waddell & Martin addition to the City of Colorado, in said Mitchell county, Texas, same being located about 1 mile south of the courthouse of said county, and known as the H. W. Stoneham tract, and levied upon as the property of Herbert H. Slaughter, Billie C. Slaughter, H. W. Stoneham and R. E. Lee; and that, on the first Tuesday in May, 1926, the same being the fourth day of said month, at the Court House door of Mitchell county, in the City of Colorado, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said judgement and said order of sale, I will sell the above described real estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Herbert H. Slaughter, Billie C. Slaughter, H. W. Stoneham and R. E. Lee.

And, in compliance with law, I give this notice, by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Colorado Record, a newspaper published in Mitchell county.

Witness my hand this fifth day of April, A. D. 1926.

I. W. TERRY,
Sheriff Mitchell county, Texas.
By C. E. Franklin, Deputy. 4-23c

CHEVROLET

With a total of 65,041 automobiles produced during March, the Chevrolet Motor company smashed all previous monthly records for a single month's production of modern 3-

speed transmission motor cars by any automobile manufacturer.

A new manufacturing record is practically assured for April production.

Originally the March schedule was set for 57,500 cars. It was increased when demands from dealers indicated sales would be far ahead of the proposed schedule.

The total March production, with 25 working days in the month, averaged over 2,601 cars daily, and represents a total increase in production over March, 1925 of 23,658, when 41,383 cars were manufactured.

The two preceding months of January and February also set records. In January 1926, 46,182 units were produced, three times the cars made in January, 1925. In February 1926, 51,303 cars were made, nearly twice the production of February 1925.

An unprecedented and steady demand during the winter months for the new improved Chevrolet models is responsible for the setting of new production figures, which have kept night and day shifts at the factory working at high pressure.

Clothes may make the man but they did not make the man pay for them.

Better read the ads this week and see who's who.

BACK AT WORK WITH NO THOUGHT OF PILES

For those who do manual labor, piles are out of the question. What a pity all men do not know exactly what to do with piles. Don't you suffer pain or lay off on account of them, do this:

Go to your druggist at once and get a one dollar tube of Pysol. How soothing it is; you feel the pain leave at once. Men and women who have blind, bleeding, protruding or itching piles will bless the name of Pysol from the moment they first use it. Each tube sold under a money-back guarantee. Sold by the following druggists: J. L. Doss, Colorado Drug Co., Alcovy Drug Co., Crosthwaite Drug Co. 1tp

Organizing D. A. R.

Some ten days or so ago, a meeting was called at the home of Mrs. Harry Hyman to organize a chapter of the D. A. R. in Colorado. Quite a number responded, with the result that the application papers are being sent into Washington and it is hoped that the required number will reach Washington in time to organize the chapter before the National convention, as the State Regent Mrs. Chas. E. Jones of Greenville is very anxious for this chapter to be organized. As are also the D. A. R.

IS PROHIBITION A FARCE?

Congress passed by the necessary vote which was ratified by the required number of States, the 18th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States which reads as follows: "After one year from the ratification of this article the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited."

The Congress and the several States shall have concurrent power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

The legislature of the State of Texas passed the "Dean law" which forbids the sale, manufacture, transportation or possession for the purpose of sale or possessing devices for the purposes of manufacturing liquor containing by volume more than 1 per cent alcohol.

The Dean law is one of the most skillfully drafted prohibitive laws on the Statute Books of the State of Texas, but where are we now? First the legislature comes along and passes the infamous search and seizure law tying the hands of the peace officers of the State, saying to them, "if you know a fellow is loaded with whiskey you must have a search warrant before you can search his car or place, if you search without the warrant you are subject to be lodged in jail."

Now the big boys at Washington tell us we are going to have 3-4 beer and allow the druggist to dispense it. Poor druggist, it seems that they are going to make bar tenders out of you yet. Where do we go from here?

BOUGHT NEIGHBOR'S TOWELS BY MAIL

One of the best illustrations of the "mail order" joke came to our attention recently. A lady living in the small town of Belton, in the center of the textile belt of South Carolina, ordered some nice towels from a mail order house, paying 29 cents each for them. They seemed

to be a great bargain.

The money went from her town, and the towels came back. They were all that had been claimed for them. On the band was a stamp, "Made by Blair Mills, Belton, S. C." The lady's next door neighbor ran the mills and she could have bought the towels for \$1.95 a dozen at home.

This is merely a clear illustration of the necessity for town builders to look around before sending money away. It is also clear that merchants, having mail order prices beaten to a frazzle, will never get the business of their own neighbors unless they tell them that they have the goods. Advertising is the merchants only warfare against mail order houses.

Our idea of jokes are found masquerading in the funny magazines.

Getting an automobile is a lot easier, we are told, than getting rid of one.

MEDICAL SCIENCE

acknowledges that cod-liver oil because it abounds in vitamins is a specific in rickets or bone-weakness.

Scott's Emulsion

is rich in the vitamins that children need in great abundance. It is a vitamin-rich food and tonic that is available for use at any hour. Children thrive on it.

Price 60¢ and \$1.25
Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 25-38

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Elevation 4,500 feet

IDEAL CLIMATE for recreation and study. Mountain climbing and weekly picnics to the nearby canyons. An outdoor Natatorium.

BEAUTIFUL SCENERY, pure water, bracing air, cool nights, free transportation for scenic drive over the Davis Mountains, big barbecue.

SUMMER TOURISTS' RATES of one and one-third fare from all points in Texas over the Southern Pacific and Orient Lines.

ADVANCED COURSES leading to Degrees in the Departments of Biology, English, Education, History, Mathematics, Spanish.

SUB-COLLEGE COURSES for College Admission and for high school credits.

SPECIAL COURSES in Art, Commerce, Home Economics, Manual Training, Music.

ALL COURSES lead to Certificates, Diplomas, and Degrees.

CREDITS ACCEPTED at face value by the East Colleges and Universities.

WELL EQUIPPED library, laboratories; a faculty of trained experts holding, for the most part, at least M. A. Degrees.

GIRLS' DORMITORY under faculty supervision. Board and room, \$30.00 a month.

INTIMATE CONTACT between faculty and students. The individual is not lost in the masses. Ninety-five per cent of teaching done by heads of departments.



"Electric Light Bill"

ELECTRIC Light Bill means something more than the invoice you get every month. Electric Light Bill or Tom or Jerry is the man behind that invoice, the man who gives in return reliable service—and in good measure.

You can always count on Bill and his fellow-workers. Hard at it night and day, they are the men who put up poles and in stormy weather repair the wires, and at all times keep the equipment in order.

This human side is the most important part of the West Texas Electric Company's story. Our machines may be ever so efficient, but that isn't enough. Back of it all we have human watchfulness and human dependability—a trusty old Bill to man the guns.

"Your Electric Servant"

West Texas Electric Co.

Run-Down gave out easily

"My health wasn't any account at all," says Mrs. H. L. Cayton, of Washington, N. C. "I would start to do my housework and I would give out before I had done anything at all. I did not have any strength, and if I did the least thing it seemed to tax me so I could not finish. I was run-down sure enough. Several of my friends had taken Cardui and they said to me, 'Why don't you try it?' I knew I needed something to build up my general health and to increase my strength. Finally one day when I was recovering from a spell of sickness, I decided to try Cardui. I got a bottle and began to take it. I could notice that I was improving as my appetite got better and I did not give out nearly so quick. I took several bottles and I felt lots better."

"Two years ago I decided to take it again. It built me up and made me feel like a different person. It is the greatest medicine for women that I know anything about."

CARDUI

For Female Troubles

We Safeguard you in 5

unique ways when selecting fine hosiery and so guard against flaws that lie hidden until you put your hosiery on. We point out to you today these fashion features that are provided only in Holeproof Hosiery.

Holeproof Hosiery

NEW SHADES IN FRENCH COLORS
full fashioned chiffon all silk from top to toe. Lisle inner lined foot for wear \$2.50

Until April 26th you can subscribe to the Designer for one year for 90¢. Regular price \$1.50 per year. Subscriptions taken at store.

We are pleased to announce that Mr. R. H. Barber formerly with J. H. Greene and Co., is now in our employment and will be glad to meet his friends at our store.

C. M. ADAMS



J. W. Rice out on Route A came in this week and renewed for his Record, also R. W. Mann on Route 1, helped the struggling printer on his way.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

All kinds of garden seed and watermelon seeds at McMurry's. It

S. A. Sloan, a well known independent oil operator of the Westbrook field, was a business visitor here Monday.—Big Spring Herald.

Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Go to church next Sunday and start the habit.

Mrs. A. J. Roach and daughter, Marjorie of Hyman spent Saturday here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman.

Farmers in town this week report the whole county is being planted and it looks like all of it is going into feed crops.

Will make you special low price on any kind of feed. Phone Colorado Produce Company.

We stretch your DOLLARS to almost double Saturday and Monday. Jones Dry Goods.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Watson have returned from Amarillo where they were called on account of the illness of their daughter, Miss Sarah. They left her greatly improved.

There is higher priced Auto Oil but none better than Supreme XXJ handled by all leading garages.

Nelda Garrett has Pneumonia but is reported as doing nicely.

\$875 For The Essex Six De lived in Colorado. The little wonder car.—Price Bros.

Joe H. Smoot and family left Monday in their car for Montgomery, Ala., where they will visit relatives and friends. Mrs. H. B. Smoot accompanied them as far as Dallas.

Carbon paper all size sheets at Record office.

Auto top and painting. See Roberts Top Shop. Phone 544.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Dunbar of Lubbock are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Doss.

STEAM CLEANER

Auto Laundry has installed an Auto steam cleaner for motors, chassis, etc. Have your motor cleaned up.—J. B. Morgan.

Sam Curry the Buford leader in farming was in town Saturday and reports the frost got his corn crop and said he would put in this week planting it over. Sam Curry always raises corn.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE for chickens and eggs at Colorado Produce Co.

Miss Caroline Chamber, home demonstration agent at Abilene spent a few days with Miss Mildred Coleman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Doss have returned from an extended visit in San Antonio.

There is higher priced Auto Oil but none better than Supreme XXJ handled by all leading garages.

Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest returned from Cisco Monday in a brand new Buick car.

Tops recovered at Roberts top Shop.

NOTICE OF SALE

The City Council of the City of Colorado, Texas, offers for sale the old City Hall and Fire Station property, the same being the West one-half of Lot No. 21 Block 41 in Colorado, Texas. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Secretary until 7:00 o'clock p. m., Monday April 12th, 1926, for the purchase of said property.

The right to reject any or all bids reserved.—L. A. COSTIN, City Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar of Lubbock are visiting friends here.

White paint at W. L. Doss' \$2.75 per gallon with a 5 year guarantee written on the can. tf

Mr. Miller of Millers Market wishes to thank all his friends and customers for their visit and nice remarks about his new place of business, and invites all to return the visit and bring their friends with them.

Feed of all kinds at Colorado Produce Co., bran, chops, oats, chicken feed, crushed oil cake and meal. Phone 395. We deliver.

FREE HOSE bib service. Bring 'em to us. Alvarado Plumbing Co. Next to Palace Theatre. We specialize on plumbing repair work. tf
Call me for good Coal Oil in fifty gallon lots or less.—J. A. Sadler.

Out of gas got a flat. Phone 544. Roberts Top Shop.

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Mrs. McComb left Saturday night for Tulsa, Okla., to be with her aged father who is quite sick.

First Class shoe repairing at Herringtons Shoe Shop. We repair harness and saddles. Frank Herrington.

Miss Alma Phillips, who is teaching in San Antonio spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. D. L. Phillips.

Money saved on things you need right now. Saturday and Monday. Jones Dry Goods Co.

Mr. D. N. Arnett was on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Arnett of Lamasa spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett.

Phone J. A. Sadler for that Supreme XXX Auto Oil, none better at all leading garages.

Supreme XXX auto oil phone 154.

James Joyce and J. W. Shepperd spent the week end in Abilene.

Archie McDonald spent Sunday in Abilene.

Don't forget "Lightning" strikes the Palace Theatre this week. Thursday is the last day don't miss it for its a Fox Super Special and one of the best pictures of the year.

Misses Marcella Price and Mary Broadus students at T. C. U. spent the week end with their parents.

Misses Gertrude Herm and Ernie Harper, Teachers in Colorado schools and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reid visited in Snyder Sunday.

All kinds of feed, will save you money. Just phone Colorado Produce Company.

Miss Pauline Davis, teacher in the primary school, spent the week and in Stephenville with relatives.

A. G. Furlow was here from Lorraine Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. L. Doss have returned from a motor car trip to Austin, San Antonio and other points of interest in South Texas. They spent one week in Austin and two weeks in the Alamo City.

Read The Record ads.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Herrington spent the greater part of the week at Gatesville visiting Mr. Herrington's father. The elder Mr. Herrington is 90 years old and seems as spry as A. J. himself. They report a nice trip and that country wet to the bottom with as fine prospects as was ever known.

McMurry has chicken founts and feeders. It

Little Don Guitart is quite sick with tonsillitis this week.

Out of gas got a flat. Phone 544. Roberts Top Shop.

I STILL TAKE subscriptions for the following papers: The Semi-Weekly Farm News, The Dallas Morning News, The Fort Worth Star-Telegram, The Abilene Reporter. And also for the Saturday Evening Post, and Ladies Home Journal and Country Gentleman. And also have on hand the 1926 Texas Almanac and State Industrial Guide.—Roy L. Farmer, agent. 5-7-26c

First class shoe repairing at Herringtons Shoe Shop. We repair harness and saddles. Frank Herrington.

A. J. Nolen, local building contractor, is confined to his room this week on account of illness.

Come to Lightning Thursday night and help the Hesperian club.

Mr. C. C. Pritchett of Best spent the week end with friends and relatives and was accompanied home by little Billy Henderson.

Out of gas. Call 544. Roberts Top Shop.

A. L. Clark and family arrived this week from Mercedes, Texas to make their home in Colorado. Mr. Clark is a brother-in-law to O. B. and R. P. Price of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whipkey and children and Mrs. F. B. Whipkey motored to Sweetwater Tuesday.

Auto painting any color or design you like. Let us paint and top your car for the summer. Roberts Top Shop. Phone 544.

Mrs. Earnest Hamlett and children are in Midland this week while the children are having their tonsils removed.



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Mrs. Clyde Hines spent Tuesday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell of Ft. Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell, his parents.

Read Record want ads if you are looking for bargains. You may miss something good if you don't

Miss Margaret Sandusky, Messrs. John Lupton and Cecil Cifers spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pace and little daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price Tuesday night enroute to their home in Plainview from a trip to the Rio Grande Valley. Mrs. Pace was formerly Miss Mary Garvin.

Jno. D. Lane was an appreciated caller this week and left the necessary wherewith to pacify the exacting and now goes happily on the way. You may not know what we mean but our friend John does.

Want ads in the Record get results

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Ernest Keathley, Owner and Manager

Third Floor Hall:

1 to a bed 50c, or \$2 a week.

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10¢ a pound

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GEOLOGIST PICTURES WEST TEXAS POTASH BOOM

The greatest known supply of potash in the world exists in West Texas and shortly will result in as great activity as the present development of oil is bringing.

This is the statement of Dr. David Flood, head geologist for the Benedum and Trees Oil Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., one of the largest oil

concerns in the world, which now is interested through subsidiaries in oil development west of San Angelo. Dr. Flood's views are recorded in a recent issue of the Houston Chronicle.

Dr. Flood for the last two years has been studying potash deposits in this section. In that time he has made 15 or 20 diamond core cuttings and is just now tabulating the latest and deepest he has made, which went to a depth of 3700 feet. He would not say he represented Benedum & Trees in this work, but said "I am representing myself." He was accompanied to Houston by Darwin Benedum, nephew of a member of the big oil concern. Nor would Dr. Flood give the location of the potash fields or the counties in which he believes the biggest and richest deposits are located. Here is the reason he gave for his reticence:

"Not long ago I wrote an article for the Wall Street Journal on potash deposits in West Texas and presently a German company had acquired 70,000 acres of land at a place I named," he said. Dr. Flood, being a Swede, hasn't any great love for the Germans, although he spent some time working in German potash mines.

"The West Texas potash fields surpass anything the Germans ever have heard of," he said. "Germany now has a monopoly on the potash of the world, but with the West Texas field America can soon take it away from her. There are few other fields in the world. Some little potash is to be found in Spain, some undeveloped in South America, but nothing like that of the West Texas fields.

Dr. Flood is both a geologist and paleontologist of note.

"I don't speak from hearsay when I say that it is the greatest in the world," he adds. "I have the core tests and have seen with my own eyes. I find your geologists in this country are little familiar with potash, for they have never had any experience with it. I think it well your university granted your state geologist a year's leave of absence to study potash mining in Germany, for it is destined to become one of the greatest assets of your state."

The immediate cause of Dr. Flood's visit to Houston, says the Chronicle, is the entrance of the Benedum & Trees Oil Company into the South Texas field. It has acquired many leases throughout South Texas and is soon to start development work in Laredo, Jim Hogg, Nueces, Bee, Brooks and Harris counties.

Its first two wells in Harris county are to be put down near Moonshine Hill.

Dr. Flood is giving much assistance to Senator Morris Sheppard, who now has before congress a bill to appropriate \$500,000 a year for a period of five years to explore the West Texas potash fields. He has sent him much data and had a telegram from Senator Sheppard a few days ago stating his bill had been favorably reported in congress.

Dr. Flood says the United States is now importing \$200,000,000 worth of potash annually.

"It could use many times that if it could supply the demand domestically and at a lower price," he added. "Potash is absolutely essential to any known method of warfare, for its a constituent of all forms of explosives. That is the reason Germany deliberately falsified the Encyclopedia Britannica in regard to her potash deposits. Her scientists, the only ones in the world familiar with the extent of the supply and uses, were asked to prepare the information on potash. They did, and gave the world the most untruthful account as to the supply in Germany.

In a general way, Dr. Flood says, the potash fields of Texas lie between the Wichita mountains and the Marathon mountains and is found in what is known to geologists as the Marathon fold. He says it covers an area of not less than 150 miles square and may cover a much larger territory.

He is also familiar with other possible supplies in the United States.

"If cost were no consideration, such as in times of war, it might be obtained in the Nebraska lakes or the Searles lake of California, the saltweed and feldspar beds of California and the green sands of New Jersey," he says. "But for ordinary purposes it will never be developed there. And when the West Texas field is developed, which it is certain to be, there will be no need of that."

"Why out there in West Texas is enough potash to supply the entire world for almost unending time," he says. "In fact, I don't know how it would ever be possible to extract all the potash that I know exists there by proven tests."

Dr. Flood says it will remake West Texas and be of incalculable value to agriculture and the industrial life of the nation.

He says the potash in West Texas is only 1400 feet deep compared to from 1600 to 1900 feet in the German mines.

"It means an intensive form of mining," he says. "It means the building up of permanent mining towns, not like oil towns, but more in the nature of coal mining towns that are permanent. By coring for it you can know the potash is there and then the shaft or as many shafts as you want are sunk and the potash is mined from the earth. It never comes out in its free state, but it is necessary to dissolve it and separate it from whatever formations it may be found in."

Asked as to why potash deposits there had not before been developed, he replied:

"Well, ask me why oil fields that are coming in almost daily have not before been developed," he replied. "Why didn't they sooner develop the gas fields of West Texas? The potash doesn't lie on the ground. Were it not for explorers for oil and gas

the vast fields might not have been discovered yet and have lain there undiscovered for more centuries. Then, as I said, your country and certainly most of your oil men are not familiar with potash. They were not looking for it, and didn't know it when they saw it. But by speculating for potash with the diamond core drill the exact depth of the deposit, the thickness of the strata and the general formation is revealed and rendered beyond speculation."

Dr. Flood handles geological terms with a fluency which leaves us laymen floundering around, wondering why he does not speak plain English. He told the geological formation in Texas is the same as that in Europe in which potash is found. It is the Permian.

"A diamond core test in Cotter county at Toyah in the summer of 1923, I made a very interesting correlation between the European and the American Cambrian," he said. "The description of the fossil form and character show practically no difference in the development, climate and age of the Permian in the two continents during the same geological gas epoch," he said.

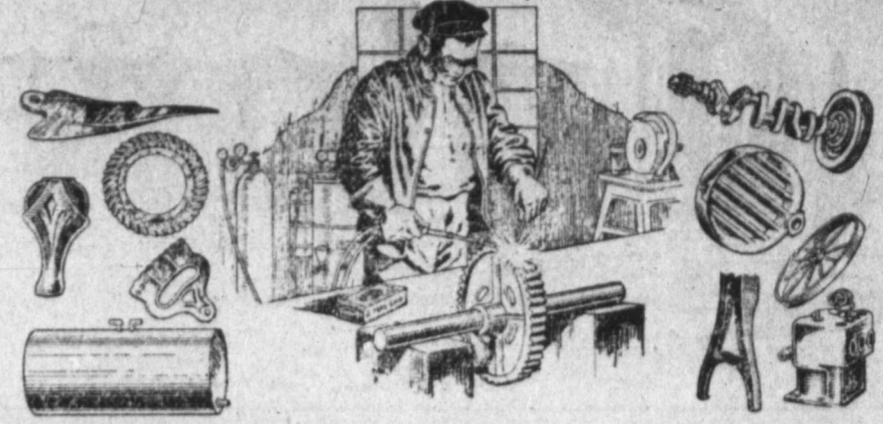
"No greater evidence can possibly be produced than the almost identical Permian formation of the two continents and the deposits of salt of which West Texas Permian shows such a remarkable superiority. The greatest recorded thickness of salt beds in European Permian is 380 feet while the logs of wells drilled in West Texas show a thickness of 1391 feet, and all these wells show a high potash content. In view of these facts the inevitable conclusion is that there is no reason why the south end of the Staked Plains should not have a larger deposit of potash than Germany or Alsace."

Dr. Flood says he will make his headquarters in Houston for some time while the Benedum & Tree Oil Company development work is starting. He says this large oil concern has plans for extensive oil development and large acreage under lease.

LOCAL MEN ATTEND KNIGHT TEMPLAR MEET AT SNYDER

O. Lambeth, J. Sherwin, A. E. Maddin, Lucian Maddin and Rev. M. C. Bishop attended a special Easter Sunday service for the Knights Templar at First Baptist church at Snyder Sunday afternoon.

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Since the contest is not to become binding unless as many as fifty entries are filed, interested farmers are urged to call at the chamber of commerce, their bank, or office of the county farm agent and file entrance blanks without delay.

BIRTH STATISTICS SHOW GIRLS OUTNUMBER BOYS

Vital statistics in the office of County Clerk J. Lee Jones show only thirty-one births registered for the month of March. Of this number, seventeen are girls and fourteen are boys.

Following is a list of the names of the parents to whom these youngsters were born:

- Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Prescott, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stennett, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Carnes, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hudgins, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murkett, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Henderson, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finley, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Howard, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Bryant, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hurst, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Goodrich, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. T. House, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Jones, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ezell, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moody, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Herman Currnt, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Silas Norman, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cunningham, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Humphries, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. James Mayes, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Rose, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hutchings, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Grant, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tilley, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Walker, girl.
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andrews, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clifton, boy.
- Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pickens, girl.

VALERA BANK IS HELD UP

COLEMAN, Texas.—Three men entered the First State Bank at Valera, Coleman county, near here, late Monday evening, "covered" the cashiers and customers with pistols and fled with between \$3,000 and \$4,000 in currency. Coleman officers took up the trail, but had made no captures until a late hour Monday night.

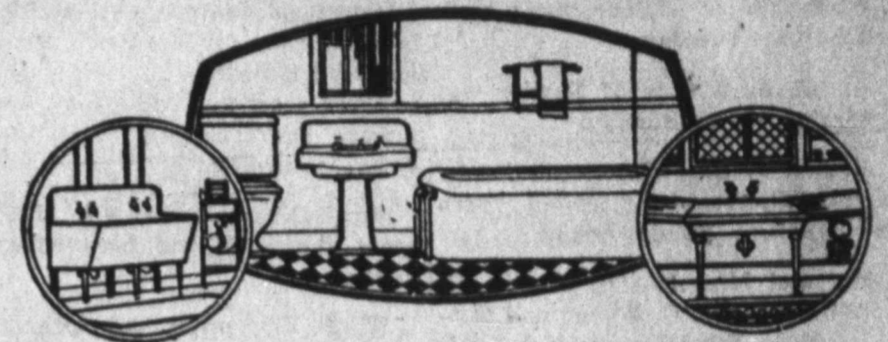
Theo Griffiths, cashier, and B. F. Mitchell, assistant cashier, were waiting on two customers when the trio entered. The latter at once flashed pistols, commanding the four in the bank to line up against the wall. They complied and the bandits then scooped up the currency inside the

grille. Then the trio left the bank, entered a new roadster of a well known make and drove toward Coleman.

The Colorado Produce Company handles all kind of feed, grain, hay, corn, oats, chops, bran, chicken feed, meal and cake. Just phone 395 for your feed. We deliver.

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A BIG HOTEL FOR ABILENE

The news that Abilene is to have a new ten-story hotel at North Fourth and Pine streets to cost more than half a million dollars is one of the most important announcements that has been made here in many months.

That local capital is behind it is all the more gratifying, for it shows that the business men of the city have faith in the city's future and are willing to invest their money accordingly.

There can be no argument about the need of such an addition to Abilene's civic advantages. The need has been apparent for some time, and with the continued growth of the city this need has become imperative.

A hotel of this kind that is to be built by the Abilene Hotel Company will go a long way toward stabilizing the growth of the city. It will give this city the facilities that are needed to attract visitors and to take care of large conventions.

The part that the people of Abilene are to take in this movement is smaller than similar projects elsewhere demand. Only \$100,000 in 6 per cent preferred stock of the company is to be placed among Abilene investors. That sounds much better than the usual "bonus" that is demanded. It is to be an investment, and not a gift. There will be no promotional expense, as these Abilene business men are devoting their own time and attention to it. They are local business men who are known to the people and have the public's confidence.

—Abilene Reporter.
Any one of the fourteen local men in the hotel company could build the hotel alone and not miss the money.

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TEXARKANA, ARK. 4-30p

IRRIGATED LAND NOT TO BE ENTERED IN FARM CONTEST

The "More feed on fewer acres" contest, announced recently by the chamber of commerce bars entries in which the farmer or farm boy uses irrigated land on which to grow the ten acre competitive crop of feed or forage. This announcement was made Friday at the chamber of commerce office, following an executive session of the organization.

R. P. Price, chairman of the agricultural department of the chamber of commerce, announced that owing to the fact there were some farms in the county having more or less acreage under irrigation it was deemed fair to make a definite decision on this question.

"It would not be fair to the average farmer or farm boy, if rules of the contest permitted his neighbor to enter a crop grown under irrigation in competition for the prizes offered," Price said.

Other rules of the contest have been announced as follows:

- 1st prize, \$200; 2nd prize, \$150; 3rd prize, \$75; 4th prize \$50; 5th prize, \$25.
 - Rules governing the contest have been announced as follows:
 - 1—Any farmer or farm boy residing in Mitchell county is eligible.
 - 2—The entry shall consist of ten acres of grain sorghum or forage crops.
 - 3—Twenty per cent of the total cultivated acreage of the farmer must be planted in feed crops.
 - 4—The ten acre entry may be included as a part of the twenty per cent mentioned in rule three.
 - 5—The total estimated cash value of the crop produced shall constitute the basis of awarding prizes.
 - 6—Entry blanks will be provided at the office of the chamber of commerce and office of the county agent.
 - 7—Entries shall close on June 10th, 1926.
 - 8—Competent judges of the contest shall be appointed by the chamber of commerce and county agent.
 - 9—Prizes will be awarded November 15, 1926.
 - 10—Decision of the judges shall be final.
 - 11—All things being equal, the contestant having the largest proportion of his cultivated acreage in feed or forage crops, shall be consideration.
 - 12—Contest shall not become valid unless at least fifty entries are made.
- The following farmers have filed application blanks at the chamber of commerce office:
- A. K. McCauley, Colorado; Jno. D. Lane, Colorado; N. E. Browne, Colorado; T. H. Shurtleff, Colorado; E. Barber, Colorado; Odie Hamilton, Colorado; E. M. Cosper, Colorado;

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses have been issued this week by County Clerk J. Lee Jones to the following parties:

- J. H. Fulkerson and Miss Velma Moseley.
- Edmond Burdett and Miss Jewell Millholland.
- Robt. L. Shoemaker and Miss Duell Ethel Smith.



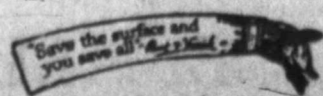
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Mr. Clarence Rowland, wife and son are visiting friends and relatives at Stephenville, Ft. Worth and Wichita Falls.

J. W. Perkins of Abilene, was a business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. R. S. Walker of Snyder was a Loraine visitor Sunday.

Messrs. J. D. Falkner and Raphy Farris of Sweetwater attended church services here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin, H. B. Wilson and T. C. Wilson and families; Clyde Wilson and wife; Lewis Elliott and family of Colorado and Dewey Wilson and wife of Hermleigh enjoyed a good dinner and Easter egg hunt Northeast of Hermleigh Sunday.

W. W. Martin, made a business trip to Roscoe, Monday afternoon.

Messrs. C. H. and Bob Manly and Frank Segar attended automobile dealers association at Abilene Monday.

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Dr. G. W. Hubbard
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Office Doss Bldg. Colorado, Tex.

J. M. Winstead, W. S. Thomas, D. K. Nelson, W. E. Dickenson and Jeff Manly, enjoyed an outing and fish fry on Champion Creek Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Urie Focher of Wichita Falls are here visiting in the C. M. Blackwell home.

Henry Ohlenbusch, who is manager of the Ohlenbusch & Co., lumber business at Inadale, left Saturday for Moulton. Mr. Ohlenbusch is having his first vacation in three years and will attend Lumbermen convention at San Antonio before returning.

Gus Baumann and wife of Midland spent the week end here with his mother.

W. E. Dickenson and wife, Mrs. A. H. Nelson and Miss Lillie Nelson shopped at Colorado Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin, W. H. Harris and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Preston visited friends at Roscoe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hopper and daughters of Abilene, Messrs. J. S. and W. A. Sloan and families of Roscoe and G. R. Phillips and family of Roscoe, were the guests of A. Phillips and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown of Hamlin, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Misses Wille Howell, Gladys Spikes and Abb Black visited in the Thomas B. Brown home at Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. Herman Finley has employment at the Model Grocery.

Barney Black who recently sold his meat market at Westbrook has returned home for the summer.

Methodist Church

There were 242 in S. S. last Sunday and a splendid interest was manifested. At the close of the school period the beginners the primaries and the juniors rendered a very fine program. In fact it was hard to beat. There was a large crowd at both the preaching services. Brother Foster preached a very helpful and inspiring sermon at the evening hour and we had a real good service. The revival starts off well and we are hoping and praying for a great outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Come and be with us in each of these services. This means you. The meeting will in all probability close next Sunday night.—H. W. Hanks, pastor.

Baptist Notes

Owing to the inclement weather last week the W. M. S. did not meet until Wednesday, when their regular program from Royal Service was given at the home of Mrs. Hal Bennett. The subject was "Home Missions". Cake and hot chocolate with whipped cream was served during the social hour.

The W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. R. E. Bennett the last Monday in this month.

The pastor was unable to preach Sunday morning owing to a slight illness. Rev. Nelson from Dallas supplied and brought a splendid message.

The Baptists held their evening services with the Methodists who are in a young people's revival this week. It is hoped that great success will crown their efforts. Bro. Foster preached a splendid sermon on the Resurrection Sunday evening.

The Sunday school had 189 present. An Easter program was rendered by the primary department after the lesson period. The little folks had some good numbers which were well rendered. Thanks and praise to their teachers.

E. T. Lee of Reeder and Lee Market at Roscoe spent Sunday visiting here.

Jack Terry of Colorado was a Loraine visitor Monday.

School Notes

On April 2, 1926, the literary events of the term 1925 and 1926, were held at Colorado in the high school auditorium. At one o'clock

all contestants met in the auditorium and were told where each contestant was to be held. Then each contestant went to his respective room. The debate was held in the high school auditorium at five o'clock. The boys were the first contestants and Colorado boys were victorious. The girls debate was held about five-thirty and Colorado girls carried the victory. At 7:45 the declamation began. The rural schools declaimed first, then high schools. Loraine won second place in junior girls declamation; first place in junior boys declamation; second place in senior girls declamation and first place in senior boys declamation. The winners of the events of the afternoon were announced. Loraine won first place in theme writing "My Home Town" and "The Four H. Club," and first place in map work, which was the map of Texas; third place in spelling and there has been no announcement as to who won in essay writing. We are very proud of our honors and especially our first places. We hope that we will carry off as many honors at district meet as we did in county meet.

After a very successful career of athletic progress the school has now organized into a baseball club. The basket ball season found the Loraine Bulldogs with over 75 per cent winners. They only lost four games no team was successful enough to take two best out of three games. The track and field events were by no means a failure. The boys did showing, winning several medals. And as all this was over, only the baseball season lay open to them. The boys met on Monday, April 6th and elected L. J. Ledbetter, captain. The team was then organized and started on the road to practice. They are expecting a good team and a good career.

The track events held Friday and Saturday at Colorado, were very interesting to the spectators from Loraine. Friday evening about 2 o'clock the tennis games were held. Loraine boys and girls lost doubles and singles in tennis, but they lost with a smile. At 4 o'clock Friday afternoon the boys debate was held and the girls debate was held at 5 o'clock. The girls Edith Wilkerson and Garnet Thornton, and the boys, Herman Charles and Claude Willis, both lost. In the declamation contest L. J. Ledbetter won the senior boys declamation and Robert Hendricks won in junior boys declamation. Alma Garrett, the senior girl and Ira Ruth Kimble the junior girl in declamation from Loraine, each one won second place.

Loett Britton won a blue ribbon for writing the best essay on "The Four H. Club." Josephine Cook won a blue ribbon for making the best map of Texas and towns of Texas. Ruth Johnson won a blue ribbon for writing the best essay on "My Home County." The track events that Loraine won Saturday were as follows: Nick Farrar, won in high jump and pole vault; Oscar Hallmark won in junior boys high jump and broad jump and he also won some race events; M. L. Clark won second place in some races.

All Fools Day

As the old saying goes "Every dog has his day" so Thursday, April 1 every fool had his day. Real exciting incidents took place in grammar school. A bunch of little boys decided school life on April Fool was too dull so they left school and spent the afternoon playing ball. Early Monday morning the same boys were seen parading to Mr. Blythe's office. After a brief court had convened a loud report was heard from the office and the high school came to the conclusion that Mr. Blythe was making his attack and getting revenge. The seventh grade rebelled also and an experience meeting was held in which every pupil told of the many crimes they had committed in the school room this year. As for high school students, the teachers committed the worst crime against us possible by giving us examinations. Such a thing should be abolished from this higher institution of learning. Our fun was confined to milder stunts. The clapper was broken from the bell at noon by an unknown party and a large piece of tin about 6 feet by 12 feet was quietly parked in the hall to add to the scenery. Chairs and desks were upset, gum chewed and other crimes committed. A day of events for Loraine high.

WHY SPECIAL BOLTER'S PRIVILEGE TO FERGUSON?

I notice there is quite a lot of discussion as to whether we who did not support Ferguson in the general election should be permitted to

vote in the coming primary. I, for one, place my party first when I believe my party is right, but when I believe my party is wrong, I place my country first and vote my convictions. There was about 250,000 loyal Democrats who scratched Ferguson's name in the last general election. We did so without reservation, believing that Jim Ferguson was not a loyal Democrat. He quit the Democratic party and organized one of his own, then came back and ran on the Democratic ticket for office. Haven't we the same right to come back to the Democratic party? Is Jim Ferguson the only one who is permitted to leave the party and come back? How many of these howlers now who voted for Mayfield in the primary and then voted for Paddy the Republican in the general election? Every one knows Mrs. Ferguson was not the choice of the majority of the Democratic party, so why all this rot? R. C. AYMOND
In Dallas News.

ROGERS SCHOOL WINS IN TWO TEACHER CLASS

The fair exhibit from the Rogers school was rated by the fair judges as the best exhibit from any school in its class, and as a result of this rating the school will be awarded a suitable pennant. Among the other schools which gave Rogers a close race for the prize were the following, Iatan, Cuthbert, Seven Wells and others.

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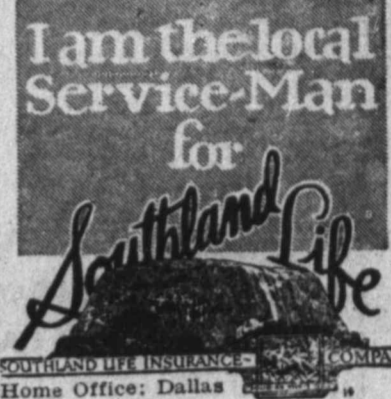
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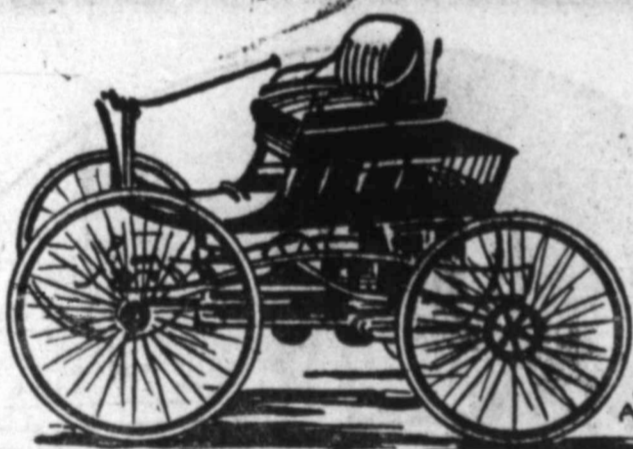
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A large and appreciative audience was in attendance at the Baptist church Sunday night to listen to the splendid Easter program which was put on by the Sunday school.

Sunday morning at 5 o'clock Mrs. Mixon and her Sunday school class arose from their slumber and with their bacon, eggs and coffee made their way to Morgan creek where a sunrise breakfast was hastily prepared and more hastily consumed.

After some time spent in exploring the scenery of the peak the bunch returned home in time to get ready for Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Braum left Tuesday for Quanah where they will spend several days visiting relatives after which they will return home to make preparations to move back to their old home in Oklahoma.

Miss Dura McBurnett who is teaching school at Escota, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey from Saturday til Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Danner has gone to Sherman to be at the bedside of her daughter, Evalyn who is quite ill. Mrs. Ollie Bird and little daughter accompanied her as far as Mineral Wells where they will visit Mrs. Bird's parents for a few days.

Mr. Fletcher informs us that the telephone business is still growing. New phones are being added every day and plans are being made to enlarge the work. Full time service went into effect the first of this month which means that calls will be answered day and night including Sunday.

The play "Her Honor the Mayor" which was put on at the school house Saturday night was a decided success and the cast is planning to carry it to Ira next Saturday night. Proceeds for last Saturday night were \$42.50.

Mr. Fred Strickland and family left Monday for San Antonio and several weeks visiting friends and other points where they will spend relatives.

School Notes

School was dismissed Friday afternoon for the county interscholastic league meet, which was held at Colorado Friday and Saturday. The spelling contest, the essay writing and debating contests were the events of Friday afternoon. Winnie Armstrong and Gussie Bledsoe won first honors in the junior spelling. Ruby Hines and Hollis Bledsoe won second place in the sub-junior division and Winnie Faye Gressett and Ruthel McCullough won second place in the senior division. Jay C. Hall was representative of our school in essay writing, the results of have not been announced.

Friday evening the declamations were delivered in the high school auditorium. There was a large crowd in attendance, and the contests were very interesting. Everett Oglesby won second honors in the senior boys declamation and the representatives of the other three divisions won third place. The track events were held on

Saturday. In the junior girls division Pauline McCollough won the hundred yard dash. Winnie Armstrong won second place in the fifty yard dash and Pauline McCollough, Winnie Armstrong, Mary Edna Gressett and Florence Knowles won the relay race. Theron Hall, a representative of the junior boys, won second honors in the chinning bar contest.

The school exhibits in the county fair were very interesting. They showed just what the schools of our county are accomplishing in different lines of work. As we looked at these exhibits, we felt very proud not only of what our school was doing but of what the schools of the county in general were teaching our boys and girls to do.

The ninth grade "Crusaders" held its regular meeting Friday morning April 3. After the regular business the following program was rendered by the class:

- Song—Auld Lang Syne.
- Declamation—Everett Oglesby.
- Short Talk—Benefits Derived from Study of Classic Literature—Mrs. Gressett.
- Paper—Lana Skelton.
- Jokes—Thomas Gressett.
- Class Song—by class.

On the preceding Friday the members of the "Crusaders" each invited a guest and took supper to Morgan Creek where a delicious spread was enjoyed.

The ninth and tenth grades rendered a very interesting program consisting chiefly of a short play, Thursday morning. Each character played his part well, and the program was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The Seventh and eighth grades will render a program next Monday morning for chapel exercises.

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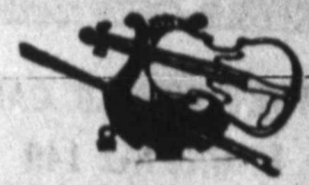
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PLEA TAKEN TO COOLIDGE FOR POTASH BILL

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Coolidge was appealed to directly today by a delegation from the American Mining Congress to sanction the proposal contained in the Sheppard-Hudspeth bill for governmental exploration to find a commercial supply of potash supposed to underlie several hundred square miles in West Texas.

Senator Sheppard headed the delegation, which included Messrs. Colbreath, Seaman, Folts and Payne, all of whom were named as the special committee at the recent meeting of the mining congress at Memphis.

Following the talk with President Coolidge, the delegation also called on Director General Lord of the Budget Bureau.

In submitting the matter to President Coolidge stress was laid on the necessity for obtaining an independent supply of potash in this country; the decrease in the fertility of the soil which this potash would replenish; and the fact that this is proper research work for the government to undertake. In response to questions the delegation pointed out to both officials that efforts theretofore made to induce private interests to make these explorations had been unavailing because of the uncertainty.

HOOPER BEHIND POTASH BILL, BUCHANAN IS TOLD

Herbert C. Hoover, secretary of commerce, indorses an appropriation for a West Texas potash survey. His approval, it is expected, will have some influence on enactment of a bill introduced by Senator Morris Sheppard calling for a survey appropriation.

Such information is carried in a letter received Thursday by Homer D. Wade, assistant manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from Congressman James P. Buchanan, Brenham.

Buchanan sent copies of letters from Secretary Hoover and George Otis Smith director of the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior.

Secretary Hoover writes that in Western Texas and Southeastern New Mexico there are vast beds of potash salts within 1,200 feet of the surface and extending through wide areas. He explains that it remains to be determined how far these beds extend.

"As this can be realized only thru core drilling," Secretary Hoover writes, "and as geologists state that systematic core drilling will furnish accurate data relative to location, extent, depth, thickness and potash content of the bed, it would appear that more thorough testings of the Texas field would amply justify the needed expenditure."

In a memorandum from Smith to Secretary Hoover is the following: "The fact that potash beds under-

lie portions of Western Texas and Southeastern New Mexico is shown by the presence of unusual amounts of potash in samples contained from wells drilling at a number of widely scattered localities in that area. These samples, however, do not furnish data regarding exact thickness and richness of the potash beds encountered, so that the commercial value of the deposits is not known.

"This information can be made available only by systematic core testing of the area. The bill now pending before Congress provides for an appropriation to be used in making such an investigation. As the United States is dependent at the present time upon foreign countries, chiefly Germany and France, for about 90 per cent of its potash, the desirability of developing domestic reserves of potash is evident."

The Sheppard bill recently was reported favorably from the Senate committee. The Sheppard bill proposes a five-year program with an annual appropriation of \$500,000 for the geological survey and \$50,000 annually for the Bureau of Soils, Department of Agriculture, the latter to carry on the research work in other directions for the recovery of potash. The total appropriation would be \$2,750,000.

A similar bill passed the Senate two years ago, but failed to reach a vote in the House.

INSANE

The Record received this week the following letter from the law firm of Johnson & Johnson at Houston: Whipkey Printing Co., Colorado, Texas.

Gentlemen: This will inform you that H. H. (Herman Homer) Waddell was adjudged insane in this city and county on March 18, 1926.

Very truly yours, JOHNSON & JOHNSON

RUNNELS COUNTY IS WEST TEXAS LEADER WITH 71,288

In a report of the Texas cotton crop for 1925 and 1924 the U. S. department of commerce figures show that fifteen counties of the territory surrounding Abilene produced 542,655 bales the past season, in comparison to 494,626 for 1924.

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Runnels county wrested the West Texas cotton producing championship from Jones by the scant margin of 16 bales, while Taylor was third and Haskell fourth in this section. The four counties produced 247,434 bales, counting round bales as half bales.

Runnels and Jones counties with 71,288 and 71,272 bales respectively took seventh and eight among all counties of the state, while Taylor ranks fifteenth.

The state crop is placed at 4,097,009 bales, a decrease of 753,947 bales from the 1924 crop. Counties of central and northeast Texas show a considerable decrease in production. Ellis, usually the banner county, dropped from 122,241 bales in 1924 to 79,182, and ranks second in the state to Collins which ginned 91,443 bales. Fannin county's crop held its own while Navarro lost. Lamar and Hunt show better production the past season than in 1924.—Abilene Reporter.

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The State of Texas, to all persons interested in the welfare of Mrs. L. H. Weatherly, a person of unsound mind, M. Carter was by the county court of Mitchell county, Texas, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1925 duly appointed temporary guardian of the estate of said Mrs. L. H. Weatherly, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said court, commencing on the First Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 3rd day of May, 1926, at the court house thereof, in Colorado, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Mrs. L. H. Weatherly, a person of unsound mind, may appear and contest such appointments if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Colorado, Texas, this 16th day of March, 1926. (SEAL) J. LEE JONES, Clerk of County Court Mitchell County, Texas. 4-2c

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