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Over 200 Attend Firemen's Banquet

FORMER WINTERS BOY COMMITS SUICIDE

Continuing a custom which has prevailed between the two volunteer fire departments of Winters and Ballinger for the past several years, the local fire department staged what was perhaps the largest banquet ever held in this city last Tuesday evening in the Woodrow building on South Main street when some seventy-five or eighty Ballinger firemen with their invited guests and the local organization with its honorary members and invited guests gathered around the banquet table, bringing the total number in attendance up to about 200.

Carl Henslee of the Winters State Bank, in his usual jovial and happy way, was the toastmaster for the occasion and his ready wit and jokes in announcing the numbers on the program provoked many a hearty laugh.

After the invocation by Chaplain Gid J. Bryan of the local fire department, two vocal numbers were pleasingly rendered by Miss Marie Hill. Toastmaster Henslee then informed the audience that the distinguished, red-headed gentleman sitting at his right was not Governor Dan Moody, only "Red" Robertson, secretary of the Winters chamber of commerce, who would give the welcome address. After addressing the toastmaster, ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Robertson said:

"It affords me great pleasure to welcome this group of visitors on behalf of one of the best volunteer fire departments in the state of Texas, and as I say these few trite remarks I realize that I am welcoming a group of people who as an organization rate no less than our local organization."

"When I say that we have present two of the best organizations of their kind this evening, it carries with the statement a great deal of praise, for Texas is like Carl Henslee's foot, it covers a lot of territory. We who are natives of Texas cannot help but feel a glow of pride in our nativity and I hope that we fully appreciate her boundless area and magnificent dimensions. To get the proper idea of her size, extending from the first break of day to the last glow of the golden twilight, it is necessary to combine states and empires for an illustration. Why, you could put New York, Colorado and Utah in the Panhandle of Texas and it would take a cowpuncher two weeks to find the borders of one of them. You can put all the New England States, with Illinois thrown in for good measure, and they would rattle around like peas in a pod. Georgia, Alabama, Delaware, Maryland and New Jersey could all be laid lovingly in the lap of Texas and each could be coddled and cared for with a mother's fond devotion. Do you know, my friends, that the waves of lake Michigan are nearer the northern borders of Texas than the billows of the Mexican Gulf?"

"If you could turn Texas on the map so that the northern border would act as a hinge, the Mexican population of Brownsville could trade their hot tamales to the fur dealers in Canada? Did you know that if you could turn Texas on her western border as a hinge, that the fruit growers of East Texas could load their products on the American fleet now floating two hundred miles out in the Pacific ocean? Do you know that it is a mathematical truth that every man, woman and child on this globe could come to Texas and each could have a town lot?"

"The Creator never shaped a fairer domain nor endowed one with more possibilities. Though she is one of the youngest in the nation, she is leading the nation in the production of many things. Texas is first in cotton production, second in

Child Knocked Down By Motor Truck Monday

Named to I. C. C.



The west sent one of her sons to serve on an important national body when Ezra Brainerd, Jr., of Muskogee, Okla., was appointed by President Coolidge a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, succeeding Frederick I. Cox, of New Jersey.

oil output, first in cattle raising. There was a time when the Texas cattle had more hide and less tallow, more horn and less beef, more hair and less milk than any other cattle in the world. But today our cattle are wearing the blue ribbons of the stock shows of the nation. There was a time when a Texas razorback hog could out run an automobile or out root the steam shovel. If all the razorbacked hogs in Texas a few years ago could have been moulded into one great hog, I believe that he could have rooted out the Panama Canal at one root and never twisted his tail. Today the fame of ham-gravy and streaked bacon of the Texas hog is known wherever the dinner bell is rung or the banquet board spread. Texas also leads the world in the production of onions. There are enough onions grown in Texas each year to perfume the breath of every man, woman and child in the entire world. When these Bermuda beauties of the Rio Grande made their debut in the horticultural society of this country, the mild-eyed Irish potato shed tears, the beet crop hid its blushing face and the cabbage bowed their heads in envy of this sweet-scented golden slippered Cinderella of the Southwest. Everything in Texas is rich and productive. Our horses wear checks on their heads, our chickens have bills, our chimneys have drafts and every man who has energy to push a lawnmower gets a rake-off. Last week a local produce house shipped a carload of hens to Chicago and they laid enough eggs en route to pay the freight.

"Texas has more railroad than any other state in the Union and while riding over the many miles within her borders you will pass through corn fields equal in size to Illinois, wheat fields as large as the Dakotas, rice plantations like unto Louisiana; you will ride by the largest sawmill in the world, pass the largest gin in the world, see the largest compress in the world, see the largest cotton exporting port in the world, see the greatest oil refinery in the world, see the port which leads in the exportation of oil in the world, and see the youngest and best governor in the entire United States.

"Texas is a growing state. New

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James Clubb, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clubb, suffered a painful accident last Monday morning when he was struck by a car driven by Chas. L. Chapman. The little fellow stepped off the sidewalk in front of Dry & Wilson's store and walked between two cars that were parked close together. He began talking to another child and started backing into the street from between the cars. Mr. Chapman was attempting to pass another car which was parked in the street and struck the child on the right side of the head with the fender of his car. It was just another one of those unavoidable accidents.

He was immediately carried to the Winters Sanitarium where he received medical aid. After the examination the physicians stated that there was a small fracture of the skull.

He is doing very well at this time, however, and as yet an operation has not been necessary.

County Meet Drawing Near

As the date of the County Meet draws near we find the net men of Winters High School working in earnest. They realize that the competition will be harder than ever before. An array of tennis players are bidding for a place on the teams that will represent Winters in the coming meet. The fact that the meet will be held here makes it very imperative that should be satisfactorily represented by net stars.

The boys' tennis players are playing a round-robin schedule. The winner will represent the high school in the singles and the two runners-up will compose the double team.

The schedule is as follows: Tuesday-Robert Burton vs Brevard Bedford, Parham Witt vs Gaylord Singleton.

Wednesday-Brevard Bedford vs Gaylord Singleton; Robert Burton vs H. K. Ried.

Thursday Parham Witt vs Robert Burton; H. K. Ried vs Brevard Bedford.

Friday-Robert Burton vs Gaylord Singleton; Parham Witt vs H. K. Ried.

Monday-Brevard Bedford vs Parham Witt; Gaylord Singleton vs H. K. Ried.

The first rounds for the girls' tournament is as follows:

First match- Marie Griffis vs Ina Mae Owens.

Second match- La Vere Neely vs Clementine McCoughan.

Third match- Victoria Dry vs Isabel Adams.

Fourth match- Clara Nell McAdams vs Margaret Nicholson.

Fifth match- Ruth Stephenson vs Lucille Neely. Maggie Sue drew the bye.

Miss Wells is coach of tennis and will have charge of the tournament. Coach Wells is working hard with the players and has high hopes of producing winners for the meet.

Mrs. H. F. Busher, who lives on route 5, was a caller at our office Thursday and had us enter her name on our subscription list for another year. Mrs. Busher is one of the first subscribers to the Enterprise, having been a regular reader for the past eighteen years.

Last Number Lyceum To Be Here March 23

A VERSATILE ENTERTAINER.



MISS ANNE VARNER BAKER Who Appears in the Last Number of the Lyceum Course at the Queen Theatre Wednesday, March 23.

The Anne Varner Baker Company, the last number of the Lyceum, will be here Wednesday, March 23rd, at the Queen Theatre. The program will begin at 8:15, immediately after the prayer meeting hour.

Miss Baker, for whom the company is named, is a young lady of many talents and everything she presents is well done. Those who like a variety of entertainment will find her work different and intensely interesting. She is assisted by Miss Esther Baldwin, pianist and pianologist. Miss Baldwin is a graduate of Emerson College of oratory and studied at the New England conservatory of music. She is a young lady of charming personality and contributes materially to the success of the company.

The program is a musical program combined with colored crayon sketches, clay modeling, shadowgraphs, costume impersonations, piano solos, ventriloquism and piano solos.

Every number of the Lyceum has been of the highest class of entertainment and well worth the price of admission and those who have failed to see the other numbers have missed a treat and this last number promises to be even better than the preceding ones.

Dining Room at Hotel Winters Open

The dining room at the new Hotel Winters was opened yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bradley in charge.

Excellent meals will be served on week days and special dinners will be prepared for Sundays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley are experienced in the hotel business and the opening of the dining room at Hotel Winters will add much to its service.

Don't forget the Community-Wide Singing Sunday, March 20, at the Baptist church at 3 p. m. Come and call for any song of your choice and the singers will be glad to sing it for you.

"M" System to Be Open Wednesday

W. E. Dunnam, a former resident of this city but for the past eight years a resident of Eliasville, Texas, closed a deal the first of this week whereby Dunnam Bros. became the owners of the local "M" System grocery store, and is making arrangements to open same for business Wednesday of next week.

W. E. Dunnam, who will manage the store, says he intends to run the business in strict accord with the "M" System policy, eliminating all lines of goods which do not come under the policy or plan upon which "M" System stores are operated.

No doubt many old-timers of Winters and this section will remember Mr. Dunnam and The Enterprise joins his group of oldtime friends in welcoming him and family to the business and social life of the city.

An announcement of interest to those charged with feeding the family upon an economical basis from the "M" System will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 14.—Robert Kellum Spence, 26 Mount Vernon, was found dead in his bed at 605 South Lake Street Sunday at 8:30 a. m. from a gunshot wound, pronounced self-inflicted at an inquest held by Justice Balch. Spence was a temporary resident of Fort Worth.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Fada Spence, Mount Vernon; and a brother, Rev. Albert Spence, Baptist minister living in Alabama.

The body was sent last night by the Gause-Ware Funeral Home to Mount Vernon for burial.

The above taken from Monday's Fort Worth Star-Telegram is of more than passing local interest, since Mr. Spence was a resident of this city until recently and was employed by the First National Bank. He resigned his position during January to enter Baylor Medical College at Dallas. He was not able to enter his work in the school until April, so had been working in Fort Worth and was living there at the time of his death. Mr. Spence, during his residence in Winters, gained a host of friends who mourn his death. He will be remembered long for his efficient, courteous service to his friends and the business people of Winters.

Ordering New Band Uniforms

The committee from the chamber of commerce raised money for buying the uniforms for the Junior Band last week and orders are being made out now for those uniforms. That uniform does not include either trousers or skirts which will be permanent property of the members. Due to the age of the members of the organization, it is inadvisable to buy skirts or trousers because they would not fit the members by the time they were worn out, but if they are allowed to own that part of their uniform they will have the privilege of wearing it on any occasion and will get full service out of it before it is outgrown.

The trousers and skirts must all come from the same piece of goods in order to guarantee uniformity, hence a reasonable priced sample of goods has been selected to make these from. This will make a nice uniform for growing boys and girls and yet will not be a loss to either the parents or the chamber of commerce.

Miss Bonnie Rives, who is teaching school at Littlefield, spent the past week-end at home with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Rives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chapman and two grandsons, David and Robert, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Guin at Concho Sunday. Mrs. Guin is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

Mrs. W. D. Farris of Ennis, left Wednesday for her home after a pleasant visit in the home of Miss Mollie Farrar.

RUNNELS COUNTY MEDICAL ASS'N. MET AT BALLINGER

The Runnels County Medical Association met in Ballinger Thursday, March 10th, at the offices of Drs. Love and Halley.

A program of unusual interest was given by two visiting doctors from Abilene. Dr. Snow read a paper a "Diseases of Children," while Dr. Cooper read one of "Diseases of the Kidney." This was followed by a round table discussion.

Those who attended from Winters were Drs. C. T. Rives, T. V. Jennings, J. W. Dixon and Fred Tinkle.

Poet-Lecturer Draws Good Crowd

A large and appreciative audience heard the program given at the Methodist church last Saturday evening by Thomas Elmore Lucey, the celebrated poet-lecturer.

Mr. Lucey opened the evening's program by a rendition of Kipling's "Gunga Din," impersonating a Hindu. Various other characters were very cleverly impersonated. The recital of "The Raven" and the impersonation of Edgar Allen Poe, with illustrated songs were interesting features of the program.

Mr. Lucey came to Winters under the auspices of the Literary and Service Club for the benefit of the high school and, we understand, a neat sum was realized.

The McMurray Debating Teams of Abilene passed through the city yesterday en route to Brownwood where they will debate the two Brownwood colleges this evening and tomorrow and tomorrow evening. Benton Neely, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Neely, was with the delegation, being a member of the Junior debating team.

Jewett Smith to Open New Store

Jewett Smith and his father, Jim Smith, returned home the latter part of last week from Fort Worth where they bought a complete new set of fixtures which, when received, will be arranged in the building which is being vacated by the Crest on North Main street, preparatory to the opening of a new grocery store and market. According to Mr. Smith it is now hoped to have the new store open and ready for business about the last Saturday in this month.

In announcing the opening of the new store, Jewett states that his father will be associated with him in the new venture and will have charge of the grocery department.

The Smiths are live-wire grocery-men and readers of The Enterprise and their friends will find an announcement concerning the new store in next week's issue.

Billy Sunday in Umpire's Role



One of the features of the big league training season in the south was a game at Tampa, Fla., which Billy Sunday, the famous ball player evangelist, umpired. The Senators played the Braves, and Bucky Harris, manager of the Washington team (left), is shown with Sunday and Dave Bancroft, Boston pilot.

lows: If Eve 814 Adam, 81,242 oblige Eve—total 82,056. We think this is not a sufficient quantity. For though we admit that Eve 814 Adam, Adam if he 8,081,242 keep Eve company—total 8,082,056.

All wrong, Eve, when she 81812 many, and probably she felt sorry for it, but her companion, in order to relieve her 812.

Therefore, when Adam 81,814,240, fy Eve's depressed spirits. Hence both ate 81,896,864 apples.

THIS AND THAT

The debaters are working steadily almost day and night on their speeches. They show improvement over last year and it is probable that they will be singing "On to Austin" soon.

It is not long until the High School student body will be in that beautiful new building which is the pride of the county as well as the school and city.

Signs of "Spring fever" are appearing among the student body. It will be noticed that many of the students are gazing out of the window with the "Old Swimming Hole" on the mind. Often the teachers are forced to give a light tap on the head or a few demerits to cause the student to awake from his dream.

The fact that the school is getting "green" indicates that "Spring 'am" here."

The seniors are getting more "dignity" daily.

Famous statement on excuses: "Deduct three points."

The Glee Club is to present an Operetta soon.

be clearer than if Eve 81 and Adam 812, the total was 893.

If Eve 811st and Adam 812, would not the total be 1,623?

The following is another solution: Eve 814 Adam, Adam 8124 Eve—total 8,938.

Still another calculation is as fol-

THE GALE—

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that they were not to work, but it made the work more interesting. Since the students knew that they would meet opponents, they were eager to work conscientiously and more steadily. This was not done for mere victory but naturally that was in mind, and thus, through real hard work the students were trained and developed.

Through the several years that contests have been used, the real purpose has come to be victory instead of development and training. This, I think, is a mistaken idea that the students have formed. Surely the students who work the hardest will be the victors.

LET'S WIN

Come on fellow students 'tis time to get to work.

Let's win the track meet, and never, never shirk.

'Tis time to start the fight, 'tis time to play up strong,

'Tis time to do our best, start the "On to Austin" song.

Come on fellow students, get a smile on every face.

Let's start out with determination to win every race.

We must keep those loving cups, you bet your life.

So come on play up strong, and we'll win the strife.

Moral: Keep the Win in Winters.

OTHER PICTURES MADE FOR THE GLACIER

Last Friday, the Dramatic Club, Girls Basketball, Boys Basketball and individual pictures were made for the Glacier. After a few other pictures are made the Glacier will be ready for publication. The staff hopes to have the Glacier ready by the last of School. This, however, will not be possible unless the student body cooperates with the staff and have their pictures made as soon as possible.

The 1927 Glacier will probably be the best annual High has published. It will contain many things which will be interesting and valuable as a memory of that glorious year of '27.

The Glacier will contain in connection with the pictures, a report of all classes, their history, the calendar of the year, social activities, review of athletics, and a fable concerning the Kingdom of Iceland, consisting of the royal family, the representatives, the different tribes and many other characters of interest. Remember that there are only nine annals left, you cannot fail to have one. Buy now.

ADAM AND EVE AND THAT APPLE

How many apples did Adam and Eve eat? Some say Eve 8 and Adam 2—a total of 10 only. Now we figure the thing out differently. Eve 8 and Adam 8 also—total 16.

And yet the above figures are entirely wrong. If Eve 8 and Adam 82, certainly the total would be 90. Scientific men, however reason something like this: Eve 81 and Adam 82, total 163. Wrong again; what could

MILES GIANTS REORGANIZE

Miles, March 1.—Baseball fans and members of the 1926 Miles Ball Club, known as the Miles Giants, met recently and reorganized for the ensuing season. Sam Farmer, Jr., was elected manager to fill the vacancy of A. E. Williams. Howard Moore was elected field captain and A. E. Williams official scorer.

Several new men are bidding for places in the club and will make the hold-overs from last year hustle for

their respective positions. The infielders from last year who will be with the club are R. Bauman, Howard Moore, Frank White, L. Bauman, and H. Bauman, with Weldon Reichert, a young aspirant, trying for a position. In the outfield there will be Bob Young, "the old reliable," who led the club last year in hitting and Jack White hold-overs, with Joe Gipson and Henson Alagood to fight for the other berth. The club has as catchers, Smith and Curry, both old heads, and for mound men, Rosser, Donalson, Hamilton and Buck Thornton a youngster.

Work-out started March 1st. The

new ball park will be ready at the opening of the playing season and will be a great asset to the club.

The Miles Giants' boast of having one of the best amateur home talent ball clubs in West Texas, and were open for games by any and all West Texas clubs after March 15th.

Best by Test. Eat at Autreys. Others dictate; we suggest. Eat at Autreys.

Mrs. S. C. Saylor of Snyder, came in Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lloyd.

The
Little Theatre Group
PRESENTS

"KEMPY"

A Three Act Comedy

Friday Night, March 25

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Bob Bacon's Baul-Bearing Boobs

Music by E. M. Shepperd's Orchestra

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WE HAVE purchased the M System Store and will open for business Wednesday, March 23rd. We are operating under the "M" System franchise and so far as possible in accordance with the methods and practices of this great chain store organization.

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We will also carry in connection a complete line of fresh and cured meats, offering at all times the best that years of experience and careful selection make it possible for us to procure.

We are not strangers in Winters and its trade territory. Eight years ago we left and since that time have been in business in the oil towns of Stephens and Young counties. We are glad to be back home and extend to every man, woman and child in Winters and its trade territory the invitation to visit us on our opening day. We will have something Extra to offer you.

Two changes which will be inaugurated by the new management are:—

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"With ordinary care Firestone tires give thousands of miles of trouble-free service. They give 'Most Miles per Dollar' and as to comfort, safety and economy they lead the entire field."

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

Whereas God, the great and supreme Ruler of the Universe has, in His infinite wisdom, taken unto Himself from our midst one of our worthy and esteemed brothers, J. W. Byers; and Whereas, The strong and intimate relations held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in the Pumphrey Baptist Church make it eminently befitting that we record our appreciation of him; therefore be it

Resolved that the removal of such a life from among us leaves a vacancy that will be deeply realized by all the members and friends of this organization and will prove a serious loss to the community, but that we cherish the memory of his life and influence as an example of noble Christianity as a dutiful brother, devoted husband, friend and neighbor.

He was never a man to take active public part in society; but quiet and unassuming, he built into the lives of his children the great ideals he loved and cherished; be it resolved, that we extend to his beloved family our deepest sympathy and commend them to our loving Savior, who said,

"What I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter."

Our brother is not dead but has entered into life a richer, fuller, grander, nobler life. He has stepped out of our presence into the presence of the King. We bow in humble submission to our Father, who doeth all things well, and wait for the glorious day of resurrection and reunion. Be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be given the family, a copy be recorded in the minutes of the church, and a copy be furnished the Winters Enterprise for publication. Committee: Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. W. P. Loyd., Dick Pinegar.

Mrs. Floyd Asks For Re-Election

I am asking for the office of City Secretary for another term. I have given the very best work I was capable of during the term now ending and my work seems to be entirely satisfactory to the mayor and city council. These men know better than anyone else how the books have been kept and I refer the voters to them as to whether or not I have been competent and diligent in my duties. However, I know that the experience gained the last two years will enable me to do much better work the next term than I have in this, because it is no simple matter to take charge of this office and become familiar with all the many duties that are required of the secretary. I feel that I am just now getting to where I can do the best work.

Some of you have been displeased when I could not reduce your water bills or your taxes but please understand that I had no choice in the matter but was only trying to carry out the duties required of me by the city council.

I need the work badly but never have and do not now ask any favors on that account. I expect to render as much service as could be had from anyone and I assure you that if you see fit to elect me again I will do all in my power to make the best secretary you ever had.

Please do not expect me to see each of you personally, as it will be impossible without neglecting the duties of the office.

Respectfully,
(Adv.) ROXIE FLOYD.

The government now controls all broadcasting stations except congress.

Harmony

The business of the branch is to bear fruit. The life comes from the vine. Have you considered Christ, the vine, Christians the branches? Study how to live close to Christ in B. Y. P. U. Sunday night at 6:45. Bring some one with you.

Mrs. Lillie West and daughter, Miss Vivian, spent the week-end with friends in San Angelo and Christoval. Miss Vivian purchased a fine Poodle puppy in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vernon and family visited relatives near Winters Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pumphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Billups were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhoades Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doff Hodges of Oplin, spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tunnell.

Mr. H. C. Clark of Abilene was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd England Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seals and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Ballinger.

Misses Alice Worthington, Vivian and Fay Roper, visited Miss Vera Cummings Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Cummings gave an entertainment Saturday evening. All present report a delightful evening.

Messrs. Fletcher and Floy England and wives and sister, Miss Alma, went to Abilene Saturday night, where they played for the entertainment to raise funds for the old Confederates of that city to attend the reunion at Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. Truett Billups visited Mrs. Roy Pumphrey Monday.

Mr. Lee Seals attended the Fat

'Havoc' Smashing Success at the Queen Next Week

There are two kinds of havoc in the William Fox production by that name which opens at the Queen Theatre Monday and Tuesday, March 21 and 22.

The story in brief, is of two men whose life-long friendship is ruined by their love for one selfish woman. She could not decide which of them she loved, and neither of them realized the truth—that she was incapable of loving anyone but herself. Circumstances made one of them a captain and the other a lieutenant in the same company. In a fit of mad jealousy, this captain sent his friend into the most exposed position on the line, ordering him to hold on there, even after headquarters had given the command for a retreat. Many lives were lost needlessly—including that of the captain himself, who committed suicide. But the woman went on serenely and "did not understand." She couldn't.

The captain is played, in a masterful manner, by Walter McGrail, and his young rival by George O'Brien. Margaret Livingston has the vampire role, and Madge Bellamy appears as a most appealing Red Cross nurse. Leslie Fenton, a young juvenile actor, makes a minor role so alive and compelling that he stands out favorably among the principal players.

Stock Show at Fort Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. Billie Reels have moved to the Giles farm.

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No Rouge on These Misses Now



San Francisco had a little war recently, in which it was charged that the rouge and make-up that teachers used was being copied by the girl pupils. Here are three of the girls after they had had their faces washed. At the right is Frances Virginia Creel, daughter of George Creel, whose wife is Blanche Bates, the former actress. Women's clubs campaigned against the teachers using rouge.

Others in the cast are Eulalie Jensen, David Butler, Hervey Clark, Wade Boteler and Captain Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis are entertaining a new son in their home since March 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson of Wingate, are the proud parents of a new daughter, born March 16th.

Commander Byrd announces that he will try next to fly over the South pole. If there's anything in a name he will get there.

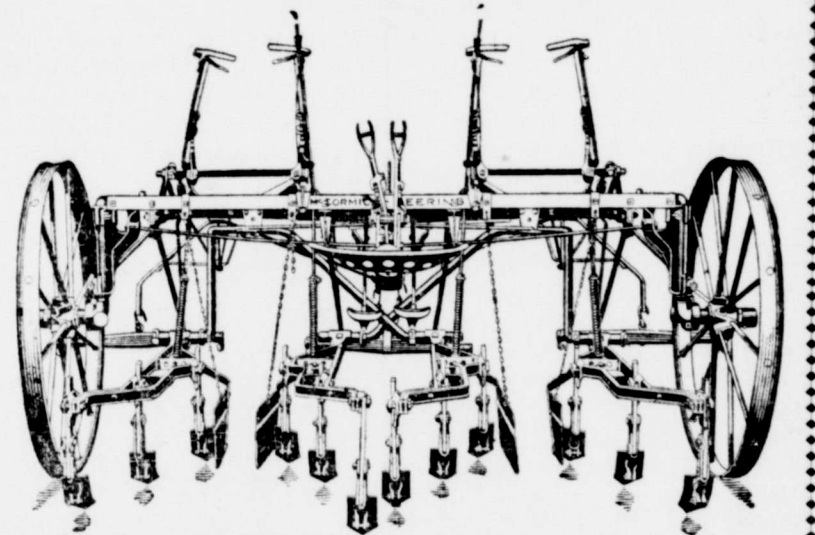
E. M. Shepperd returned from Belton Monday where he had gone to move his family to Winters. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Shepperd but their daughter, Mildred, was detained on account of illness but is expected to arrive this week. The Shepperds will make their home at A. C. Harrison's on Church street.

Rev. H. H. Stephens, who has been conducting a training school under the auspices of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church at Paris, Texas, returned home the first of the week.

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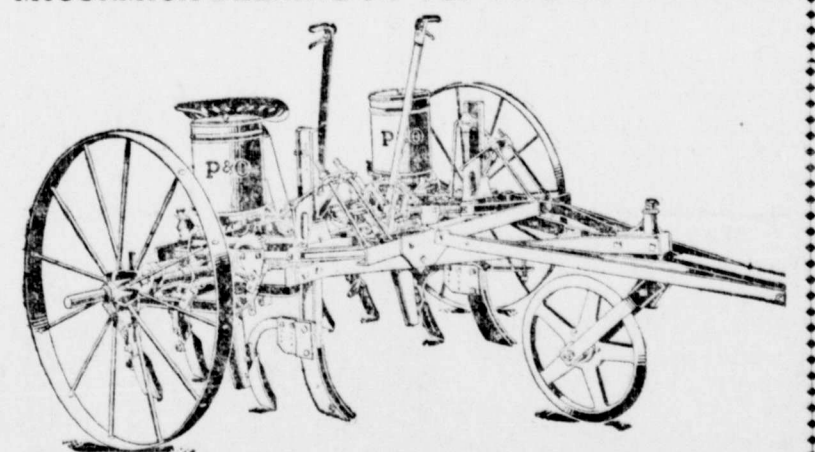
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The Feminine Billy Sunday



These three pictures of Mrs. Aimee Semple McPherson, the famous Los Angeles evangelist, who now is touring the United States, reveal the dramatic power by which she sways audiences. Mrs. McPherson has been having varied experiences on her tour. In some cities her lectures have made a profit; in others few have turned out to hear her. In Indianapolis she sustained a \$3000 deficit.

FISHIN'
In the springtime when the sun begins to warm the surface of the old terrestrial sphere there breaks out in every land and clime an awful malady which grips the will power of man. When the days are warm, when the sap begins to rise, when the angle worms begin to burrow through the soil, then the microbe known as Bacillus Psices begins to work in the system of man. This disease is caused by various types of bacteria in accordance with the geography of the country.

In the mountainous countries where the streams are swift and the water is cool the disease is caused by an organism known as Bacillus Troutes, in the country of stagnant pools it is caused by Bacillus Cats, and in others it is merely known as the Fish Bugs. The malady knows no bounds of race or color. It affects the members of the Caucasian race as well as the Red Man who formerly inhabited the wilds of this great country. If there is any race that is more susceptible it is the Ethiopian, yet no race has ever yet established immunity against the disease. Most of the symptoms of Fishin' have first been noticed in the Negro in fact we usually learn most of the disease from him by watching his actions on a sunny afternoon in March. With a can of Fish worms, a cane pole, and a hook with a nail for a sinker he will usually slip quietly away to the banks of some creek and there day dream while the Perch molest the bait which he has cast to them after carefully expectorating upon it "for luck".

There are two stages of Fishin'. The first appears at an early age of the youth and is more prevalent among boys than girls. This is called the Juvenile Stage. It manifests itself in the early days of spring, usually about the first days of bare-foot and straw hat warmth. It causes an early headache to the youth on school days and by noon the original symptom of headache has disappeared and the next symptom is a restless-

ness and a tendency to hunt up the grubbing hoe and seek some place that is loamy and has signs of being rich in angle worms. When once the victim of the disease gets in sight of water there is little hope for no matter what treatment is given then the patient can only be gotten back to shelter by nightfall, a long string of fish or fear of being permanently cured. This is one of the awful tendencies of the disease, that is that the patient himself has no desire to be cured.

Juvenile Fishin' grows and in later years it seems to break out again even in a more malignant form, for in old age it is usually fatal. No person has ever recorded a case where Senile stage of Fishin' has ever been cured. It affects the patient by much same primary symptoms as those listed above but is much more persistent. It is not of the recurring type as the Juvenile stage but is constantly gnawing at the will power of the older man. It usually brings on quiet brooding while on the banks of the stream, and when in company of other patients of the same stage of the disease it is characterized by exaggeration and some say that they even indulge in falsifying. Usually the subject of their falsehoods is the size of the fish they have caught. In the Senile stage of the disease the patient should be humored, and allowed his way for there is little that can be done until death shall finally come to transplant him to that Happy Fishin' Stream where there shall be no wife to nag him for Fishin'.

A. P. Jordan returned Tuesday from Roby where he had been attending to business interests.

Mrs. Carl Henslee and Mrs. Chas. Chapman were visitors in Abilene Tuesday.

Flaming youth sometimes cooks its own goose.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hickman went to Coleman Sunday for a brief visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. S. Cobb. Mr. Hoover recently cut a 600-pound pie at a California dinner, and but posterity will remember him for his war bread.

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Carl Davis
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National Figures to Attend Convention

Wichita Falls, Texas, March 15
Detailed plans for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention May 16th and 17th are rapidly being completed by the Staff of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce co-operating. While the program proper is for two days, a three-day program is being arranged. As the Convention comes on Monday and Tuesday, Wichita Falls is expecting thousands of visitors on Sunday preceding and a program for that day is being arranged. From present indications this Convention the ninth in the history of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the biggest ever held. Wichita Falls is planning to entertain 50,000 visitors.

A unique feature is being planned for this year's Convention in that a Congress of Nations is being featured. It is planned to have as many cities or towns of West Texas come to represent some foreign nation, to dress in correct costumes and to carry the flag of the nation represented. Within a few days the countries to be assigned will be announced. If the colors of the nations are carried out properly, the big Convention Parade which will be staged Monday, May 16, will be one of the most colorful parades the Convention has ever seen. This parade has always been a big feature. At the Amarillo convention last year it was more than three miles long and forty-two uniformed bands marched in the procession. It is expected more than fifty uniformed bands will attend this year and take part in the contest for which prizes of \$5,000 have been offered.

Several prominent national figures will deliver addresses during the Convention. The Hon. James J. Davis, United States Secretary of Labor, has accepted the invitation of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to attend and deliver an address on the second day. The Hon. Nicholas Longworth and wife, Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth, have been invited to attend.

An acceptance from them, however, has not been received. Mr. Longworth has been asked to address the convention on the second day. Among other prominent speakers will be the new President of the United States Chamber of Commerce. He will speak on Monday. Governors Moody of Texas, Dillion of New Mexico and Johnson of Oklahoma are also expected at the Monday morning meeting to bring greetings from the three respective states. While Sunday is not included in the Convention program proper, it will be a day full of activity. At the eleven o'clock service visiting laymen from the centers of West Texas will be asked to fill the pulpits and bring to the various congregations messages befitting the day. In the

afternoon the Hon. Morris Shepard, Senior United States Senator from Texas, will deliver a patriotic address in the convention headquarters.

J. M. Johnson was a visitor to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth the past week-end.

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

PAULINE MALLINGATE has been strangely absent from her home in London for 18 months. Her mother and sister, Lorna, have communicated with her through a forwarding address in Paris.

HENRY EMERSON, step-father of the two girls, has now vanished mysteriously from a summer resort where he had been staying with Lorna and her mother.

DR. JULIAN EMERSON claiming to be a relative of the missing man, has persuaded Lorna and her sick mother to leave the resort with him. This after he has told Lorna that her stepfather had no right to marry her mother, and Lorna in turn has explained Henry Emerson's absence to her mother by telling her he has been taken suddenly ill and rushed to London. Dr. Emerson, however, breaks faith with the two women by taking them to a strange house in the country, where they are kept virtually prisoners.

GERALD CRAVEN, Lorna's lover, in his hunt for some clue to the missing family, tells the whole story to Mrs. Bertha Northwood, a mutual friend. Later in a restaurant Mrs. Northwood recognizes a young woman whom she believes to be Pauline. Investigation brings out the fact that this woman is known as Mrs. Creswold, living at "The Moat," not far from Mrs. Northwood's place in Yorkshire.

Mrs. Northwood finds that a girl of her acquaintance in the nearby village has accepted a situation at "The Moat." She questions the girl, Ellen Storey, at length without arousing suspicion and then asks the most essential question of all, "Who engaged you?"

NOW GO WITH THE STORY

"Oh, it is the young lady who lives at The Moat, Mrs. Creswold. Very pretty and very sweet spoken, but she looks ill I thought, and a bit worried. She told me that she brought down servants from London, but they wouldn't stop. I suppose they had been listening to this fool's gossip about ghosts."

"Well, I hope you will be comfortable and happy," said Mrs. Northwood, and this time she drove away.

The idea that had come suddenly into Lorna's mind strengthened gradually.

To all outward appearances she and her jailer (for she now did not



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hesitate to call Julian Emerson this) sat chatting pleasantly under the trees as they drank their tea, and the more natural and easy she forced herself to be, the more the girl realized she puzzled the man.

She kept the conversation to trivial matters until as she caught sight of Kassan looking out of one of the windows of the house, she turned to Emerson.

"You have traveled a great deal of course in the east?"

He nodded his head.

"Yes, I have moved about a goodish bit—I may say that I have made a tour of the world."

"I have always wanted to travel," Lorna said thoughtfully. "What part of your eastern travels interested you the most?"

"China," he answered without hesitation. "I like the Chinese. They are a queer old race; and despite the fact that magazine story-tellers choose to put them in a very sinister light, I think they are the most trustworthy, the most conscientious, and the most loyal people in the world."

"Excellent qualities," Lorna said with just a tiny little sneer in her voice.

He gave her a quick look and then laughed.

"Yes, I suppose you do find it rather strange to associate me with

such desirable qualities."

She laughed back.

"Well, really, Dr. Emerson, I don't know you."

He nodded his head.

"Of course that's true—and so far as our acquaintanceship has gone, it has not inspired you with a desire to get to know me?"

"On the contrary," Lorna Mallingate answered him quietly, "I desire very much to know you better. You promise to be an interesting study! A contradiction as far as

one can judge from superficial knowledge."

"I am a fighter, Miss Mallingate," Emerson said when he spoke, which was not immediately. "If I cannot get what I want easily, I take it in my own way. I don't know whether you call that playing a straight game?"

He sat frowning, looking straight ahead. And then he turned to her suddenly.

"What did you know of Henry Emerson before he came to live with you?"

She answered him promptly.

"Nothing. He came to us as an absolute stranger. We advertised for someone to share our house—he answered the advertisement."

"You had references, of course?"

"Excellent references," Lorna said. "We were given his bankers, his lawyers and the head of a shipping office in the city. I took up these references myself."

"What was the name of the solicitor?" inquired Julian Emerson.

"He belonged to the firm of Wyld and Pettigrew; his name was Richards. You know the firm of Wyld & Pettigrew?"

"Can't say I do," Emerson answered.

"Their office is in Gray's Inn," Lorna explained. "What a delightful old place that is!"

"Never been there," he remarked. "You don't know these lawyers who act for your uncle? But perhaps Mr. Henry Emerson is not your uncle?"

He looked at her and he laughed, showing his even white teeth.

"Did Henry Emerson never mention any of his relatives?"

She shook her head.

"I think you are a very wonderful young creature," the man said. "There are things about you which appeal to me. You are clever, Lorna Mallingate!"

She laughed in her turn.

"Well, that remains to be proved, you know. I am very British, which means that I have a great deal of a sport in me, and I know when I am beaten. Of course I would prefer to be beaten fairly, outwardly, honorably, but if I can't have that as a consolation, I must submit to circumstances." Then she leaned forward and spoke half passionately,

"Show me that you treat my mother badly, and then I will show you how I can use my brains!"

"I have told you," Julian Emerson said, and he rose because she had got out of her chair, "that I am going to take care of your mother. I don't know exactly how bad you think I am, but I am not quite skunk enough to hurt a delicate creature like her." He stretched out his hand suddenly. "Shake my hand on that."

But Lorna did not take his hand. She only stood and looked at him, and tears suddenly came into her eyes.

"Dr. Emerson," she said in a low voice, "I wish I could take your hand . . . it would give me real pleasure to be able to give you some proof that I trusted you. But while we stand in the strange position in which you have brought us, I am sorry I cannot play at friendship—it means too much to me."

She turned quickly as she said these words and walked across the

lawn. And Julian Emerson sat biting his lip half savagely as he watched her go. She was so young; physically he could have crushed her; almost killed her with his two hands, yet there was something in her spirit, in the tone of her voice, in the way she held her head, something that gave a suggestion of an equal strength with his own.

He stood lost in thought for a moment; then he gave a short laugh, flung himself into a chair, took out his pipe, filled it and lit it.

NEXT CHAPTER! Ellen Storey brings strange news.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses extended us during the illness and death of our baby. May you be surrounded by such good friends when the dark hour of life comes to you.—A. W. Nix and family, Wingate, Texas.

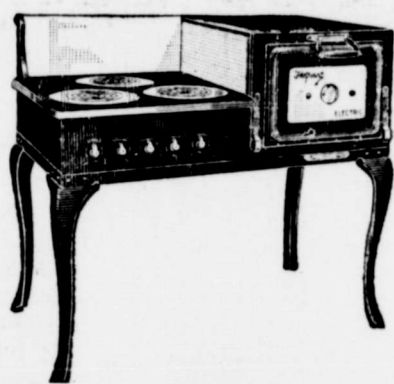
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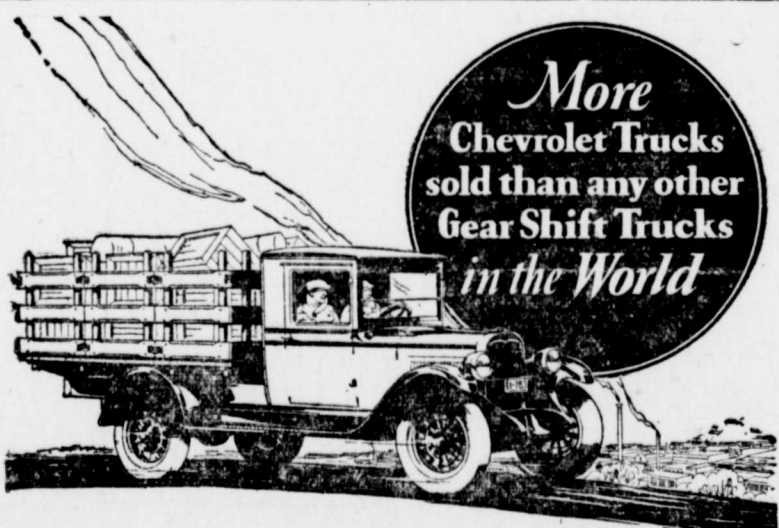
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Firemen's Banquet

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Texas lands were being put under the plow at the rate of 386,000 acres annually. Last year the wholesalers of Texas did \$800,000,000 worth of business. In 1900 there were 50,000 cotton spindles in Texas, now there are 250,000. To traverse her highways would it take a man in a Ford car traveling at the rate of 200 miles per day two and one-half years. We do things on a large scale in Texas. A young collegian from Boston wrote back to his conservative New England parents that the people of West Texas had large electric fans in their pastures to keep the cattle cool. We have reason to be proud of these two splendid organizations present here this evening.

"I would say that we are glad to have you here this evening, not because we think we owe it to you, or because it was our pleasure to be your guests last. We do not welcome you for any other reason or pretense save that we wanted you as our guests and want you to feel that Ballinger's interests are our interests, your prosperity our prosperity, yours joys are our joys."

The response was made by Chief Louis Cohen of the Ballinger Fire Department who, after "getting back" at Toastmaster Henslee for stating in his introduction of Mr. Cohen that the latter would tell why he had never married, and paying his respects to the "Jew" jokes which had preceded him, expressed the appreciation of the Ballinger delegation for the evening's entertainment.

Two readings were given by Miss Wells which drew the applause of the audience, after which H. W. Lynn spoke on the subject, "Cohen's Candidacy." Before making his talk Mr. Lynn cleared off a portion of one of the tables and introduced little Miss Sara Lou Owens, the junior sponsor of the local fire department, who favored the audience by doing the Charleston on the cleared off table, amid the applause of the audience.

It might be well to state just here that the Ballinger Fire Department without the knowledge of Mr. Cohen, has announced their chief as a candidate for Fourth Vice-President of the State Firemen's Association, and it was upon this subject that Mr. Lynn grew eloquent, the conclusion the speaker drew being that the combined efforts of the Ballinger and Winters Volunteer Fire Departments would be responsible for the election of a Jew to this honored position.

"What a Good Fire Department Means to a Town," was the subject spoken to by Doug Motley, secretary of the Ballinger chamber of commerce, who admitted that he did not have any statistics on the subject and was advised by Chief Cohen to "lay off" of statistics and tell facts. Mr. Motley's conclusion was that if the fire departments were responsible for nothing more than such pleasant evenings and gatherings as the one of last Tuesday, they would be more than worth the money.

A male quartette composed of Messrs. R. E. Bacon, Clarence Gambill, David Bruton and Fred Bedford sang three numbers which "brought down the house" and so prolonged was the applause that they encountered considerable difficulty in returning to their seats.

Chief Williams of the local organization, talked on "What the Fellowship That Now Exists Between the

Two Departments Means to Both Towns." He stated, among other things, that the fellowship existing between the two departments not only calls for co-operation when it comes to fighting fires, but in every other laudable undertaking, and especially the electing of Chief Cohen as fourth vice-president of the state organization.

Miss Mildrena Reasonover of Ballinger, was called upon by the cheering of the audience to read, and gave two numbers in a very artistic manner, drawing the hearty applause of the banqueters. Others to make short talks were County Judge Paul Trimmer, Messrs. Elmer Shepperd and Estes Lynn of Ballinger, and E. A. Shepperd of this city.

The banquet, which was served in three courses, was prepared and served by the Parent-Teacher Association and the proceeds will be used to help pay for the grand piano recently bought by this organization and presented to the schools to be placed in the new high school building which is now nearing completion. We have been requested by this organization to express their thanks to Mr. Woodrow for the use of the building, the Nance-Brown Motor Co., for the use of their sales rooms and offices for use as cloak Co., Inc., for the use of lumber in making the tables. And in behalf of the Fire Department, we wish to and hat rooms and Wm. Cameron & thank Clyde Boone, local manager of the Hall Music Co., for the piano used on this occasion.

A very enjoyable feature of the evening was the music furnished during the banquet by the local orchestra under the direction of Bandmaster E. M. Shepperd.

The only regrettable feature of the affair was the fact that the invitation committee had limitations placed upon it which prevented it from inviting the entire citizenship of both cities.

"EAGLE OF THE SEA." A TALE OF PIRATE ROMANCE AND ADVENTURE

Ahoy there, lubbers! a fleet of plundering pirates is coming to town!

Hang out the banners. Get out your cutlasses and come on down to the Lyric next Wednesday evening or to the Queen Thursday for those are the dates on which Frank Lloyd's "The Eagle of the Sea" moves into harbor. Those who've read Charles Tenney Jackson's novel, "Captain Sazarac," know that it's the tale of Jean Lafitte, dashing devil-dog, last of the Spanish Main buccaneers.

Packed with action, romance and color, "The Eagle of the Sea" starts at a time when General Andrew Jackson is being welcomed back to the city he'd saved, New Orleans. Lafitte, a fugitive from justice, visits the town in disguise. While there, a number of things happen. He falls in love with the belle of the south, is recognized by Jackson, becomes involved in a plot to rescue Napoleon from St. Helena, succeeds in averting an international war and—but why continue? Certainly, after those few words, you too, will feel a stirring in your bones; pirates will once more move you to action even as they did when you were just a kid and—you'll be there to cheer "The Eagle" on.

Portugal has abolished the right to strike. It should go a step farther and abolish the right to revolt.

Drasco

The Ladies Club did not meet with Mrs. Ernest Scott on March 7, but will meet March 21. All members are urged to be present.

The Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. J. C. Watts Wednesday. Acts 25 and 26 were studied. Next study will be in Royal Service.

The Methodist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Hugh Baker and enjoyed quilting an embroidered quilt. Refreshments were served and a social hour was much enjoyed.

Prayer meeting at the Methodist Church was conducted by Mr. Walter Smith. Mr. Hugh Baker will lead next time. All are invited to attend.

The Methodist revival will begin the fourth Sunday. May this be the greatest revival that this community ever experienced.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas McChristian are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, James Carroll. Congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. Gordon Nix and Mrs. Walter Daniels received the sad news of the death of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nix's child at Wingate. Sincere sympathies are extended.

Miss Ruth Wooten and Prof. J. C. Watts attended the declamation contest at Bradshaw and acted as judges.

Mr. Metlock of Shep was assessing taxes in the Drasco community this week.

Mr. Moody of Guion was a visitor in Drasco Thursday.

Misses Vesta Lewallen and Opal Baker attended an Epworth League Training School at Ballinger this week.

The Parent-Teachers Association met Thursday night with a large number of the patrons present. The program consisted of songs and recitations from each room, also several dialogues from the primary room. Prof. Watts gave two vocal solos. Talks were made by several patrons. Next meeting will be held second Thursday night in April.

Mrs. Partlow entertained a large number of relatives with a banquet this week.

Mrs. Will Puckett and daughter of Wilmett visited relatives here.

Mrs. Roy Blessings was in Winters Wednesday.

Mr. Jones of San Angelo is visiting his brother, Mr. Kirk Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Collinsworth of Southland, Texas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Roy Baker of Southland, a former resident of Drasco, is visiting his brother, Mr. Hugh Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker of Winters, Mrs. Robert White and children of Ballinger, Miss Ruby Baker of Hogan visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Baker Sunday.

Mrs. Alton Seaborn is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Baxter near Goldsboro, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. West and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Belew, Mr. Jesse Horn and Mrs. J. C. Belew were in Winters this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Horn visited in Bradshaw Sunday.

Rev. E. W. Sweenzen filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Saturday and Sunday.

AT THE QUEEN THEATRE WEDNESDAY EVENING

With the Anne Varner Baker Company, which is the last number of the Lyceum course, is featured the versatile entertainer for whom the company is named. Miss Baker is fully equipped to give a full program in any one of several lines of entertainment. Colored crayon sketches, clay modeling, shadowgraphs, parody on Punch and Judy, ventriloquism, costumed impersonations and songs, the dancing doll, the animated doll all combine to make her part of the evening's entertainment the most interesting imaginable. Miss Baker is assisted by Miss Esther Baldwin, pianist and pianologist. Her charming personality lends itself to the success of the very attractive numbers on the program of the Baker Company.

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WINTERS, TEXAS

LARGE NUMBER ATTEND WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO. SAFETY MEET IN BALLINGER

The regular monthly "Safety" meeting of the West Texas Utilities Co. in Groupe G, was held in Ballinger Wednesday evening at the company offices. Orchestra music was enjoyed throughout the evening and meetings were held separately for the men and ladies in which talks were given the ladies upon the uses and construction of electrical appliances, while the men listened to "safety first" talked by electrical experts, which while primarily intended for the employees, were also enjoyed by the guests.

A joint meeting was held in which J. D. Motley was in charge and a very interesting program rendered. Mrs. Gilbreath, the bride of Bob Gilbreath, an employe of the Ballinger office, was introduced and presented with "Maggie's weapon," and also a lovely percolator set, a gift from the West Texas Utilities Co.

Readings were given by Miss Mildred Spill and little Miss Geraldine Gaston, both of Winters, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spill and daughter, Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Hill, Mrs. L. R. Gaston and daughter, Geraldine and Mr. Thos. M. Haynes attended the meeting as guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. Vanzandt. H. A. Springer, Paul Rothermel and perhaps others whose names we failed to get, also attended from this city.

For sale, good young Jersey with calf; also one springer. — Higginbotham's. Itc

Announcements

The Enterprise is authorized to make the following announcement, subject to the will of the people, in the election to be held on Tuesday April 5th, 1927:

For City Secretary:
MRS. ROXIE FLOYD
(Re-Election)

Advance models of the Easter bonnet are already attracting attention.

FATHER OF MRS. J. W. PATTERSON DIES AT PLAINVIEW TUESDAY

News was received here Wednesday of the death of H. F. Meadows of Plainview, father of Mrs. J. W. Patterson of this city, which occurred Tuesday evening at 11:15. He had been ill for the past month and Mrs. Patterson had been at his bedside about two weeks.

Many friends here will remember

Mr. Meadows as he has visited here a number of times, and will regret very much to hear of his death.

We join a host of friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.

The Atlantic ocean having been traversed seven times by aircraft, the achievement is now passing into the commonplace.



"You Are Wasting Money and Risking Health"

THE family doctor had taken a look out in the kitchen—had found the uniced refrigerator.

"That, my dear madam, is senseless," he said. "The refrigerator is not a food chest; it is a miniature cold storage plant, but it requires ice. Food stored in an uniced refrigerator spoils rapidly—and spoiled food is costly stuff in more ways than one."

If your refrigerator has been uniced during the cold days just passed, call us today for a service which will save you money; protect your health; make food more palatable. Ice always pays for itself.

Winters Ice & Fuel

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We handle the highest class stocks possible to obtain and gladly make deliveries to any part of the city.

TRY US ONCE

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Social Activities

Diversity Club Elects New Officers.

The members of the Diversity Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Williams for the annual business meeting and election of officers.

Mrs. Robinson presided over the business session and a course of study for the next year was discussed. The report of the nominating committee was heard and the following officers were elected:

Mrs. J. W. Dixon, president.
Mrs. Carl Davis, vice-president.
Mrs. R. K. Russell, secretary.
Mrs. W. C. Nunnally, treasurer.
Mrs. J. M. Pyburn, parliamentarian.
Mrs. R. H. Henslee, press reporter.
The hostess, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Lindley of Brady, served a dainty refreshment plate of lemon milk sherbert and angel food cake to fifteen members present.

Mrs. Marshall Chapman Hostess to Literary and Service Club

Mrs. Marshall Chapman was hostess to the Literary and Service Club on last Thursday when they met in business session.

Mrs. G. E. Nicholson proved the efficient leader of the following program:

Song—"The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You."

The Early Development of Texas." Mrs. L. R. Gaston.

"Trees, Shrubs and Flowers Suitable to Our Climate."—Mrs. J. M. Skaggs.

"How to Attract Birds, and Other Laws Protecting Them."—Mrs. Bert E. Low.

"Beautiful Spots in Texas."—Mrs. Marshall Chapman.

Personal Glimpses of Texas."—Club Members.

Ego Amo Te Club Showers Recent Bride.

Miss Christine Boone was hostess to the Ego Amo Te Club last Thursday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. T. Smith.

The exciting game of progressive

"Bunco" was the diversion of the evening, until little Miss Mandylee Smith presented Mrs. Doye Campbell with a shower of miscellaneous gifts from the club members.

Delicious refreshments of perfection salad, wafers and ice tea, date cake and whipped cream were served to club members and invited guests.

Mrs. R. H. Henslee Entertained Martha Class.

The Martha Class of the Baptist church met with the president, Mrs. R. H. Henslee, in a regular business and social meeting last Tuesday evening.

Following the business meeting a contest of Biblical names was enjoyed.

The refreshment plate consisted of punch, cream puffs and peanuts.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES

At the beginning of the Sunday evening service, the Christian Endeavorers who attended the convention gave enthusiastic reports to the congregation. Each one showed that much good was accomplished at the convention and every one who attended came home filled with the C. E. spirit more than ever before.

Under the leadership of George Hall, the new District President, Brownwood District has won first place in raising their quota of registrations to the State convention which meets in Ft. Worth in June.

The Young People's C. E. met at the home of Mrs. W. R. Johnson Friday evening in a very interesting and helpful business meeting. Reports from the different committees showed that they are working at the job. The efficiency chart was checked up-to-date showing the definite work which has been accomplished. After the business meeting the social committee had planned an enjoyable social hour, serving refreshments of punch and cake.

Girls use face powder to remove the shine.

Leading Lady.



Little Joan Darling is filmdom's latest star. The four-year-old granddaughter of Frank Hamilton, former New York theatrical producer, is the new leading lady for "Our Gang" comedies being filmed in Hollywood.

To buy wisely, read the advertising.

If Mayor Rogers ever gets around to Beverly Hills he ought to be given the key to the city.

TO THE LADIES

Who wish to learn beauty parlor work, they will be given an opportunity in Winters by a former instructor of the Marinello School for two years and with many years of experience. Phone 22, The Beauty Parlor, for particulars. 46-2tc

Little boys who tell lies ride for half fare.

PEPPY WORKERS CLUB REPORT

Wingate, Texas.—Due to the fact that there was serious illness in the community and also other minor sickness, a number of the club members were prevented from attending the meeting held at Mrs. J. F. Dugger's on Wednesday, March 9th. Only seven answered roll call, namely: Mesdames C. A. Smith, V. M. Jones, W. G. Barnett, J. F. Dugger, Gordon Hensley, B. J. Smith and Lura Hollingsworth.

After an interesting business meeting, Mrs. Hollingsworth took charge and demonstrated, under "The School Lunch," Twin Mountain Muffins, topped with lemon icing; banana-rasin sandwiches, meringue and salad dressing, all of which was very appetizing and enjoyed by the ladies present.

We are sorry so many ladies were kept away and hope we have a 100 per cent attendance at Mrs. Bill Dean's on March 23rd, at which meeting our president, Mrs. C. A. Smith will demonstrate an entire meal cook in the steam pressure cooker. Be sure and get a taste.—Reporter Pro-tem.

INFANT DIES

Mildred, 1-year-old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nix, died at the family home at Wingate Thursday, March 10th.

The tiny body was prepared for burial by Spill Bros, undertakers, and laid to rest in the Wingate cemetery.

We extend to the bereaved parents our sympathy in the loss of their dear one.

MISS EMMA RENFROW PASSES AWAY AT ANGELO

Miss Emma Renfrow of the Wilmeth community, died at St. John's sanitarium at San Angelo Saturday, March 12th, following an operation for appendicitis.

Deceased was twenty-one years of age and had been making her home in San Angelo only a short time when she was stricken with a sudden attack of appendicitis, resulting in her untimely death. She was reared in the Winters country and for the past two years had made her home in Wilmeth.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Renfrow and a number of brothers and sisters.

Miss Renfrow was born in Polk county, Texas, February 3, 1906. She was converted and joined the Baptist church in 1921.

The body was conveyed from San Angelo to Wilmeth by Spill Bros. and laid to rest Sunday afternoon in the Wilmeth cemetery, services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Sam Malone of Abilene.

Sincere sympathy is extended the bereaved family in their sad loss.

"11c COTTON, 40c MEAT" POEM TELLS CONDITIONS

The predicament of the farmer who has raised only cotton during the past year, making no provision for food and feed crops may be found illustrated in the following poem, which was written by a high school girl of Hope and which has been printed in many Arkansas papers:

Eleven cent cotton and forty-cent meat,
How in the world can a poor man eat?
Flour up high and cotton down low,
How in the world can we raise the dough?
Our clothes worn out, shoes run down,
Old slouch hat with a hole in the crown;
Back nearly broken, fingers all sore,
Cotton going down to rise no more.
Eleven cent cotton and ten dollar pants,
Who in the devil has got a chance?
We can't buy clothes, we can't buy meat,
Got too much cotton and not enough to eat.
Losing our credit and ruining our health;
Can't help each other, what shall we do?
I can't solve the problem, so its up to you.
Eleven cent cotton and a carload of tax,
The load's too heavy for our poor backs;
We've a good set of farmers, we all know well,
But there's something wrong as sure as
We all worked hard, we all groaned and sweat,
Now we are all ruined and a blowed-up set,
No use talking, any man's beat

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With eleven cent cotton and forty cent meat.

The saddest word of tongue, or pen, I have no sow, no cow, no hen, No corn, no peas, no garden fence, Just a bale of cotton, worth eight cents.

Special Turkey Dinner will be served at Hotel Winters next Sunday for 75c. Regular week day meals, 50c.

TWO PAY FINES FOR FIGHTING AT CREWS

Two men, E. G. Damron and G. M. Harper, both of Crews, paid fines for fighting the first of the week, Damron paying \$12.70 here, while Harper paid a similar amount in the justice court at Winters.—Ballinger Ledger.

Time was when March winds had fun with skirts. Not so now, however.

Dame Fashion Is Kind This Spring

BY HARRIET

WE owe Dame Fashion a vote of thanks, for she is being exceedingly kind to us this spring. The newest clothes show no radical changes, no arbitrary decrees, but a perfection of the lines and fabrics already established.

Skirts for instance may be knee length—the knee itself really should influence the selection—or it may be a few inches below. Fashion has no desire to make caricatures of us.

Many French designers are exploiting the raised waistline, but there is no insistence upon it. The waistline indicated just above the hips is too comfortable and too becoming to be relinquished.

Pleated Skirts

Skirts are pleated either in front, at the sides, or all way around, just to suit the individual. And if you want to get through the spring and summer the easiest possible way, you will stick to pleated skirt and variations of the jumper overblouse.

Sleeves are, for the most part, long and rather elaborately treated with intricately cut cuffs, and cuffs that extend from wrist to elbow, scalloped, embroidered, or inset with lace. Undoubtedly the summer will bring the sleeveless frock, particularly for sport and resort wear.

In materials silks and chiffons share popularity with wool. The soft jerseys and tweeds in pastel colors, as well as the spongy woven basket weave materials, are absolutely the rage for spring.

For the Afternoon

For summer, the chiffon frock, printed or plain, or the new lace and georgette combinations as well as plain dyed lace, with the large hat, will be the correct afternoon attire.

For general wear, the simple type of one-piece dress, with belt, patch pockets and a simple neck treatment, developed in crepe de chine, printed damask, satin, or any of the thinner crepes, will divide honors with the two-piece jumper outfit.

Hats show a tendency to follow the popularly established winter modes. The small hat may be of felt, straw, ribbon, or the knitted straws, and will shower its attention on the crown rather than the brim, which will be quite negligible. Crowns are tucked, pleated, cut out, embroidered or plain, but they must give the suggestion of height, and careful fitting, even if the actual outline of the head is not so definite as the cloche made it.

Two Types

Two general and very practical spring outfits are illustrated, in-



Here are the two types mentioned by Harriett. To the left is the crepe de chine frock. The other costume is the ensemble.

cluding an ensemble and one of the new silk frocks that may be worn for sport or for general day wear.

The ensemble comes in the popular gray tan, with a coat that may be worn with other frocks and a dress charming without the coat. The use of a flat fur such as leopard or calf is very much approved for the spring coat, since it gets away from the wintry suggestion of heavier fur and, at the same time, gives life and pep to the wrap.

The silk jumper is bound with the wool material and buttons coyly right up to the chin.

Crepe de chine in that soft boys de rose makes the frock bordered with the knitted fabric in black

and white. With its perky black tie and cunning pockets, to say nothing of the demure collar, it could attend any day function and be distinguished. The blouse may be worn bloused, as illustrated, or pulled lower over the hips to give the straight-line effect that is rather more becoming to the short woman, or one who is heavy through the hips and must keep her lines vertical.

Each of these costumes stresses the vogue for simplicity and the reluctance to add any trimming not dictated by logic. The comfortable pleated skirts and general ease of line indicate that there is no inclination to make women suffer these days for style's sake.

The Last of the Pirate Chieftains Come to Life at the

QUEEN

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 23-24

NOTE—The Night Performance of "The Eagle of the Sea" will be shown at the Lyric on Wednesday, in order that the Parent-Teacher Association might use the Queen for the last number of the Lyceum Course.

The most stupendous Sea story ever filmed



"THE Eagle OF THE Sea"

with Florence Vidor Ricardo Cortez

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Elegant, chivalrous, daring, mysterious Jean Lafitte, terror of the Spanish Main. With a price on his head he comes to New Orleans, city of revelry, intrigue and romance—and—!!

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A CORRECTION

In reproducing an article from the Ballinger Daily Ledger in our last week's issue, after consideration we have reached the conclusion that our fellowtownsman, B. Loftin, was done an injustice and one which The Enterprise would not care to be a party to.

While it is true that Mr. Loftin was charged with the sale of intoxicating liquor, the article from Ballinger states that about a half gallon of liquor was taken and the impression was left that it was taken from Mr. Loftin which, we learn, is false. It is true that a man may be charged with most any offense, but we are frank to state that we are loath to believe charges of the above nature against people who have demonstrated their good citizenship as Mr. Loftin has since or two years residence in this city.—Editor.

ATTRACTIVE

All over the country has come a much needed awakening to the fact that towns, as well as people, must be made to look attractive.

More strangers pass through our towns in a week nowadays than were wont to pass in a year. These will always judge a town, as they would a person, by first appearances, and miss any hidden charm that further acquaintance might reveal.

Winters has much natural beauty, but it could be made more attractive. The first step would be to tidy up generally, to make vacant lots look attractive by special planting and remove unsightly billboards and clean up the streets.

\$115 A MINUTE

Apparently the Ford Motor Co. is one thing that money can't buy. Recently a New York broker testified that Henry Ford has three times refused a billion dollars for his property. This testimony was given in course of an appeal by Henry Ford from a tax ruling of the treasury department. And now

MEMORIALS - IN -



GEORGIA MARBLE

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M. F. McKEE

mises results. It is designed to maintain order in the air and to protect radio users from the abuses they have recently endured. The radio acquires the status of a public utility, held to strict regulation in the public interest by government authority. Under the bill a federal radio commission of five members is to be created, with power to license and prescribe the class of service furnished by each station, assign wave lengths, regulate apparatus and lay down regulations to prevent interference.

SPORTS

Sports are a good thing. They are a physical and moral training for those who take part in them. And they are not wasted energy on those who take their exercise on the bleachers, before the bulletin board, or in these later days, by radio. There is outlet and exhilaration for them, too. Sports helped civilize the Filipinos. They are being used deliberately to modernize China and Japan. They have founded much of the success and glory of England.

FARMER COMES FIRST

That Canadian farmer who won the world first prize in wheat gave a more useful advertisement to Canada than the hero of the Catalina Channel. And he didn't get his mother's and Aunt Bella's names on the front page of the daily newspapers either.

CHAMPION VOTER

An Illinois man who died the other day at the age of 97 cast his first vote for Winfield Scott in 1852 and had never missed an election of any kind from that time until his death. Here was one man who had a perfect record as a persistent voter and it will be hard to duplicate the story.

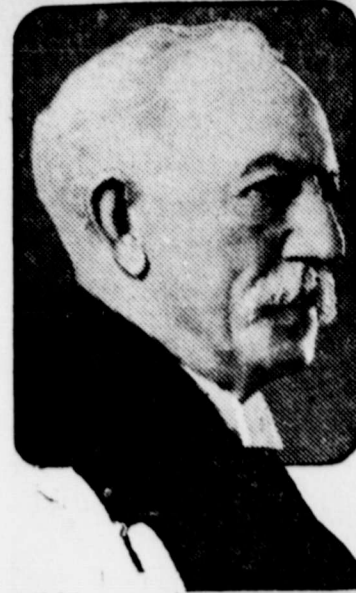
SOON STOPS

To stop advertising is to let your business run on momentum, and momentum is a gradual move toward a dead stop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pumphrey came in Tuesday from North Port, Ala., where they made an extended visit back to the old home.

Wife decided to redecorate?

'Good Company'



"The whole of your life must be spent in your own company, and only an educated man is good company for himself." is one of the philosophic declarations of the veteran educator, David Starr Jordan, chancellor emeritus of Stanford University, California.

NOTICE

Notice is given that the commissioners court of Runnels County, Texas, will receive bids for the purchase of one or more road maintainers up to ten o'clock a. m. of April 11th, 1927.—Paul Trimmer, County Judge. 46-4tp

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W. H. AVERY

Mr. Baker, head of the wholesale department of Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc., Abilene, was in the city yesterday looking after company interests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hughes announce the arrival of a new daughter in their home, born March 14th. Mother and little daughter are doing nicely.

Pay for, and get the Best. Eat at Autreys.

Beware the short cuts on the highways.

Mrs. Alex Orr, Sr., and Mrs. Alex Orr, Jr., and little son left Sunday for Dallas, where the latter will make her home. Mrs. Orr, Sr., will visit in Dallas for a short time before going to Florida for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Marrette of Miles, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith last Sunday.

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Spring bursts forth Monday.

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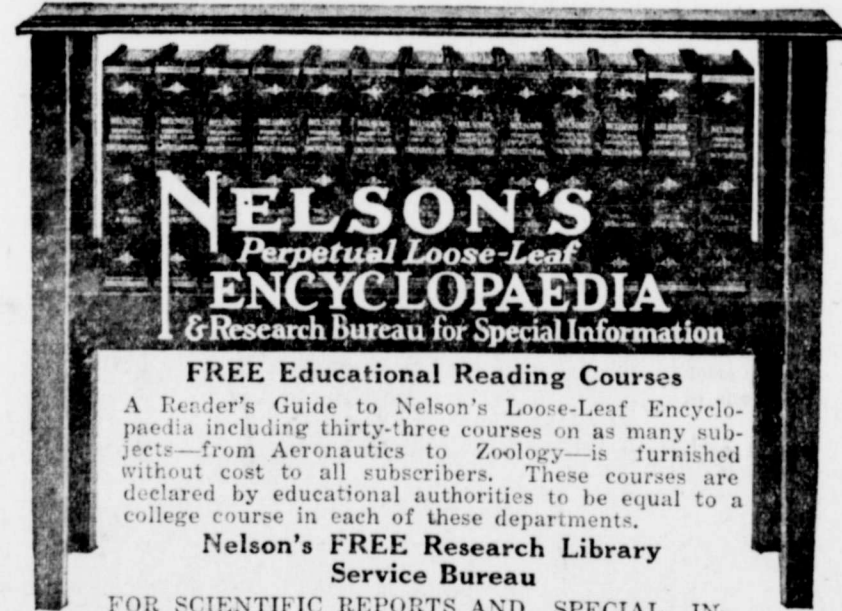
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WEEKLY SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Hope For Immortality

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for March 20: Hope of Christians.—Text: John 14:1-3; 2 Corinthians 5:1-10; John 3:2-3.

BEYOND this life—the life eternal. That is the hope of Christians, emphasized in the first passage of this lesson. The promise is extended: "I will come again, and receive you unto myself, that where I am there ye may be also." In the life that God has given us are evidences of the eternal life that is the Christian goal. This is shown in the third passage of the lesson, giving our present experiences as the basis of immortality.

God's Children

As God's children we look ahead. What shall be the future of a child of God? That is the natural question that our very existence asks. And, in the perfection of eternity, the dream of a never-ending happiness, the answer rests.

It is our nature to look ahead, to try to determine what shall come after this. It is natural to hope for the larger and richer experiences of a life beyond as we come to know more and more the Creator and to compare to His glory the fact of our own existence.

The world limits our senses. All man-built institutions totter. Whatever is worldly ends. But our human experience gives us an inkling of a life of the spirit, of the soul, of that which is apart from the body, of that which is not earthly. Therein lies our hope of eternity as God's children.

The desire for perfection is deep in us. We go on searching happiness, and for the perfection of happiness that will know no end.

The Love Eternal

We strive to make our buildings, our bridges, our homes, durable, and in this we manifest the same desire that is seated in our souls—the longing for eternal per-



fection, life without end.

As there is beauty in our lives, we come to dream of a perfection of beauty. We see love and feel it, and what would there be to live for if this manifestation must end with death?

Daily we come into touch with the life immortal. Kindness, sympathy, mercy awaken the intuition that is in us, the feeling that all of this must go on and on, that goodness must be multiplied.

We walk by faith, not by sight, the lesson says. It is so as children we first essay to trust those tottering little legs. We fall and fall again, but faith is there, belief that we shall be able to walk, and so we struggle on.

So with the life of the soul. We struggle to our feet by faith, eyes forward, firm fixed upon an eternal pathway.

ed, see us.—Bert E. Low, President West Texas Sunday School Convention, Vice-President State Sunday School Convention.

Methodist Church

Gid J. Bryan, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., Prof. A. H. Smith, Superintendent. Preach, 11 a. m. Epworth Leagues, 6:30 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m. Is your life satisfactory to yourself?

It is the gospel you need. Come and worship with us.

Church of Christ

R. L. COLLEY, Minister, Phone 123

Communion, 11:45. Sunday services: Preaching service, 11 o'clock. Evening services, 7:15. All are invited to these services.

Presbyterian Notes

Regular services will be held each Sunday at the Queen Theatre until Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Senior and Adult C. E., 6 p. m. Preaching, 7 p. m.

MONDAY—Ladies Missionary societies meet at 4 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY—Regular prayer services will be held at the home of some member announced at the Sunday service.

Dodge Bros. Announce Price of New Line of Cars

Public announcement was made in January that Dodge Brothers, Inc., will enter the market this summer with a car in the higher priced field. Since that time Dodge Brothers Dealers everywhere have been beset with an incessant flood of inquiries regarding the new supplementary car.

Mr. Floyd, local dealer, has just received an official announcement from Detroit emphasizing some of the statements previously made regarding the new car and containing information of interest to many prospective purchasers.

"We are pleased to advise Dodge Brothers' dealers that progress on the supplementary car is thoroughly upto schedule and it will be available for moderate delivery on or before July 1st, the date heretofore announced.

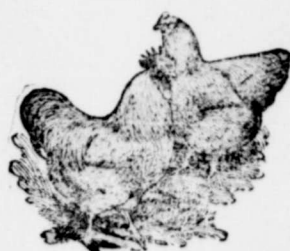
We are naturally receiving many inquiries seeking a description of the car. Its specifications will not be

released, however, until it is ready to be shown.

"While the announcements concerning it, already made, have emphasized the fact that it will be a considerably higher priced car in no way conflicting with our present standard product, there are doubtless a number of buying prospects who have been led to believe that the difference in price between our standard car and the supplementary car will be small, and therefore, some of your prospects may be disposed to defer their spring purchase of present product until full announcement of the supplementary car.

"In order to dispel any such uncertainty that may exist we are therefore advising you authoritatively that the supplementary car will be sold at a price of \$1650.00 f. o. b. Detroit for the four door Sedan.

"We also take this occasion to again assure you that production of the present Dodge Brothers power plant and the sale of our present standard line of cars will be continued; rumors inconsistent with this statement are false and misleading and should be promptly and vigorously denied."



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Saturday—The Volunteer Band meets at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday—Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Sunbeams, 2p. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

The pastor will preach at both the morning and evening hours. Singing in the main auditorium at 3 p. m.

Rev. Castillo will be with the Mexican people in a service in the basement of the church at 3 p. m. There will be baptising following this service.

Monday—The W. M. U. will study "Today's Supreme Challenge to America," beginning at 2 p. m. Next Friday, the 25th, the ladies will meet at the church and observe the entire day in prayer and a program in State missions.

The Intermediate G. A. will meet with Mrs. Stephens at 4 p. m.

Tuesday—The Junior G. A. will meet with Mrs. Holliday at 4 p. m.

Wednesday—Mid-week service 7:30 p. m. Mrs. H. H. Stephens will speak to the ladies of the Concho Valley Association today (Friday).

Rev. H. H. Stephens spent last week with the First Baptist Church at Paris in a very successful Sunday School Training course. Four classes were under his direction and there were eighty-seven who took the examinations and will receive awards. Pastor Stephens gave an inspirational address each evening and a decision service on Sunday which resulted in sixteen professions.

Beginning Monday evening, March 28th, there will be conducted throughout the week several training classes for Sunday School workers of those who contemplate to do Sunday School work or those who are interested in Sunday School work even though they do not plan to teach. We urge that you begin now to think about this week of study and to decide upon the subject you will take. Not so busy but that we, I am sure, can find time to devote five nights to the study of methods so that we might the better serve our Master in the work of the Sunday School.

In this connection we desire to call attention to the West Texas Sunday School Convention, which meets in Midland next Tuesday, the 22nd. Surely you could not spend two days more wisely and profitably than to visit this fast growing section and attend the convention. A strong program will be rendered. Practical-

ly the entire state force of Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. workers will be there. Let's go to Midland Tuesday and Wednesday, the 22nd and 23rd.

The climax of all, April 12th, 13th and 14th the State Sunday School Convention will meet with the First Baptist Church of San Angelo. If you have any desire whatever to work for the Master, fellowship with the brethren and to sit at the feet of our great leaders and be taught and inspired, you most certainly will not fail to be at San Angelo. Talks on training, methods of instruction, messages inspirational will be delivered and if you miss them you, no doubt, will be the less capable and efficient for the task which in the future God might give you to perform. We would like for a large delegation to go from our church. If interest-



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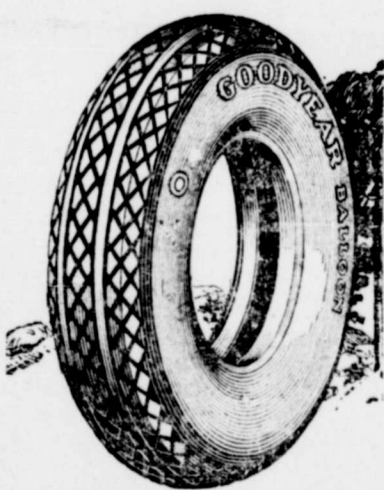
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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

RUTH, A SPENDER SMALL TOWN STARS FOOLING THE SCRIBES

BY PHILIP MARTIN

WHILE all this talk is going on about Babe Ruth's salary a fine story is buried. It is not how much dough the Babe is receiving—it's how much he spent. Early in his career with the Yankees he received \$25,000 for a vaudeville tour, real money, too. He spent it all and \$30,000 more that winter. After making approximately \$100,000 in one season he was obliged to borrow money from the Yankee officials to go south on the next spring.

Ball players are noted as a thrifty tribe. Not so George Herman.

BABE was an odd character from the start. He began as a pitcher for the Red Sox. "Brick" Owens was behind the plate. Babe eased one over.

"Ball one!" chirped "Brick."
"If you call another one like that," said Ruth quietly, "I'm gonna punch you right smack on the nose."

He threw another.
"Ball two!" barked "Brick."
Babe laconically tossed his glove away with his left hand, shrugged his shoulders sadly, walked up to "Brick" and patted him, as per agreement, right on the snout.

SPORTS editors, always more or less gullible, are beginning to get their dogs on the terra firma again. Most of them have become downright cynics since the late lamented Dempsey-Tunney thing at Philly. Few ever talk in superlatives about the ravishing merits of such and such an alleged fighter. The awful odor that Charlie Phil Rosenberg trailed in his wake has sickened even the noted Pollyannas of the Press. Tunney, Maloney, Paulino and McTigue scored victories and shortly after picked up the sports pages only to read neat little accounts in which the words "bum, tramp, terrible, mediocre, cheesy" were used very, very cleverly.

SMALL towns still furnish the majority of major league baseball stars. There are a few college heroes scampering around the bases but the little burbs are looked to for material. Kids in the city don't seem to go in the old sport any more. They play a lot of golf on the municipal courses, swim, ride—do everything, it seems, but choose up



Here are four players who have changed berths this season. Above, Ty Cobb, former Detroit manager, and Rogers Hornsby, formerly of the Cardinals, now with the Giants. Below (left) is Eddie Collins, who returns to the Philadelphia Athletics this year, after a fling at managing the White Sox. Tris Speaker, manager of the Indians last season, now a member of the Washington team, is pictured in the oval.

sides and start the old-fashioned corner-lot racket.

RACE track fans will miss Jockey Clarence Turner's name this coming season. For 15 years Turner, according to the wise boys who are not fooled by cheap publicity gags, has been rated with the best of them. One

morning Clarence packed up his "lucky" tack and shipped it to his mother at Covington, Ky. A half hour later he was at the office of the Jockey Club. He asked for a trainer's application blank but was handed a rider's instead.

"This won't do," replied the famous jockey, "I've ridden my last race. I'm going to try my hand at training."

the horticulturist of A. & M. Extension Department spoke here at a series of community meetings.

Lefors—A large building program is indicated for this growing town during the spring and early summer. Removal of fencing around the court house grounds was recently made here to improve civic attractiveness of the place.

Fort Worth—The Panhandle-Plains Exhibit put on by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce came in for second place award at the Fat Stock Show, being lead by Southeast Texas Exhibit by less than 1 percent. The exhibit of all West Texas products, not sufficient to fill a competitive exhibit and not following a score card, placed fifth for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce territory. Three agricultural judges from A. & M. College judged the displays.

Announce Latest Goodyear Balloons

The Goodyear All-Weather balloon tire, announced shortly after January first, is the most important development in the automobile tire industry since the introduction of the cord tire, according to S. P. Floyd, local tire dealer.

"Ever since balloon tires were introduced, the Goodyear company has been conducting extensive experimentation for the purpose of developing a new and superior tread," Mr. Floyd said.

"During a two-year period 80 different treads were constructed by Goodyear and put into road service covering hundreds of thousands of miles, and out of this practical research has come the new Goodyear All-Weather tread, scientifically designed for balloon tire use.

"Increased qualities of traction and a high degree of resistance to skidding are two of the major advantages of the new tread, while the sharp edged diamond shaped blocks are built so they grip the road and retain their usefulness longer than any previous non-skid tread used on balloon tires.

"Another feature is long, even

and slow tread wear as opposed to uneven and rapid tread wear noticeable in many balloon tires in the past, and quietly without producing vibration.

"The manufacturers, builders of more than 75,000,000 tires, declare the new product to be the longest-wearing and most trouble-free balloon tire Goodyear has ever produced," Mr. Floyd stated.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sheppard were Dallas visitors a few days the first of the week and also visited the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth while absent.

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P.-T. A. WILL MEET MARCH 22

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the High School building Tuesday, March 22nd, and render the following program:

Song—"The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You."

Talk—"Texas Independence."—M. P. Mathews.

Reading—Miss Brown.

Song—"Texas"—Girls' Chorus.

Report of N. E. A. Meeting.—A. H. Smith.

Business.

A good attendance is especially desired and parents are urged to be present.

Mrs. Harold Norman, Mrs. J. E. Cooke and Mrs. Howard Poe spent Wednesday in Abilene.

Miss Lorene Nebhut of Bradshaw, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Lillian Quindlen.

J. F. Flynt was confined to his home a few days the past week with the flu.

The Dollar is not our only Aim. Eat at Autreys.

It takes a war to shake a habit.

Mrs. C. L. Hauser and Mrs. J. W. Cathey of Wingate, were shopping here Wednesday. While in the city they visited Mrs. Garland Watkins, who is a patient in the local sanitarium, having recently submitted to an appendicitis operation.

Gerald Collingsworth, Garland Nance and George Joe were Abilene visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Daniels returned Monday from Fort Worth where they visited the latter's mother, Mrs. C. D. Stewart, and other relatives.

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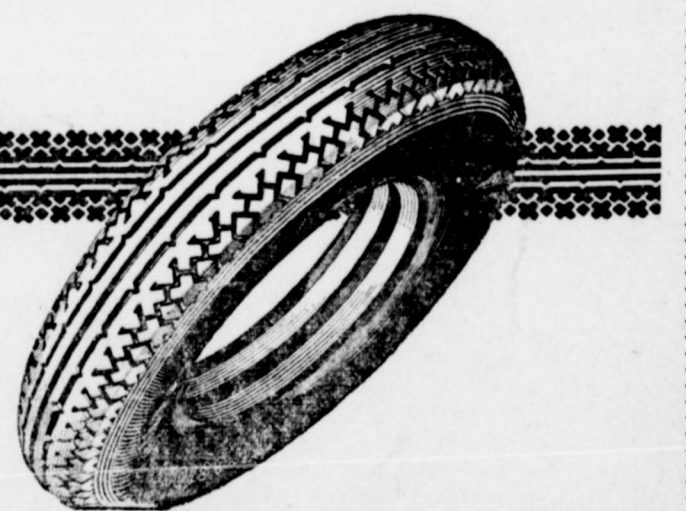
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"PLAYING HOOKEY" FROM THE SCHOOL OF EXPERIENCE

By Jack Callan

Are you playing hookey from the school of experience? Experience is man's greatest school. "It is not the mistakes we have made but the ones we overcome that determines the greater prize."

It is generally known that the over-supply of cotton has caused the financial conditions of the South and in fact the entire world to be greatly decreased. This is one of the outstanding lessons offered in this great school of experience. Is the South playing "hookey" from this school?

Remember that the success of tomorrow depends upon the prosperity of today. The mistake that the South has made in their over supply of cotton may be remedied if we profit by our experience. How? By ceasing to "Play Hookey" from the school of experience and practicing diversification.

If fruit trees were planted on a majority of the farms of the United States, there would be less demands for the continual cry of diversification.

The tree is an ideal representation of God's love of the beautiful and all that is worth while. Its necessity is not denied and its value cannot be over-estimated.

The ideal farm cannot exist without trees. Neither can the home beautiful of any town or village be complete without this great gift from the Creator of all beauty.

The fruit tree is a necessity to the town as well as the farm. Sound ripe fruit is one of the most wholesome and delicious of foods, and aids in keeping everyone at the highest point of physical and mental power. It is generally unknown that a large amount of market fruit is picked while green, ripened unnaturally, and stored in refrigerators for long months. The fruit from this source is very unwholesome, and lacks both taste and those elements which develops our physical body and mind.

Every farmer can produce at home at smaller expense, far better, more delicious and more wholesome fruit than can be bought. It has often been stated that cotton is the money crop. This is partly true, when we take into consideration the enormous amount that is paid yearly for unwholesome fruit, we soon come to the conclusion that cotton is not the money crop.

The sums derived from the sale and the home use of fruit would be enormous and would raise the position of the farmer, as far as wealth is concerned, one hundred per cent. Many agriculturalists who now only are able to have the bare necessities of life could share many of its luxuries, enjoy life's happiness, and share its beauty with others. It is true that cotton could become the money crop if trees were planted upon the farm and save the agriculturalists an enormous per cent of his annual income.

Not only the fruit trees but the differer varieties of berries, including blackberries, strawberries, gooseberries, raspberries and others aid in

the diversification of Agriculture and are invaluable to the farmer of today as a wealth growing product.

Every town home should have peach, plum and pecan trees, for they are not only necessities but beautiful.

Along with the beneficial trees belong the beautiful. Every home whether in the country, town or city, should be beautified by the loveliness of ornamental trees, lilies, roses, and vines. They represent the true ideals of life, the ambitions of us all, and the thoughts of humanity. Nothing is more beautiful, more striking than a home surrounded by trees and shrubs. Many refuse or rather neglect planting shade trees of oak and elm because of the time required for the growth. But in the modern world too selfish, too unthoughtful to remember the future generation? Make tomorrow's world a paradise in which to live.

Yet, there are many trees which require only a few years or even months to beautify the yard, town or city. The beauty of a town or country depends upon the flowers, shrubs and trees planted by the individual.

Lets stop playing "hookey" from the school of experience and make the great South one of the foremost beauty spots of America as well as the most prosperous. Prosperity not only is dependent upon the fertility of the soil or the diversification of Agricultural products, but the beauty of the country is an important factor of progress and prosperity. Remember farmers, when you plant your crops for the years to come that the financial prosperity of the South, the United States and in fact the entire world is largely dependent upon you.

Again, I urge that the farmer practice diversification. Every farm-home should be surrounded by cows, hogs, chickens turkeys, all vegetables and by all means an orchard where prosperity is written in figures denoting the remarkable accomplishments on every farm in America. Beauty exists on the farm and where beauty is, God's supreme Power is also. Every flower, every tree and shrub is a representation of the marvelous power of beauty in nature.

and one of the most exquisite joys in life. "Let's stop playing hookey from the school of experience."

FRESHMAN ENTERTAIN WITH PROGRAM

The Freshmen in their unique manner entertained the high school and teachers with a short program last Friday morning under the direction of Miss White. The program was very successfully carried out with the following renditions:

Reading — June Lambreth.
 Piano solo — Clara Geistman.
 Pantomime — Characters.
 Fannie Lou Stokes — Maid
 Karleen Low — Young boy
 Karleen Low — Young girl
 Francis Smith — Young boy
 Helen Spill — Mother
 Bernice Robertson — Father
 Fairy McCoughan — Little girl
 Stuart Williams — Little boy
 Myrtle Thorton — Grandmother

The program was well rendered and shows much talent among the "Fish." This is probably the best program of the classes this year.

PUBLIC SPEAKING CLASS GIVES SPECIAL PROGRAM

On Monday of this week the public Speaking class, under the direction of Miss Joseph, entertained the High School student body. The program was made up of talks by the members of the class on the coming Interscholastic meet which is to be held in Winters April 8th and 9th.

The program is as follows:
 "The Lack of Pep is Conspicuous" — Sallie Lou Newby.
 "Meeting the Greater Opposition" — Mary Helen Nicholson.
 "Meeting the Greater Expectations" — Ina Mae Owens.
 "If You Can't Drive the Bus-Push" — Maggie Sue Key.
 "The Best Man Usually Wins" — Fannin Lowe.
 "And the Tortoise Wins the Race" — Ruth Stephens.
 "Lets Take a New Broom to the New House" — Valeria Duncan.
 "The Real Purpose of Interscholastic Contest" — RobertLee Jonas.
 "On Entering Our New High School Building" — Gladys Geistman.
 "A Page of History" — Marie Hill.
 "What's On My Mind" — Robert Burton.
 "Victory For One, Victory For All" — Marie Griffis.

In Nicaragua



Brig. Gen. Logan Feland, of the marine corps, has charge of the land forces of marines in Nicaragua. Gen. Feland won many awards for service overseas during the World War and recently commanded the marine mail guard detachment in the east.

THE ECONOMICS CLASS

Another class which deserves considerable praise for the work they have done and are now doing is the Economic class which is under the supervision of Miss Wells.

Economics is one of the most interesting as well as intellectual classes which is now being offered in the High Schools of the United States. Many of the present population of our town as well as of Texas do not understand that important element which is required before anyone may conquer true Success, Economy. The study of Economics does not, however, only include this phase but numerous elements as well. It involves the study of man's wants, his business, and it gives a through study of capital, wealth, value, utility, money, banking, financial conditions and many other important things which are related to these. Since a large portion of a man's life is devoted to the task of making a living, the study of Economics is a necessity. Men have come to the conclusion that this important study is a rare necessity

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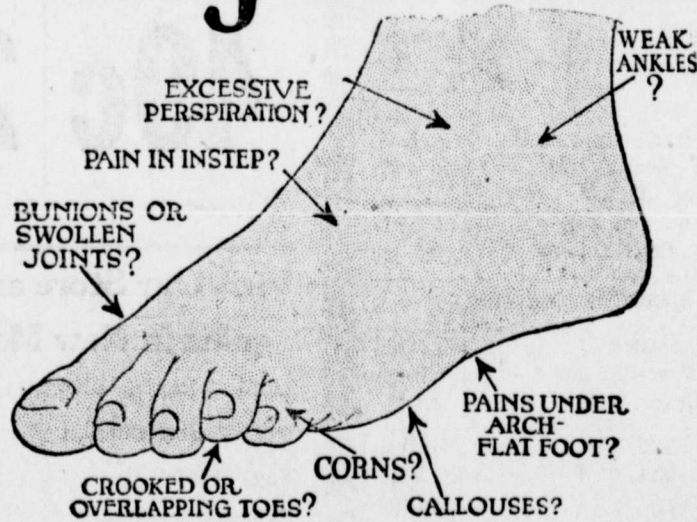
THE REAL PURPOSE OF INTERSCHOLASTIC CONTESTS

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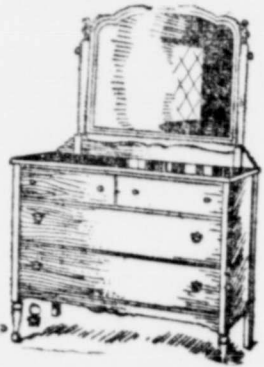


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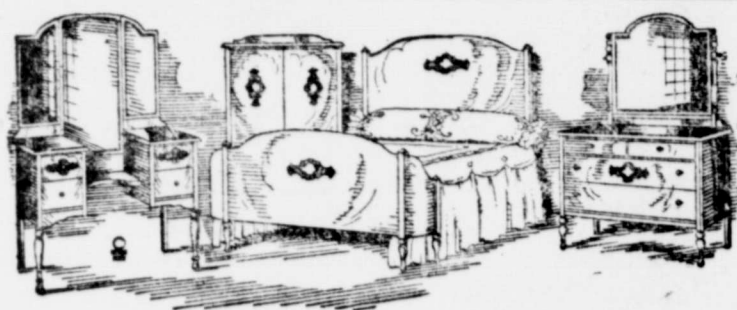
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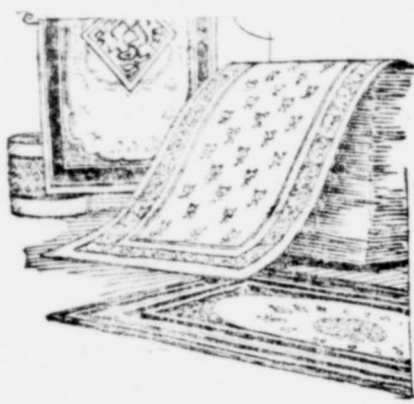


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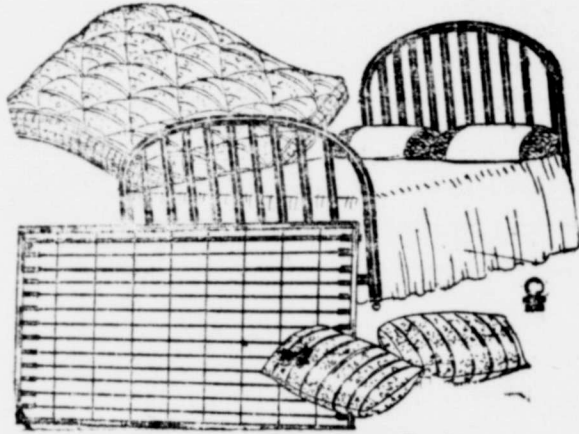
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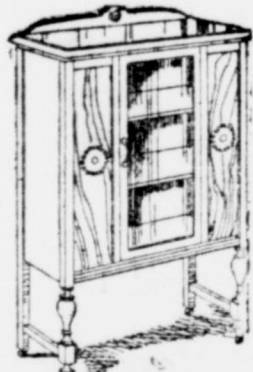
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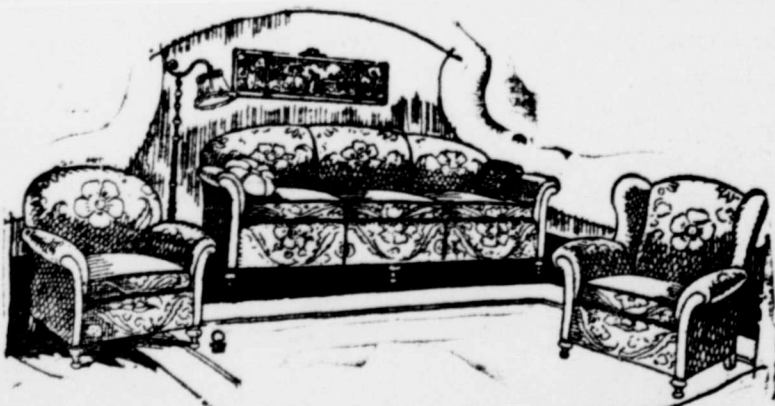
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MISCELLANEOUS

For Hemstitching and Button Making, see Mrs. Labenske at Schindler's Variety Store. 46-3tc

HEMSTITCHING and Button Making.—Mrs. J. T. Stevenson, Telephone 340. 44-3tp

BABY CHICKS AND EGGS

FOR SALE—Combination show and egg type American White Leghorn Eggs, \$10 per hundred. See W. F. Hartzog. 40tf

FOR SALE, Eggs from D. B. Thornton's R. I. Reds, at half price. \$1.50 per setting. Phone 1713. 45-3tp

FOR SALE, R. I. Red Setting Eggs \$1 to \$3 per setting after April 1st, which is just half price.—A. D. Lee, Winters. 46-2tc

LOST, two black horse mules with leather halters on; about 14 1-2 hands high. Liberal reward. Notify Van Logsdon, Winters. 1tp

One Drop of Prevention May Save a Flock Of Chicks

When chicken ailments first break out among your flocks if you are prepared to fight the disease it may save you money. Knowing that the chicken industry is growing every day, we have prepared for the chicken man. We have a remedy for most every disease, and especially for the most prevalent in this country now—such as

WALKO TABLETS for White Diarrhoea and Baby Chicks.

MARTIN'S LICE POWDER. TURKEY-TONE FOR TURKEYS.

We Appreciate Your Patronage

Owens Drug Store

"What You Want When You Want It"
DRUGS AND JEWELRY

Spring will be here Monday, March 21, but it had better wear its heavy ones.

If some knockers and grouches had their own way they would dig a hole and shove their home town into it.

Hotel Winters announces the opening of the dining room. Special Turkey Dinner will be served Sunday at 75c. Regular week day meals, 50c. 1tc

Cheer up, Mr. Ford, the first billon is always the hardest to get.

Gambills

WATCH OUR SHOW WINDOWS

Saturday Specials



House Brooms

Made of pure corn straw, with good handle. Medium weight. Regular 50c value. Saturday

Limit of 1 to a customer while they last.

25c

Latest Novelty Step-Ins

A Real Value SATURDAY

49c

Assorted colors.

Ladies' Sport Hats

Regular 50c value SATURDAY

25c

Limit 2 to Customer

Children's Dresses

Assorted Colors

59c

Saturday and next week.

Visit Our Store and See the Many New Bargains in New Merchandise Just Received!

Ladies' Rayon Bloomers.....	98c
Ladies' Silk Chiffon Hose.....	98c
Boys' Suits.....	98c
Children's Waists.....	25c
Boys' Jazzbow Ties.....	15c
Men's Latest Novelty Bow Ties.....	29c
Children's Fine Silk Socks.....	49c
Men's High-Grade Hose, assorted colors.....	29c

Spading Fork Special
4-tine with good handle—
\$1.19

Garden Plows On Sale
\$3.95

Short Handle Shovels
Round and square points—
\$1.19